Important Dates

Last date for registration : November 6, 2023

Only limited participants are allowed; No registration fee.

Registration



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A Short Course on Design for Additive Manufacturing

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About the short course

The recent widespread adaptation of additive manufacturing has raised concerns on occupational safety and health implications of workers due to emissions, volatile organic compounds, unexpected system failure and breakdowns. The safe deployment of additive manufacturing technologies requires a comprehensive tools and techniques for assessment of safety and develop appropriate mitigation strategies or requirements. In vivo and in vitro simulation models, model-based analysis and digital twins using artificial intelligence and machine learning techniques will allow us to predict the systemic failures and their underlying causes in additive manufacturing process. However, there is a greater challenge in maintaining the safety of the additive manufacturing process as the engineers often lack the tools and methods to undertake sufficient analytical work on additive manufacturing process due to variety of AM processes and material compositions, nonlinear interaction of process parameters, uncertainty of material behavior, which limits generalizability of system models. In order to ensure safety and resilience in additive manufacturing process, there is a need for enhancing the engineering skills to reduce the emerging socio-technical knowledge gaps which can support us to develop an integrated and complementary technique that compensate for deficiencies or limitations in the current methods and practices of additive manufacturing. The knowledge needed ranges from basic understanding of the technology to selecting components for production, design and engineering, scaling and validating production. Few courses have focused only on technical aspect. However, some topics such as IP, liability, safety, quality assurance, sustainability and business models related to AM is not yet covered. This short-term course will address the aforementioned aspects of AM. Participants will have the opportunity to get hands-on experience in the operation of FDM printers. Further, design methodology and topology optimization, case studies on Laser Powder Bed Fusion Process and guidelines for Design for Additive Manufacturing will be covered. A hands- on training in "Netfabb" will be provided during the lecture.



