# EE 5389 Quantum Optics in Micro- and Nano-Cavities

Spring Semester 2007 Monday/Wednesday 1:00–2:20 pm, GACB Room 103

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**Course Learning Goals/Objectives:** Learn the principles of light-matter interaction enhancement in micro- and nano-structures, and its applications.

**Course Description:** We will discuss the mechanism of strong enhancement of interaction of light and matter in micro- and nano-cavities, leading to dramatic increase of light emission (Purcell effect) and transformation of incoherent spontaneous emission into coherent Rabi oscillations. Applications to single-photon lasers, optical transistors, and quantum gates will be discussed.

#### **Topic schedule:**

Elements of Quantum Mechanics Traveling-Wave and Standing-Wave Optical Resonators Einstein's Coefficients Single Emitter in a Microcavity Purcell Effect Coherent Interaction of Light and Matter Applications

#### **Course Evaluation and Final Grade:**

| Attendance | 50% |
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| Term paper | 50% |

## Attendance Policy: Mandatory

**Drop Policy:** As per University guidelines. See the Registrar's Bulletin or the University Calendar in the front part of the UTA catalog for drop dates.

## **Student Evaluation of Teaching**

Students will be asked to complete instructor/course evaluation forms at the end of the semester.

## Americans with Disabilities Act:

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As a faculty member, I am required by law to provide "**reasonable accommodation**" to students with disabilities, so as not to discriminate on the basis of that disability. Student responsibility primarily rests with **informing faculty at the beginning of the semester and in providing authorized documentation through designated administrative channels.** 

If you require an accommodation based on disability, I would like to meet with you in the privacy of my office, during the first week of the semester, to make sure you are properly accommodated.

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