

Energy – An Overview with Pravin K. Varma

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Wednesday, 2:00 – 3:30pm in Civic Center Jean Coutu Room

6 weeks starting on Oct 13, 2010

Maximum 12

Storm Policy: No classes when schools are closed in Sackville

This course is aimed at providing a brief, simple and comprehensible overview of energy. Participants can expect to get a broad based look into energy, including thermal energy conversion, hydro-electric, wind power, solar power, nuclear power and electrical energy,

We will begin with a look at energy usage at our individual and local levels, a starting point for gaining appreciation of the global energy production and utilization issues. If possible, a visit to the Mount Allison University heating plant will be organized to experientially gain insights into energy utilization and some of the many terms involved.

The hope is that with this background we can develop a better appreciation of one of the most important issues facing our society today.

Instructor Bio:

Prof. Emeritus, Mt. Allison University. Prof in Engineering and Physics Departments. Offered courses in Physics of Energy Production and Transfer, Thermodynamics and Fluid Mechanics.

Some people are very sensitive to perfumes and other scents. Please respect a scent free environment by not using scented products. Thank you.

A note to seniors about class attendance and absenteeism....

As you know, our instructors are all volunteers, who work very hard at putting courses together. Your cooperation is appreciated in letting them know if you are unable to attend any of the classes as most instructors plan weekly classes that are appropriate to the number of registered students in the course.

If circumstances change between registration and the first class, or if you decide to withdraw after the first or second class, please email tsccordinator@nbnet.nb.ca or call 364-2780. Many courses have a wait list and this could allow someone else to take your place.

Sometimes, seniors have travel plans or medical appointments made in advance. It would help instructors to know this at registration, if possible, so that class material may be adjusted

accordingly. Illness, as well as other unanticipated and unavoidable conflicts can occur. If you are able, please let your instructor know as soon as possible if you will miss a class.

Thank you!