# Mechanics of mechanical metamaterials



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# **Overview**

The course gives an overview of mechanical metamaterials and the aspects of modelling them. A specific emphasis will be laid on the discussion of static and dynamic response of mechanical meta materials through super cell and phenomenological models. Micromechanics based constitutive models to describe the mechanical behaviour of fibre network metamaterials will be discussed. Recent advances such as origami-based folding and energy absorption capabilities of metamaterials will also be discussed. The course syllabus is as follows:

#### 1. Introduction of mechanical metamaterials

1.1 Two dimensional and three-dimensional metamaterials, including honeycombs, fiber network materials, lattice materials, micro lattice materials, origami-based folding materials

1.2 Geometric modeling of materials with regular and irregular microstructures

1.3 Manufacturing of metamaterials, including honeycombs, fiber network materials, lattice materials, micro lattice materials and folding materials)

#### 2. Static mechanical properties of mechanical metamaterials

2.1 Homogenization techniques

2.2 Super cell modeling	5. Fiber network metamaterials
2.3 Phenomenological modeling	5.1 Micromechanical constitutive modeling
3. Impact responses of mechanical metamaterials	5.2 Effects of imperfections
3.1 Hexagonal honeycombs	5.3 Rate dependent constitutive modeling
3.2 Auxetic double-arrow honeycombs	6. Origami-based folding metamaterials
4. Wave propagation in mechanical metamaterials	6.1 Geometrical modeling
4.1 Homogenization modeling of elastic wave	6.2 Mechanical properties and bi-stability
4.2 Tuning elastic wave in metamaterials	6.3 Energy absorption capability

Dates	18 – 22 November 2019	
Venue	Department of Mechanical Engineering, Indian Institute of Technology Madras, Chennai	
You Should Attend If	<ul> <li>you are a mechanical/civil/aerospace/materials engineer or a research scientist interested in designing novel actuators employing the mechanical metamaterials.</li> <li>you are a student or faculty from an academic institution interested in learning the recent trends in architectured materials providing exotic properties and their mechanical response.</li> </ul>	
Fees	The participation fees for attending the course is as follows:	
	Participants from abroad: US \$ 500 Student participants: INR 2500 Faculty participants: INR 5000 Industry: INR 10000 Research Organizations: INR 7500	
	The above fee includes all instructional materials, computer use for tutorials and assignments, refreshments during the lectures.	
	Modes of payment:         Online transfer:         Account Name: CCE IIT Madras         Acc. No: 3640111110         Branch: SBI, IIT Madras Branch, Chennai         IFSC Code: SBIN0001055         Swift Code: SBININBB453	
	Note: The participants should be mentioned the purpose of GIAN while the transaction and have to send the transaction details to <u>cceoffice@iitm.ac.in</u> or <u>gian@iitm.ac.in</u> OR Demand draft in favour of "CCE IIT Madras" payable at Chennai. The demand draft is to be sent to the course coordinator at the address given below.	
	Address of the Course Coordinator:	
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Accommodation	The participants may be provided with hostel accommodation, depending on availability, on payment basis. Request for hostel accommodation may be submitted through the link: <u>http://hosteldine.iitm.ac.in/iitmhostel/</u>	
Registration Procedure	1. Go to GIAN website (http://www.gian.iitkgp.ac.in/GREGN/index) First time users need to register and pay a one-time fee of INR 500 /	
	2. Enrol for the course: Mechanics of mechanical metamaterials. Once you enrol for the course, an Enrolment/Application number will be generated, and the course coordinators will be notified.	

## The Faculty



**Dr. Changqing Chen** is currently a professor and director of the Institute of Solid Mechanics, a part of School of Aerospace Engineering at Tsinghua University, Beijing, P. R. China. Prof. Chen's research interests include numerical modeling of

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**Dr. Ratna Kumar Annabattula** is an Associate Professor in the Department of Mechanical Engineering, IIT Madras. His current research interests include mechanics of stimuli-responsive thin films, mechanics of granular materials for energy and multiscale materials modeling.

He received his PhD from University of Groningen, The Netherlands in 2011. He received his B.E. (Andhra University) and M.E. (Indian Institute of Science) in 2002 and 2004, respectively, both in Mechanical Engineering. He was as a postdoctoral researcher at Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, Germany for about two and half years before joining IIT Madras in December 2012.

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