

# ECE 445 Lecture 3 Fall Semester 2025

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# Lecture-3 Agenda

- Introduction – A. Fliflet
- Communications - Dr. Laura Stengrim
- Lab Safety - Casey Smith
- Machine Shop – Gregg Bennet
- Writing – Aaron Greiger (video)
- Pitched Projects
  - Prof. Yurii Vlasov (via Zoom)
  - Prof. Rakesh Kumar – several project ideas
- Ethics – A. Fliflet

# Project Approval Status

- 17 Projects approved so far
- 6 RFAs awaiting a decision
- Need to approve about 17 more projects by Thursday, September 11
- Late projects face difficult deadlines
- About 50 students not on projects yet
- Pitched project RFAs will likely get approved.
  - **Sign up for a pitched project**