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Session # 7



Course Description

▪ *Instructor*

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▪ *Class time*

- *Sunday-Tuesday* *09:00-10:30*

▪ *Course evaluation*

- *Mid-term* *(30%)*
- *Final exam* *(50%)*
- *Quiz* *(5%)*
- *Exercise* *(15%)*

Course Description (Continued ...)

- **Mid-term session:**
 - Sunday: 16th Azar 1393, 09:00 ~ 10:30
- **Final Exam:**
 - Tuesday: 30th Dey 1393, 15:00 ~ 17:30
- **Reference:**
 - Schaefer, D., *Cloud-based Design and Manufacturing (CBDM): A Service-Oriented Product Development Paradigm for the 21st Century*, . London: Springer, 2014
 - Koren, Y., *"The Global Manufacturing Revolution"*, Wiley, 2010
 - Nasr, A., *"Computer-Based Design and Manufacturing An Information-Based Approach"*, Springer, 2007
 - Mitchell, F.H., *"CIM Systems: An Introduction to Computer-Integrated Manufacturing"*, Prentice Hall College Div; 1St Edition edition (January 1991), ISBN: 978-0131332997

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Course Description (Continued..)

- **Contents:**
 - Globalization and Manufacturing Paradigms (8 sessions)
 - System Concepts (3 sessions)
 - Evolution of Manufacturing systems (2 sessions)
 - Manufacturing System Design (4 sessions)
 - Manufacturing Equipment Design (3 sessions)
 - Information flow in Manufacturing Systems (4 sessions)
 - Product design and Manufacturing System (3 sessions)
 - Manufacturing System Implementation (5 sessions)

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▪ Contents:

- *Manufacturing System Design*
 - *Problem definition*
- *Computer Integrated Manufacturing*
- *Design principles*
- *A multi-layer model for study of design principles*
- *Implementing system design concept*

(4 sessions)

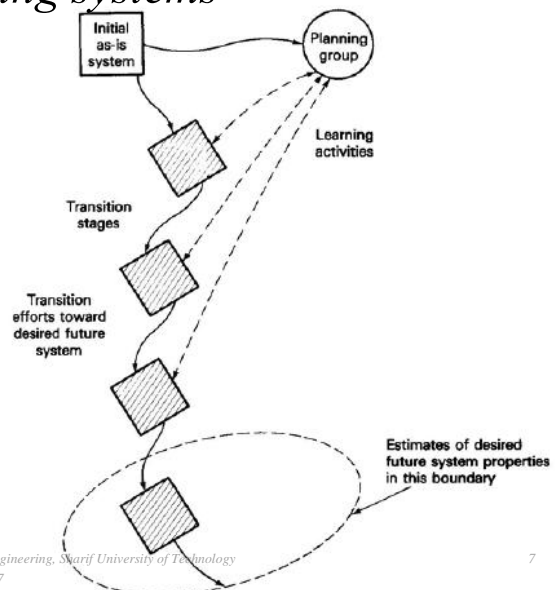
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Application to the manufacturing systems

▪ Developing Models of Manufacturing Systems

- *Modeling based on heuristic basis:*
 - *It is often helpful to develop simple, intuitive models that describe the subsystem elements and the relationships among the elements.*
 - *This approach to visualizing problems has become a commonly applied method for gaining an understanding of complex systems.*
 - *A heuristic understanding "sets the stage" for exploration of the system to discover further information and insights.*



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Manufacturing System Design

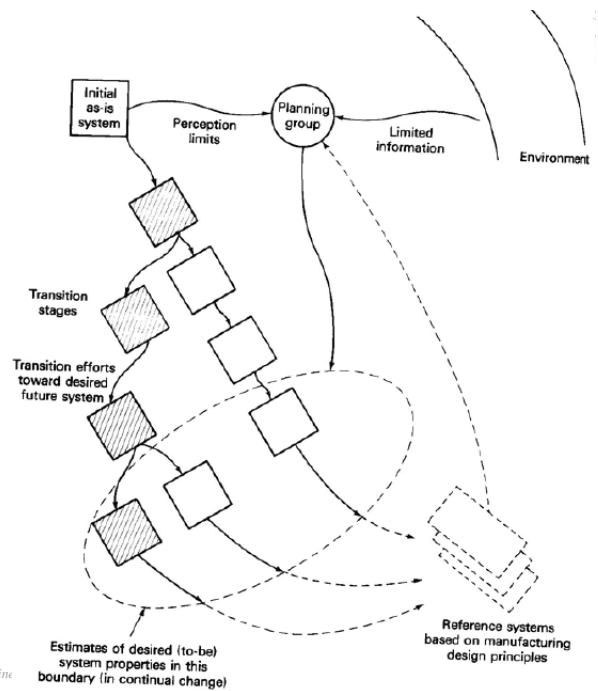
- *Problem definition and system approach*
 - *In order to achieve directed change within an organizational framework, the design or redesign of a manufacturing system requires the establishment of a planning group.*
 - *This planning group must act to collect information, evaluate alternatives, and make decisions with respect to the perceived choices.*
 - *To be effective, the group must be endorsed by the organizational leadership.*

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Manufacturing System Design

- *Problem definition and system approach*



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Manufacturing System Design

- *Problem definition and system approach*
 - *Using a heuristic visual model:*
 - *The planning group receives limited information regarding the present environment and even more limited estimates of probable future environments.*
 - *The environment is in constant change and can only be partly known.*
 - *The planning group also must develop a detailed understanding of the present (as-is) manufacturing system.*
 - *This understanding is limited by available information and the perception limits of the group's members.*

Manufacturing System Design

- *Problem definition and system approach*
 - *The planning group is assumed to have access to a set of manufacturing design principles that provide general guidance into the types of to-be system designs that have a reasonable likelihood of providing a competitive manufacturing system.*
 - *These principles may be used to produce idealized "reference system" configurations.*
 - *The reference systems typically do not reflect the many subtleties and dimensions of the "to-be" systems, nor the many trade-offs involved in system design, but they do represent limiting cases for selected features of a CIM-oriented system*

Manufacturing System Design

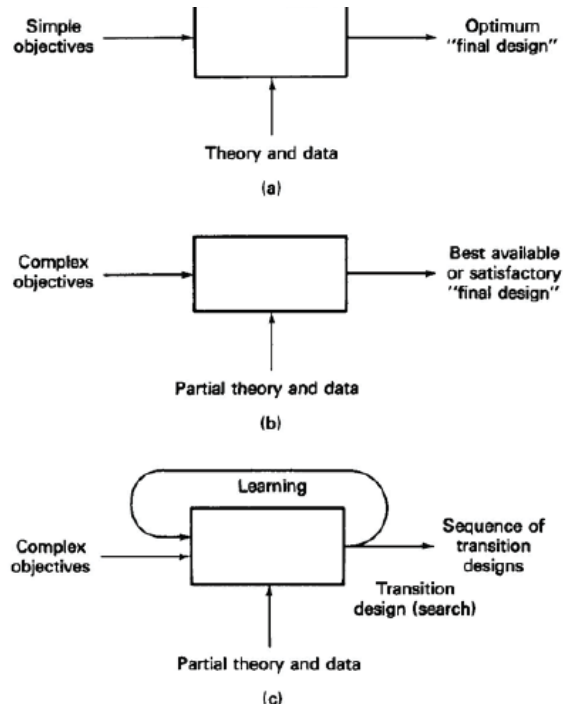
- *Problem definition and system approach*
 - *Since the environment and reference systems are consistently changing (due to new information and insights), and the as-is system is continually evolving, the preferred to-be system concepts will also change with time.*
 - *The desired future state for the system will not be fixed but will evolve in time. Thus it is reasonable to conclude that in many cases, the to-be system must be regarded as a temporary concept that will never be achieved.*
 - *Rather, the to-be system provides a direction for change and serves to specify or constrain the near-term transition stages.*

Manufacturing System Design

- *Problem definition and system approach*
 - *The resultant evolutionary pathway is likely to be a series of transition stages that become the bases for new evolutionary paths.*
 - *The definition of flexible, robust transition stages thus becomes a key element of the design process.*
 - *Each transition stage must be a stand alone, viable configuration that does not excessively limit future to-be system concepts.*
 - *It may often be necessary to use a transition stage as a starting point toward a revised final configuration that was not originally anticipated.*
 - *Major difficulties are thus encountered, since the planning group is working with a moving target.*

Manufacturing System Design

- Problem definition and system approach

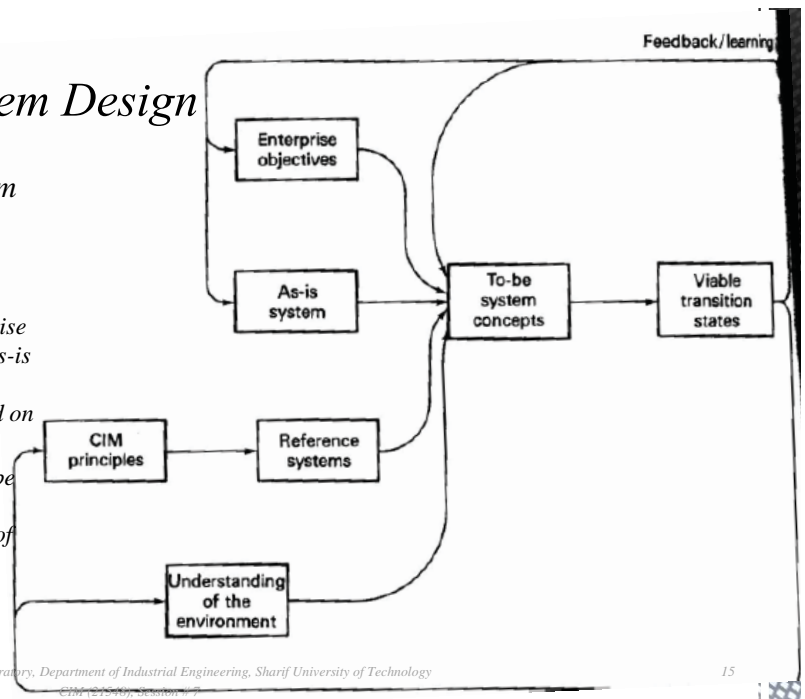


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- Problem definition and system approach

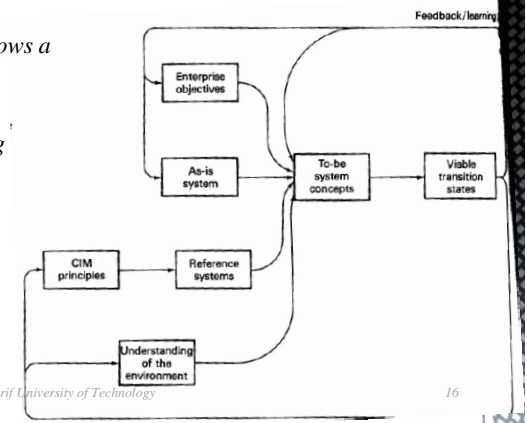
- Evolutionary growth cycle for a manufacturing system.
- Information regarding the enterprise objectives and knowledge of the as-is system is merged with insights regarding reference systems based on CIM principles
- Viable transition states may then be developed, and feedback/learning will take place to drive evolution of the transition states.



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Manufacturing System Design

- *Problem definition and system approach*
 - *Manufacturing system design thus cannot be approached as a static, linear endeavor with a unique, fixed, optimum solution.*
 - *Rather, due to constant change and adaptation, the system follows a sequence of trial solutions.*
 - *System design must be approached as an evolutionary learning process that enables continuous adaptation to a changing environment.*
 - *The design objective must be a gradual system evolution using robust, flexible transition stages*



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