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• Bansal, Arvind K. (1988), Professor, Ph.D., Case Western Reserve University, 1985
• Dragan, Fedor F. (2000), Professor
• Foreback, Dianne (2013), Assistant Professor, Ph.D., Kent State University, 2015
• Ghazinour Naini, Kambiz (2015), Assistant Professor, Ph.D., University of Calgary, 2012
• Guercio, Angela (1999), Associate Professor, Ph.D., Kent State University, 2004
• Jin, Ruoming (2005), Associate Professor
• Khan, Javed I. (1997), Professor and Department Chair, Ph.D., University of Hawaii-Manoa, 1995
• Lu, Cheng-Chang (1988), Professor, Ph.D., Southern Methodist University, 1988
• Maletic, Jonathan I. (2001), Professor, Ph.D., Wayne State University, 1995
• Melton, Austin C., Jr. (1996), Professor, Ph.D., Kansas State University, 1980
• Nesterenko, Mikhail (1998), Professor, Ph.D., Kansas State University, 1998
• Peyravi, Hassan M. (1985), Professor, Ph.D., University of Oklahoma, 1995
• Ruttan, Arden G. (1983), Professor, Ph.D., Kent State University, 1977
• Sharma, Gokarna (2015), Assistant Professor, Ph.D., Louisiana State University, 2014
• Volkert, Gwenn L. (2001), Associate Professor
• Walker, Robert A. (1996), Professor and School Director, Ph.D., Carnegie Mellon University, 1988
• Zhao, Ye (2006), Associate Professor, Ph.D., State University of New York at Stony Brook, 2006

Computer Science (CS)

CS 10001 COMPUTER LITERACY 3 Credit Hours
Introduction to history, language, procedures, applications, abuses and impact of computers. Hands-on experience with microcomputers. Not open to students with previous experience.
Prerequisite: None.
Schedule Type: Combined Lecture and Lab
Contact Hours: 3 other
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 10051 INTRODUCTION TO COMPUTER SCIENCE (KMCR) 4 Credit Hours
An introductory, broad and hands-on coverage of aspects of computer science, including algorithms, problem solving, operating systems concepts, computer architecture, programming languages and modern applications. Three-credit lecture with one-credit lab.
Prerequisite: None.
Schedule Type: Combined Lecture and Lab
Contact Hours: 3 lecture, 1 lab
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
Attributes: Kent Core Mathematics and Critical Reasoning

CS 10062 PROGRAMMING FOR PROBLEM SOLVING IN SCIENCES 4 Credit Hours
Solving problems in a science frequently requires a knowledge of programming. This course provides an introduction to using programs to solve problems. It is designed for majors and non-majors who have had little or no prior programming experience. The course emphasizes a hands-on, team-based approach to learning programming and problem solving.
Prerequisite: minimum ALEKS score of 67 or MATH 10774 or MATH 10775 or MATH 11010 or a higher level MATH.
Schedule Type: Combined Lecture and Lab
Contact Hours: 3 lecture, 2 lab
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 13001 COMPUTER SCIENCE I: PROGRAMMING AND PROBLEM SOLVING 4 Credit Hours
Computer science concepts, including algorithm development and problem-solving strategies focused on procedural abstraction. High-level programming concepts, including data types, expressions, program structures, functions, parameter passing, scope, extent, arrays, introduction to recursion and an introduction to object oriented-concepts.
Prerequisite: minimum C grade in MATH 11010 or MATH 12001.
Schedule Type: Combined Lecture and Lab
Contact Hours: 3 lecture, 3 lab
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 13011 COMPUTER SCIENCE IA: PROCEDURAL PROGRAMMING 2 Credit Hours
Computer science concepts, including algorithm development and problem-solving strategies focused on programming abstractions. High-level programming concepts, including variables, branching, iteration and functions.
Prerequisite: minimum C grade in MATH 11010 or MATH 12001.
Schedule Type: Combined Lecture and Lab
Contact Hours: 1.5 lecture, 1.5 lab
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
CS 13012 COMPUTER SCIENCE IB: OBJECT ORIENTED PROGRAMMING 2 Credit Hours
Computer science concepts, including algorithm development and problem-solving strategies focused on programming abstractions. High-level programming concepts, including introduction to recursion and an introduction to object oriented-concepts.
Prerequisite: Minimum C grade in CS 13011.
Schedule Type: Combined Lecture and Lab
Contact Hours: 1.5 lecture, 1.5 lab
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 13401 USER LEVEL COMPUTER SECURITY 3 Credit Hours
Introduction to computer and network safety; detection and removal of viruses, detection and defense against spyware and rootkits, firewall description and use, protection mechanisms against computer system hacking, spam, identity theft and phishing, protecting wireless networks, safe computing. Includes many in-lecture tutorials.
Prerequisite: none.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 19995 SPECIAL TOPICS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE 1-3 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit) Special topics from all areas of computer science.
Prerequisite: Permission.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 1-3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 23001 COMPUTER SCIENCE II: DATA STRUCTURES AND ABSTRACTION 4 Credit Hours
Computer science concepts and problem solving focusing on data structure and abstraction. Object-oriented concepts and programming including encapsulation, information hiding, object design, generics, polymorphism and an introduction to inheritance. Dynamic memory structures including dynamic arrays, pointers, linked-lists and the use of recursion for problem solving. Abstract data types including stacks, queues, lists, trees and graphs.
Prerequisite: CS 13001 or CS 13012 with a minimum grade of C (2.000).
Corequisite: CS 23022.
Schedule Type: Combined Lecture and Lab
Contact Hours: 3 lecture, 3 lab
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 23022 DISCRETE STRUCTURES FOR COMPUTER SCIENCE 3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with MATH 23022) Discrete structures for computer scientists with a focus on: mathematical reasoning, combinatorial analysis, discrete structures, algorithmic thinking, applications and modeling. Specific topics include logic, sets, functions, relations, algorithms, proof techniques, counting, graphs, trees, Boolean algebra, grammars and languages. No credit for MATH 31011.
Prerequisite: Minimum C grade in MATH 11009 or MATH 11010.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 23301 ROBOTICS AND EMBEDDED SYSTEMS LAB I 1 Credit Hour
This course provides a team based, hands-on introduction to linking and programming robotic and embedded systems. Students in this course work with junior and senior level students on projects building devices that require linking and programming robotic and embedded systems.
Prerequisite: C or better in either CS 13001 or CS 13012.
Schedule Type: Laboratory
Contact Hours: 2 lab
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 23302 ROBOTICS AND EMBEDDED SYSTEMS LAB II 2 Credit Hours
This course is the second computer science course on linking and programming robotic and embedded systems in a team based, hands-on environment. Students in this course work with junior and senior level students on projects building devices that require linking and programming robotic and embedded systems.
Prerequisite: C or better in CS 23001 and CS 23301.
Schedule Type: Laboratory
Contact Hours: 4 lab
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 27101 INTRODUCTION TO WEB INTERFACE DESIGN 3 Credit Hours
Introduction to principles for the design and implementation of user-centered website interfaces, website interface evaluation, human computer interaction, effective data organization and manipulation and tools for website creation.
Prerequisite: none.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 33007 INTRODUCTION TO DATABASE SYSTEM DESIGN 3 Credit Hours
An introduction to the basic theoretical aspects of database systems, file organization, search methodologies, language design and performance evaluation techniques, initial modeling concepts and their use in hierarchichal, network, relational and object-oriented database designs.
Prerequisite: minimum grade of C (2.000) in CS 23001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
CS 33011 SPEED PROGRAMMING TECHNIQUES 3 Credit Hours
Discussion and practice of pertinent aspects related to programming under time constraints.
Prerequisite: CS 23001.
Schedule Type: Combined Lecture and Lab
Contact Hours: 3 other
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 33092 SPEED PROGRAMMING PRACTICUM (ELR) 2 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit) Practice of pertinent aspects from CS 3301. 
Prerequisite: CS 33011.
Schedule Type: Practicum or Internship
Contact Hours: 2 other
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
Attributes: Experiential Learning Requirement

CS 33101 STRUCTURE OF PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES 3 Credit Hours
Introduction to syntax, semantics, behavior and implementation issues in imperative, functional, logic and object-oriented languages; type theory, concurrency, data dependency, nondeterminism and internet languages.
Prerequisite: C (2.000) or better in CS 23001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 33192 INTERNSHIP IN COMPUTER SCIENCE (ELR) 1-3 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit for a maximum of 12 credit hours) Supervised work experience in computer science. Since this work will be outside the department a report and final presentation will be required; a site visit might also be necessary. Satisfactory/unsatisfactory (S/U) graded.
Prerequisite: special approval.
Schedule Type: Practicum or Internship
Contact Hours: 3-9 other
Grade Mode: Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory-IP
Attributes: Experiential Learning Requirement

CS 33211 OPERATING SYSTEMS 3 Credit Hours
Introduction to operating systems, processes and threads, CPU scheduling, mutual exclusion and synchronization, deadlock, memory management, file systems, networking and distributed systems. Pre or Prerequisite: CS 23001 with a minimum grade of C (2.000).
Corequisite: CS 35101.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 33223 UNIX TOOLS 3 Credit Hours
Course will cover UNIX operating system environment topics that will make the user more productive. Topics will include the user environment, shells, files, the file system, editors, scripting languages, document processing, processes, remote access and documentation.
Prerequisite: CS 13001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 33301 EMBEDDED SYSTEM PROGRAMMING 3 Credit Hours
Catalog Description (edited): An embedded system is a combination of computer hardware and software specifically designed for a particular function. Embedded systems have been playing important roles in various application areas such as industrial machines, automobiles, medical equipment, cameras, household appliances, air planes, vending machines, toys and other uses. Students will learn fundamental concepts of designing and programming embedded computer systems, including requirements specifications, architectural and detailed design, and implementation, focusing on real-time aspects of programming languages, operating system kernels, and hardware architectures.
Prerequisite: C or better in CS 23001.
Corequisite: CS 35101.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 33901 SOFTWARE ENGINEERING 3 Credit Hours
An introduction to software engineering concepts: life cycle models; modeling languages; requirements analysis; specification; design; testing; validation; project management and maintenance.
Prerequisite: C (2.000) or better in CS 23001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 35101 COMPUTER ARCHITECTURE 3 Credit Hours
Functional overview of computer systems, interconnection of basic components, system performance measures, instruction set design, arithmetic logic unit, control unit, memory system, pipelining, interrupts and input-output. Prerequisite:C or better in CS 13001 or C or better in CS 13011 and CS 13012
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 35201 COMPUTER COMMUNICATION NETWORKS 3 Credit Hours
An introduction to net-centric systems, data communication protocols, network architectures, routing protocols, network management, congestion control, network security, compression techniques, mobile and wireless networks, and WWW as an example of a client-server system.
Prerequisite: minimum grade of C (2.000) in CS 23001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 38101 INTRODUCTION TO GAME PROGRAMMING 3 Credit Hours
Game engine scripting, event driven and data driven programming, game engine data structures, basic game related graphics and AI concepts, a short game development project.
Prerequisite: minimum grade of C (2.000) or better in CS 23001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 39995 SPECIAL TOPICS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE 1-3 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit)Special topics from all areas of computer science.
Prerequisite: Permission.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
CS 41038  INTERMEDIATE LOGIC  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with MATH 41038 and MATH 51038 and PHIL 41038 and PHIL 51038) A detailed, systematic study of symbolic logic for philosophy majors, mathematics majors, computer science majors, and anyone else interested in advanced study in logic. The aim of the course is twofold: first, to develop a facility in understanding and using symbolic logic for various purposes, and second, to understand and appreciate symbolic logic as an area of study in itself. Topics include the distinction between syntactic, object-level proofs and semantic, meta-level proofs, the distinction between axiomatic systems and natural deduction systems of object-level proofs, various systems of modal logic, and some non-classical logics.
Prerequisite: None.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 41045  METALOGIC  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 51045; Cross-listed with MATH 41045 and MATH 51045 and PHIL 41045 and PHIL 51045) A detailed, systematic study of metalogic for philosophy majors, mathematics majors, computer science majors, and anyone else interested in advanced study in logic. Topics include the soundness and completeness of the propositional and predicate calculi, the decidability of propositional calculus, the undecidability of predicate calculus, Gödel's incompleteness proof for languages capable of expressing arithmetic, the co-extensionality of the set of general recursive functions, abacus computable functions, and Turing computable functions, and the philosophical motivations for the Church-Turing Thesis that all computable functions are Turing computable.
Prerequisite: PHIL 41038.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 42201  INTRODUCTION TO NUMERICAL COMPUTING I  3 Credit Hours
An introduction to numerical methods and software for solving many common scientific computing problems. Linear systems, least-squares data fitting, nonlinear equations and optimization problems.
Prerequisite: Minimum C grade in: MATH 12003; and MATH 21001 or MATH 32051; and CS 10061 or CS 13001; or CS 13011 and CS 13012.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 42202  NUMERICAL COMPUTING II  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 52202 and MATH 42202 and MATH 52202) A continuation of CS 42201. Topics include interpolation, numerical differentiation and integration, and numerical solution of ordinary differential equations.
Prerequisite: MATH 32044 or MATH 32052; and MATH 42201 or CS 42201.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 43006  THEORY OF OBJECT-ORIENTED PROGRAMMING  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 53006) In depth course on the theory and principles of object-based and object-oriented programming using a language such as C++. The course covers advanced topics in inheritance and interface planning, generic (type independent) programming, factors of polymorphism, structure and organization of class libraries and object oriented design principles.
Prerequisite: CS 23001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 43016  BIG DATA ANALYTICS  3 Credit Hours
This course will introduce the state-of-art computing platforms with the focus on how to utilize them in processing (managing and analyzing) massive datasets. The course will utilize several key data processing tasks, including simple statistics, data aggregation, join processing, frequent pattern mining, data clustering, information retrieval, pagerank, and massive graph analytics as the case study for large scale data processing. Prerequisites: C or better in CS 23001
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 43105  DATA MINING TECHNIQUES  3 Credit Hours
Concepts and techniques of data mining. Data mining is a process of discovering information from a set of large databases. This course takes a database perspective on data mining, covering a set of interesting topics, including association rule mining, clustering, classification, web mining, etc. It covers the basics of some important theoretical foundations for data mining, including linear regression, Bayesian inferences, information theory, and markov chain random walk.
Prerequisite: CS 33007
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 43111  STRUCTURE OF COMPILERS  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 53111) Techniques used to write compilers including lexical analysis, syntax analysis, syntax-directed translation, type checking, run-time environments, and intermediate code generation.
Prerequisite: CS 35101 and 33101.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 43118  GRAPH AND SOCIAL NETWORK ANALYSIS  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 53118 and CS 73118) Catalog Description: This course covers a number of important and useful ideas in graph databases, especially in social networks (e.g. the data model for certain-uncertain graphs), indexing over graphs, and query processing algorithms for graph databases (e.g., single-source path queries, path queries, reachability queries, keyword search queries, subgraph matching, etc.). The influence maximization problems over social networks in real applications are also discussed as well as various queries over the distributed graph database.
Prerequisite: CS 33007
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
CS 43202 SYSTEMS ADMINISTRATION 3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 53202) The setting up and day-to-day administration of multiuser multitasking systems, such as the various versions of UNIX, together with the analysis of problems which can arise in these activities. Prerequisite: CS 3211.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 43203 SYSTEMS PROGRAMMING 3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 53203) The setting up and day-to-day administration of multiuser multitasking systems, such as the various versions of UNIX, together with the analysis of problems which can arise in these activities. Implementation and maintenance of system programs, system utilities, command interpreters, editors, file maintenance programs, text processors, interrupt handling, and device drivers. Prerequisite: CS 23001 with a minimum grade of C.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 43301 SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT FOR ROBOTICS 3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 53301) Robots are being used in multiple places that are not easily accessible for humans to support the lack of available labor, to gain extra precision, and for cost effective manufacturing processes, monitoring, space exploration, precision surgery and artificial limb support for elderly and physically challenged persons. Computer science is an integral part of robotics as it includes areas such as computer algorithms, artificial intelligence, and image processing that are essential aspects of robotics. This first course on robotics will teach the students various motions of rigid robots, mathematics and algorithms related to these motions, motion planning, obstacle avoidance, intelligent path planning including use of various sensors. Prerequisites: Minimum grade of C or better in CS 23001 and CS 33001
Schedule Type: Combined Lecture and Lab
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 43302 ALGORITHMIC ROBOTICS 3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 53302 and CS 73302) This course provides students theoretical, mathematical, and practical foundations for the design, analysis, and evaluation of algorithms for robots for diverse robotic applications. We will focus on a principled and mathematically sound approach to the design of algorithms for robots rather than ad hoc and hacking development approaches. Prerequisites: CS 33001 and CS 43301
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 43303 INTERNET OF THINGS 3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 53303 and CS 73303) This course will provide a comprehensive understanding of the Internet of Things by looking into a variety of real-world application scenarios, existing and new technologies and architectures, communication protocols and standardization efforts, societal and behavioral changes, and how to apply these technologies to tackle real-world problems. Prerequisites: CS 33001 or CS 45231
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 43305 ADVANCED DIGITAL DESIGN 3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 53305) This course describes techniques in the design of digital systems. Topics covered include combinational and sequential logic, gate-level minimization, registers and counters, memory and programmable logic, hardware description languages, digital communication including serial and parallel and synchronous and asynchronous methods. Prerequisites: Minimum C or better in CS 23001
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 43334 HUMAN-ROBOT INTERACTION 3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 53334 and CS 73334) Human-Robot Interaction (HRI) is the study of interactions between humans and robots dedicated to understanding, designing, and evaluating robotic systems for use by and with humans. HRI is a multidisciplinary field that incorporates human-computer interaction, artificial intelligence, robotics, natural language understanding, design, and social sciences. Interaction between humans and robots may take several forms, but are generally categorized by how close in proximity the humans and robots are to each other such as remote, proximate, and hybrid interaction. In the class, students will learn the fundamental technologies and theories in each category, and blend this knowledge with various case studies and lab activities. Prerequisite: CS 33001 and CS 43301.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 43401 SECURE PROGRAMMING 3 Credit Hours
Code vulnerabilities, static code analysis, error handling, secure I/O, race conditions and mediation, handling buffer and integer overflow, handling vulnerabilities in web and database programming, privacy and cryptography, random number generators. Prerequisite: C (2.000) or better in CS 23001 and junior standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 44001 COMPUTER SCIENCE III-PROGRAMMING PATTERNS 4 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 54001) CS III Programming Patterns extends students' knowledge of object oriented programming, and improves their C++ programming skills. Specifically, it covers procedural and object-based programming, inheritance, polymorphism, popular design patterns, and generic programming. Prerequisite: CS 23001 with a minimum grade of C (2.000).
Schedule Type: Combined Lecture and Lab
Contact Hours: 3 lecture, 3 lab
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 44003 MOBILE APPS IN IOS PROGRAMMING 3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 54003) Students are introduced to mobile applications programming in the iOS environment using model, view, controller paradigms. Other topics include swift, programming using on board devices like GPS, cameras, motion detectors, and screen touches. Prerequisite: CS 23001 with a minimum C grade.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
CS 44105 WEB PROGRAMMING I 3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 54105) This course is the first of a two-course sequence on Web Programming covering from basic to advanced topics on Web Programming based on open standards and best practices. Topics covered include the HyperText Markup Language (HTML), specifying look and feel using Cascading Style Sheets (CSS), client side programming in Javascript, server side programming in PHP, and the Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP).
Prerequisite: CS 23001 with a minimum grade of C (2.000).
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 44106 WEB PROGRAMMING II 3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 54106) This course is the second of a two-course sequence on Web Programming covering advanced topics on Web Programming based on open standards and best practices. This is a project course exploring advanced aspects of Web programming. Topics covered include advanced server side programming in PHP; database driven websites; structured query language (SQL) and MySQL; E-commerce; web hosting using Apache, PHP and MySQL; basic and digest authentication; web security, encryption and digital certificates; Extensible Markup Language (XML) for the web, AJAX and web services; scalable vector graphics (SVG); mobile websites.
Prerequisite: CS 44105.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 44201 ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE 3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 54201) Examines goals, problems, concepts and methods of artificial intelligence, heuristic versus algorithmic methods, natural language comprehension, theorem proving.
Prerequisite: CS 23001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 44901 SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (ELR) (WIC) 4 Credit Hours
With the supervision of the instructor, students will work in teams to design and implement a realistic software project similar to projects they would encounter in the workplace.
Prerequisite: CS 23001 with a minimum grade of C (2.000); and junior standing.
Schedule Type: Combined Lecture and Lab
Contact Hours: 3 lecture, 3 lab
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
Attributes: Experiential Learning Requirement, Writing Intensive Course

CS 45203 COMPUTER NETWORK SECURITY 3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 55203) Overview of network security including attacks and vulnerabilities and defense measures, secure network design, network and transport layers security, intrusion detection techniques, defense against denial of service attacks, network hardware, software, and applications attacks and their defense, security policies, legal and ethical issues in cyber and computer crimes.
Prerequisite: CS 35201 and MATH 30011.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 45231 INTERNET ENGINEERING 3 Credit Hours
Design fundamentals and working principles of internet systems at the IP layer and above. DNS, inter-domain routing, internet client server programming, application level protocols (HTTP, XML, etc.) web server architecture, browser internet security and multimedia serving.
Prerequisite: CS 23001, 33211 and 35201.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 46101 DESIGN AND ANALYSIS OF ALGORITHMS 3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 56101) Introduction to algorithmic concepts, design and complexity analysis of algorithms, searching, sorting, graphs, geometric algebraic and parallel algorithms.
Prerequisite: MATH 12003 and C (2.000) or better in CS 23001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 47101 COMPUTER GRAPHICS 3 Credit Hours
Display file generation, interactive graphics techniques, display devices, three-dimensional graphics, graphic system design, graphic languages and applications in man-machine communications.
Prerequisite: CS 23001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 47201 HUMAN COMPUTER INTERACTION 3 Credit Hours
Approaches the human-computer interaction as an activity of the human whose productivity is increased by the use of the computer as a tool. Examines physiology and psychology considers the structure and operation of the computer and models the interaction between the two.
Prerequisite: CS 23001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 47205 INFORMATION SECURITY 3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 57205) An introduction to concepts and methodology useful for information security, as specified by the NSTISSI NO. 4011 standard from the NSA.
Prerequisite: CS 23001 with a minimum grade of C (2.000).
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 47206 DATA SECURITY AND PRIVACY 3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 57206) The goal of the course is to familiarize the students with basic concepts of security and privacy, their definitions, applications and current advances in research community and industry. This course addresses the security and privacy issues in legacy systems and also studies security and privacy policies and legislations. This course also reviews current research projects in the area of security and privacy.
Prerequisite: Minimum C grade or better in CS 23001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
CS 47207  DIGITAL FORENSICS  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 57207) This course addresses the need for digital forensics, best practices for general incident response, legal aspects of forensics, tools and techniques to perform a full computer forensic investigation.
Prerequisite: Minimum C grade or better in CS 23001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 47221  INTRODUCTION TO CRYPTOLOGY  3 Credit Hours
This is a course on the modern science of Cryptology; that is, the process of hiding information by converting it, through a reversible process, into something unrecognizable. Of course, only the recipient should be able to reverse the "hiding" or encrypting process. As far as usage in life is concerned, this course will help you to set up cryptosystems in many different environments. This skill is highly employable; from the NSA, to banks, to anybody who needs to encrypt information is looking for people with knowledge in Cryptology.
Prerequisite: Minimum C grade or better in CS 23001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 48101  GAME ENGINE CONCEPTS  3 Credit Hours
Introduction to 3D game engine design, game memory management, multithreading in games, sprites and bitmap animation level design, path finding, audio-visual effects, AI and physical modeling in games, networked gaming.
Prerequisite: minimum grade of C (2.000) in CS 23001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 48102  GAME DEVELOPMENT PRACTICUM (ELR) (WIC)  4 Credit Hours
With the supervision of the instructor, students will work in teams to design and implement a computer game or 3D interactive learning environment using a game engine in a professional setup. Prerequisites: CS 33007 and CS 33901 and CS 35201 and CS 48101 or CS 38101; and Junior standing
Schedule Type: Combined Lecture and Lab
Contact Hours: 3 lecture, 2 lab
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
Attributes: Experiential Learning Requirement, Writing Intensive Course

CS 49995  SPECIAL TOPICS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE  1-4 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit) (Cross-listed with CS 59995) Special topics from all areas of computer science.
Prerequisite: special approval.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 4 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
CS 53111  STRUCTURE OF COMPILERS  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 43111) Techniques used to write compilers including lexical analysis, syntax analysis, syntax directed translation, type checking, run-time environments and intermediate code generation. Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 53118  GRAPH AND SOCIAL NETWORK ANALYSIS  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 43118 and CS 73118) This course covers a number of important and useful ideas in graph databases, especially in social networks (e.g. the data model for certain-uncertain graphs), indexing over graphs, and query processing algorithms for graph databases (e.g., single-source path queries, path queries, reachability queries, keyword search queries, subgraph matching, etc.). The influence maximization problems over social networks in real applications are also discussed as well as various queries over the distributed graph databases. Prerequisites: Graduate Standing
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 53202  SYSTEMS ADMINISTRATION  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 43202) The setting up and day-to-day administration of multiuser multitasking systems, such as the various versions of UNIX together with the analysis of problems which can arise in these activities. Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 53203  SYSTEMS PROGRAMMING  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 43203) The setting up and day-to-day administration of multiuser multitasking systems, such as the various versions of UNIX, together with the analysis of problems which can arise in these activities. Implementation and maintenance of system programs, system utilities, command interpreters, editors, file maintenance programs, text processors, interrupt handling, and device drivers. Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 53301  SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT FOR ROBOTICS  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 43301) Robots are being used in multiple places that are not easily accessible for humans, to support the lack of available labor, to gain extra precision, and for cost effective manufacturing processes, monitoring, space exploration, precision surgery and artificial limb support for elderly and physically challenged persons. Computer science is an integral part of robotics as it includes areas such as computer algorithms, artificial intelligence, and image processing that are essential aspects of robotics. This first course on robotics will teach the students various motions of rigid robots, mathematics and algorithms related to these motions, motion planning, obstacle avoidance, intelligent path planning including use of various sensors. Prerequisite: Graduate Standing.
Schedule Type: Combined Lecture and Lab
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 53302  ALGORITHMIC ROBOTICS  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 43302 and CS 73302) This course provides students theoretical, mathematical, and practical foundations for the design, analysis, and evaluation of algorithms for robots for diverse robotic applications. We will focus on a principled and mathematically sound approach to the design of algorithms for robots rather than ad hoc and hacking development approaches. Prerequisites: Graduate Standing
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 53303  INTERNET OF THINGS  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 43303 and CS 73303) This course will provide a comprehensive understanding of the Internet of Things by looking into a variety of real-world application scenarios, existing and new technologies and architectures, communication protocols and standardization efforts, societal and behavioral changes, and how to apply these technologies to tackle real-world problems. Prerequisite: Graduate Standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 53305  ADVANCED DIGITAL DESIGN  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 43305) This course describes techniques in the design of digital systems. Topics covered include combinational and sequential logic, gate-level minimization, registers and counters, memory and programmable logic, hardware description languages, digital communication including serial and parallel and synchronous and asynchronous methods. Prerequisites: Graduate Standing
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 53334  HUMAN-ROBOT INTERACTION  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 43334 and CS 73334) Human-Robot Interaction (HRI) is the study of interactions between humans and robots dedicated to understanding, designing, and evaluating robotic systems for use by and with humans. HRI is a multidisciplinary field that incorporates human-computer interaction, artificial intelligence, robotics, natural language understanding, design, and social sciences. Interaction between humans and robots may take several forms, but are generally categorized by how close in proximity the humans and robots are to each other such as remote, proximate, and hybrid interaction. In the class, students will learn the fundamental technologies and theories in each category, and blend this knowledge with various case studies and lab activities. Prerequisites: Graduate Standing
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 53401  SECURE PROGRAMMING  3 Credit Hours
Code vulnerabilities, static code analysis, error handling, secure I/O, race conditions and mediation, handling buffer and integer overflow, handling vulnerabilities in web and database programming, privacy and cryptography, random number generators. Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
CS 54001  COMPUTER SCIENCE III - PROGRAMMING PATTERNS  4 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 44001) Extends students’ knowledge of object oriented programming, and improves their C++ programming skills. Specifically, it covers procedural and object-based programming, inheritance, polymorphism, popular design patterns, and generic programming.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Combined Lecture and Lab
Contact Hours: 3 lecture, 3 lab
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 54003  MOBILE APPS IN IOS PROGRAMMING  3 Credit Hours
Students are introduced to mobile applications programming in the iOS environment using model, view, controller paradigms. Other topics include swift, programming using on board devices like GPS, cameras, motion detectors, and screen touches.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 54105  WEB PROGRAMMING I  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 44105) This course is the first of a two-course sequence on Web Programming covering basic to advanced topics on Web Programming based on open standards and best practices. Topics covered include the HyperText Markup Language (HTML), specifying look and feel using Cascading Style Sheets (CSS), client side programming in Javascript, server side programming in PHP, and the Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP).
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 54106  WEB PROGRAMMING II  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 44106) This course is the second of a two-course sequence on Web Programming covering advanced topics on Web Programming based on open standards and practices. This is a project course exploring advanced aspects of Web programming. Topics covered include advanced server side programming in PHP; database driven websites; structured query language (SQL) and MySQL; E-commerce; web hosting using Apache, PHP MySQL; basic and digest authentication; web security, encryption and digital certificates; Markup Language (XML) for the web, AJAX and web services; scalable vector graphics (SVG); websites.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 54201  ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 44201) Examines goals, problems, concepts and methods of artificial intelligence heuristic versus algorithmic methods, natural language comprehension, theorem proving.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 55201  COMPUTER COMMUNICATION NETWORKS  3 Credit Hours
An introduction to net-centric systems, data communication protocols, network architectures, routing protocols, network management, congestion control, network security, compression techniques, mobile and wireless networks, and WWW as an example of a client server system.
Prerequisite: graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 55203  COMPUTER NETWORK SECURITY  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 45203) Overview of network security including attacks and vulnerabilities and defense measures, secure network design, network and transport layers security, intrusion detection techniques, defense against denial of service attacks, network hardware, software, and applications attacks and their defense, security policies, legal and ethical issues in cyber and computer crimes.
Prerequisite: graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 55231  INTERNET ENGINEERING  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 45231) Design fundamentals and working principles of internet systems at the IP layer and above. DNS, inter-domain routing, internet client server programming, application level protocols (HTTP, XML, etc.) Web server architecture, browser, internet security, and multimedia serving.
Prerequisite: CS 33001 and 55201; graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 56101  DESIGN AND ANALYSIS OF ALGORITHMS  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 46101) Introduction to algorithmic concepts, practical techniques for the design and analysis of algorithms; searching, sorting, integer and floating point arithmetic; vector and matrix manipulation.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 57101  COMPUTER GRAPHICS  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 47101) Display file generation, interactive graphics techniques, display devices, three-dimensional graphics, graphic system design, graphic languages and applications in man-machine communications.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 57201  HUMAN COMPUTER INTERACTION  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 47201) Approaches the human-computer interaction as an activity of the human whose productivity is increased by the use of the computer as a tool. Examines physiology and psychology considers the structure and operation of the computer and models the interaction between the two.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
CS 57205 INFORMATION SECURITY 3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 47205) An introduction to concepts and methodology useful for information security, as specified by the NSTISSI NO. 4011 standard from the NSA.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 57206 DATA SECURITY AND PRIVACY 3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 47206) The goal of the course is to familiarize the students with basic concepts of security and privacy, their definitions, applications and current advances in research community and industry. This course addresses the security and privacy issues in legacy systems and also studies security and privacy policies and legislations. This course also reviews current research projects in the area of security and privacy.
Prerequisite: Graduate Standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 57207 DIGITAL FORENSICS 3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 47207) This course addresses the need for digital forensics, best practices for general incident response, legal aspects of forensics, tools and techniques to perform a full computer forensic investigation.
Prerequisite: Graduate Standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 57221 INTRODUCTION TO CRYPTOLOGY 3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 47221) This is a course on the modern science of Cryptology; that is, the process of hiding information by converting it, through a reversible process, into something unrecognizable. Of course, only the recipient should be able to reverse the “hiding” or encrypting process. As far as usage in life is concerned, this course will help you to set up cryptosystems in many different environments. This skill is highly employable; from the NSA, to banks, to anybody who needs to encrypt information is looking for people with knowledge in Cryptology.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 59893 VARIABLE TITLE WORKSHOP IN COMPUTER SCIENCE 1-6 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit) Studies in special topics in computer science.
Prerequisite: Special approval and graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 1-6 other
Grade Mode: Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory

CS 59995 SPECIAL TOPICS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE 1-3 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit) (Cross-listed with CS 49995) Various special courses will be announced in the schedule of classes under this title.
Prerequisite: Special approval and graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 1-3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 60093 VARIABLE TITLE WORKSHOP IN COMPUTER SCIENCE 1-3 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit) Studies of special topics in computer science. Not acceptable for credit toward a graduate degree in computer science without approval of the student's adviser.
Prerequisite: Special approval and graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Workshop
Contact Hours: 1-3 other
Grade Mode: Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory

CS 60094 COLLEGE TEACHING OF COMPUTER SCIENCE 1 Credit Hour
(Repeatable for credit) (Cross-listed with CS 70094) Techniques and problems of college teaching of computer science. Student presentation of computer science papers will be included.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 1 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter/S/U

CS 61002 ALGORITHMS AND PROGRAMMING I 4 Credit Hours
An introduction to the algorithms and tools used in computer science; includes programming in a high level language. This course may not be counted toward degree requirement in the CS Masters of Science degree or the CS Ph.D. degree.
Prerequisite: CS 61002; graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 4 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 61003 ALGORITHMS AND PROGRAMMING II 4 Credit Hours
Further exploration into the tools used in computer science. This course may not be counted toward degree requirements in the CS Masters of Science degree or the CS Ph.D. degree.
Prerequisite: CS 61002; graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 4 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 61004 OPERATING SYSTEMS AND ARCHITECTURE 4 Credit Hours
The fundamentals of computer operating systems and architecture design required for a Masters of Arts degree in computer science are presented. This course may not be counted towards the Masters of Science or the Doctoral programs in Computer Science.
Prerequisite: Graduate Standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 4 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 61092 PRACTICUM IN CS FOR INFORMATION ARCHITECTURE AND KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT 1-5 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit) This course is an alternative to IAKM 60199 for students interested in pursuing a CS thesis. Credit for IAKM 60199 or any other project course is not allowed.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Practicum or Internship
Contact Hours: 1-5 other
Grade Mode: Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory-IP
CS 61199  THESIS I FOR INFORMATION ARCHITECTURE AND KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT  2-6 Credit Hours
Thesis students must register for a minimum of 6 hours. No credit for CS students.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Masters Thesis
Contact Hours: 2-6 other
Grade Mode: Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory-IP

CS 61299  THESIS II FOR INFORMATION ARCHITECTURE AND KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT STUDENTS  2 Credit Hours
Thesis students must continue registration each semester until all degree requirements are met.
Prerequisite: CS 61199.
Schedule Type: Masters Thesis
Contact Hours: 2 other
Grade Mode: Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory-IP

CS 62263  NUMERICAL SOLUTION OF LARGE SPARSE LINEAR SYSTEMS  3 Credit Hours
Prerequisite: MATH 4/51021 and CS 4/52202.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 62264  NUMERICAL SOLUTION OF NONLINEAR SYSTEMS  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 72264 and MATH 62264 and MATH 72264) Construction and analysis of numerical methods for systems of nonlinear algebraic equations and optimization problems. Numerical implementation and software. Graduate standing.
Prerequisite: MATH 4/52041 and CS 4/52202.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 63005  ADVANCED DATABASE SYSTEMS DESIGN  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 73005) Introduction to a variety of advanced database topics and on-going trends in modern database systems. The course includes advanced issues of object-oriented database, XML, advanced client server architecture and distributed database techniques.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 63015  DATA MINING TECHNIQUES  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 73015) Concepts and techniques of data mining. Data mining is a process of discovering information from a set of large databases. This course takes a database perspective on data mining.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
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CS 63016  BIG DATA ANALYTICS  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 73016) Introduces computing platforms with focus on how to use them in processing, managing and analyzing massive datasets. Utilizes several key data processing tasks, including simple statistics, data aggregation, join processing, frequent pattern mining, data clustering, information retrieval, pagerank and massive graph analytics as the case study for large scale data processing.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
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CS 63017  BIG DATA MANAGEMENT  3 Credit Hours
This course will cover a series of important Big-Data-related problems and their solutions. Specifically, we will introduce the characteristics and challenges of the Big Data, state-of-the-art computing paradigm sand platforms (e.g., MapReduce), big data programming tools (e.g., Hadoop and MongoDB), big data extraction and integration, big data storage, scalable indexing for big data, big graph processing, big data stream techniques and algorithms, big probabilistic data management, big data privacy, big data visualizations, and big data applications (e.g., spatial, finance, multimedia, medical, health, and social data).
Prerequisite: Graduate Standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
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CS 63018  PROBABILISTIC DATA MANAGEMENT  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 73018) This course addresses the fundamental concepts and techniques for probabilistic data management in the area of databases. Probabilistic data are pervasive in many real-world applications, such as sensor networks, GPS system, location-based services, mobile computing, multimedia databases, data extraction and integration, trajectory data analysis, semantic web, privacy preserving, and so on. This class also covers major research topics such as probabilistic or uncertain data models, probabilistic queries, probabilistic query answering techniques, and data quality issues in databases.
Prerequisite: Graduate Standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 63100  COMPUTATIONAL HEALTH INFORMATICS  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 73100) The course describes computational techniques and software tools for managing and transmitting health related information and automated analysis of medical and biosignal data.
Prerequisites: Graduate Standing
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
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CS 63201  ADVANCED OPERATING SYSTEMS  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 73201) Introduction to distributed systems, interprocess communication, distributed mutual exclusion, synchronization and deadlock, distributed process management and distributed file systems.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
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<td>(Cross-listed with CS 73301) Overview of parallel and distributed computing; structuring parallel and distributed programs; parallel programming using SIMD, SPMD, MIMD and associative computing; parallel and distributed architecture using existing machines as case studies.</td>
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<td>(Slashed with CS 73305) Starting about 2005, hardware architects began putting more than one processing core on a single chip, leading to the recent rapid advancements in multicore processor architectures. This shift has changed almost everything ranging from memory hierarchy and consistency to programming those architectures. The goal of this course is to study multicore processor architectures from the perspective of hardware, software and algorithm design, the challenges, and the technologies that are relevant to those architectures.</td>
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<td>(Slashed with CS 74201) Additional topics in AI such as logic programming, advanced problem-solving systems, understanding natural languages, vision, learning, plan-generating systems.</td>
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CS 65203 WIRELESS AND MOBILE COMMUNICATION NETWORKS 3 Credit Hours
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Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
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CS 65208 DISTRIBUTED MULTIMEDIA LANGUAGES AND SYSTEMS 3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 75208) MPEG standards, multimedia formats, 3-D object and movement representation, multimedia storage, QoS maintenance, transmission and buffering, multimedia clocks and synchronization, content based indexing, matching and retrieval of 2-D and 3-D objects, XMLI based distributed multimedia languages, synchronous and reactive languages.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 65301 SYSTEM MODELING AND PERFORMANCE EVALUATION 3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 75301) Provides a detailed study of queuing, network models and their application to operating systems, computer time sharing and multi access systems.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 66101 ADVANCED TOPICS IN ALGORITHMS 3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 76101) Advanced algorithms, fast fourier transforms, algorithms on trees and graphs, rational and polynomial arithmetic, gcd, factoring, numerical and symbolic computational algorithms, Risch integration algorithm, pattern matching.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 66105 PARALLEL AND DISTRIBUTED ALGORITHMS 3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 76105) Introduces and evaluates important models of parallel (synchronous and asynchronous) and distributed computation, using basic searching, sorting, graph, matrix, numerical computing and computational geometry algorithms.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 66110 COMPUTATIONAL GEOMETRY 3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 76110) Geometric structures are the underlying model of several important applications, including robotics, graphics, CAD/CAM, VLSIi layout, wireless networks and information visualization. Computational geometry studies algorithms for geometric problems.
Prerequisite: CS 56101; graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 66120 EVOLUTIONARY COMPUTATION 3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 76120) Introduction to evolutionary computation techniques for optimization, learning and design. Topics include natural and artificial evolution, chromosome representations, search operators, co-evolution, constraint handling techniques, niching and speciation, classifier systems and theoretical foundations.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 66111 EVOLUTIONARY COMPUTATION 3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 76111) In-depth study of active research topics in computer graphics. Topics include volume rendering, image-based rendering and modeling, graphics architectures, virtual reality, modeling in computer graphics, non-photorealistic rendering, computer animation and computer games.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 67101 SCIENTIFIC VISUALIZATION 3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 77101) In-depth study of active research topics in computer graphics. Topics include volume rendering, image-based rendering and modeling, graphics architectures, virtual reality, modeling in computer graphics, non-photorealistic rendering, computer animation and computer games.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 67301 INFORMATION VISUALIZATION 3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 77301) In-depth study of active research topics in information visualization. The course is designed for graduate students in computer science, computer graphics, and related fields. Prerequisites include knowledge of basic computer science and experience with programming.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 67302 INFORMATION VISUALIZATION 3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 77302) Information visualization is the science that uncovers the underlying structure of data sets using visual representations that utilize the powerful processing capabilities of the human visual perceptual system. In this class, we will study algorithms and systems for visually exploring, understanding, and analyzing large, complex data sets. Information visualization focuses on abstract data such as symbolic, tabular, networked, hierarchical, or textual information sources. The objectives of the course are to learn the principles involved in information visualization and a variety of existing techniques and systems. The students will also gain backgrounds and skills that will aid the design of new, innovative visualizations in realistic applications. Prerequisites: Graduate Standing
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 69098 RESEARCH 1-5 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit) Satisfactory/ Unsatisfactory (S/U) graded. In Progress (IP) mark permissible. Research or individual investigation. Credits are applied toward degree requirements with approval if grade of "S" is given.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Research
Contact Hours: 1-5 other
Grade Mode: Satisfactory/ Unsatisfactory-IP
CS 69191  MASTER'S SEMINAR  1-2 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit) Course is Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory (S/U) graded. Seminar for masters students to present and discuss computer science related research and academics. Masters students are required to take at least 2 credit hours for completion of degree and make at least one presentation of project work or research. Only two credits count towards the masters degree.
Prerequisite: Computer Science (CS) major within the Master of Arts (MA) or Master of Science (MS) degree.
Schedule Type: Seminar
Contact Hours: 1-2 other
Grade Mode: Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory-IP

CS 69995  SPECIAL TOPICS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE  1-3 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit) (Cross-listed with CS 79995) Special topics in computer science.
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 1-3 other
Grade Mode: Standard Letter-S/U

CS 70094  COLLEGE TEACHING OF COMPUTER SCIENCE  1 Credit Hour
(Repeatable for credit) (Cross-listed with CS 60094) Techniques and problems of college teaching of computer science. Student presentation of computer science papers will be included.
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 1 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter-S/U

CS 72263  NUMERICAL SOLUTION OF LARGE SPARSE LINEAR SYSTEMS  3 Credit Hours
Prerequisite: MATH 4/51021 and CS 4/52202.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 other
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 72264  NUMERICAL SOLUTION OF NONLINEAR SYSTEMS  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 62264 and MATH 62264 and MATH 72264) Construction and analysis of numerical methods for systems of non linear algebraic equations and optimization problems. Numerical implementation and software. Doctoral standing.
Prerequisite: MATH 4/52041 and CS 4/52202.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 73005  ADVANCED DATABASE SYSTEMS DESIGN  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 63005) Introduction to a variety of advanced database topics and on-going trends in modern database systems. The course includes advanced issues of object-oriented database, XML, advanced client server architecture and distributed database techniques.
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 73015  DATA MINING TECHNIQUES  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 63015) Concepts and techniques of data mining. Data mining is a process of discovering information from a set of large databases. This course takes a database perspective on data mining.
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 73016  BIG DATA ANALYTICS  3 Credit Hours
Introduces computing platforms with the focus on how to utilize them in processing, managing and analyzing massive datasets. The course will utilize several key data processing tasks, including simple statistics, data aggregation, join processing, frequent pattern mining, data clustering, information retrieval, pagerank, and massive graph analytics as the case study for large scale data processing.
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 73017  BIG DATA MANAGEMENT  3 Credit Hours
This course will cover a series of important Big-Data-related problems and their solutions. Specifically, we will introduce the characteristics and challenges of the Big Data, state-of-the-art computing paradigm sand platforms (e.g., MapReduce), big data programming tools (e.g., Hadoop and MongoDB), big data extraction and integration, big data storage, scalable indexing for big data, big graph processing, big data stream techniques and algorithms, big probabilistic data management, big data privacy, big data visualizations, and big data applications (e.g., spatial, finance, multimedia, medical, health, and social data).
Prerequisite: Doctoral Standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
CS 73018   PROBABILISTIC DATA MANAGEMENT  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 63018) This course addresses the fundamental concepts and techniques for probabilistic data management in the area of databases. Probabilistic data are pervasive in many real-world applications, such as sensor networks, GPS system, location-based services, mobile computing, multimedia databases, data extraction and integration, trajectory data analysis, semantic web, and privacy preserving. This class also covers major research topics such as probabilistic or uncertain data models, probabilistic queries, probabilistic query answering techniques, and data quality issues in databases. 
Prerequisite: Doctoral Standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 73100   COMPUTATIONAL HEALTH INFORMATICS  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 63100) The course describes computational techniques and software tools for managing and transmitting health related information and automated analysis of medical and biosignal data.
Prerequisites: Doctoral Standing
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 73118   GRAPH SOCIAL NETWK ANALYSIS  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 43118 and CS 53118) This course covers a number of important and useful ideas in graph databases, especially in social networks (e.g. the data model for certain-uncertain graphs), indexing over graphs, and query processing algorithms for graph databases (e.g., single-source path queries, path queries, reachability queries, keyword search queries, subgraph matching, etc.). The influence maximization problems over social networks in real applications are also discussed as well as various queries over the distributed graph database.
Prerequisites: Doctoral standing
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 73201   ADVANCED OPERATING SYSTEMS  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 63201) Introduction to distributed systems, interprocess communication, distributed mutual exclusion, synchronization and deadlock, distributed process management and distributed file systems.
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 73301   PARALLEL AND DISTRIBUTED COMPUTING  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 63301) Overview of parallel and distributed computing; structuring parallel and distributed programs; parallel programming using simd spmd mimd and associative computing parallel and distributed architecture using existing machines as case studies.
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 73302   ALGORITHMIC ROBOTICS  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 43302 and CS 53302) This course provides students theoretical, mathematical, and practical foundations for the design, analysis, and evaluation of algorithms for robots for diverse robotic applications. We will focus on a principled and mathematically sound approach to the design of algorithms for robots rather than ad hoc and hacking development approaches. Prerequisites: Doctoral Standing
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 73303   INTERNET OF THINGS  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 43303 and CS 53303) This course will provide a comprehensive understanding of the Internet of Things by looking into a variety of real-world application scenarios, existing and new technologies and architectures, communication protocols and standardization efforts, societal and behavioral changes, and how to apply these technologies to tackle real-world problems. Prerequisites: Doctoral Standing
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 73304   CLUSTER COMPUTING  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 63304) This course will investigate clusters of computers as a computing platform, hardware and software tradeoffs for clusters and application performance and programming of clusters.
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 73305   MULTICORE COMPUTING  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 63305) Starting about 2005, hardware architects began putting more than one processing core on a single chip, leading to the recent rapid advancements in multicore processor architectures. This shift has changed almost everything ranging from memory hierarchy and consistency to programming those architectures. The goal of this course is to study multicore processor architectures from the perspective of hardware, software, and algorithm design, the challenges, and the technologies that are relevant to those architectures.
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 73306   EMBEDDED COMPUTING  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 63306) Computational issues structuring programs for processors embedded in other devices such as those found in automobiles and biological chemical sample processing devices.
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
CS 73334  HUMAN-ROBOT INTERACTION  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 43334 and CS 53334) Human-Robot Interaction (HRI) is the study of interactions between humans and robots dedicated to understanding, designing, and evaluating robotic systems for use by and with humans. HRI is a multidisciplinary field that incorporates human-computer interaction, artificial intelligence, robotics, natural language understanding, design, and social sciences. Interaction between humans and robots may take several forms, but are generally categorized by how close in proximity the humans and robots are to each other such as remote, proximate, and hybrid interaction. In the class, students will learn the fundamental technologies and theories in each category, and blend this knowledge with various case studies and lab activities.
Prerequisite: Doctoral Standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 73901  SOFTWARE ENGINEERING METHODOLOGIES  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 63901) Software process models; modeling languages; software process improvement; requirement analysis and elicitation; advanced systems and architectural design; estimation; verification and validation reuse; and metrics.
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 73902  SOFTWARE EVOLUTION  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 63902) Methods and techniques supporting later lifecycle activities, including software testing and maintenance reuse and reverse engineering.
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 74201  ADVANCED ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 64201) Additional topics in AI such as logic programming, advanced problem-solving systems, understanding natural languages, vision, learning, plan generating systems.
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 74301  PATTERN RECOGNITION PRINCIPLES  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 64301) Introduction to mathematical pattern recognition, feature selection, distribution-free classification, statistical classification, nonsupervised learning, sequential learning and application.
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 74401  IMAGE PROCESSING  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 64401) This course covers digital processing of digital imagery. Digitization of TV imagery, noise removal, image enhancement, edge and texture detection, object recognition and scene analysis.
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 74402  MULTIMEDIA SYSTEMS ABD BIOMETRICS  3 Credit Hours
(Slashed with CS 64402) This course discusses computational techniques for fusion of multimedia data collected by sensors for human-identification using automated analysis of biometric signals.
Prerequisite: Doctoral Standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 75101  ADVANCED COMPUTER ARCHITECTURE  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 65101) System performance measures, processor interrupts, stack architecture, vector and multiprocessors.
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 75202  ADVANCED COMMUNICATION NETWORKS  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 65202) This course covers central problems that confront network designers in high-speed networking such as real-time traffic, congestion control, quality of service (QoS), performance analysis, traffic management and internet routing.
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

CS 75203  WIRELESS AND MOBILE COMMUNICATION NETWORKS  3 Credit Hours
(Cross-listed with CS 65203) Examines how wireless systems work and how mobile systems are supported by the underlying network infrastructure. Course covers the architecture and the interactions among different functional units in wireless and mobile systems.
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
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CS 75208  DISTRIBUTED MULTIMEDIA LANGUAGES AND SYSTEMS  3 Credit Hours
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(Cross-listed with CS 66110) Geometric structures are the underlying model of several important applications, including robotics, graphics, CAD/CAM, VLSI layout, wireless networks and information visualization. Computational geometry studies algorithms for geometric problems.  
Prerequisite: CS 56101; doctoral standing.  
Schedule Type: Lecture  
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CS 76120  EVOLUTIONARY COMPUTATION  3 Credit Hours  
(Cross-listed with CS 66120) Introduction to evolutionary computation techniques for optimization, learning and design. Topics include natural and artificial evolution, chromosome representations, search operators, co-evolution, constraint handling techniques, niching and speciation, classifier systems and theoretical foundations.  
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.  
Schedule Type: Lecture  
Contact Hours: 3 lecture  
Grade Mode: Standard Letter  

CS 77101  ADVANCED COMPUTER GRAPHICS  3 Credit Hours  
(Cross-listed with CS 67101) In-depth study of active research topics in computer graphics. Topics include volume rendering, image-based rendering and modeling, graphics architectures, virtual reality, modeling in computer graphics, non-photorealistic rendering, computer animation and computer games.  
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.  
Schedule Type: Lecture  
Contact Hours: 3 lecture  
Grade Mode: Standard Letter  

CS 77105  PARALLEL AND DISTRIBUTED GRAPHICS  3 Credit Hours  
(Cross-listed with CS 67105) In-depth study of active research topics in computer graphics. Topics include volume rendering, image-based rendering and modeling, graphics architectures, virtual reality, modeling in computer graphics, non-photorealistic rendering, computer animation and computer games.  
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.  
Schedule Type: Lecture  
Contact Hours: 3 lecture  
Grade Mode: Standard Letter  

CS 77301  SCIENTIFIC VISUALIZATION  3 Credit Hours  
(Cross-listed with CS 67301) Discusses the visualization of scientific, engineering and medical data sets. Introduces mechanisms to acquire sampled or computed data and points out methods to transform these data into the visual system.  
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.  
Schedule Type: Lecture  
Contact Hours: 3 lecture  
Grade Mode: Standard Letter  

CS 77302  INFORMATION VISUALIZATION  3 Credit Hours  
(Slashed with CS 67302) Information visualization is the science that unveils the underlying structure of data sets using visual representations that utilize the powerful processing capabilities of the human visual perceptual system. In this class, we will study algorithms and systems for visually exploring, understanding, and analyzing large, complex data sets. Information visualization focuses on abstract data such as symbolic, tabular, networked, hierarchical, or textual information sources. The objectives of the course are to learn the principles involved in information visualization and a variety of existing techniques and systems. The students will also gain backgrounds and skills that will aid the design of new, innovative visualizations in realistic applications.  
Prerequisite: Doctoral Standing.  
Schedule Type: Lecture  
Contact Hours: 3 lecture  
Grade Mode: Standard Letter  

CS 77995  SPECIAL TOPICS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE  1-3 Credit Hours  
(Repeatable for credit) (Cross-listed with CS 69995) Special topics in computer science.  
Prerequisite: Graduate standing.  
Schedule Type: Lecture  
Contact Hours: 1-3 lecture  
Grade Mode: Standard Letter-S/U  

CS 89199  DISSERTATION I  15 Credit Hours  
(Dissertation work is begun and continuing until the completion of 30 dissertation hours. Credit is available for dissertation work.)  
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.  
Schedule Type: Dissertation  
Contact Hours: 15 other  
Grade Mode: Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory-IP  

CS 89191  DOCTORAL SEMINAR  1-2 Credit Hours  
(Repeatable for credit) Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory (S/U) graded. In Progress (IP) mark permissable. Research or individual investigation for doctoral students who have not yet passed their candidacy examinations.  
Prerequisite: Doctoral standing.  
Schedule Type: Seminar  
Contact Hours: 1-2 other  
Grade Mode: Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory-IP  

CS 89199  DISSERTATION I  15 Credit Hours  
(Repeatable for credit) Doctoral dissertation, for which registration in at least two semesters is required, first of which will be semester in which dissertation work is begun and continuing until the completion of 30 hours.  
Prerequisite: Special approval and doctoral standing.  
Schedule Type: Dissertation  
Contact Hours: 15 other  
Grade Mode: Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory-IP  

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CS 89299  DISSERTATION II  15 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit) Continuing registration required for doctoral students who have completed the initial 30 hours of dissertation and continuing until all degree requirements are met.
Prerequisite: CS 89199 and doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Dissertation
Contact Hours: 15 other
Grade Mode: Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory-IP

CS 89991  RESEARCH SEMINAR IN COMPUTER SCIENCE  1-3 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit) Research seminar on current research in computer science.
Prerequisite: Special approval; doctoral standing.
Schedule Type: Seminar
Contact Hours: 1-3 other
Grade Mode: Standard Letter-S/U