COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY (COMT)

COMT 11000  INTRODUCTION TO OFFICE PRODUCTIVITY APPS  3 Credit Hours
(Equivalent to MIS 24053) Covers the basic concepts and use of computer systems, including hardware, personal productivity software, Internet usage and file management.
Prerequisite: none.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
Attributes: TAG Business

COMT 11002  VISUAL BASIC PROGRAMMING  3 Credit Hours
Visual Basic.NET language introducing concepts of object-oriented, event-driven program design and implementation.
Prerequisite: COMT 11004.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 11004  SURVEY OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  3 Credit Hours
This overview course will provide an introduction to information technologies, career paths and professional certifications available.
Prerequisite: None.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 11005  INTRODUCTION TO OPERATING SYSTEMS AND NETWORKING TECHNOLOGY  3 Credit Hours
Survey of desktop and network OS essentials, including file and disk management, system tools utilization, resource sharing and introductory network concepts.
Prerequisite: none.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 11006  INTRODUCTION TO WEB SITE TECHNOLOGY  3 Credit Hours
Focuses on web site technologies including HTML. Students learn the history of the Internet and effective search techniques.
Prerequisite: COMT 11004.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 11009  COMPUTER ASSEMBLY AND CONFIGURATION  4 Credit Hours
Covers disk operating system functions and features; hardware/software installation procedures; file and directories management; system configuration/optimization; backup procedures.
Prerequisite: COMT 11005 or CS 33211 or DSCI 26010 or TECH 10001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 4 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 12000  INTERMEDIATE OFFICE PRODUCTIVITY APPS  3 Credit Hours
Covers intermediate concepts and integration of computer applications. Emphasis on software suites, specifically word processing, electronic spreadsheets, database and presentation applications.
Prerequisite: none.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 20001  C++ PROGRAMMING  3 Credit Hours
Course using C++ introducing concepts of software development, object-oriented event-driven programming, testing and debugging, simple and complex data types language syntax and semantics.
Prerequisite: none.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 20002  C# PROGRAMMING  3 Credit Hours
Introductory concepts of C#. Development environment, variables, decisions, looping, arrays, strings, methods, exception, and event handling.
Prerequisite: None.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 21002  NETWORK SETUP AND CONFIGURATION  4 Credit Hours
Introduces networking in LAN and WAN environments. Topics include network protocol, configuration, operation, setup, installation, administration, management and security.
Pre/corequisite: COMT 11009.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 4 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 21005  VISUAL BASIC DATABASE PROGRAMMING  4 Credit Hours
Advanced course in the visual basic language focusing on database systems development.
Prerequisite: COMT 11002 or CS 13001 or DSCI 15310 or MIS 24065.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 4 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 21007  INTERNET ETHICS AND POLICIES  3 Credit Hours
Covers the ethics, issues and policies regarding the Internet. It includes discussion/research on intellectual property/freedom, hacking, pornography, privacy, etc.
Prerequisite: None.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
COMT 21008 COMPUTER METHODS IN SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING 3 Credit Hours
Use of computers in problems related to science and engineering. Course will include introduction to elements of a high level scientific language.
Prerequisite: None.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 21009 SEMINAR IN COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY 3 Credit Hours
Capstone course for COMT students encompassing critical reading, writing and discussion applying the current theories of computer technologies to on-the-job experiences. Students will develop a portfolio to confirm their level of knowledge.
Prerequisite: COMT 11002 and 11005 and 11006 and 11009 and 21002 and 21010.
Schedule Type: Seminar
Contact Hours: 3 other
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 21010 WORKGROUP PRODUCTIVITY SOFTWARE 3 Credit Hours
Research project-oriented course emphasizing workgroup methodologies for group project management, problem definition, data retrieval and analysis, conclusions and recommendations.
Prerequisite: COMT 12000; or OTEC 16639 and OTEC 26611.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 21011 TECHNIQUES OF MULTIMEDIA WEB DESIGN 3 Credit Hours
Focuses on developing and managing effective web sites using multimedia elements including sound and video.
Prerequisite: COMT 11006 or COMT faculty special approval.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 21036 WEB SCRIPTING I 3 Credit Hours
This course will focus on client-side scripting needed to create interactive and dynamic Web sites. The use of scripting in context with various technologies will be explored.
Prerequisite: COMT 11002 and COMT 11006; or CS 13001 and CS 27101; or TECH 26301; or MIS 24065.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 21092 COMPUTER PRACTICUM (ELR) 1-3 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit) Supervised work experience in information technology environment; 45 hours supervised work experience per credit hour.
Prerequisite: sophomore standing.
Schedule Type: Practicum or Internship
Contact Hours: 3-9 other
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
Attributes: Experiential Learning Requirement

COMT 21095 SPECIAL TOPICS IN COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY 1-4 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit) Topics announced when scheduled.
Prerequisite: Permission.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 1-4 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 21096 INDIVIDUAL INVESTIGATION IN COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY 1-4 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit) Individual study in computer field. Open to computer technology majors.
Prerequisite: Permission.
Schedule Type: Individual Investigation
Contact Hours: 7-28 other
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 21100 LOCAL AREA NETWORK TROUBLESHOOTING 3 Credit Hours
Covers local area network troubleshooting techniques. Topics include identifying the scope of the problem, systematic troubleshooting approaches, problem resolution and ongoing maintenance.
Prerequisite: COMT 21002 or CS 33211 or DSCI 26010; or TECH 23010 and TECH 26301.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 21110 INTRODUCTION TO ROUTING AND SWITCHING 3 Credit Hours
Introduces internetworking concepts. Topics include networking standards, cabling, TCPIP, router configuration, LAN and WAN segments and other related topics.
Prerequisite: COMT 21002 or CS 33211 or DSCI 26010; or TECH 23010 and 26301.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 21111 ETHICAL HACKING 3 Credit Hours
Tools and techniques ethical hackers and security testers use to discover vulnerabilities and solutions to protect computer networks.
Prerequisite: COMT 21002 or CS 33211 or DSCI 26010; or TECH 23010 and 26301.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 31002 HEALTH IT SUPPORT 3 Credit Hours
Course covers skills and knowledge required to implement and support healthcare IT (HIT) systems including regulatory and compliance issues; organizational behavior; IT and medical business operations; best practices and security.
Prerequisite: Junior standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
COMT 32002  LINUX NETWORKING  4 Credit Hours
Course covering network administration topics with the Linux operating system. Topics include distributions, storage solutions, network services, and current security practices.
Prerequisite: COMT 21002 or CS 33211 or DSCI 26010; or TECH 23010 and TECH 26301.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 4 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36095  SPECIAL TOPICS IN COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY  2-3 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for credit) Various special courses will be announced in the schedule of classes under this course number with different section numbers.
Prerequisite: none.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 2-3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36301  ADVANCED C++ PROGRAMMING  4 Credit Hours
Course using C++: classes and data abstraction, stream IO, inheritance, standard template library, Microsoft Foundation Classes, system programming concepts using Unified Modeling Language.
Prerequisite: COMT 20001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 4 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36302  ADVANCED C SHARP PROGRAMMING  3 Credit Hours
Advanced concepts of C Sharp including classes and objects, inheritance, polymorphism, arrays, exception handling, files and streams and XAML.
Prerequisite: COMT 20021.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36303  DIGITAL IMAGE MANIPULATION  3 Credit Hours
Course covers various concepts involved in the creation and manipulation of digital images.
Prerequisite: COMT 11006.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36308  ERGONOMICS IN COMPUTER SYSTEMS  3 Credit Hours
Introduction to ergonomics, usability design, and assessment methods for the development of computer hardware, software, and systems.
Prerequisite: junior standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36309  PROGRAMMING MOBILE APPLICATIONS  3 Credit Hours
Introduces the unique program design considerations required by mobile device platforms such as PDAs and Smartphones. Practical programming examples will utilize Visual Basic and the .NET Compact Framework.
Prerequisite: COMT 11002 or COMT 20001 or COMT 20021 or CS 13001 or DSCI 15310 or MIS 24065.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36310  MULTIMEDIA DEVELOPMENT TOOLS  3 Credit Hours
Course focuses on advanced technologies for Web development, including HTML, plug-ins, etc. Students will learn to create more interactive and dynamic web sites.
Prerequisite: COMT 21011.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36311  ADVANCED JAVA PROGRAMMING  4 Credit Hours
Course using Java abstract data types and objects, object-oriented, event-driven design, file organization and access, and systems programming concepts.
Prerequisite: COMT 20001.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36314  SEMINAR IN EMERGING COMPUTER AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES  3 Credit Hours
Survey of new and emerging technologies in computer and information technology.
Prerequisite: Junior standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36315  CERTIFICATION PREPARATION IN COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY  3 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for a maximum of 6 credit hours) Certification preparation course to help students prepare for professional certification attempts in Computer Technology. Certification is not guaranteed. Certification fees may apply.
Prerequisite: special approval.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36318  SURVEY OF INFORMATION SECURITY, INTERNET FRAUD AND COMPUTER FORENSICS (WIC)  3 Credit Hours
This lecture-based, survey course provides a non-technical introduction to contemporary issues in information security, Internet fraud and computer forensics.
Prerequisite: ENG 21011 or HONR 10297; and junior standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
Attributes: Writing Intensive Course

COMT 36320  COMPUTER FORENSICS  3 Credit Hours
Hands-on skills in incident response, forensic preparation, and data recovery, and analysis. Prerequisite: COMT 21002 or CS 33211 or DSCI 26010; or TECH 23010 and TECH 26301
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
COMT 36321  NETWORK FORENSICS  3 Credit Hours
Emphasizing hands-on skills in live incident response, the proper use of network forensic tools, network monitoring, live data capture, evidence analysis, data integrity and other related topics.
Prerequisite: COMT 21002 or CS 33211 or DSCI 26010; or TECH 23010 and TECH 26301.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36322  SOCIAL MEDIA AND MOBILE DEVICE FORENSICS  3 Credit Hours
Course covers data collection and analysis techniques for social media and mobile devices.
Prerequisite: Junior standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36330  LOCAL AREA NETWORK SECURITY FUNDAMENTALS  3 Credit Hours
Examines the primary issues involved in securing resources in a LAN, including threat assessment, countermeasures, best practices, security protocols, cryptography and management-related issues.
Prerequisite: COMT 21002 or CS 33211 or DSCI 26010; or TECH 23010 and TECH 26301.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36331  ADVANCED ROUTING AND SWITCHING  3 Credit Hours
Reinforcing Internetworking concepts. Topics include network standards, LAN switching, VLANs, network designs, routing protocols and configuration, LAN and WAN segments, and other related topics.
Prerequisite: COMT 21110.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36336  WEB SCRIPTING II  3 Credit Hours
Focuses on server-side scripting needed to create interactive and dynamic web sites.
Prerequisite: COMT 21036 or special approval of COMT faculty.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36340  HELP DESK SUPPORT  3 Credit Hours
Examination of help desks that exist, importance within organizations, the roles and skills required, and methods and technologies commonly employed.
Prerequisite: COMT 11009 or TECH 23010.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36350  PROGRAMMING OFFICE PRODUCTIVITY APPLICATIONS  3 Credit Hours
Introduces the use of Visual Basic for Applications (VBA) as a tool to create customized programs that automate repetitive and/or complex tasks performed using office suite applications.
Prerequisite: COMT 11002 and COMT 21010.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36355  COMMAND LINE UTILITIES  3 Credit Hours
Preparing students to perform effectively in Windows, Linux, and various server command line environments. Command syntax, batch files, script files, internal & external commands, and other related topics will be covered.
Prerequisite: COMT 21002 or CS 33211 or DSCI 26010; or TECH 23010 and TECH 26301.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 36392  INTERNSHIP FOR COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY STUDENTS (ELR)  1-3 Credit Hours
(Repeatable for a maximum of 6 credit hours) An arranged work experience for students in the IT field. Students complete 45 hours of internship per credit.
Prerequisite: junior standing.
Schedule Type: Practicum or Internship
Contact Hours: 3-9 other
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
 Attributes: Experiential Learning Requirement

COMT 40000  CYBERSECURITY  3 Credit Hours
Builds on a background in networking and focuses on cybersecurity best practices, standard models, and regulatory requirements.
Prerequisite: COMT 21002; or DSCI 26010; or CS 33211; or TECH 23010 and TECH 26301.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 41002  CLOUD TECHNOLOGY  3 Credit Hours
Concepts of cloud computing, including storage; services; technology; and management.
Prerequisite: COMT 21002; or DSCI 26010; or CS 33211; or TECH 23010 and TECH 26301.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 41010  MOBILE APPLICATIONS FOR INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  3 Credit Hours
Course covers enterprise mobility technical concepts, strategies, and solutions across various domains and industries. Includes topics such as organizational issues, IT and business operations; and best practices and security.
Prerequisite: Junior standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 42000  SOCIAL MEDIA SECURITY  3 Credit Hours
Personal and corporate social media presence, security risks, intellectual property and ethical issues.
Prerequisite: Junior standing.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
COMT 46310 TECHNOLOGY OF OPERATING SYSTEMS 3 Credit Hours
Course covering installation, configuration, tuning, and communication among state of the art desktop operating systems, using available system tools, utilities and files.
Prerequisite: COMT 21002 or CS 33211 or DSCI 26010; or TECH 23010 and TECH 26301.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 46311 TECHNOLOGY OF NETWORKING 3 Credit Hours
Advanced topics of enterprise network management, including DNS, WINS, IP addressing, routing basics, subnet masking, firewalls, storage redundancy techniques, and general tuning, optimizing, troubleshooting, recovery strategies.
Prerequisite: COMT 21002 or CS 33211 or DSCI 26010; or TECH 23010 and TECH 26301.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 46312 SCRIPTING FOR NETWORK ADMINISTRATORS 3 Credit Hours
Covers scripting technologies to configure and manage resources and services of LAN servers and workstations.
Prerequisite: COMT 21002 and COMT 21036.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 46313 VIRTUAL MACHINE CONFIGURATION AND ADMINISTRATION 3 Credit Hours
Focus is on the core service roles provided by application services including configuration, maintenance and security.
Prerequisite: COMT 21002 or CS 32111 or DSCI 26010; or TECH 23010 and TECH 26301.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 46314 ADVANCED SERVER CONFIGURATION 3 Credit Hours
Focus is on the core service roles provided by application services including configuration, maintenance and security.
Prerequisite: COMT 21002 or CS 32111 or DSCI 26010; or TECH 23010 and TECH 26301.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 46315 SQL WITH ORACLE 3 Credit Hours
Focus is on SQL and relational databases using Oracle.
Prerequisite: COMT 21005 or CS 13001 or DSCI 15310 or MIS 24065.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 46320 CLOUD FORENSICS 3 Credit Hours
Concepts of cloud forensics, including legal consideration and software tools involved with discovery in the cloud.
Prerequisite: COMT 21002; or DSCI 26010; or CS 33211; or TECH 23010 and TECH 26301.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter
COMT 46321  WEB DATABASE INTEGRATION  3 Credit Hours
Focus is on integrating data sources into web sites. Current topics include advanced concepts in server-side processing principles, web forms, database programming objects and Structured Query Language.
Prerequisite: COMT 21036.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 46331  LOCAL AREA NETWORK SECURITY AND FIREWALLS  3 Credit Hours
Examines the primary issues involved in defining and configuring a local area network defense perimeter including LAN security analysis, implementing firewalls, and intrusion detection systems.
Prerequisite: COMT 36330.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter

COMT 46340  DATA DESIGN AND IMPLEMENTATION  3 Credit Hours
Explores the role and design of databases in organizations, with emphasis on the technologies used in their implementation. Emphasis on SQL.
Prerequisite: COMT 21005 and COMT 21010.
Schedule Type: Lecture
Contact Hours: 3 lecture
Grade Mode: Standard Letter