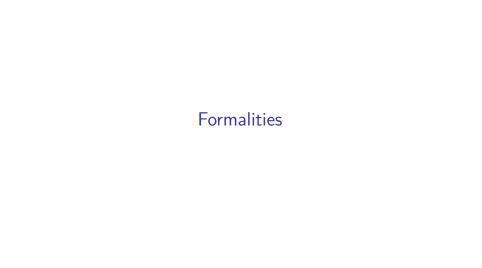
# Advanced Programming (IT)

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**Formalities** 

Aims & timetable



### Assessment

- ▶ 70% exam
- ▶ 30% coursework
- ▶ More details on both to be confirmed

# Lectures and labs

- ► All sessions on Tuesdays!
- ▶ 11-12: Lecture
- ▶ 12-13: Lab
- ▶ 14-15: Lecture

### Venues

▶ Please check MyCampus for up-to-date lecture Venues

# Etiquette

- I will write example programs in the lectures
  - Feel free to bring laptops and do the same
- I'm very happy to address additional topics that you come across in your projects
- I'm also happy to answer lab questions in the lectures
  - Can't answer many questions in a one hour lab
- Ask questions any time....
  - In class, labs or Moodle forums
- Will go through lab exercise in next lecture
- ▶ Office hour: we need to co-ordinate an hour where you and I are both free...

#### **Texts**

- Big Java
  - ► I'm using 3rd ed.
  - ► I also have 5th Ed (early objects)
  - In recent editions, useful stuff is online only!
- Most things you need can be found in the online Java documents.
- ▶ I don't think it is essential to buy a book for this course

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- ► Room S123, Lilybank Gardens
- ► Moodle forums

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## **Aims**

- Build on semester 1 Java
- Develop a deeper understanding of programming (in Java)
- Design and write lots of code from scratch
- ▶ Be familiar with advanced concepts required in many applications including:
  - Threading
  - Distributed systems

# Main Topics

- ► Semester 1 recap and Java basics
- Design patterns
- Concurrency
- ▶ Distributed systems