# The University of the Gambia

(School of Information Technology and Communication)



#### **BSc.** (Hons) Computer Science

#### Study Plan Year 1

|            | Semester I |                                  |                 |              |          |  |
|------------|------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------|--|
| Semester I | Course #   | Title                            | Credit<br>Hours | Prerequisite | Fulfills |  |
|            | GEL 101    | Use of English I                 | 3               | None         | GER      |  |
|            | MTH 101    | Calculus I                       | 3               | Pre-Calculus | GER      |  |
|            | ICT 101    | Introduction to I.C.T.           | 3               | None         | DER      |  |
|            | ICT 102    | Introduction to Computing & I.S  | 3               | None         | DER      |  |
|            | ICT 103    | Programming Logic and Design     | 3               | None         | DER      |  |
|            | ICT 104    | Report Writing and Presentations | 3               | None         | DER      |  |
|            |            | Total                            | 18              |              |          |  |

| Semester II |          |                                      |                 |              |          |
|-------------|----------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------|
| Semester II | Course # | Title                                | Credit<br>Hours | Prerequisite | Fulfills |
|             | GEL 102  | Use of English 102                   | 3               | GEL 101      | GER      |
|             | SCI 101  | Introduction to General Science      | 3               | None         | GER      |
|             | MTH 102  | Calculus II                          | 3               | MTH 101      | DER      |
|             | GER 107  | Cultural Studies                     | 3               | CPS 101      | GER      |
|             | ICT 105  | Computer Programming I               | 4               | CPS 103      | DER      |
|             | ICT 106  | Ethics for Computing and Engineering | 3               | None         | DER      |
|             |          | Total                                | 19              |              |          |

## Study Plan Year 2

|            | Semester I |                                      |                 |              |          |  |
|------------|------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------|--|
| Semester I | Course #   | Title                                | Credit<br>Hours | Prerequisite | Fulfills |  |
|            | FRE 101    | Elementary French I or any Foreign   | 3               | None         | GER      |  |
|            | PHY 101    | Fundamentals of Physics I            | 3               | MTH 102      | DER      |  |
|            | ICT 201    | Computer Architecture & Organization | 3               | CPS 104      | DER      |  |
|            | ICT 202    | Computer Programming II              | 4               | CPS 104      | DER      |  |
|            | ICT 203    | Computer Networking I                | 3               | INS 102      | DER      |  |
|            | ICT 204    | Database Systems I                   | 4               | CPS 104      | DER      |  |
|            |            | Total                                | 20              |              |          |  |

|             | Second Year Semester II |                                       |                 |              |          |  |  |  |
|-------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------|--|--|--|
| Semester II | Course #                | Title                                 | Credit<br>Hours | Prerequisite | Fulfills |  |  |  |
|             | FRE 102                 | Elementary French II or any Foreign   | 3               | FRE 101      | GER      |  |  |  |
|             | Social and l            | Behavioral Sciences (Choose 1 Course) | 3               | None         | GER      |  |  |  |
|             | Humanistic              | Tradition (Choose 1 Outside Major)    | 3               | None         | GER      |  |  |  |
|             | MTH 301                 | Probability and Statistics            | 3               | MTH 102      | DER      |  |  |  |
|             | ICT 205                 | Data Structure & Algorithms           | 4               | CPS 202      | DER      |  |  |  |
|             | ICT 206                 | Principles of Operating System        | 3               | CPS 202      | DER      |  |  |  |
|             |                         | Total                                 | 19              |              |          |  |  |  |

## **Study Plan Year 3**

| Semester I |              |                                       |                 |              |          |  |
|------------|--------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------|--|
| Semester I | Course #     | Title                                 | Credit<br>Hours | Prerequisite | Fulfills |  |
|            | Social and l | Behavioral Sciences (Choose 1 Course) | 3               | None         | GER      |  |
|            | Economics    | & Mgt. Tradition (Choose 1 Course)    | 3               | None         | GER      |  |
|            | ICT 301      | Project Management                    | 3               | INS 101      | DER      |  |
| 1          | CPS 301      | Computer Networking II                | 3               | CPS 203      | MAJOR    |  |
| 2          | CPS 302      | Internet and Web Programming I        | 3               | CPS 202      | MAJOR    |  |
| 3          | CPS 303      | Microprocessor Principles             | 3               | CPS 204      | MAJOR    |  |
|            |              | Total                                 | 18              |              |          |  |

| Semester II |          |  |                 |              |          |
|-------------|----------|--|-----------------|--------------|----------|
| Semester II | Course # | Title                                  | Credit<br>Hours | Prerequisite | Fulfills |
| 4           | CPS 304  | Internet and Web Programming II        | 3               | CPS 202      | MAJOR    |
| 5           | CPS 305  | Computer Logic and Discrete Structures | 3               | CPS 204      | MAJOR    |
| 6           | CPS 306  | Automata and Languages                 | 3               | CPS 204      | MAJOR    |
| 7           | CPS 307  | Object Oriented Analysis and Design    | 3               | CPS 202      | MAJOR    |
| 8           | CPS 308  | Computational Mathematics              | 3               | MTH 102      | MAJOR    |
| 9           | CPS 401  | Advance Programming Skills             | 3               | CPS 307      | MAJOR    |
|             |          | Total                                  | 18              |              |          |

## **Study Plan Year 4**

|            | Semester I |                                      |                 |              |          |  |  |
|------------|------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------|--|--|
| Semester I | Course #   | Title                                | Credit<br>Hours | Prerequisite | Fulfills |  |  |
| 10         | CPS 402    | Parallel and Distributed Programming | 3               | CPS 307      | MAJOR    |  |  |
| 11         | CPS 403    | Artificial Intelligence              | 3               | CPS 202      | MAJOR    |  |  |
| 12         | CPS 404    | Cloud Computing                      | 3               | CPS 307      | MAJOR    |  |  |
| 13         | CPS 405    | Data Communications and Network      | 3               | CPS 301      | MAJOR    |  |  |
| 14         | MTH 203    | Linear Algebra                       | 3               | MTH 102      | MAJOR    |  |  |
| 15         | CPS 406    | Research Method in IT                | 3               | ICT 104      | MAJOR    |  |  |
|            |            | Total                                | 18              |              |          |  |  |

|             | Semester II |                                  |                 |               |          |  |  |
|-------------|-------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|----------|--|--|
| Semester II | Course #    | Title                            | Credit<br>Hours | Prerequisit e | Fulfills |  |  |
| 15          | CPS 407     | Compiler Design and Interpreters | 3               |               | MAJOR    |  |  |
| 17          | CPS 408     | Project/ Dissertation            | 6               |               | MAJOR    |  |  |
|             | 400 Level   | Electives                        | 3               |               | ELECTIVE |  |  |
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|             | 400 Level   | Electives                        | 3               |               | ELECTIVE |  |  |
|             | 400 Level   | Electives                        | 3               |               | ELECTIVE |  |  |
|             |             | Total                            | 21              |               | ELECTIVE |  |  |

#### **Elective Courses**

| CPS 409 | LAN Administration                             |
|---------|--|
| CPS 410 | Computability and Complexity                   |
| CPS 411 | Advance Database Systems                       |
| CPS 412 | Advance Application Development                |
| CPS 413 | Operating Systems II and Distributed Computing |
| CPS 414 | Design of Web-Based Systems                    |
| CPS 415 | Advanced Object-Oriented Analysis and Design   |
| CPS 416 | Intelligent Systems                            |
| CPS 417 | Information Security and Ethical Hacking       |
| CPS 418 | Big Data Analytics                             |
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### A. GER - GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS [36 CREDIT HOURS]

| \\\ | CEL 404 - Uses of Expelieb 4 and CEL 402 - Uses of Expelieb 2            | C          |
|---|--|------------|
| Writing Competence  | GEL 101: Use of English 1 and GEL 102: Use of English 2                  | 6 semester |
|   |  | hours      |
|   | ATTI 400 D : AA II   |            |
| Mathematics   | MTH 103: Basic Mathematics or MTH 101 : Calculus 1(for all science       | 3 semester |
| competence  | students )   | hours      |
| Information   | CPS 111: Introduction to Information Communication Technology (ICT)      | 3 semester |
| Technology  |  | hours      |
| Competence  |  |            |
| Foreign Language  | Any language offered except English: FRE 101: Elementary French 1 and    | 6 semester |
| Competence  | FRE 102: Elementary French 2 or ARB 101: Arabic Reading and Writing      | hours      |
| -   | Skills 1 and ARB 102: Arabic Reading and Writing Skills 2 or SPA 101:    |            |
|   | Elementary Spanish 1 and SPA 102 : Elementary Spanish 2 (Note: Students  |            |
|   | doing a Major/Minor in French or Islamic Studies should do FRE 103 and   |            |
|   | FRE 104; ARB 103 and ARB 104, respectively)                              |            |
| Humanistic Tradition  | GER 107: Cultural Studies plus one other course outside the student's    | 6 semester |
|   | major area. The course may be in History, Literature, Philosophy, Law,   | hours      |
|   | Religious Studies (i.e. Islam or Christianity).                          |            |
| Social and Behavioural  | Two courses in the following areas: Psychology, Anthropology, Geography, | 6 semester |
| Sciences  | Political Science, Sociology, Development and Gender Issues.             | hours      |
|   | <b>0</b> ,,  |            |
| <b>General Science</b>  | SCI 101: Introduction to General Science                                 | 3 semester |
| Competence  |  | hours      |
| Economics and   | MGT 100: Introduction to Management or ECO 200: Economics of             | 3 semester |
| Management  | Development  | hours      |
| Tradition   |  |            |
|   |  |            |