



## **COURSE DESCRIPTION FORM**

**INSTITUTION**                      FAST – National University

**PROGRAM (S) TO BE  
EVALUATED**

**A. Course Description**

(Fill out the following table for each course in your computer science curriculum. A filled out form should not be more than 2-3 pages.)

<b>Course Code</b>	CS5102
<b>Course Title</b>	Deep Learning
<b>Credit Hours</b>	3
<b>Prerequisites by Course(s) and Topics</b>	Undergraduate machine learning or artificial intelligence Undergraduate programming/Python
<b>Assessment Instruments with Weights</b> (homework, quizzes, midterms, final, programming assignments, lab work, etc.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 Mid-term exam: 15% each</li> <li>• Final exam: 40%</li> <li>• 3 Projects: 30%</li> </ul>
<b>Course Coordinator</b>	
<b>URL (if any)</b>	<a href="http://piazza.com/nu.edu.pk/fall2018/cs5102/home">piazza.com/nu.edu.pk/fall2018/cs5102/home</a>
<b>Current Catalog Description</b>	
<b>Textbook (or Laboratory Manual for Laboratory Courses)</b>	- Deep Learning by Ian Goodfellow, Yoshua Bengio - Stanford deep learning for visual recognition <a href="http://cs231n.stanford.edu/2017/syllabus.html">http://cs231n.stanford.edu/2017/syllabus.html</a>
<b>Reference Material</b>	- Neural Networks and Deep Learning by Michael Nielsen (Dec 2014). - Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning, Christopher M Bishop, Springer 2006. - Deep learning for medical imaging @ Purdue <a href="https://docs.google.com/document/d/1zEL-nu_To7Olc3cD-dg5iADvWrErAQSD8n-1CLrGGA/edit#heading=h.ml4r2vccki0v">https://docs.google.com/document/d/1zEL-nu_To7Olc3cD-dg5iADvWrErAQSD8n-1CLrGGA/edit#heading=h.ml4r2vccki0v</a>
<b>Course Goals</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Understand the fundamentals of neural networks</li> <li>– Understand deep learning with CNNs</li> <li>– Apply deep learning to real problems, especially in the context of vision and language processing</li> </ul>
<b>Topics Covered in the Course, with Number of Lectures on Each Topic</b> (assume 15-week instruction and one-hour lectures)	<p><b>Learning overview:</b>            Introduction and motivation, biological neural network and its history, learning vs programming, learning components, supervised learning, classification vs regression</p> <p><b>Basics of Neural Networks:</b>            Perceptron, Multilayer Perceptron, Gradient Descent in MLPs, Activation functions, Back-propagation</p> <p><b>Convolutional Neural Networks:</b>            Motivation for CNNs, basics of convolution,</p>

	<p>distinguishing features of CNNs, What makes CNNs tick, deep learning with CNNs</p> <p><b>Deep learning - Applications:</b></p> <p>Applying CNNs: transfer learning, CNNs in computer vision, Recurrent NNs, Inception and GoogleNet, LSTMs and deep learning for NLP, Generative Adversarial Networks</p> <p>Practical issues: Overview of Python, GPU, Cloud-based GPU solutions, useful libraries</p>			
<b>Laboratory Projects/Experiments Done in the Course</b>	<p>Project 1: Implementation of NN backpropagation(MATLAB)</p> <p>Project 2: Implementation of a CNN(cats vs dogs problem) in Keras Training, testing and visualization Hyperparameter tuning: optimizer, layers, parameters etc</p> <p>Project 3: Implementation/modification of DL model for:</p> <p>a) GAN for generating skin cancer data <i>or</i></p> <p>b) LSTM model for describing the scene of a movie</p>			
<b>Class Time Spent on (in credit hours)</b>	<b>Theory</b>	<b>Problem Analysis</b>	<b>Solution Design</b>	<b>Social and Ethical Issues</b>
	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.3
<b>Oral and Written Communications</b>	<p>Every student is required to submit at least 3 written reports of typically 5-10 pages. These reports are NOT graded for oral and verbal proficiency beyond what is expected of a technical report.</p>			

**Instructor Name** M Usman Sadiq

**Instructor Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_