

# Course Registration System Glossary

## 1. Introduction:

This document is used to define terminology specific to the problem domain, explaining terms, which may be unfamiliar to the reader of the use-case descriptions or other project documents. Often, this document can be used as an informal data dictionary, capturing data definitions so that use-case descriptions and other project documents can focus on what the system must do with the information.

## 2. Definitions:

The glossary contains the working definitions for the key concepts in the Course Registration System

**2.1. Course:** A class offered by the university.

**2.2. Course Offering:** A specific delivery of the course for a specific semester – you could run the same course in parallel sessions in the semester. Includes the days of the week and times it is offered.

**2.3. Course Catalog:** The unabridged catalog of all courses offered by the university.

**2.4. Course Manager:** The person with responsibility for creating, updating and managing the course provision.

**2.5. Semester:** one of the two periods that the school or college year is divided into.

**2.6. GUI:** The graphical user interface , is a type of user interface that allows users to interact with electronic devices through graphical icons and visual indicators such as secondary notation.

**2.7 Subject:** an area of knowledge studied in a school, college, etc.

**2.8 Credits:** a unit of study at a college or university (in the US, also at a school); the fact of having successfully completed a unit of study.

**2.9 Prerequisites:** Course that must be done before the next course can be registered.