

CENT 1310
Computer Systems and Software

Using Microsoft PowerPoint 2016 for Oral Presentations

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2. **Home | New Slide**
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 - Title & 2-Column Text
 - Title, Text, & Content
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5. To change the design, background, etc. click on the **Design** tab.
 - Themes
 - Background Styles
 - Effects
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Be sure to click the **Apply To All** button.
(Use animation sparingly because it can become distracting)
 - Transition Sound
 - Transition Speed
7. To run the Slide Show, click on the **Slide Show** tab.
Click the **From Beginning** button.
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