[CS3704] Software Engineering

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Announcements

Exam on Friday (11/3)

Exam Review

Exam Details

- Online exam
 - Canvas Quiz
 - Accessible online Friday (11/3) 8:00am 11:59pm
 - 1 hour to complete
 - i.e., Start before 10:59pm Friday night!
- Open-book, notes, lecture slides, etc.
- You may <u>NOT</u> work with others
- Exam Review in class next week (11/1)
- All content except presentations and guest lecture

Exam Details (cont.)

Three sections:

1. Key Terms

- a. Matching
- b. Multiple choice (multi-select, T/F,...)

2. Scenarios

- a. Open-ended questions
 - i. You do not need to write more than 1-2 sentences max
 - ii. Be specific (generic answers like "requirements" are X)
 - iii. Do not repeat concepts for multiple questions (i.e. "scrum" can only be used once)

3. Application

- a. Mix (Multiple choice, short answer, open-ended,...)
- b. Analyze code and be able to apply various concepts discussed in class.

Study Guide

A detailed study guide for the exam is available on the course GitHub repository:

https://github.com/CS3704-VT/Course/blob/main/resources/StudyGuide.md

 Please contact the instructor if you have any remaining questions about the exam.

Sample Questions: Key Terms

What process focuses on discovering requirements for a system?

- a. Requirements Analysis
- b. Requirements Specification
- c. Requirements Engineering
- d. Requirements Elicitation

True or False: Modularity is the degree of interdependence between modules?

- True
- False V

Which topic(s) would you discuss during a stand-up meeting?

- a. What you need to work on next
- b. What went well
- c. What is blocking you 🗸
- d. What you did 🔽

Sample Questions: Scenarios

 A software engineer on your team is spending too much time on unrelated tasks. What agile practices may help?

Standup meeting Kanban Sprint planning Retrospective

 You are developing software for an exploration to the bottom of the ocean floor in the 1950s. Explain what software process you would use and why.

O How about in modern times? (Briefly!) Explain...

Sample Questions: Application

- Calculate the cyclomatic complexity of the func method. ²
- Estimate the number of function points
 to add functionality to determine if a given number
 (x) is greater than or equal to 10. How about if x
 is a number in the Fibonacci sequence? Explain...

def func(x):

else:

if x == 2:

return True

• What process would you use to design a user interface for this program? personas, storyboarding, task flow analysis, wireframing, prototyping...

Tips

- Study!
- Do not write too much for the scenario-based/open-ended questions.
- Organize your notes, slides, etc.
- If questions come up, save them for after the exam.
- Be familiar with basic Java concepts.

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Quizizz

Next Time...

- Exam on Friday (11/3)
- Study Guide: <u>main/resources/StudyGuide.md</u>
- Implementation and Maintenance lectures (11/6, 11/8) and presentations (11/10) next week.
- Continue working on your project!