# CSC790: Information Retrieval and Web Search Spring 2024, Assignment #2

Date Assigned: Monday, February 12, 2024

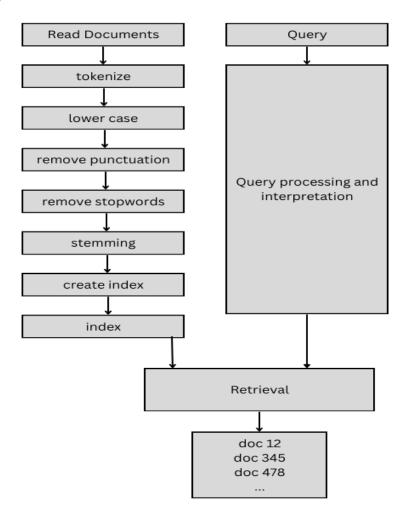
Due Date: Wednesday, February 21, 2024 at 11:59 pm (on Brightspace) (130 points)

## **Objectives:**

• Build a simple search system.

#### Tasks

1. Modify the code for homework 1 in order to perform the processing steps as shown in the figure below (left side).



- 2. Write new code to load the inverted index from question 1 (homework 1) and answer user queries as follows
  - Load the user queries from a file.
  - Each query will have a maximum four words
  - For each query provide the answer using all possible combination. if the query is: q= A B C, the answer should be as follows:

========	====== User Query 1: ===========
========	== Results for: A and B and C ===========
file 12	
file 59	
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=========	===== Results for: A and B or C ================
file 12	
file 59	
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========	====== User Query 2: =========

### Important

• Use one function to display course and student information as follows:

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First Name: your first name
Last Name: your last name

- Document your code: write comments to explain the role each function and block of code; what are the input parameters and the output/return parameters.
- You must use NLTK.

#### Submission

- 1. Write your own code. Use as many functions as you can.
- 2. Make sure you writing you name and assignment number on all files you submit.
- 3. Your python code and the instructions on how to run it. You should submit two .py files, one for the modified version of homework 1 and one for homework 2.

- 4. Enclose all your files in a folder named  ${\bf HW02\_yourlastname.zip}$ .
- $5. \ \, \text{Submit the zip file using Bright$  $space}.$