CMPS 356 - Software Development of Enterprise Applications

Syllabus and Course Admin



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Outline for Today

- Course introduction
- Grading
- Policies

About the Instructor

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Office hours:

- Sunday 12:15 to 1:15pm at CSE Meeting Room BCR-E104 (for male students)
- Tuesday 12:15 to 1:15pm at my office C07-132 (for female students)
- Other times are available by appointment only on Sunday or Tuesdays before 2pm
- You can talk to me after class if you have issues/questions
- Best way to contact me is by Email erradi@qu.edu.qa

Course Goals (1 of 2)

- 1. Introduce the principles and the technologies to design and develop Web applications
- 2. Provide students with the opportunity to design, build, test, and deploy enterprise applications using various client-side and server-side Web technologies
- Employ state-of-the art application frameworks and development tools to build Web applications

Course Goals (2 of 2)

- Gain practical hands on experience with web-based technologies
 - Often, the best way to understand something is to build it yourself
 - Labs Activities/Assignments
 - Project: Substantial implementation project to design and implement a Web Application
 - => Put what you learned into use!
- => This is the closest you can get to experience how real world Web applications are designed and built

Why this Course?

- Enterprise Web Applications are critical applications that automate business processes and support the organization in achieving its goals
- There are typically characterized by:
 - A large number of concurrent users. Hence they need to be scalable
 - Users often require fast response time
 - Mission critical hence they need to be secure, reliable and highly available
- => This course **equips you with the skills** and best practices needed to design and develop Web applications with the required quality attributes

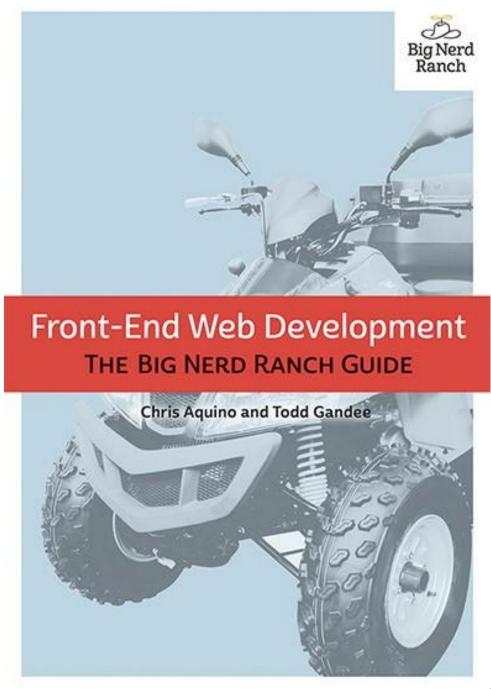
Topics	Chapter	Weeks
HTML	2	1
CSS & Bootstrap	3, 4 and 5	1
JavaScript	17	1
OOP with JavaScript + JavaScript Unit Testing	18	1
Ansynchronous JavaScript	14	1
Web API with Node.js	15	1
Manipulating DOM using JavaScript	6	1
Data Management using MongoDB	Online readings	2
Single-Page Application (SPA) using Vue.js	Online readings	2
Securing Web applications: authentication, authorization and confidentiality Online readings		1
Securing Web applications: OWASP Top 10	Online readings	2
Review & Exams -		1
Total		15 8

Recommended Textbook

Chris Aquino and Todd Gandee

Front-End Web Development: The Big Nerd Ranch Guide, 1st Edition, 2016

Plenty of online resources I will be providing



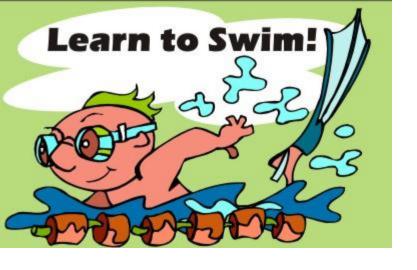
Your Grade is Based on:

Lab activities/ assignments	30%	Individual Lab activities/ assignments
Project	30%	2 Phases (group of 3 students): - UI and Web API design and implementation (15%) - Single Page Application (SPA) using Vue.js 15%)
Midterm exam	20%	Theory (8%) & Lab Practical (12%)* After the mid-spring break
Final exam	20%	Theory (8%) - Consult University exam timetable Lab Practical during last Lab (12%)*

Students who get less then 50 marks out of 100 in the Practical Midterm/Final we get their project's grade reduced to half of the group grade

How to succeed in this course....

- Do your weekly assigned readings
- Read the slides before you come to the class
- Exercise a lot study as many examples as possible
 - Understand and enhance the examples I provide as well as the ones in the textbook and the ones in the provided resources
- Attend and participate in class
 - Many of the exam questions are from the class explanation
- Do all the assignments and project <u>yourself</u>. Actively contribute to your project.
- Seek help when needed and ask questions (and do it EARLY): During Lectures/Labs & Come to office hours











"Gentlemen, I suggest we learn to swim."

We learn swimming by <u>swimming</u> and we learn design and programming by <u>practicing it!</u>

Software we will use

WebStorm - request your free student license at https://www.jetbrains.com/student/
 (Webstorm is one of the leading JavaScript, HTML and Web IDE)

- GitHub
- Node.js
- MongoDB
- For modeling we will use **Visual Paradigm**https://ap.visual-paradigm.com/qatar-university/license.jsp
- Other tools will be communicated to you as we go



GitHub will be used to deliver content, assignments an projects

Check https://github.com/cmps356s19
regularly!

Lecture slides, Demos and Assignments are there!

Communications will be by email

Important Notes

- Attendance... QU attendance policies will be enforced
 - Do not miss classes/labs
- Start your assignments early!!!
- This is a senior-level course and students are expected to learn independently as much as needed in order to complete the course requirements
 - Do not expect me to find/fix your code bugs
 - Do not expect me to find and fix your technical issues
 - I can only give you high level suggestions and guidance

No 'Free Riding' allowed

- 'free riders' (who do not contribute much) => not acceptable and not fair for hardworking students
 - You must actively contribute to your project and do your ultimate best to deliver the best possible results
 - Otherwise you will be asked to do the project alone



Plagiarism / Cheating

- "Getting an unfair academic advantage"
 - Using other people's work as your own
 - Not doing your assignments yourself
- All the code you submit has to be your own
 - Only exception: Code I have provided or explicitly authorized
 - NO code you have found on the web. NO sharing with others.
- Do your homework and project yourself
 - Do NOT copy from each other or from the Internet I will know it!
 - You can be picked-up randomly to explain your implementation
 - Cheating will be treated very seriously
- Penalties START with a zero on the assignment, failing the course! and other disciplinary actions as per QU policy

Email Rules

 When emailing me you must add – CMPS 356 to the beginning of the email title

e.g., CMPS 356 – Request for a meeting

I reply to CMPS 356 emails on Sundays,
 Tuesdays and Thursdays

 For guidance on technical issues come to office hours NOT by email

To do before next class

- Email me your team members (StudentID and Student Name)
- Install the required software (see the email I have sent you)
- Register for GitHub and Piazza
- Prepare any questions you might have



I wish you a fruitful and enjoyable journey!