



SE3001 – Software Construction & Development

Code is Poetry!

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Everything boils down to code!

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Course Information			
Credit Hours	3		
Lecture(s) per week	2	Duration	85 minutes each
Core/Elective	BS SE Core	Grading Scheme	Absolute

Course Description	
This course assumes that you have already developed object-oriented programming, analysis and design skills. We shall develop working software in Java during this course. You'll learn version control using Git, event-driven programming, writing unit tests in JUnit5, using an issue-tracking system etc. Towards the end of the semester, you shall learn the concepts of code smells, refactoring and selected GoF design patterns.	

	CLO	Cognitive Level	PLO Mapping
1	Apply software engineering concepts to construct (i.e. design, develop, and test) software in a team setting	3	3
2	Implement software design patterns as a part of software construction activity	3	3
3	Design test cases for a software system	6	3
4	Use a version control system as a part of software construction activity	3	5
5	Implement the deployment-related steps to bring the constructed software into use	3	3

Course Outcomes

The students will be able to:

- Convert OO design into code
- Write unit test cases in JUnit
- Understand various code smells and refactoring
- Understand selected GoF design patterns and their corresponding code

Grading Breakup	
Quizzes	10%
Class Participation	5%
Project	25%
Sessional I	12.5%
Sessional II	12.5%
Final Examination	35%
Plagiarism Policy	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any proven academic dishonesty may lead to a straight 'F' in the course. 	

Course Schedule (Tentative)			
Week	Theory	Deliverables	Lab
1	a) Intro to the course b) Java basics: inheritance & polymorphism in Java, static/dynamic binding ¹ , Java interfaces ² , Wrapper classes for primitives	SRS (functional), UC diagram	
2	a) Java exception handling ³ (try, catch, throw, throws, finally), chained Exceptions ⁴	DM, SSD	
3	a) Generics and Collections framework b) Reducing coupling: dependency injection, dependency inversion principle ⁵ c) Event-driven programming: events and event handlers, callbacks etc. AWT ⁶ d) MVC ⁷⁸⁹¹⁰	Screen Mockups, ER diagram	
4	Observer ¹¹ design pattern and its use ¹² Requirements elicitation for the project, Test-driven development Testing: Writing unit tests in JUnit5	UC#1 SD, refined DCD	
5	Unit testing contd., Logging, Git: concepts and commands		
6	Git contd.: merging techniques		
7	First Session Examinations		
8	Converting design to code: class diagrams, sequence ¹³ /collaboration diagrams, state machine diagrams (switches, State design pattern)		
9	MVP in code		

¹ [Static and Dynamic Binding in Java | Baeldung](#)

² <https://chat.openai.com/share/1576802b-e2c6-4a11-95cc-e13ac28935ff>

³ [Lesson: Exceptions - Java™ Tutorials](#)

⁴ [Chained Exceptions in Java | Baeldung](#)

⁵ <https://chat.openai.com/share/d8234900-c318-4a9e-af0a-b2cbad53d3f0>

⁶ [Java AWT Tutorial for Beginners | AWT in Java GUI | Edureka](#)

⁷ [A Swing Architecture Overview](#)

⁸ [The Model-View-Controller Architecture - Java Swing \[Book\]](#)

⁹ [Abstract Window Toolkit \(AWT\)](#)

¹⁰ [The simplest Model View Controller \(MVC\) Java example](#)

¹¹ [The Observer Pattern in Java | Baeldung](#)

¹² [Advanced Uses of the Observer Pattern in Java](#)

¹³ [SequenceDiagram.org](#)

10	Architectures: layered ¹⁴¹⁵¹⁶¹⁷ , Using UML component ¹⁸ diagrams to represent layered architecture and applying dependency inversion ¹⁹ principle between layers.	Iteration#1 code	
11	Implementing Abstract Factory, Singleton and Facade ²⁰ design patterns		
12	Second Session Examinations		
13	Code smells & refactoring		
14	Code smells & refactoring		
15	<i>Optional: Design patterns and their implementation in Java: Factory Method²¹, Composite, Proxy, Decorator</i>	Iteration#2 code	
16	<i>Optional: Design patterns and their implementation in Java: State, Interpreter, Chain of Responsibility, Strategy</i> Delivering the project as an executable jar		

Textbook(s)/Supplementary Readings

- <https://canvas.uw.edu/courses/1100150/pages/course-schedule>

¹⁴ [Core J2EE Patterns - Data Access Object](#)

¹⁵ [What is Three-Tier Architecture | IBM](#)

¹⁶ [Design Patterns: Data Access Object](#)

¹⁷ [1. Layered Architecture - Software Architecture Patterns \[Book\]](#)

¹⁸ [The component diagram - IBM Developer](#)

¹⁹ [A Solid Guide to SOLID Principles | Baeldung](#)

²⁰ [Layered Architecture using the Facade Design Pattern](#)

²¹ [Factory method for designing pattern - GeeksforGeeks](#)

