Syllabus

Course Information

Instructor Information

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| Course Title | Algorithms and Complexity | Office | 106-701-1 106-501-3 |
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| Classroom/Class Time | 106-711 MON WED 14:30-15:45 | | |
| Grading Type | | | |

Course Objectives & Description

This course gives a basic introduction to algorithms and complexity. The topics covered are: review of asymptotic notations, elementary data structures and graph algorithms, dynamic programming, maximum flow, linear programming, Turing machine formalism, the classes P and NP, NP-completeness and reduction, and probabilistic algorithms.

Grading

Attendance(10 %) / Homework(20%) / Midterm(35%) / Final Exam(35%)

Weekly Schedule

| Week | Contents |
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| 01 | Introduction. Asymptotic notations and algorithms analysis. |
| 02 | Dynamic programming |
| 03 | Review of elementary data structures and graph algorithms |
| 04 | Maximum flow |
| 05 | Introduction to linear programming |
| 06 | The simplex algorithm |

| 07 | Interior point methods |
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| 08 | Midterm exam |
| 09 | Turing machines, Church-Turing thesis, computability and decidability |
| 10 | Time complexity, the class P |
| 11 | The class NP and NP-completeness |
| 12 | Cook-Levin Theorem |
| 13 | Examples of NP-complete problems |
| 14 | P vs NP problem, relativization, natural proofs |
| 15 | Impagliazzo's Five Worlds |
| 16 | Final exam |