

Instructions for the ECE-GY 6353 Midterm Exam (Spring 2022):

- The Midterm Exam will be held on **Thursday, March 10 from 9-11 PM ET**. If there is a clash or some other unforeseen circumstances due to which you cannot take the exam, please contact us **as soon as possible**. We will allow you to join **up to 15 minutes late** provided you have a reason, and have contacted us in advance.
- The syllabus for the exam will comprise the lecture content of **Weeks 1-6**, i.e., till Dynamic Routing, and **Labs 0-4**, i.e., till Static Routing.
- The exam will be hosted on **PrairieLearn** and the format will be completely **objective**. Please follow the precise instructions in each question regarding the format of the answers required, otherwise your responses will be invalid.
- This will be an **open book/notes** exam. You are **not allowed** to access the Internet besides **Zoom, Brightspace, PrairieLearn, EdStem** and some other exceptions mentioned as follows. You can consult the lecture slides, the course textbook and your own notes in hard copy or soft copy. You can also access your laboratory submissions via **Gradescope**.
- The exam will be proctored via **Zoom**. You will be required to join a Zoom based on your room assignment. After joining, you will be sent to a **breakout room**, where you will be required to **share your screen** and turn your camera **ON** and microphone **ON** for the entire duration of the exam. You must share your **whole screen** and not just your browser window. It is not allowed to use a second screen during the exam. You must disconnect any additional screens. You and your desk should be fully and clearly visible. The room should be well lit, and you should be alone throughout the exam. Have your **student ID card** with you. You will be asked to show it to the proctor. If you require a biological break, you **must inform the proctor before leaving** and return to your desk as soon as possible. You **must NOT leave** the Zoom meeting room under any circumstances unless you finished and submitted your exam.
- **No other electronic devices** other than your computer (and an additional device to use as your zoom camera only if needed) will be allowed. If you have notes taken in a tablet, please kindly transfer them to your computer where you will be sharing your screen. You are allowed to use a physical calculator or an **offline** calculator app.
- In case you drop out of the exam room because of a connection issue and/or lose access to the Brightspace online test environment, **call** Ufuk (646-217-9430) or Soumyadeep (347-272-4864) immediately, or **email** us if you are able to.
- While inside the breakout room, you can use the chat function or **"Ask for help"** option to ask questions to us. Do **NOT** send questions to "everyone" unless necessary.
- You are assigned to different rooms for the Zoom meeting. Please check the assignment document to find the information about the correct zoom meeting you have to join to take the test. Note that we will start the Zoom meeting at **8:30 PM**; kindly show up latest **by 8:45 PM** as we will start the exam at **9 PM** sharp.

If you have any further queries, please feel free to ask us. Good luck in your midterm!

Soumyadeep and Ufuk