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CS 4320 / 7320 Software Engineering

Course Introduction / Policies /
Overview

Where to find course information:

1. Canvas: Grades, Assignment Submission, Group Identification
2. GitHub: Course Materials <https://github.com/MUSoftwareEngineering>

Instructors

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Departmental Learning Objectives

1. *Students will write technical documents (proposals, designs, documentation, executive summaries and project reports) to convey complex technical concepts to a variety of audiences.*
2. *Students will be able to analyze, interpret and describe the process of software engineering with respect to both large and small information systems, software systems, software development life cycles*
3. *Students will be **introduced to the preparation of a detailed problem definition** incorporating needs analysis, market assessment, and scope and feasibility analysis for a desirable solution.*
4. *Students will be **encouraged to use a variety of tools in order to complete a project, managing the development, creating the design, and developing a solution.***
5. *Students will demonstrate the ability to function effectively on a team.*
6. *Students will **work with a team of peers to analyze problems associated with a software solution, identify and define the requirements documents and models needed to determine possible solutions for the problem, and determine software and user-interface design.***
7. *Students will refine presentation skills to prepare for the capstone sequence resulting in professional presentations.*
8. *Students will be familiar with object oriented analysis and design issues using Unified Modeling Language (UML).*
9. *Students will learn of ethical and professional issues related to software engineering*

Meeting Schedule

Class Meeting Time :

- As posted in MyZou

Class Meeting Expectations :

1. Participation, which requires attendance
2. Team activities
3. Brief presentations (I will call on students by name from the roster)



Eight Areas of Coverage

1. Systems Theory and Engineering Software x
2. Ethics in Engineering Software x
3. The Software Development Lifecycle x
 - Requirements x
 - Design x
 - Implementation x
 - Testing x
 - Release x
 - Operations x
 - Maintenance
4. Flavors of Software Development Lifecycle x
 - Waterfall x
 - Agile x
 - Open Source x
5. Computing Disciplines Needed to Engineer Software
 - Computer Human Interaction x
 - Database Management Systems x
 - Algorithms x
 - Computing Languages x
6. Types of Technological Systems for Which We Engineer Software
 - Real Time Systems x
 - Safety Critical Systems x
 - Service Oriented Architectures x
 - Web Systems and Frameworks x
 - Mobile Systems x
 - Data Scientific Systems x

Eight Areas of Coverage (Page Two)

7. Essential Orthogonal Disciplines

Documentation

Version Control and Configuration Management x

Request Tracking x

Architecture x

Commercial Off the Shelf (COTS) Software x

Security x

8. The Social System of Engineering Software x

Collaboration x

Coordination x

Group Work x

The Science of Team Science x

Conflict x

Communication x

Metrics and Measurement x

Community Building x

Grad-Student Homeworks

- There will be various additional homework for graduate students:
 - Literature reading and critique and review writing
 - Software engineering related exercises in support of your group project

See Syllabus for:

- General Course Policies
- ADA Notice
- Academic Dishonesty
- Intellectual Pluralism
- UM Executive Order No. 38,
 - Recording Course Activities

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