

FIRST SIT FIRST COURSEWORK QUESTION PAPER:**Year Long Spring 2020**

Module Code:	CS4001NI
Module Title:	Programming
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Coursework Type:	Individual
Coursework Weight:	This coursework accounts for 30% of your total module grades.
Submission Date:	12th Week
When Coursework is given out:	9th Week
Submission Instructions:	<p>Submit the following to Informatics College Pokhara RTE department before the due date:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A report in PDF format and zip file which includes program file• File should be in .java format
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Extracts from University Regulations on Cheating, Plagiarism and Collusion

Section 2.3: "The following broad types of offence can be identified and are provided as indicative examples

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- (v) Collusion to present joint work as the work solely of one individual.
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- (vii) Other conduct calculated to secure an advantage on assessment.
- (viii) Assisting in any of the above.

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Further information in relation to the existing London Metropolitan University regulations concerning plagiarism can be obtained from <http://www.londonmet.ac.uk/academic-regulations>

Assessment

This assignment will be marked out of 100 and carries 30% of the overall module weighting.

Your .java files and report for this part must be uploaded and submitted on Week 12th. The assignment must be carried out individually so you must not obtain help from anyone other than the module teaching staff. You must not copy code from any source apart from the module core text and the module materials. Collusion, plagiarism (unreferenced copying) and other forms of cheating constitute Academic Misconduct, which can lead to failure of the module and suspension. The viva will be conducted for this assignment.

Note: *If student would be unable to defend his/her coursework, s/he might be penalized with 50% of total coursework marks*

Aim

The aim of this assignment is to implement a real world problem scenario using Object-oriented concept of Java that includes creating a class to represent a **Course**, together with its two subclasses to represent an **Academic course** and a **Non-academic Course** respectively. You will also need to write a report that should contain about your program.

Deliverables

Create a new project in **BlueJ** and create three new classes (**Course**, **Academic Course** and **NonAcademicCourse**) within the project. **AcademicCourse** and **NonAcademicCourse** are subclasses of the class **Course**. When you are ready to submit your solution, upload your codes **Course.java**, **AcademicCourse.java** and **NonacademicCourse.java** files (not any other files from the project) together with your report in pdf format.

Program (60 marks)

The program should include the following classes (with no additional attributes or methods).

- 1) The **Course** class has four attributes, which correspond to the courseID, course name, course leader and duration. The courseID and coursename are each represented as a string of text and duration as a number.
The courseID, coursename and duration are initialized in the constructor by being assigned the value of the constructor's parameters. The courseLeader is initialized with empty string ("") in the constructor.

Each attribute has a corresponding accessor method.

Define a method to set the courseLeader to a new name by accepting the new name of the course leader as a parameter.

A display method should output (suitably annotated) the courseID, coursename, and duration and, if the courseLeader is not an empty string, the name of the courseLeader also should be displayed.

[10 marks]

- 2) The **AcademicCourse** class is a subclass of the **Course** class and has seven attributes:

Lecturer name	- a string of characters
Level	- a string of characters
Credit	- a string of characters
Starting Date	- a string of characters
Completion Date	- a string of characters
Number of Assessments	- a whole number
isRegistered	- either true or false (boolean)

The **constructor** accepts six parameters, which are the courseID, coursename, duration, level, credit, and number of assessments. A call is made to the superclass constructor with three parameters, the courseID, coursename, and duration. [The level, credit and the number of assessments are initialized by being assigned the value of constructor's parameters.](#) The Additionally, in the

constructor, assign lecturer name, starting date and completion date as an empty ("") string, isRegistered status is initialized to false.

Each attribute has a corresponding **accessor method**.

A method is required to **set the lecturer name** as changes to lecturers inevitably occur. The method accepts a new lecturer name as a parameter and assigns the new value to the lecturer name.

A method is required to **set the number of assessments** as changes to the number of assessments also occur. The method accepts a new number of assessments as a parameter and assigns the new value to the number of assessments attribute.

There is a method to **register** the particular academic course. The method accepts four parameters that includes a course leader name, lecturer name, starting date, and completion date when the course is tentatively planned to complete. If the academic course is already registered, an appropriate message including the lecturer name, starting date and completion date is displayed.

If the academic course has not been registered yet, the method to set the course leader (course leader name in parent class) is called from the parent class with the course leader name as a parameter. The lecturer name, starting date, and completion date are required to update by the parameter values input to the method, the registered status of the course is changed to true.

A method to **display** the details of the course is required. It must have the same signature as the display method in the course class. It will call the method in Course class to display the courseID, course name, duration, and course leader. If the academic course is already registered then lecturer name, level, credit, starting date, completion date and number of assessments must also be displayed. Each output must be suitably annotated.

[20 marks]

- 3) The **NonAcademicCourse** class is also a subclass of the **Course** class and it has seven attributes:

Instructor name	- a string of character
Start date	- a string of character
Completion date	- a string of character
Exam date	- a string of character

prerequisite	- a string of character
isRegistered	- either true or false (boolean)
isRemoved	- either true or false (boolean)

The **constructor** accepts four parameters which are the courseID, course name, duration and prerequisite. A call is made to the superclass constructor with three parameters, the courseID, course name and duration. The attribute prerequisite is given the corresponding parameter value. Additionally, the constructor initializes starting date, completion date and exam date to empty ("") string, and isRegistered and isRemoved status to false.

Each attribute has a corresponding **accessor method**.

A method is required to **set the instructor name** as changes to name of the instructor inevitably occur. The method accepts a new instructor name as a parameter and, if the non-academic course has not registered yet, the new value is assigned to the instructor name attribute. If the non-academic course is already registered, then a suitable message is output to the user indicating that it is therefore not possible to change the instructor name.

There is a method **register** for registering the non-academic course. The method has five parameters, the course leader name, instructor name, starting date, completion date, and exam date. If the non-academic course has not registered yet, the method to set the instructor name is called with the instructor name as a parameter, [the method to set the course leader \(course leader name in parent class\) is called with the course leader name as a parameter, the starting date, completion date and exam date are updated by the corresponding parameter's values](#) and isRegistered status is set to true, otherwise a suitable message is displayed to the user indicating that the course is already registered.

There should be a **remove** method for non-academic courses. If the non-academic course is already removed (by checking isRemoved status is true), a suitable message is output. If the course is not removed yet, the method to set the course leader name (method to set course leader name in parent class) is called with "" as a parameter, the instructor name, the starting date, completion date and exam date are set to "", the status of isRegistered is set to false and the isRemoved status is set to true.

A method to **display** the details of the non-academic course is required. It must have the same signature as the display method in the Course class. It will call

the method in Course class to display the courseID, course name and duration. If the non-academic course is already registered then instructor name, starting date, completion date and exam date must also be displayed. Each output must be suitably annotated. **[20 marks]**

Additional marks will be awarded for good programming styles, particularly naming, layout and comments.

See <http://www.bluej.org/objects-first/styleguide.html> for details.

[10 marks]

Report (40 marks)

Your report should describe the process of development of your classes with:

a. A class diagram **[5 marks]**

b. Pseudocode for each method in each class **[10 marks]**

c. A short description of what each method does **[5 marks]**

d. You should give evidence (through inspection tables and appropriate screenshots) of the following testing that you carried out on your program:

Test 1: Inspect AcademicCourse class, register an academic course, and re-inspect the AcademicCourse Class **[2 marks]**

Test 2: Inspect NonAcademicCourse class, register a non-academic course and re-inspect the NonAcademicCourse Class **[2 marks]**

Test 3: Inspect NonAcademicCourse class again, **remove the non-academic course** and re-inspect the NonAcademicCourse class

[2 marks]

Test 4: Display the detail of AcademicCourse and NonAcademicCourse classes.

[4 marks]

e. The report should contain a section on error detection and error correction where you give examples and evidence of three errors encountered in your implementation. The errors (syntax, semantic or logical errors) should be distinctive and not of the same type. **[3 marks]**

f. The report should contain a conclusion, where you need to include the following things:

- Evaluation of your work,
- Reflection on what you learnt from the assignment,

- What difficulties you encountered and
- How you overcame the difficulties.

[4 marks]

The report should include a title page (including your name and ID number), a table of contents (with page numbers), an introduction part that contains a brief about your work and a listing of the code (in an appendix). Marks will also be awarded for the quality of writing and the presentation of the report.

[3 marks]

Viva

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Marking Scheme

Marking criteria		Marks
A.	Coding Part	60 Marks
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Creating Course Class 2. Creating Academic Class 3. Creating Nonacademic Class 4. Program Style 	<p>10 Marks</p> <p>20 Marks</p> <p>20 Marks</p> <p>10 Marks</p>
B.	Report Structure and Format	40 Marks
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Class Diagram 2. Pseudocode 3. Method Description 4. Test-1 5. Test-2 6. Test-3 7. Test-4 8. Error Detection and Correction 9. Conclusion 10. Overall Report Presentation/Formatting 	<p>5 Marks</p> <p>10 Marks</p> <p>5 Marks</p> <p>2 Marks</p> <p>2 Marks</p> <p>2 Marks</p> <p>4 Marks</p> <p>3 Marks</p> <p>4 Marks</p> <p>3 Marks</p>
Total		100 Marks