Computer Modeling and Simulation - CS4041

General Information

Course Code: CS 4041

Course Title: Computer Modeling and

Simulation

Total Credits: 3

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Grade Distribution:

Assignments (around 3): 5%

Presentations and Reports): 5%

Quizzes (weekly): 10%

Sessional-1: 15%

Sessional-2: 15%

Finals: 50%

Reference Books:

Introduction to Computational Science: Modeling and Simulation for the Sciences by Angela B. Shiflet, George W. Shiflet

Course Policies:

a. Grading Policy:

Relative (InterQuartile Range) method will be used for grading.

b. Attendance Policy:

Minimum 80% attendance is required for appearing in final exams. Anyone joining class later than 20 minutes will be marked absent.

c. Grades Distribution:

Assignments: 10%

Quizzes: 10%

Sessional Exams: 30%

Final Exam: 50%

Reference Books:

• Introduction to Computational Science: Modeling and Simulation for the Sciences by Angela B. Shiflet, George W. Shiflet

• Modeling and simulation fundamentals: theoretical underpinnings and practical domains by Sokolowski, J. A., & Banks, C. M.

Course Learning Outcomes:

- 1. Understand basic concepts of Computer Modeling and Simulation
- 2. Apply different modeling and simulation techniques to different types of real-world systems
- 3. Analyze the results of simulation by using simulation tools
- 4. Model uncertainty and randomness using different techniques

Course Outline:

| Week | Topics |
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| 1 | Course Orientation, Introduction to Computer Modelling and Simulation, Types of model, Types of Simulation |
| 2 | Agent Based Modeling and Simulation |
| 3 | Models from Netlogo Models Library |
| 4 | Cellular Automata |
| 5 | Continuous Simulation: Unconstrained Growth Model |
| 6 | Sessional-1 |
| 7 | Runge-Kutta 4, Constrained Growth Model |
| 8 | Competition, Predator-Prey Model |
| 9 | Spread of Infectious diseases - SIR Model |
| 10 | Lipsitch Model of SARS |
| 11 | Sessional-2 |
| 12 | Discrete Event Simulation: Queueing Model |
| 13 | Discrete Event Simulation using SimPy |
| 14 | Monte Carlo Simulation |
| 15 | Applications of Monte Carlo Simulation |
| 16 | Random Walk, Psuodorandom Number Generator |