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Introductory Summary

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Schedule .../~bruceb/schedule/spring24.html

### About the course

A lot of information on the class web page(s)! The most important concepts we will cover in this course: The C Programming Language, Unix system interaction, Networking, and Unix systems programming.

#### Useful links

Syllabus .../~bruceb/cs270/Syllabus/spring24.pdf

Coding

- Guidelines .../~bruceb/General/codeStyle.html

- Requirements .../~bruceb/cs270/cs270\_prog\_assignments.html

## Grading

The letter grade you receive from the course will be determined as follows:

A 90% - 100% B 80% - 89.9% C 70% - 79.9% D 60% - 69.9% F 0% - 59.9%

# **Major Topics**

- LATEX
- C
- Debugging
- Unix: Commands, file system, shells
- Shell Programming
- Scripting Languages Python / Perl
- Networking
- C Programming Tools
- Systems Programming

"You're seeing a lot more cases where people can afford to use C, instead of using assembly language."

- Bill Gates, 1986

http://programmersatwork.wordpress.com/bill-gates-1986/

Omikeash, January 10, 2011

To be a good C programmer, one must fear it properly. Not too little, nor too much. Healthy respect, both for its capabilities and faults.

Review of Programming in C

http://i.imgur.com/pAy4z.png

Review of Learn C The Hard Way

http://c.learncodethehardway.org/ - gone, search for it

Banned C standard library functions in Git source code

https://github.com/git/git/blob/master/banned.h

from: https://twitter.com/nixcraft/status/1165797437199376384?s=11

Low-Level Programming - C, Assembly, and Program Execution https://www.apress.com/gp/book/9781484224021