

CPT204 – Lecture 0
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CPT204 Advanced Object-Oriented Programming

Lecture 0

Introduction & Course Logistics

Hi all !



- Welcome to CPT204 Hyflex Edition!
- I am Erick, your instructor
- I hope you all are safe and healthy !

- As you know, the campus is closed for 1 week for pandemic mitigation
 - so we will have to do online lecture and online labs
- In week 2, we have on-site lecture but *online-only labs*
- Starting from week 3, we plan to have *both* on-site and online lectures and labs
 - you may choose to attend on-site or online with Zhumu
 - in addition, recordings will be made available
- Please continue to read this guide ...

Course Goals and Prerequisites

- We're going to learn how to:
 - Write code efficiently
 - Design, build, test, and debug large programs
 - Use programming tools e.g. IntelliJ, JUnit
 - Write good code
 - Correct
 - Easy to understand for other programmers
 - Ready to be changed in the future
 - Write efficient code
 - Good algorithms
 - Good data structure
- Assume solid foundation in programming fundamentals (CPT104, CPT105)
 - Basic OOP, recursion, big O notation, stacks, queues, lists, trees, ...

Where to Get Information ?

- Learning Mall
 - Announcement, Lecture and Lab materials
 - Discussion Forum
 - In-class Quizzes
 - Lab Exercises
 - Theory Quizzes
 - Programming Exercises
- Office Hour and Email
 - only for private matters
- Optional Textbooks
 - Object-Oriented Problem Solving Java by Ralph Morelli, Ralph Walde
 - Effective Java by Joshua Bloch

Teaching Team and Schedule



- Instructor : Erick Purwanto
 - erick.purwanto@xjtlu.edu.cn SD545 Thursday 14.00-16.00
- Teaching Assistants :
 - Kai, Ruben, Xue, Yuanying, Yue, Yida
- Online Weeks
 - Online Lectures: Tuesday 13-15/16-18
 - Online Labs: materials in Learning Mall, released Thursday/Friday
- Hyflex Weeks
 - Lectures: Tuesday 13-15/16-18, SC169
 - Labs: Friday 15-16/16-17/17-18, SD554/SD546

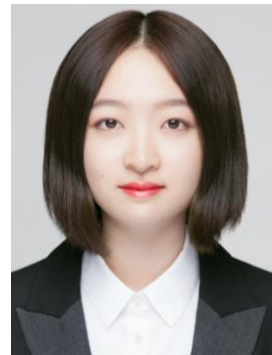
Teaching Assistant

- Kai Yao
 - His research interest is Deep Learning based Computer Vision
 - His current work is Dense Instance Segmentation and Classification
- Ruben Ng
 - His research interest is Information Visualisation and Explainable AI
 - His recent work is Visual Explainable AI for Biochip Classification Interfaces



Teaching Assistant

- Xue Wang
 - Her research interests are about Electrical and Electronics
 - She is currently working on Differential Power Processing Converter in PV and Solid-state Circuit Breaker
- Yuanying Qu
 - Her research interest is on Integrated Detection System of Acoustic Wave
 - Her recent work is Indoor Human-centered Acoustic Recognition and Detection



Teaching Assistant

- Yue Hu
 - His research interest is Computer Vision, Object Recognition, Data Science, and Financial Computing
 - He is currently working on Multimodal feature fusion, Object recognition based on Radar and LiDAR Sensor
- Yida Yin
 - His research interest is Machine Learning and Data Science
 - His current work is the application of Neural Network in Finance Analysis



Assessment

1. Coursework : 50%
 - Coding Exam
 - in last Lab session, details TBA
 - Related to weekly Lab Exercise and Programming Exercise
2. Final Exam : 50%
 - Theory and Programming
 - in Exam Hall/Lab, details TBA

How do you learn?

- Learn **some** from
 - Listening to lectures
 - Reading the materials
- Learn **more** from
 - Trying out the codes from lectures and readings yourself
 - Discussing them with your friends / in forum
 - Doing the lecture and lab exercises
 - Doing the theory quiz + programming exercises
 - Experiment on your own
- You are encouraged to discuss the exercises with your study group
 - But write the code *yourself* !

Lab Exercises

- Not graded, but will be related to Coding Exam
- Closed in 1 week
- Weekly lab exercise:
 - Attempts allowed: 1
 - Must pass **all** test cases
 - No penalty
 - Unlimited Checks
- Solution is available after closing
- Will be discussed in the slides (online) / by TAs (hyflex in labs)
 - but you should first try to solve it on your own!
- Can be discussed in Discussion Forum

Programming Exercise and Theory Quiz

- Not graded, but will be related to Coding Exam
- Closed in 1 week
- Weekly programming exercise:
 - Attempts allowed: 1
 - Must pass **all** test cases
 - First check: no penalty
 - Second check and so on: cumulative 15% penalty
- Theory quizzes:
 - Attempts allowed: 1
- Solution is available after the closing
- Ask about the question if it is not clear in forum
 - but **do not post** the solution code

Attending Lectures and Labs

- You will see explanation and sample codes in the slides
 - Various tools in Learning Mall
 - LMO In-class Quiz
 - LMO Autograded Quiz for Exercises (see Lab 1)
 - Copy paste the sample codes into IntelliJ IDE in your computer
 - Modify and run it, play with it yourself !
- Complete the slides
 - Print and scribble, or use a pdf annotation program
 - Recordings provided
- If you have further questions, post your questions in the LMO Forum

Challenges and Forum

- Challenges :
 - It's a challenging course with ambitious learning goals
 - We have a large cohort of ~ 400 students
 - We are *still* in the middle of a once-in-a-century pandemic

- Don't email, post your questions in the Discussion Forum



- You are also **encouraged** to **answer** your friends' questions
 - let us use forum to effectively answer your questions!
- Remember, **do not** post code or solution
 - it will ruin other students learning development

Discussion Forum and General Attitude

- We are all in this unpredicted and quite difficult situation now
- Please in posting in the forum or email, always remember to:
 - Be kind
 - Be patient
 - Be helpful
- In addition:
 - Search first, maybe your friend has asked the same thing before
 - Post in English, be specific, provide enough information
 - For example, don't just write that some error happens, but explain what did you do that might cause it, write the error message, OS/browser you use
 - Provide screenshot if necessary, but make sure it does not contain your code

Your Long-term Goals

- Not just good grade
- Job interview, graduate study, recommendation letter

Recommendation Rankings

Please rank the applicant in all categories listed below.

I am comparing this applicant to:

Knowledge in subject of proposed study <input type="text"/>	Intellectual ability/Problem solving <input type="text"/>	Ability to learn <input type="text"/>
Ability to work with others <input type="text"/>	Responsiveness to feedback <input type="text"/>	Originality/Creativity <input type="text"/>
Logic/Analytical/Mathematical ability <input type="text"/>	English written communication <input type="text"/>	English oral communication <input type="text"/>
Perseverance towards goals <input type="text"/>	Laboratory skills (for lab-related disciplines) <input type="text"/>	

Overall Recommendation

Recommendation Letter

In addition to the ratings above, the Duke University Graduate School requests a candid statement from you concerning this applicant. Please type the statement on official letterhead, if possible.

- Please explain in detail the applicant's accomplishments, abilities, character, and capacity for success as a graduate student in the proposed field of study.
- If the applicant's native language is not English, please comment on the applicant's English proficiency.

You may attach your recommendation letter below as a Word or PDF document.

Recommendation Letter
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Thank you for your attention !

- Next, please go to Lab 0 to install Java, IntelliJ, its plugin and libraries
- And then, go to Lecture 1 and start reading this week's material
- Finally, go to Lab 1 to start exploring our tools and do this week's programming exercises...

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