

Introduction to Lab week one day one

Please go over ALL Lab guidelines

Labs

1. **SPECIAL NOTICE:** This course will make use of a laboratory and assign relevant lab work and exercises. In order to participate in any of the course labs or other assignments (Attendance is required to earn a passing grade in this course)
2. You should attend one lab per week starting from the first week of classes.
3. Attendance is mandatory: Missing two labs will lead to dropping the class or removing from class final grade curving list.
4. Labs are NEVER cancelled (after tests/exams/etc). Only closing of GSU cancels labs.
5. Changing labs time will not be permitted.
6. Contacts information about TA/s responsible for labs will be posted at iCollege.
7. Your Lab grade will be assessed as 50% awarded for attendance cumulative of each Lab and 50% Work Submission.
8. Late lab assignments are not accepted!
9. If we cannot complete the assigned lab work for submission you will receive 12 - 24 hrs (depending on the complexity) to submit your work after the assigned lab day to the correct Dropbox

Lab Presentations

Explain –in details

All student will perform a lab presentation within the semester.

The expected time-frame will range between 3 -5 minutes.

The lab instructor will randomly request 2 students (to start per weeks as a measure to ensure the lab time is well used) & if change is needed**** You can possible create a two (2) groups of 2 each week to present their assigned lab solutions.

If we use the grouping method the students will be identified the week prior so they can work together.

Point's allocation system for grading the presentation

The students/audience who ask the presenter(s) the questions will be assessed across four consecutive levels which also represent the steps a student should use as a measure of progress throughout the semester.

Grading

Analytic rubrics using 4 levels the points will be allocated per level. The total points for each student will be compiled and a final grade will be assessed accordingly.

The levels are:

- 1) Fair- Demonstrate some Knowledge of topic, conventions, terminology.
- 2) Good - question takes on a fair and expected position, and is clear and coherent.
- 3) Very Good - Demonstrates considerable knowledge and Identifies different/additional arguments or concepts.
- 4) Excellent- Competent - Requires Re-thinking. Offers analyzes and evaluates major alternative points of view.