

## **Courses taken at University of Nebraska- Lincoln:**

### **1. CSCE 311: Data Structures and Algorithms (Python; 3 credits)**

#### **Syllabus:**

This is an introductory course to algorithms and data structures for students with diverse background interested in informatics. Foundational coverage of algorithms includes both problems (such as indexing, searching, sorting, and pattern matching) and methods (such as divide-and-conquer, dynamic programming, greedy, network flow and graph theory). Foundational coverage of data structures includes lists, tables, trees, graphs, and multidimensional arrays. Advanced topics will be studied in the context of informatics applications. Specifically, students will learn the fundamental ideas for how to efficiently analyze biological DNA sequence and images, and how to solve challenging problems in general informatics.

### **2. BIOS 428/828 Perl Programming for Biological Applications (3 credits)**

#### **Syllabus:**

This course teaches the student the basic skills of computer programming, using the Perl programming language. The Perl language is widely used in the biological sciences, and as such this course will use those domains to exemplify concepts learned during this course. Although Perl is especially prevalent in computational biology, bioinformatics, and genomics the course will demonstrate how Perl can be applied to a wider range of biological sciences (from the instructor's own experience), including but not limited to agronomy, ecology, ethology, and microbiology. It is understood that real expertise in programming comes with a lot of practice: this course will not make the student a highly skilled programmer but will lay a strong foundation in the general concepts and will demonstrate that it is relatively easy to use Perl for the student's (future) biological research topics where data processing and analysis is required.

## **Courses taken at South Dakota State University:**

### **3. STAT 541 Statistical Methods II**

#### **Syllabus:**

Simple and multiple linear regressions  
ANOVA for one or multiple factors  
Design of experiments  
Linear models with categorical data  
Models with categorical response variable

### **4. STAT 600 Statistical Programming**

#### **Syllabus:**

R programming  
Formatting  
Aggregation  
Loops  
Dynamic report generation (Sweave/Knitr)

External data sources  
SAS programming  
Defining and using macro variables and macros  
PROC SQL in Macros  
Graphing in SAS

## **5. STAT 601 Modern Applied Statistics I**

### **Syllabus:**

Introduction to Statistical Graphics and GGplot  
Logistic Regression I  
Generalized Linear Models  
Density Estimation  
Recursive Partitioning  
Generalized Additive Models and Spline Models  
Survival Analysis  
Longitudinal Data Analysis and Mixed Models  
Multiple Comparisons  
False Discovery Rates  
Simultaneous Inference  
Meta-Analysis

## **6. STAT 602 Modern Applied Statistics II**

### **Syllabus:**

Introduction to Statistical Learning  
Introduction to Classification  
Resampling Methods  
Model Selection  
“Moving Beyond Linearity”  
Tree- Based Methods  
Support Vector Machines  
ROC curves  
Clustering/Unsupervised Learning

**Courses taken at Microsoft training institute, Nepal (1 semester training):**

## **6. PHP/MySQL**

### **Syllabus:**

PHP Basics  
Flow Control  
Arrays  
PHP and HTML Forms  
String Manipulation  
Reusing Code and Writing Functions  
Simple SELECTs

Advanced SELECTs  
Subqueries, Joins and Unions  
Inserting, Updating and Deleting Records  
Managing Data  
MDB2  
Authentication with PHP and SQL  
Regular Expressions  
Session Control and Cookies  
Sending Email with PHP  
File System Management

## **7. ASP.NET**

### **Syllabus:**

Understand the development and deployment cycles of enterprise applications.  
Utilize the .NET framework to build distributed enterprise applications.  
Develop ASP.NET Web Services, secure web services, and .NET remoting applications.  
Understand the protocols behind web services.  
Understand the 3-tier software architecture (presentation/client tier, application tier, data tier) and develop multi-tier applications.  
Understand and experiment with the deployment of enterprise applications.