18-447: Computer Architecture Final Review Session

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A Note on 740, Research, Jobs

- I am teaching Advanced Computer Architecture next semester (Fall 2013)
 - Deep dive into many topics we covered
 - And, many topics we did not cover
 - Research oriented with an open-ended research project
 - Cutting edge research and topics in HW/SW interface
- If you are enjoying 447, you can take it
 - → talk with me
- If you are excited about Computer Architecture research or looking for a job/internship in this area
 - → talk with me

More on 740 in Fall 2013

- Lectures will be online
- Recitations will be in-person + online
- Office hours will be in-person + online
- All sessions will be recorded and posted online
- You are expected to be able to attend 3 hours out of 6 hours of the recitations

Course Evaluations (due May 13)

- Due May 13
- Please do not forget to fill out the course evaluations
 - http://www.cmu.edu/hub/fce/
- Your feedback is very important
- I read these very carefully, and take into account every piece of feedback
 - And, improve the course for the future
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 - State the things you liked, topics you enjoyed, and what we can improve on → both the good and the not-so-good

Final Exam

Final Exam: May 6

- May 6, 5:30-8:30pm, HH B103 (This room!)
- Comprehensive (over all topics in course)
- Three cheat sheets allowed
- We will have a review session (stay tuned)
- Remember this is 25% of your grade
 - I will take into account your improvement over the course
 - Know the previous midterm concepts by heart

Final Exam Preparation

- Homework 7
 - For your benefit
- Past Exams
 - This semester
 - And, relevant questions from the exams on the course website
- Recitation Session this week (Friday, May 3)
- Review Session
 - Ask questions on concepts

Extra Credit Honorees

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- Lab 2: Andrew Pfeifer
- Lab 3: Andrew Mort, Martin Gao, Xiao Bo Zhao, Andrew Pfeifer, Joseph Carlos, Albert Wang
- Lab 4: Xiao Bo Zhao, Gun Charnmanee, Martin Gao, Andrew Mort, Andrew Pfeifer, Eddie Sears, Albert Wang
- Lab 5: Andrew Pfeifer, Albert Wang
- Exam: Gun Charnmanee, Aditya Bhandaru
- Lab 6: None

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