

course_title: Introduction to Analysis of Algorithms

course_code: CS 4820/5820

semester: Spring 2022

instructor:

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day: Monday

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lectures:

days:

Monday

Wednesday

Friday

time: 9:05am-9:55am

location: Uris Hall G01

course_description: This course develops techniques used in the design and analysis of algorithms, with an emphasis on problems arising in computing applications. Example applications are drawn from systems and networks, artificial intelligence, computer vision, data mining, and computational biology.

learning_objectives:

Identify problems solvable with different algorithm design techniques

Analyze computational efficiency of algorithms

Recognize computationally intractable problems

Apply algorithmic techniques for intractable problems

Understand and implement famous algorithms

Write proofs and analyze algorithmic runtime

textbooks:

Algorithm Design by Jon Kleinberg and Eva Tardos

Introduction to Algorithms by T. Cormen, C. Leiserson, R. Rivest

Algorithms by S. Dasgupta, C. Papadimitriou, U. Vazirani

prerequisites:

CS 2800

CS 2110

CS 3110

grading:

components:

component: homework

weight: 35%

component: participation

weight: 5%

component: prelim 1

weight: 15%

component: prelim 2

weight: 15%

component: final exam

weight: 30%

collaboration_policy: Collaboration is allowed on problem-solving ideas but solutions must be written up independently and acknowledge collaboration.

late_submissions_policy:

late_days_allowed: 6

penalty_structure:

late_submission_hours: 0-12

penalty: 20%

late_submission_hours: 12-48

penalty: additional 20%

exceptions: Grades from a late submission count only if you have late days left.

academic_integrity_policy:

collaboration_guidelines: Collaborate on ideas, write up solutions independently, acknowledge collaborators.

admissible_resources: Only course materials and discussions allowed, no external resources permitted.

additional_information:

typesetting_requirements: Homework must be typeset and submitted as PDF.

inclusiveness_statement: Respectful communication and inclusive behavior are expected from all participants.

accommodations_policy: Students with disabilities should request accommodations within the first three weeks of the semester.