
**CS 597 – Special Topics: Information Retrieval
Schedule**

Date	Topic/Paper	Assignment Due
01/13	Intro to the course	
01/15	What is Information Retrieval? IR areas overview	
01/20	IR areas overview (cont.)	
01/22	IR areas overview (cont.)	
01/27	IR areas overview // Projects	
01/29	Web search introduction	
02/03		
02/05		
02/10	Project proposal presentations	
02/12		
02/17		
02/19		
02/24		
02/26		Term paper proposal
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03/24	Spring Break – No class	
03/26	Spring Break – No class	
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04/02		
04/07		
04/09		
04/14		
04/16		
04/21		
04/23	Final Project Presentation (cont.)	
04/28	Final Project Presentation (cont.)	
04/30	Final Project Presentation (cont.)	Final Paper due
05/07	Take-home final exam due by 5pm	