

# COMP7640

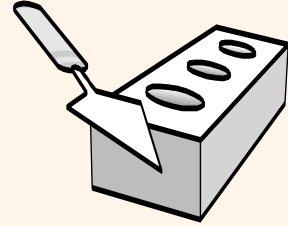
## *Database Systems and Administration*

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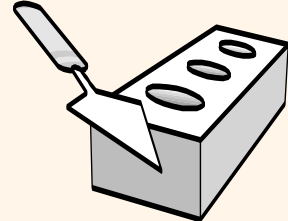
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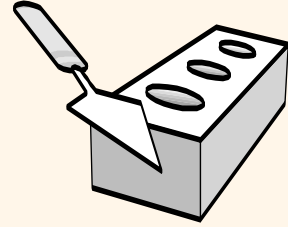
# *About the Course Instructor*

- ❖ Assistant Professor in the Dept. of CS, HKBU
  - Jan 2023 - Present
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# *In-class Rules*

- ❖ Turn off your cell phone or keep it on vibrate/ silent mode
- ❖ Keep listening, thinking, taking notes, ...
  - Interrupt me anytime if I'm speaking too fast/you don't understand the concept
- ❖ Try to work on the in-class exercises (but not simply wait for the answers).
- ❖ But **NO TALKING PLEASE!**
  - To respect your fellow students, instructor & yourself.
- ❖ Feel free to come to me in class breaks
  - Better to speak English as other students might not understand Mandarin or Cantonese



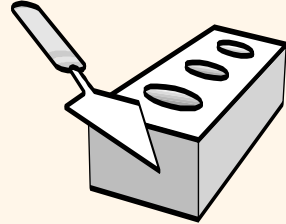
# *Out-of-class Q&A*

## ❖ Email correspondence

- Send your questions to TAs first as they are more responsive. Your questions will be forwarded to me if they can not resolve them.
  - TAs: Mr. ZHAO Yunxiang ([csyxzhao@comp.hkbu.edu.hk](mailto:csyxzhao@comp.hkbu.edu.hk)) and Mr. YI Lanjing ([cslyji@comp.hkbu.edu.hk](mailto:cslyji@comp.hkbu.edu.hk))

## ❖ In-person meetings/ discussions

- Office (DLB 644) Hours: 2:00 – 5:30 PM Tuesday
- Make an appointment with me first
- Better to come in group

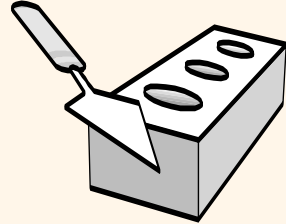


# Tentative Schedule:

*1<sup>st</sup> Week (Jan 16): 8:00-9:20 AM @ WLB 103*

*Other Weeks: Thu 6:30 PM-9:20 PM @ WLB 103*

Lecture	Date	Topic	Assignment	Project
Lecture 1	Jan 16	Introduction & ER Model	Assignment #1 Due: Feb 20	Group Project Release: Feb 20 Due: Apr 10
Lecture 2	Jan 23	ER & Relational Model		
Lecture 3	Feb 6	Relational Model		
Lecture 4	Feb 13	SQL		
Lecture 5	Feb 20	SQL		
Lecture 6	Feb 27	Functional Dependencies & Normalization		



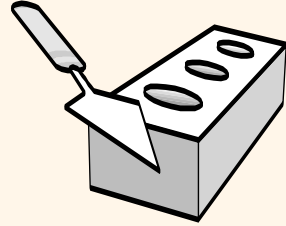
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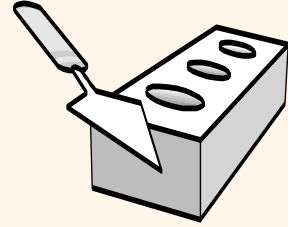
*Other Weeks: Thu 6:30 PM-9:20 PM @ WLB 103*

Lecture	Date	Topic	Assignment
Lecture 7	Mar 6	Storage Management & Access Methods	Assignment #2 Due: Mar 27
Lecture 8	Mar 13	Tree-based Index	
Lecture 9	Mar 20	Hash Index	Assignment #3 Due: Apr 24
Lecture 10	Mar 27	Query Evaluation	
Lecture 11	Apr 3	Query Optimization	
Lecture 12	Apr 10	Transaction Management & Concurrency Control	
Lecture 13	Apr 24	Crash Recovery	

# *Assessment*



- ❖ Continuous assessment: 40%
  - o 3 written assignments: 24% (8% for each assignment)
  - o Group project: 16%
    - o Form your group as early as possible
- ❖ Final exam: 60%



# *Group Project*

## ❖ Group Size:

- 4~6 members
- Each group should have a group leader

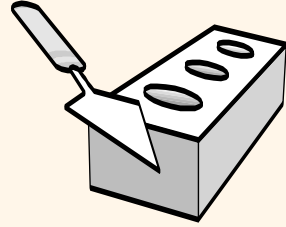
## ❖ Group Enrollment

- Start: 12:00 AM Feb 6
- Due: 11:59 PM Feb 27

## ❖ Each member of the same group will receive the same marks.

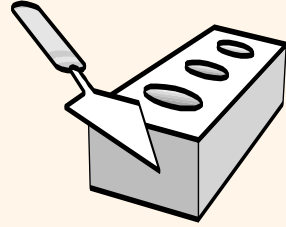


# Assessment Guides

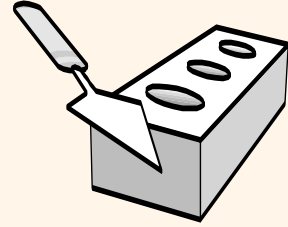


- ❖ Criterion-referenced assessment
  - Intended Learning Outcomes & Rubrics
- ❖ To pass this subject:
  - Final exam score must be  $\geq 30\%$
  - Overall score must be  $\geq 35\%$
- ❖ No LATE submission is accepted.

# ***BEWARE!!!***

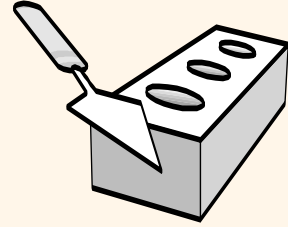


- Unless otherwise stated, all work submitted by you should be your own.
- Copying or sharing of assignments or any submitted work constitutes cheating.
- If there is any doubt about the appropriateness of your actions, please contact the instructor for explicit clarification.



# *Cost of Plagiarism*

- Plagiarism is an offense and will result in appropriate disciplinary action against those involved.
- Penalty will be applied indiscriminatingly among those who involve (the one who copy and the one being copied). The minimum penalty would be receiving zero mark for the submitted work.
- Please refer to the following URL for the university's guideline on penalizing plagiarism:  
<https://ar.hkbu.edu.hk/quality-assurance/university-policy-and-guidelines/academic-integrity/section-2-plagiarism>



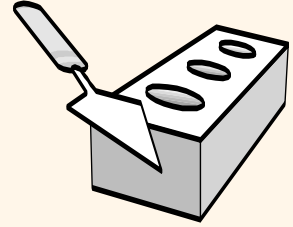
# *Usage of Generative AI*

## ❖ Proper Use of Generative AI

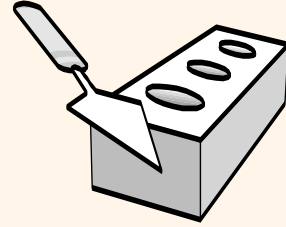
- explaining or clarifying concepts;
- demonstrating and guiding practices of techniques;
- planning and brainstorming on projects;
- giving feedback on drafts;
- generating samples for discussion and critical review.

University's guideline:

<https://bba.hkbu.edu.hk/academics/teaching-and-learning-supports>



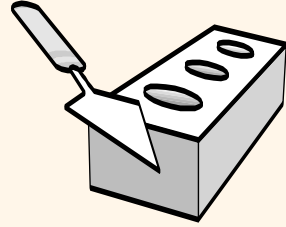
# *Overview*



# *What is a Database?*

- ❖ A database is a collection of data that is organized so that its contents can be easily accessed, managed, and updated.

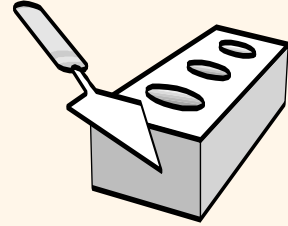




# *Why do we need a Database?*

- ❖ Submit a course add/drop form to AR.
- ❖ Pay tuition fees in Hang Seng Bank.
- ❖ Borrow the textbook from the library.
- ❖ Order the textbook from e-commerce websites.

# *Database is everywhere*

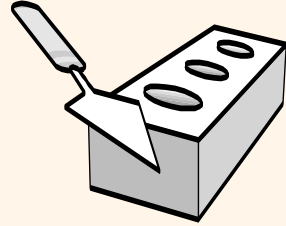


- ❖ Student/Course records
- ❖ Banking transactions
- ❖ Library book records (<http://www.hkbu.edu.hk/lib>)
- ❖ Online bookshop (<http://www.amazon.com/>)





# Example database



## Courses

cid	cname	credit
COMP2007	Program	3
COMP4017	Security	3
COMP2016	Database	3

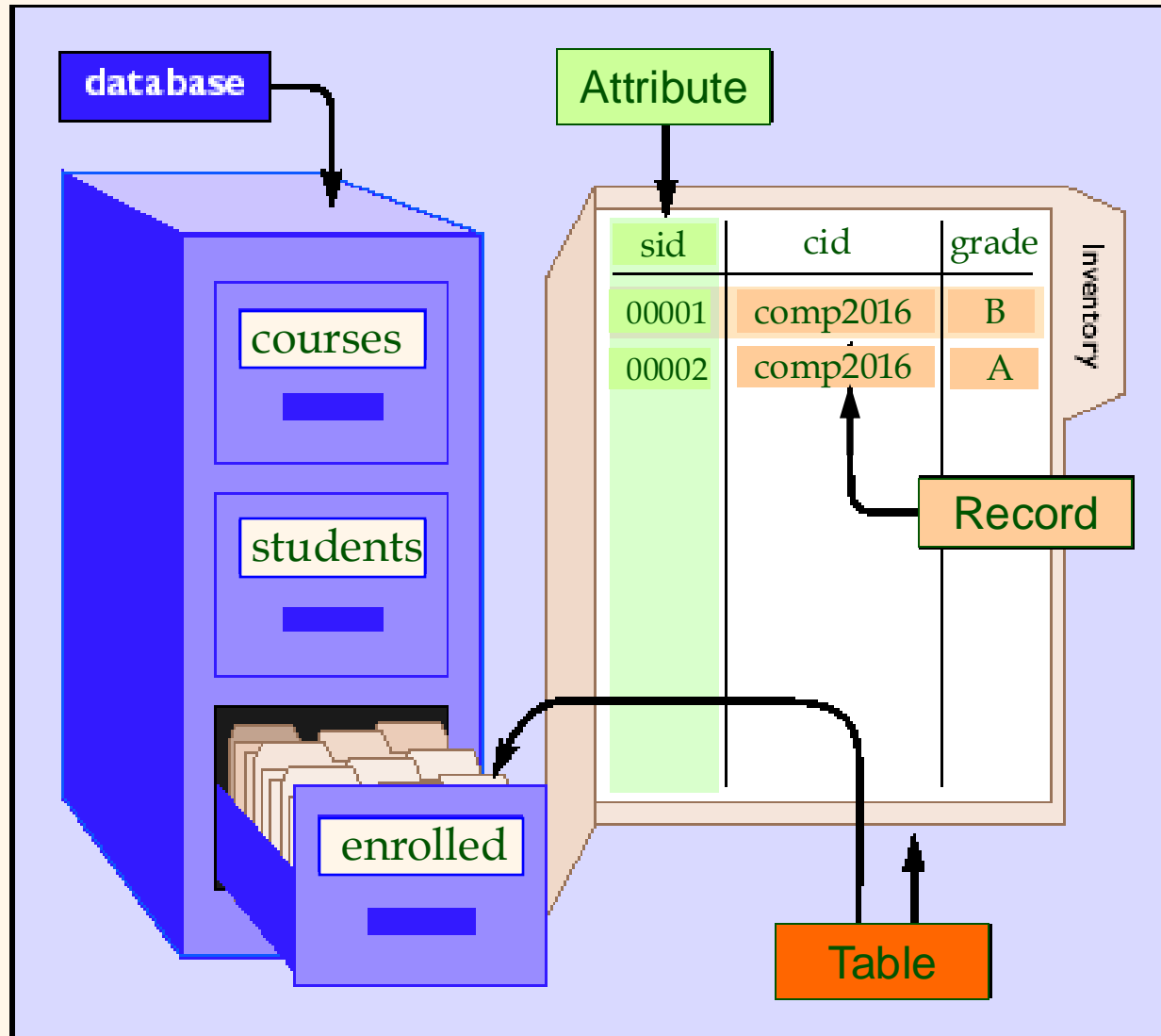
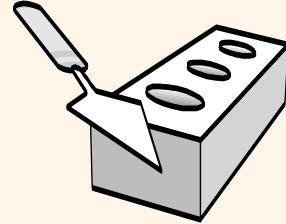
## Students

sid	name	dept	gpa
00001	Jones	cs	3.4
00002	Joe	cs	3.2
00003	Smith	math	3.8

## Enrolled

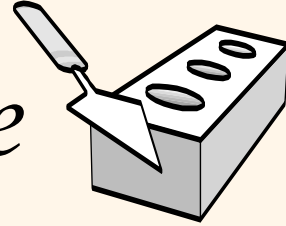
sid	cid	grade
00001	COMP2016	B
00002	COMP2016	A
00002	COMP2007	A
00003	COMP4017	B

# Database concepts



- ❖ A database consists of one or more tables
- ❖ Each table is made up of a number of records (a.k.a. tuples)
- ❖ Each record contains several attributes

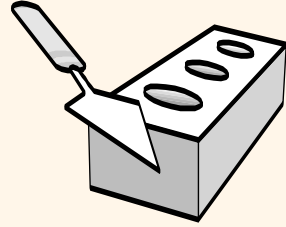
# *Extract information from a database*



- ❖ We can ask questions for a database. For example:
  - Who has student id '1001'?
  - Which courses has Bob taken?
  - How many students have enrolled in COMP7640?
  - How many female students are in DAAI program?
- ❖ But a database doesn't speak English...

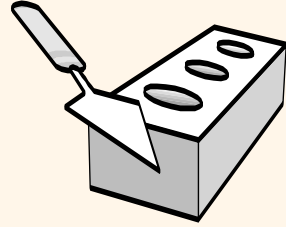


# *Database language (SQL)*



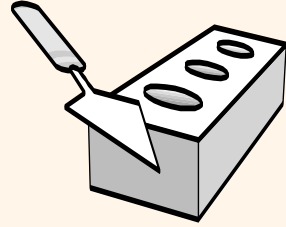
❖ Who has student id '1001'?

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SELECT  name  
FROM    Students  
WHERE    sid = '1001';
```



# Course Objectives

- ❖ To learn how to *manage* such a database. For example,
  - Design a database.
  - Query a database.
  - Disk and memory management
  - Access methods and indexing
  - Query evaluation and optimization
  - Concurrency control and crash recovery



# References

- ❖ A. Silberschatz, H. F. Korth, and S. Sudarshan, *Database System Concepts*, McGraw-Hill, 2019.
- ❖ R. Ramakrishnan and J. Gehrke, *Database Management Systems, 3rd Edition (ISBN 0-07-115110-9)*, McGraw-Hill, 2003.