

Introduction to Artificial Intelligence CSE 5290 Section 1

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Olin Physical Sciences 140

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Course Objectives

The students will be able to

- Describe concepts and topics in artificial intelligence.
- Use problem-solving heuristics and search algorithms in the analysis of artificial intelligence problems and algorithms.
- Design of basic AI algorithms in logical reasoning, constraints processing, uncertainty reasoning, and machine learning.
- Develop basic data analytics skill.
- Improve team skills via group projects.

Required Texts / Materials: S. Russell and P. Norvig, Artificial Intelligence: Modern Approach. Pearson, third ed., 2010, and other materials provided with lectures.

Required Training (if applicable): Data structures, algorithmic paradigms, asymptotic rates of growth, complexity analyses, and coding skill in any high-level language.

Tentative Grading Policy (including late work policy): Take-homes/Quizzes (5-10): 15%, Coding exercises/Project: 45-50%, Exams (3-4) 35-40%. [Submit early! A few minutes late for Internet connectivity, etc., may be excused, but do not take chance. Late submissions will be progressively penalized. Communicate with me in such cases, do not sit idle expecting a zero.]

Course Attendance Policy: Three consecutive absences will be reported.

Where to Find Extra Help: Google; Academic support center; Computer Science help desk; Any faculty member; and Especially, your colleagues – computer science learning happens mostly outside class.

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Anticipated Weekly Subject Matter and Assignment Schedule:

| | Weekly Topic | Assignment |
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| Week 1 | CS background | Pre-req quiz |
| Week 2 | Blind search algorithms | Background quiz |
| Week 3 | AI search algorithms | Grad projects assigned |
| Week 4 | Local search algorithms | Search quiz |
| Week 5 | Game search algorithms | |
| Week 6 | Logic and reasoning | Logic Quiz |
| Week 7 | First-order logic | Test-1 |
| Week 8 | Probabilistic reasoning and uncertainty | Grad projects phase-1 presentation/submission |
| Week 9 | Probabilistic reasoning | Probabilistic reasoning quiz |
| Week 10 | Machine learning (ML) | Test-2 |
| Week 11 | Machine learning | |
| Week 12 | Machine learning | ML quiz |
| Week 13 | Machine learning | Grad projects phase-2 presentation/submission |
| Week 14 | Constraint Reasoning | Test-3 |
| Week 15 | Student presentations | Grad projects final presentation |

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| Week 16 | Ethics in AI | |
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This schedule is subject to change at the instructor's discretion.

FINAL EXAM Information:

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Thursday, Dec. 16 3:30-5:30pm