ECE 146 Course Information Sheet

Course Web Site: https://ccle.ucla.edu/course/view/19S-COMSCIM146-1

All the course related material will be posted here. Make sure to check the class web site regularly for important updates and announcements.

Time & Place for Lecture: 10-11.50 am M-W, 3400 Boelter Hall

Time & Place for Discussions:

Discussion 1A: 10-10.50 am, Friday, 4413 Boelter Hall
Discussion 1B: 11-11.50 am, Friday, 4413 Boelter Hall
Discussion 1C: 12-12.50 pm, Friday, 3116 Rolfe Hall

Teaching Staff and Office Hours

Professor:

Lara Dolecek,
OH Monday 1-2 pm; Wednesday 1-2 pm
Eng. IV, 56-147B

Teaching Assistants:

Zehui (Alex) Chen	Ruiyi (John) Wu
OH Wednesday 2-4pm	OH Monday 2-4pm
Eng. IV 67-112 (TA Room)	Eng. IV 67-112 (TA Room)

Reader:
TBA

Textbook: *A Course in Machine Learning* by H. Daume

Textbook is freely available at : http://ciml.info/

For the most part, we will follow Daume's book. We will also use supplementary reading materials, which will be made available as needed.

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Introduction to Machine Learning   Course Information Sheet
Instructor: Lara Dolecek   4/1/2019

Grade breakdown (out of 100%):

Weekly Homework: 20%
Midterm: 35%
Final Exam: 45%

Important Dates:

Midterm: Wednesday 5/6/19 10-11.50 am (in class)

Final: Thursday 6/13/19 8 am – 11 am (place TBA)

Demo/Discussion: Additional demo problems will be provided to you to work on. Your TA will go over some of them in the discussion section. You don't have to turn in demo problems but you should use them for further practice.

Late Homework Policy: Solutions will be promptly posted online for you to access. Weekly homework is due weekly **at the beginning of the class**. No late homework will be accepted.

There are 8 homework assignments. Your lowest homework grade will be dropped.

Collaboration Policy: You should first attempt to solve each homework problem by yourself. If you get stuck, I encourage you to discuss the problem with fellow students, with the TAs, or with me.

Regrade Policy: If you request a regrade on any portion of your exam, your entire exam will be regarded, potentially resulting in losing points. All requests for regrade must be submitted within a week of the grading. No exceptions.

Make-up exam Policy: Death in family/severe illness require a proof for consideration. Let's hope none of that happens. In all other cases, no makeup exams allowed so please don't ask for it.

This is a fast paced class. Take the advantage of the resources available to you.

Good luck!