CS1136

Spring 2022

Course Overview

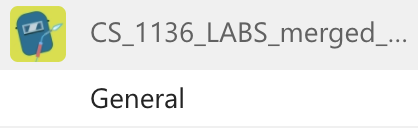
Welcome Everyone!

I hope this document will answer some of your questions, and help you understand how to access materials and assistance during the course.

Please see the **Course Information** folder on eLearning to find Important Information about the course.

I will use the **Course Homepage** to put new information, which I’ll use in addition to sending out course **announcements** for any new or changed information.

**Review all content in: Week 1 Module** on the Course Homepage

1. The primary location for all course information **is eLearning**
2. All Labs will be completed and **submitted on Zylabs platform.**
3. **MS Teams will be used for Office Hours and CS1136 Lab Assistance**  
   MS Team: **CS\_1136\_LABS\_merged\_S22**   
     
     
     
   If this team does not show up in your MS Teams account, email me and I’ll add you.   
     
   **After week 2, Do not** use the MS Team associated with your individual CS1136 Section, activity on those sections will not be monitored.

For Prof. Doore’s Office Hours:  
  
 [Office Hours use this link](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/team/19%3a17bbc9e2a6554a29bc03c828ae6fe1bb%40thread.tacv2/conversations?groupId=a96bed67-4c14-4f93-a8bd-93167c666b47&tenantId=8d281d1d-9c4d-4bf7-b16e-032d15de9f6c)

1. **Zybooks / Zylabs: Online Coding Platform**:   
   This lab will use an online code platform Zybooks, there are instruction on eLearning about how to sign-up for your subscription. The cost is $19.00*.*
2. **Zybooks Overview: Week 2** Discussion: We’ll discuss details about how to use the Zybooks platform for Labs.
3. Always make sure you’re aware there are 2 different versions of ZyLabs for CS1136: Lab A, Lab B. The ordering of content for labs 6-9 is different between these sections.
4. **Correctly set up your Zylabs through eLearning.**
5. **All Lab Assignments** are submitted using Zybooks platform. All labs are due on a Sunday evening at 10:00 pm. They will not be accepted after 11:59 pm.
6. **Lab Assistants** to provide help with the labs will not be available until the 3rd week of class, so the first lab is due the 4th week of class. You will access Lab Assistants using the MS Team: **CS\_1136\_LABS\_merged\_S22**
7. **Lab Assistants** will be available using **MS Teams and Discord**, I will send out an announcement when the schedule is posted along with the contact information for the course lab assistants and graders. (2-3 weeks).
8. **Discord: Starting Week 3**, there will be a Discord Server that will provide an easy way for students to communicate with each other about the course.  
   The lab assistants and graders will monitor Discord during the corresponding Lab session hours. Do not post any code on Discord, the goal is for you to learn to communicate about issues you may be having.
9. **New Programs:**
   1. **Supplementary Instruction:**   
      Weekly Seminar *(recorded)* Humanity++: Optimizing Life
   2. **UGTA – Undergraduate Teaching Assistants** will be providing lab assistance and will run small-group sessions during assigned lab sections
   3. **There will be mandatory participation** in small group sessions – Discussions managed by UGTA’s to discuss lab assignments along with special topics.
   4. 1 hr. small-group virtual discussion during scheduled lab time
   5. 10 points participation for each session: you are required to attend 7 of 10 sessions.