

COURSE TOPICS

- preliminaries natural deduction
- operational semantics ~~and~~ dynamic (small step)
- static semantics
- type soundness : preservation & progress
- type systems
- simply typed lambda calculus.
- type checking and inference
- polymorphism
- subtyping
- co-inductive types
- simulation & bisimulation
- denotative semantics of type safety.
- model checking
- automata and timed automata.
- temporal logics ~~model~~.
- model checking.
- specification of safety and liveness properties.
- tools: spin and upaal.

TEXT BOOKS

- Pierce et. al.
Software Foundations
- Berard et. al.
Systems & Software verification.

PREFACE

sw foundations \Rightarrow mathematical underpinnings of reliable software.

- basic concepts of logic
- computer-assisted theorem proving
- Coq proof assistant
- functional programming
- operational semantics
- logics for reasoning about programs.
- static type systems.

- functional programming
 - constructive logic
 - Coq proof assistant
- } this book does this.

techniques for improving sw reliability:

- extreme programming ... (project management)
- mvc, pub-sub, ... (design philosophy)
- oop, aop, fp, ... (prog. lang.)
- math. techniques to specify & reason about sw, + tools for helping.

- ① basic tools from logic for making and justifying precise claims about programs.
- ② use of proof assistants to construct rigorous logical args.
- ③ functional programming, both as a method of programming that simplifies reasoning about programs and as a bridge between programming and logic.

tools

- ① automated theorem provers SAT solvers, SMT solvers, model checker.
- ② proof assistants.