

#### Overview

- Teaching Method
- A summary of topics to be studied in FIT2094

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#### **Teaching Method**

- Your peers help you to understand the concepts through discussion.
- Lecture includes a series of discussions on concepts.
- The lecturer guides the discussion.

Peer Instruction



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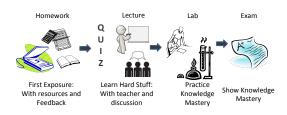
# **Traditional** Teaching Method



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Peer Instruction – Full Picture



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## Discussion Questions – Scenario

- Lecturer shows a question.
- Student answers using the response system. (no discussion – individual vote).
- If uncertainty
  - Group discussion (2-3 students) need to get a consensus.
  - Student answers using the response system (group vote – everyone in the group still needs to vote).
  - · Class wide discussion.

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#### Why The Scenario?

- Pose carefully designed question
  - Solo vote: Think for yourself and select answer
    - Checks your understanding and create an opinion to base your discussion during the group discussion, if needed.
  - If needed
    - Discuss: Analyze problem in teams of 2-3
      - Practice analyzing, talking about challenging concepts
      - Reach consensus
      - Group vote: Everyone in group votes
      - You must all vote the same
      - Convince your group or get convinced by your group.
    - Class wide discussion.



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# Let's Practice

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#### **Using MARS**

- 1. Visit http://mars.mu on your internet enabled device
- 2. Log in using your Authcate details (not required if you're already logged in to Monash)
- 3. Touch the + symbol
- 4. Enter the code for your unit: F5CQAT
- 5. Answer questions when they pop up.

#### Multiple choice questions

Q1:1+1=?

Hint: There are 10 types of people in this world. Those who understand binary and those who don't.

- a. 2
- b. 10
- c. 1'
- d. Not sure

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#### **Text-based poll**

**Q2**: Write the name of your favourite fruit.

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# Q3. What database management systems are you familiar with?

- a. Oracle
- b. MySQL
- c. MS Access
- d. SQL Server
- e. others
- f. I am not familiar with any database management systems.

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# Is it bad to get it WRONG? NO It is better to be WRONG and understand why you are WRONG, rather than, getting the RIGHT answer but NOT knowing WHY it is the RIGHT answer!

### Why Peer Instruction?



- Learn/practice hard concepts in class
- Build and test one's understanding in a supportive environment.
- Develop critical thinking, communication and reflection skills.
- Engage students to take ownership of their learning.

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# Things are different...

- Pre-lecture activities are crucial.
  - Your lecture experience will depend on your preparation.
- Attending lectures is very important
- · My lecture slides are NOT your notes!
  - Create your own notes during pre-lecture reading.
  - Annotate difficult concepts, revisit the annotation after lecture/tutorials.
  - It is better not to take notes during lecture. You should be prepared before the lecture, then think, discuss and ask questions during lectures.

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#### **Study Program** No formal assessment or activities are undertaken in week 0 PART I: The Relational Model Introduction to Database **Belational Model** Pre-lecture Quiz Questions due weekly prior 5% to the lecture (Weeks 2 to 11) PART II: Database Design Conceptual model - E/R Diagram Logical model - E/R Transformation Normalisation Database Design Language (DDL) PART III: The SQL Database Assignment 1 due 20% Language Data Manipulation Language (DML) SQL II SQL III Assignment 2 due 10% PART IV: Web Database Implementation Database Connectivity and Web Technologies - Querying data 15% Web Technologies - Manipulating SQL Test MONASH University





#### Overview

 An overview of relational database management systems (RDBMS)

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#### Let's travel back to 1960s

- Relational databases do not exist yet
- Let's create a database to record the information on Monash students
  - What kind of approaches do we have?
  - What kinds of problems are involved?

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· Developed at IBM

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1974: SQL

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#### 1970: Relational model

- An IBM scientist
- · Proposed and developed the relational model
- · Also proposed normalisation forms
- · Resistance from IBM to implement his model
- Turing award (1981)
- Relational model in week 2
- Normalisation in week 5
- E. F. Codd, "A Relational Model of Data for Large Shared Data Banks", Comm. Of ACM, 1970

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E.F Codd (1923-2003)

 D Chamberlin, R Boyce, "SEQUEL: A structured English query language", ACM SIGFIDET, 1974

· Initially called SEQUEL (Structured

implementation of SQL in 1979

• Oracle: the first commercially available

English QUEry Language) · Doesn't strictly follow Codd's theory

• SQL in weeks 7, 8, 9 & 10



Donald Chamberlin (1944-)



(unknown - 1974)

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#### 1976: Conceptual model

- Proposed Entity-Relationship Model (ER diagram)
- A systematic process to design a relational database
- · Database design process in week 3 & 4
- Peter Chen, "The entity-relationship model—toward a unified view of data", ACM TODS, 1976



Peter Chen (1947 - )

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#### 1979: Oracle

- · Inspired by Codd's ideas
- · First commercial release in 1979
- Most popular RDBMS
- Introduced PL/SQL in 1988 (Procedural Language/SQL)

• Oracle SQL in week 7, 8, 9 & 10



Larry Ellison (1944 - )

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#### 1981: Transactions management

- Introduced transaction management
- Turing award (1998)
- Presumed lost at sea in 2007
- Transaction management in week 8
- Jim Gray, "The Transaction Concept: Virtues and Limitations", VLDB, 1981



Jim Gray (1944 - )

# Data management Today

- Relational databases are still very popular. But ...
  - Social Networks (Facebook, Twitter, Foursquare etc.)
  - Multimedia data (YouTube, Pinterest, Facebook etc.)
  - Data streams (Twitter, computer networks)
  - · Spatial data (Road networks, Google Earth, Space etc.)
  - · Textual data
  - Web data
  - Big Data
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