### Department of Computer Science and Software Engineering

Topic	Practical Assignment 4		
Assignment Type	☑ Assessed ☑ Non-assessed ☑ Individual ☐ Group		
Module	CSE101 Computer Systems		
Due Date	December 6 <sup>th</sup> , 2017 (Wednesday)		

### 1. Assignment

Write a program in assembly that:

- 1. Read a string of your name in English or Chinese PinYin, e.g. "Alan Turing".
- 2. Loop and store each character onto a stack.
- 3. Output and display your name in reverse, e.g. "gniruT nalA".
- 4. Output and display the length of the string (including whitespaces).
- 5. Display a message when the program successfully completes.

### 2. Learning Outcome

- 1. To understand the components of a computer system, their functions, and interactions.
- 2. To develop inline assembly programming skills.

## 3. Requirements and Assessment

Your program MUST be developed using Visual C++ inline assembly language.

- 1. Your program can compile and run. (10 marks)
- 2. Correctly accepts a string input and can then display that string in reverse using a stack. (10 marks)
- 3. Correctly display the length of the string (including whitespaces). (5 marks)
- 4. When the program successful completes, display the message "End of program". (5 marks)
- 5. Well-commented, stapled program listing for your solution. (70 marks)

### 4. Sample Output

A sample output from the program is shown below.

```
Please enter your name: Alan Turing
Your name in reverse: gniruT nalA
The length of your name is 11
End of program.
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# 5. What to do during the assessment upon the due date?

- 1. Sign for attendance at the pre-scheduled assessment timeslot.
- 2. Demonstrate and explain to the lab demonstrator that your program works for the problem assigned.
- 3. Hand in a well-commented, stapled program listing with the module title and your name/student number shown on the title page. Your program listing should not exceed 8 pages.
- 4. You must also sign and declare non-plagiarism.

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