CSCI3100 Tutorial 1: Project Introduction

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Objective

 Practice what you are learning in this CSCI3100 Software Engineering course by designing, implementing, testing, and documenting a modern Web based clientserver application.

Modern Application













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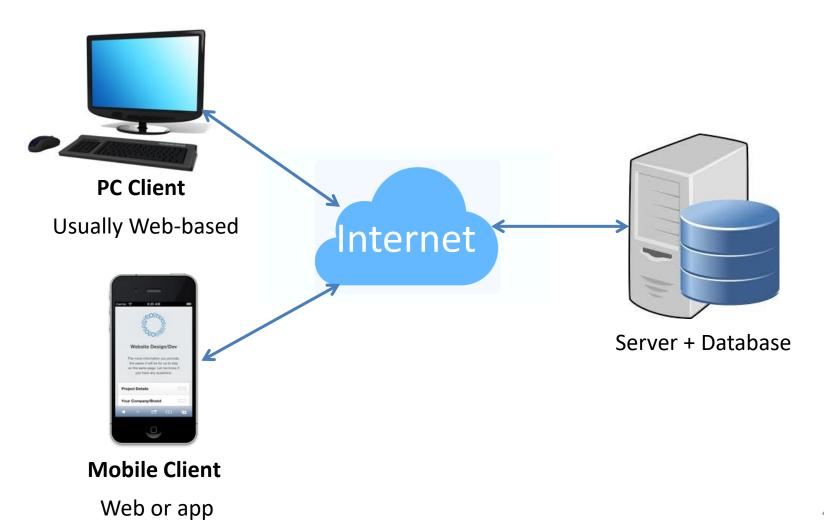








Common Architecture



Important Stats

- Project accounts for 40% of the course grade.
- There are 4 phases in the project.

Phase Deliverables	Weightings
Project Design Document	10%
Initial Code	10%
Final Code and Demo	50%
Final Report and Commented Code	30%

Project Topic

- You define your own project topic.
- In specification, we define "basic functions" and "advanced functions" for your project.
- Basic functions: functions that your project must have.
- Advanced functions: functions that are optional for your reference.
- You are recommended to enhance your project with other fancy functions.

Phase 0: Forming Project Team

- 5 students for each group. A team with <5 students may be assigned partners randomly.
- All students in a group work on the same project for the entire project duration.
- No joint work over any technical aspects of the project is allowed between any two teams.
- Each project group will be assigned to one tutorial section for the relevant project phase presentations.
- Deadline: Jan 22 (Fri.)

Phase 1: Project Design Document

- Duration: 5 Weeks (19 Feb 23:59:59 pm)
- Grade Weighting: 10%
- Submit a project preliminary design document to provide high-level descriptions on functionalities, features, and architecture design of your application.
- Project background, architecture diagram, brief descriptions of the system components and UML diagrams should be provided.

Phase 1: Project Design Document

- Feedbacks will be provided on your project preliminary design. Students should reconsider and possibly revise the project goals.
- More details are in Appendix 1 (e.g., outline of the document).

Phase 2: Initial Code

- Duration: 4 weeks (23:59:59 19 Mar)
- Weighting: 10%
- Submit your initial code. The initial code may consist of ALL major class definitions, interfaces and member function prototypes.
- The implementation is NOT the primary concern.
- Evaluate your project design and make sure your project is in right direction.

Phase 3: Completed Code and Demo

- Duration: 4 weeks
 - Code submission: 23:59:59 14 Apr
 - Demo Day: 15 & 16 Apr (two days)
- Weighting: 50%
- Submit your completed code of the project, which should be self-contained and working properly.
- You need to make a demonstration after the submission of the final code. (15 min for each group)
- Signup schedule for demonstration will be announced in the course website.

Phase 4: Final Report and Commented Code

- **Duration:** 2 weeks (23:59:59 30 Apr)
- Weighting: 30% (Important!)
- Submit a final report and commented code of your project.
- In addition to detailed project description, the final report should also show what software engineering techniques you have applied in the project, and what lessons you have learned.

Phase 4: Final Report and Commented Code

 More details are in Appendix 1 (e.g., outline of the document, requirement for each Section).

Grading Criteria

- Demo: Market-based: more impressive systems receive higher grades.
- Reports: based upon the technical content and the clarity of the presentation.
- Final code: based upon the modular structure, comments, and cleanness.
- The overall quality and functionality of the project is the key scaling factor for all aspects.

Grading Criteria

- Project grade will be based for the whole team and will NOT be assigned individually to members.
- However, complaints about free-riders will be considered during project development and will be verified in Demo Day.

Submission (report)

- Each project group should submit the softcopy of the report and the VeriGuide recipient to Blackboard before the deadlines.
- 1 Project Initial Design softcopy (phase 1, 5-10 pages) + 1 Final Report softcopy (phase 4, 30 or more pages)
- File names (Important!):
 - "Group** Project Initial Design Report"
 - "Group** Project Initial Design Report VeriGuide"
 - "Group** Final Report"
 - "Group** Final Report VeriGuide"

(replace ** with your **group ID**) (without quotes)

Submission (code)

- ALL project stuff (source code, images, databases files, etc.) should be conducted by the version control system (Git).
- You MUST submit your project to GitHub and faithfully record your coding activities.

Submission (code)

- You are required to create a GitHub repository and submit the HTTPS URL or SSH URL of your repository to the Google form https://forms.gle/8W8GYhDwEyctBT716 before 23:59:59, 17 March (two days before Phase 2 due).
- We will pull the latest code on the due date of Phase 2, Phase 3, and Phase 4.

Submission (code)

- We will NOT accept submissions via other approaches.
- We will NOT help you debug your code.
- A detailed guide for code submission is in Appendix 2.

Requirement: Technical

Frontend: Web based access.

The server-side program is recommended to be built on Node.js. PHP, or Django is also acceptable.

Why node :?

- ①High-Performance
- ②Easy to modify and maintain









Requirement: Technical

Backend: Database.

SQL database (e.g., MySQL, or Sqlite), or NoSQL database (e.g., MongoDB, or Redis) MUST be employed for storing data.



Requirement: Programming

 Encouraged to employ various well-known technologies and tools (e.g., AJAX, Vue.js).



Requirement: Programming

 Please note that designing static HTML web pages is not programming.

 Project tutorials will cover related techniques and tools, such as JavaScript, AJAX, CCS3, HTML5, Node.js, Bootstrap, etc.

Requirement: Documentation

 One key purpose of this course is that you learn how to do modular design of software and how to document the design using symbolic representations, i.e., UML diagrams.

 The templates are available in the appendix of the project specification.

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Tutorial Schedule

Week	Date	Tutorial	Topics	Task
1	1/11~1/13		Tutorial policies, schedule, and session assignment	Read tutorial procedure
2	1/18~1/20	Р	PJ1: CSCI3100 Project introduction, requirement, and demonstration	Project assigned (1/18), HW1 assigned
3	1/25~1/27	Р	PJ2: Client side technologies (HTML5, JavaScript)	
4	2/1~2/3	Н	HW1 demo (Lecture Topic 1-3)	HW2 assigned
5	2/8~2/10	Р	PJ3: Server side technologies (Node.js, AWS, Database)	HW1 due (2/7)
6	2/15~2/17		No Class/Tutorial	Lunar New Year vacation Project design document due (2/19)
7	2/22~2/24	Н	HW2 demo (Topic 4 Software Spec – Data Flow Diagram, FSM)	HW3 assigned
8	3/1~3/3	Р	PJ4: Advanced technologies I (Vue.js, Angular)	HW2 due (2/28)
9	3/8~3/10	Н	HW3 demo (Topic 4 Software Spec – Petri Net, ER Diagram, and Logic Specification)	HW4 assigned
10	3/15~3/17	Р	PJ5: Advanced technologies II (Android)	HW3 due (3/14) Initial code due (3/19)
11	3/22~3/24	Н	HW4 demo (Topic 5 Software Design – TDN, GDN, and Refinement)	HW5 assigned
12	3/29~3/31		No Class/Tutorial	HW4 due (3/28) Reading Week & Easter Holiday
13	4/5~4/7		No Class/Tutorial	Reading Week & Easter Holiday
14	4/12~4/14	Н	HW5 demo (Topic 5 Software Design – UML, Programming Technique)	Completed Code due (4/14) Demo day (4/15 and 4/16) HW6 assigned
15	4/19~4/21	Н	HW6 demo (Topic 6 Software Verification)	HW5 due (4/18) 25

Demo: Selected Previous CSCI3100 Projects