

**SI SESSION PLAN**

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| SI Leader: | Alex Iacob | Session Date: | 11/14/21 |
| Week #: | 13 | Session Letter: | A |
| Course & Section: | CSCI 141 Section 3 | Course Instructor: | Steele |
| Planning Date: | 11/14/21 | Planning Time: | 10:00 – 10:15 |

**Beginning reminders:**

1. Is the room set up in a way conducive to collaborative learning?
2. Is the agenda posted to the board for participants to see?
3. Do you have your attendance sheet up to record your attendance?
4. Do you have any other documents/resources up and ready to go for your session?

If you are all set with the reminders, then go have fun and good luck!

**Main concepts student should feel more comfortable with:**

* Trees

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| **Topics to cover** | **Process to use\*:** | **Time** |
| **Opener:** Announcements | Exam 2 grades should be up  Post PSS for Lab 8 due tonight  Lab 8 due next Tuesday  No HW this week | 3-5 |
| Discuss exam | Ask everyone how they felt about the exam because Prof. Steele held a short post exam review about the contents of the exam. I have already looked over my own exam and fixed errors that I made during the exam so I can better | 15-20 |
| Sneak peek at trees | I am just going to read over the lecture notes and give some examples about trees and whatnot as a sneak-peek. | 15 - 20 |
| **Closer:** | The co-op process. I predict that the material for this session will be pretty short so I want to talk about what it was like applying to co-ops and the interviewing process. | Remaining time |

*\*Possible processes: puzzles, informal quiz, think-pair-share, paired problem solving, graphic organizers, cheat sheets, collaborative questioning, student summaries, reviewing notes, work at the board, vocabulary…*

**Ending reminders:**

1. Did you check everyone in?
2. Did you remind everyone of the next session and any upcoming tests or quizzes or due dates?

**What closing tips/strategies would you like to emphasize through sessions this week?** Please be specific.

* When applying for co-ops, you can always start off by cold-applying, just throw your resume at as many companies you can initially, but slowly work towards doing research on the companies and spending more time on each application.

**After session thoughts:** How did the session go? Is there anything you would like to keep/drop/change for next time and how?

* There was hardly any material to cover this week so I mainly just read over the lecture notes and gave my own short presentation about it. Afterwards we mainly talked about the co-op process as I am going to one next semester. I did make sure to mention that the earlier you start applying, the easier it will be later on.

**Bi-Weekly Question:** What is one thing that is working well during your sessions?

* It seems that just casually talking with my students not as a symbol of authority, but just as someone they can look up to. Doing so allows them to open up more about their struggles and life outside of class, which I think is pretty pleasant.