

# Department Course Page For Undergraduate Students



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Ever faced difficulties  
when finding a detailed  
view of a course?



# Problems With the Existing System

- Lesser details
  - No ILOs
  - No lecturers details
  - No reference books
  - No grade distribution
- Difficult to update
- Not much flexible
- Time consuming



# Background and Motivation

- [cs.umd.edu](https://cs.umd.edu)
- [continuingstudies.stanford.edu](https://continuingstudies.stanford.edu)



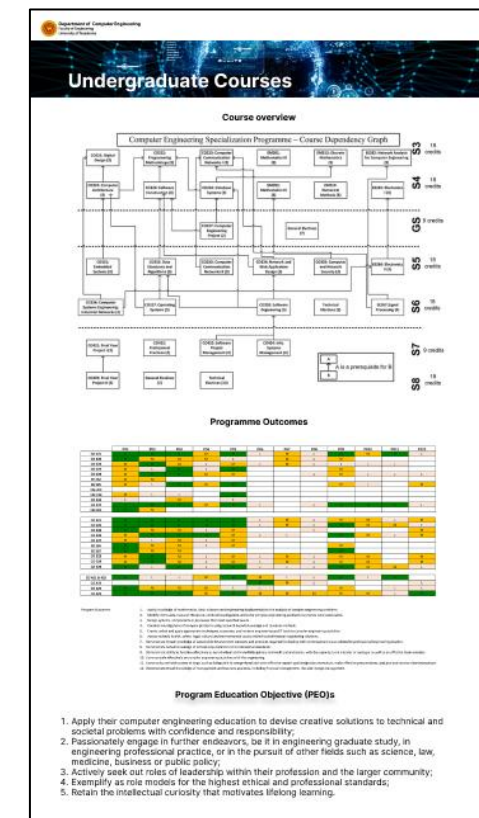
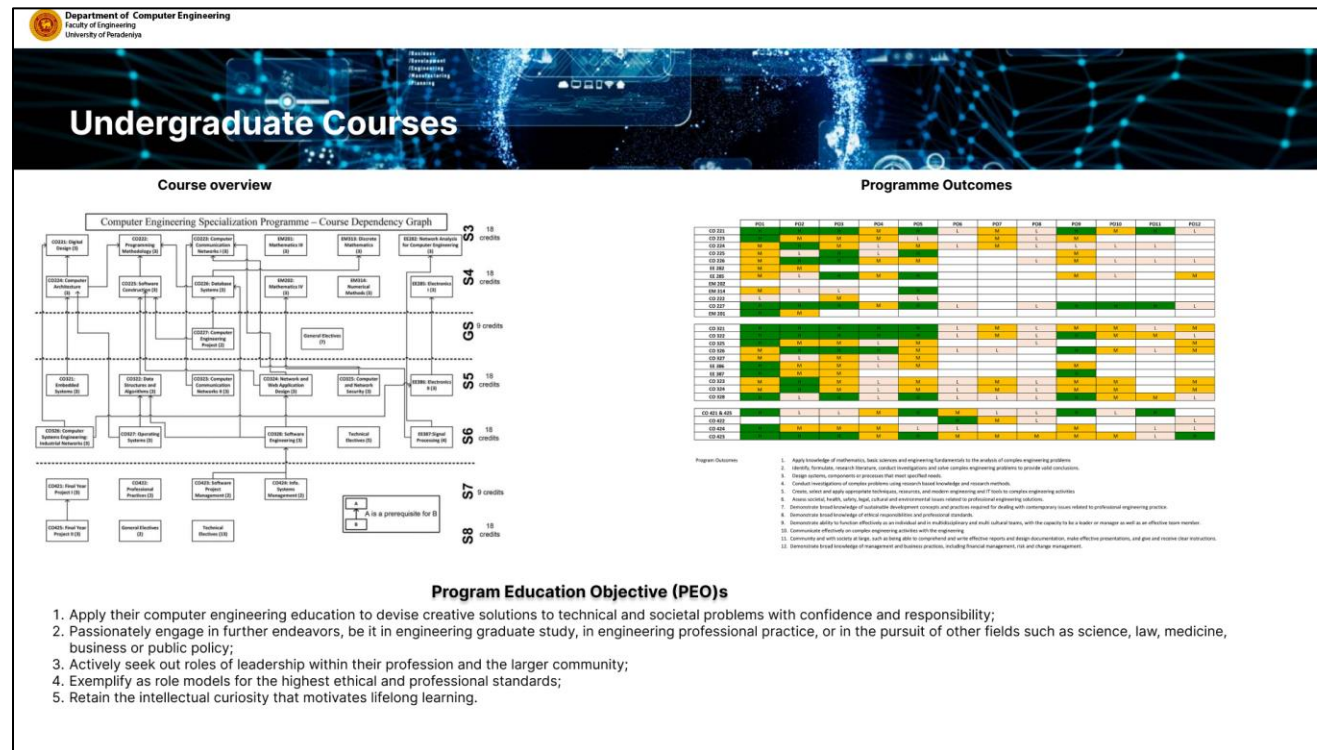
# Objectives

- To display courses publicly in a more detailed view to get a better idea about them
- Provide statistics of the previous years
- Teacher-student interactions



# Proposed Solution

- Is an interactive course page where course coordinators can integrate their course contents to it.





## Courses offered in four-year degree program



Semester 1	
Semester 2	<b>GP101 English I (3 credits)</b> <b>Course Content:</b> Language development, Communication through reading, Communication through listening, Communication through writing, Communication through speech (Lectures - 20h, Assignments - 50h)
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Semester 4	<b>GP103 Mathematics I (3 credits)</b> <b>Course Content:</b> Real number system, its properties and the real axis, Functions of a single variable, 2-D co-ordinate geometry, 3-D Euclidean geometry, 3-D Euclidean co-ordinate geometry, Complex numbers, Functions of positive integers, Recurrence relation, Infinite series, Real power series, Special functions, Integration, Functions of several variables, Introduction to differential equations, (Lectures - 36, Assignments -18h)
Semester 5	
Semester 6	
Semester 7	<b>GP105 Engineering Drawing (3 credits)</b> <b>Course Content:</b> Fundamentals, Orthographic and isometric views, Engineering graphics, Freehand sketching, Introduction to drawing for civil and electrical engineering applications, Other: speed tests (Lectures - 18, Practical classes - 45h, Assignments - 9h).
Semester 8	
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	<b>GP110 Engineering Mechanics (3 credits)</b> <b>Course Content :</b> Force systems, Analysis of simple structures, Work and energy methods, Inertial properties of plane and three-dimensional objects, Fluid pressure, Fluid statics, Particle kinematics, Planar rigid body kinematics, Particle kinetics, Planar rigid body kinetics, Laboratory work (Lectures - 28, Tutorial classes - 11h, Practical classes - 12h).
	<b>GP112 Engineering Measurements (3 credits)</b> <b>Course Content:</b> Units and standards, Approximation errors and calibration, Measurement of physical parameters, Measurement project, Presentation of engineering information, Surveying (Lectures & Tutorial classes - 17h, Practical classes & Assignments -56h)

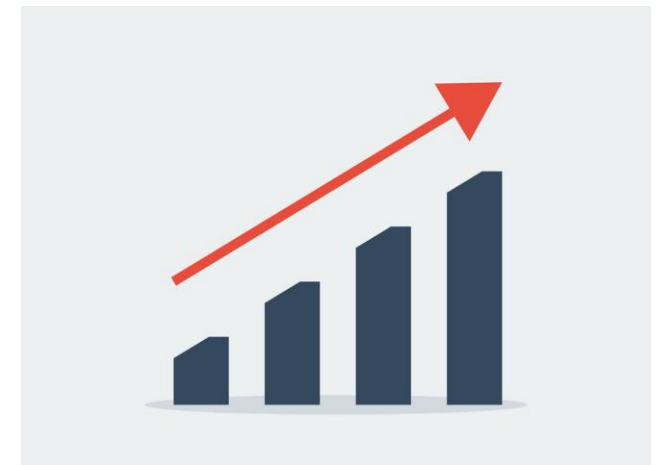
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# Advantages

- Managing course details in public domain will be helpful for department to get accreditation from IESL
- User-friendly system with simple interface for both students and lecturers
- Easily accessible and maintainable
- Less time consuming
- Easy to update





# Technology Stack

- HTML
- Jekyll
- Java script
- GitHub
- Figma



# Timeline

Project Timeline

	May		June				July	
	3 <sup>rd</sup> week	4 <sup>th</sup> week	1 <sup>st</sup> week	2 <sup>nd</sup> week	3 <sup>rd</sup> week	4 <sup>th</sup> week	1 <sup>st</sup> week	2 <sup>nd</sup> week
Preparation								
Project topic selection								
Discussion with project owners								
Research in technology stack								
Design project proposal and presentation								
GitHub Repository, Pages and Wiki maintaining								
Core implementation								
Mid presentation								
Report writing								
Testing								
Additional features								
Final presentation								

# Additional Features

- Displaying marks distribution for grades over course contents
- Detailed graphical representation of grade distribution for past years
- Sorting and filtering courses



# Team and process

- Core implementation - E/18/227 Mudalige D.H.
- UI Design - E/18/224 Mihiranga G.D.R.
- Documentation - E/18/077 Dharmarathne N.S.

Although the tasks are separated as above, we work together as a team to make a better course page.



# Documentation

- Github Repository:

<https://github.com/cepdnack/e18-co227-Department-Course-Page-Group-A>

- Github Pages:

<https://cepdnack.github.io/e18-co227-Department-Course-Page-Group-A/>

- Github Wiki:

<https://github.com/cepdnack/e18-co227-Department-Course-Page-Group-A/wiki>

Q&A





Thank You!