

Software Engineering

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PhD in Electrical and Computer Engineering, Carleton University '12

MSc in Computer Science, Carleton University '03

BSc in Computer Science, American University in Cairo '96

Research: software engineering / systems engineering

Publications: 75+ peer-reviewed articles, 12 US patents, 5 standards

Industry: Senior Computer Scientist, NASA JPL @ Caltech

Academia: CS Lecturer (UCLA and Northeastern University)



Carleton
UNIVERSITY



THE AMERICAN
UNIVERSITY IN CAIRO

UCLA



Northeastern
University



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Dr. Elaasar's Software Engineering Career

- NASA/Caltech, JPL ('14 - now)
 - Lead of **openCAESAR** platform (<https://opencaesar.io/>)
 - Lead of Integrated Model Centric Engineering (**IMCE**) project
 - Lead of Autonomica R&D project
- Modelware Solutions ('10 - now)
 - Consultant to CEA-LIST, Simula Labs, Ford, BAE Systems, etc.
- Object Management Group ('08 - now)
 - Chair of the **UML** standard
 - Contributor to the **SysML** standard
- Rational Software, IBM ('00-'14)
 - Architect of **Design Management** (web app)
 - Architect of **Rational Software Architect** (desktop app)
 - Developer of **Rational Rose Realtime** (desktop app)
- Corel Corporation ('97-'00)
 - Develop of **Corel Draw** (desktop app)



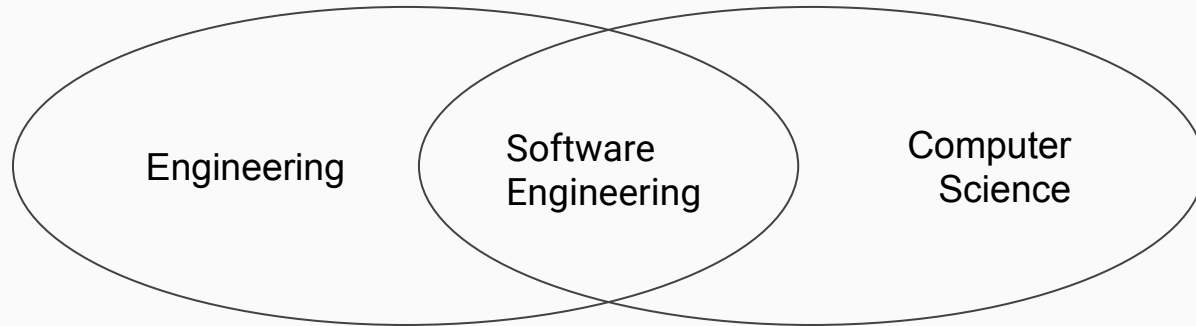
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Software Engineering: a Definition

“Software engineering is the application of a systematic, disciplined, quantifiable approach to the development, operation, and maintenance of software; that is, the application of engineering to software”

-IEEE



Lecture

- Teaches **processes, methods, and best practices** that can be used throughout the different phases of the software development lifecycle.
- Includes a **open-source project**, in which you will develop a significant software application in a team and apply the skills you learned in class.
- **Does not** teach programming languages or transient technologies; however, Java and some technologies will be used to explain ideas.

Lecture Topics

- Software Process (different ones but will focus on the Scrum process)
- Software Analysis (with different UML diagrams)
- Software Architecture (different architectural patterns)
- Software Design (different Gang of Four design patterns)
- Software DevOps (continuous integration, delivery, and monitoring)
- Software Code Generation (abstraction and automation)
- Software Testing (black/whitebox, unit, regression, symbolic execution)
- Software Review (hoare logic)
- Software Evolution & Maintenance (anti-patterns, refactoring)

Textbook

- We will NOT use a particular textbook in this course
- Instead, we will prescribe reading from various online resources

Project

- The project will be run by a team of 5 people
- You will develop an open-source (web, mobile, desktop) application
- You can choose your own project idea and technology stack
- You will show your progress by 4 deliverables
 - Part A: Concept
 - Part B: Design
 - Part C: Implementation
 - Part D: Presentation/Demo
- Grade will not be the same for every one as individual contribution and peer review feedback will be taken into account
 - Formula will be **Group Grade** for $A+B+C+D$ - **Individual Penalty**

Actions Before Next Class

- Submit the Academic Integrity assignment (**IMPORTANT**)
- Submit the Background Survey assignment
- Sign up to the class on Piazza
- Get into a project team
 - Submit Project Part A assignment
 - Setup a Github Repo and share link with your TA
- Read about first lecture:
 - Software Process Models: <https://www.scnsoft.com/blog/software-development-models>
 - Scrum Process: <https://www.scrum.org/resources/what-is-scrum>
 - Agile at Spotify 1 :<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Yvfz4HGtoPc>
 - Agile at Spotify 2: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vOt4BbWLWQw>