# CSE 4308: Artificial Intelligence
# CSE 5360: Artificial Intelligence I

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- Course Website: http://crystal.uta.edu/~gopikrishnav/classes/2021/spring/4308_5360/
  - Too Long?: Try http://crystal.uta.edu/~gopikrishnav Textbook: Artificial Intelligence: A Modern Approach (3rd Edition) – Stuart Russel, Peter Norvig.
  - 4th or 2nd Edition is also OK
- Instructor: Vamsikrishna Gopikrishna
  - PhD (CS), UTA (2016); MS (CE), UTA (2008); BE (CSE), Anna Univ. (2006)
  - Research Areas: Pattern Recognition, Neural Networks, Computer Vision, AI.

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- Office Hours
  - Mon, Wed:
    - For CSE 4308: 2:00 PM to 3:30 PM in TEAMS
    - For CSE 5360: 3:30 PM to 5:00 PM in TEAMS
  - Can't make it?: email me for an appointment or just message me on teams
- Contact Email
  - vamsikrishna.gopikrishna@uta.edu
  - Make sure to put CSE4308-001, CSE4308-002 , CSE4308-003, CSE4308-900, CSE5360-001, CSE5360-002, CSE5360-003, CSE5360-900 in the subject line

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- Assignments
  - Both Programming and Written Tasks
    - Submitted through canvas (uta.instructure.com)
  - All assignments must be electronically submitted
    - Make sure text is legible on written tasks
    - Programming tasks must be coded in base versions of C, C++, Java, Python 2 or Python 3 (No additional packages or APIs unless cleared with instructor/TA first)
    - Recommendation: Try and make sure your code runs on omega for ease of testing/evaluation (not required for full credit).
  - Any additional instructions will be provided in assignments

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- Attendance
  - Try and attend the online lectures.
  - The lecture attendance forms 5% of your final grade.
  - At random points during the lecture, in class polls will be conducted. These polls will be 5% of your final grade.

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- No Cumulative Final!
  - Three Exams covering roughly 1/3$^{rd}$ of class material
- Final grade is combination of exams (20% each), assignments (30%), attendance(5%) and in class polls (5%)
- Assignment 0 will be posted tonight!!
  - Don't worry, It is a form acknowledging class policies
  - Make sure you have Canvas ASAP.
  - Recommended: Check omega access too (You need to use UTA VPN for this).