Program Design (II)

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Introduction

This course provides an introduction to programming in C, covering topics such as Structures, File I/O, and other miscellaneous functions. It also teaches programmers how to develop clean and usable programs and applications. Basic programming knowledge is required to enroll in this course. C is a procedural language that has had a significant impact on many modern programming languages, including C++, Java, and C#. Therefore, understanding the fundamentals of C and knowing how to use them in programming can be beneficial for learning most new programming languages in the future. If you have enrolled in this course, please also enroll in the Programming Lab for Program Design (II).

Learning Objectives

The course introduces advanced concepts, techniques, and tools of C. Homework and the final project are designed to help students practice using C for computer problem-solving and executing computer programs.

The expected learning outcomes of this course are

- Understanding advanced concepts of C
- Designing and developing computer programs and applications in C
- Knowing how to self-learn other more advanced functions and libraries of C to build more complex applications.

Basic information

Instructor.

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Lectures.

10:15-11:30 **Tuesday** and **Thursday**. Room 101, College of Engineering (I) (工院一館101教室)

Textbook.

• C Programming: A Modern Approach by K. N. King, 2nd edition, 2008, W. W. Norton & Company.

Grading

Breakdown.

• Individual Homework 1 - 2: 20%

- You will get a half score on your homework if you submit it one day after the deadline, and you will receive 25% points if you hand in the homework two days (or more) after the deadline.
- Final Exam: 35%
- Group Final Project: 45%
- Bonus: 10%
 - o Participation by interacting through eCourse2's discussion forum and Slido
 - Students who were helpful and diligent were recognized by TAs
 - If you take the Collegiate Programming Examination (CPE) in these two years, the number of passed questions will be the number you can get for the extra bonus
 - Finish questions on the platforms like https://zerojudge.tw/ or https://leetcode.com/ and upload the proof on eCourse2. Students can earn one extra point for every 10 questions completed.
 - For Zerojude, the finished questions that start with "a" (e.g., a001 and a982) are not counted in the bonus.
 - The highest score after adding the bonus points will not exceed 100

The TAs will grade everything and regrade them upon request. If you have a re-grading request, please contact the TAs directly.

Tentative Schedule

Week	Date	Note	Lecture	Textbook
1	2/18		Course Introduction	
	2/20		Review of C	
2	2/25		The Preprocessor	Ch 13.4- 13.7
	2/27		The Preprocessor	Ch 14.1 - 14.4
3	3/4		Writing Large Programs	Ch 15.1 - 15.2
	3/6		Writing Large Programs	Ch 15.3 - 15.4
4	3/11	Homework 1	Structures, Unions, and Enumerations	Ch 16.1 - 16.2
	3/13		Structures, Unions, and Enumerations	Ch 16.3
5	3/18		Structures, Unions, and Enumerations	Ch 16.4 - 16.5
	3/20		Advanced Uses of Pointers	Ch 17.1 - 17.2

6	3/25		Midterm Presentation	
	3/27		Midterm Presentation	
7	4/1		Advanced Uses of Pointers	Ch 17.3 - 17.5
	4/3	Holiday		
8	4/8	Holiday		
	4/10	Homework 2	Advanced Uses of Pointers	Ch 17.5 - 17.6
9	4/15		Advanced Uses of Pointers	Ch 17.7 - 17.9
	4/17		Declarations	Ch 18.1 - 18.3
10	4/22		Declarations	Ch 18.4 - 18.6
	4/24		Program Design	Ch 19.1 - 19.2
11	4/29	Upload Project Progress	Program Design (Online Video)	Ch 19.3 - 19.4
	5/1	Upload Project Progress	Program Design (Online Video)	Ch 19.4 - 19.5
12	5/6		Low-level Programming	Ch 20.1
	5/8		Low-level Programming	Ch 20.2 - 20.3
13	5/13		Input/Output	Ch 22.1 - 22.3
	5/15		Input/Output	Ch 22.4 - 22.8
14	5/20		Input/Output	Ch 22.4 - 22.8
	5/22		Error Handling	Ch 24
15	5/27		No Class (Final Exam during Lab)	
	5/29		No Class (Final Exam during Lab)	
16	6/3		Final Project Demo & Presentation	
	6/5		Final Project Demo & Presentation	
17	6/10		Final Project Demo & Presentation	
	6/12		Final Project Demo & Presentation	