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COMP 141
Computer Science I: Programming Fundamentals

Spring 2012

Syllabus

- Class Time: Monday, Wednesday, and Friday
Section 01 10:00-10:50am
Section 02 9:00- 9:50am
- Classroom: 033 Barret Library
- Instructor: Stephen V. Rice, Ph.D.
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- Required Text: *Starting Out with Python, 2nd edition* by Tony Gaddis, Addison-Wesley, 2011, ISBN-13 #978-0132576376
- Course Description: An introduction to the fundamental concepts and practices of procedural programming. Topics include data types, control structures, functions, arrays, files, and the mechanics of running, testing, and debugging. Emphasis is placed on program design and problem solving techniques. The course also includes an introduction to the historical and social context of computing and an overview of computer science as a discipline.
- Prerequisites: none
- Grading: The overall grade for this course will be determined according to the following weights:
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| 15% | Attendance and Participation |
| 35% | Programming Assignments |
| 10% | Exam I |
| 10% | Exam II |
| 10% | Exam III |
| <u>20%</u> | Final Exam |
| 100% | Total |