COMPUTER & INFORMATION SCIENCE (CIS)

CIS 112  Computer Literacy/Info Mgmt  3 Credit Hours
This is a microcomputer literacy course with primary emphasis on the application tools of the word processor, spreadsheets, and database. Additional topics of computer terms, systems, and use in society are included. The course is intended for undergraduates in the College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters. No previous experience with computers is expected. (YR).

CIS 125  Survey of Computer Science  3 Credit Hours
A survey of computer science topics, including history of computing, office productivity software, the internet, HTML, JavaScript, web design, algorithms, assemblers and compilers, gates and logic design, models of computation, artificial intelligence and expert systems, computing ethics, privacy issues, intellectual property. No credit for CIS majors. (F,W,S).

CIS 150  Computer Science I  4 Credit Hours
This course provides a foundation for further studies in computer and information science and emphasizes a structured approach to problem solving and algorithm development. Topics include principles of program design, coding, debugging, testing, and documentation. Students are introduced to the Unified Modeling Language for requirements analysis using use-cases and activity diagrams, an object oriented programming language, and the fundamentals of computer hardware, system software, and components. The course will consist of three lecture hours and one two-hour laboratory.
Prerequisite(s): MATH 115* or MATH 113* or MPLS with a score of 116
Corequisite(s): CIS 150L

CIS 1501  CS I for Data Scientists  4 Credit Hours
This course provides a foundation for further studies in computer and information science and emphasizes a structured approach to problem solving and algorithm development. Topics include principles of program design, coding, debugging, testing, and documentation. Students are introduced to the Unified Modeling Language for requirements analysis using use-cases and activity diagrams, an object oriented programming language for data science applications, and the fundamentals of computer hardware, system software, and components. The course will consist of three lecture hours and one two-hour laboratory. The labs will cover various data science applications. (F,W,S)
Prerequisite(s): MATH 115* or MATH 113* or MPLS with a score of 116

CIS 167  Proxy Server  3 Credit Hours
This course will cover installation, configuration, and troubleshooting Microsoft Proxy Server, methods of controlling internet access, enhancement to performance monitor, and creation of a plan for integrating Proxy Server in an existing environment. (F,W)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 162
Restriction(s): Can enroll if Program is

CIS 200  Computer Science II  4 Credit Hours
This course presents techniques for the design, writing, testing, and debugging of medium-sized programs, and an introduction to data structures (stacks, queues, linked lists) using an object-oriented programming language. Topics covered include pointers, templates, and inheritance. The principles of UML modeling are continued. This course will consist of three lecture hours and one two-hour laboratory.
Prerequisite(s): (MATH 115 or MPLS with a score of 116) and (CIS 150 or IMSE 150 or CCM 150)
Corequisite(s): CIS 200L

CIS 2001  CS II for Data Scientists  4 Credit Hours
This course presents techniques for the design, writing, testing, and debugging of medium-sized programs, and an introduction to data structures (stacks, queues, linked lists) using an object-oriented programming language for data science applications. Topics covered include pointers, templates, and inheritance. The principles of UML modeling are continued. This course will consist of three lecture hours and one two-hour laboratory. The labs will cover various data science applications. (F, W, S)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 1501 and MATH 115 or MATH 113 or MPLS with a score of 116

CIS 205  Comp Programming for Engineers  3 Credit Hours
Full Course Title: Computer Programming for Engineers- Intermediate topics in computer programming: arrays, files, structured data types, pointers, functions. Overview of digital computer hardware and system software components: machine architecture, operating systems, computer networks, data security, and performance evaluation. No credit for CIS majors.
Prerequisite(s): ENGR 100 or (MATH 105 or MPLS with a score of 113)

CIS 275  Discrete Structures I  4 Credit Hours
This course introduces students to various topics in discrete mathematics, such as set theory, mathematical logic, trees, and graph theory. Applications to relational databases, modeling reactive systems and program verification are also discussed. (F,W,S)
Prerequisite(s): (MATH 115 or MPLS with a score of 116) and CIS 200
Corequisite(s): 

CIS 285  Software Engineering Tools  3 Credit Hours
This course will cover various CASE tools, such as UML modeling and code generation tools, configuration management tools, defect management tools, an integrated development environment for coding and debugging, unit and testing tools, and build tools. Students will learn these tools in a laboratory environment. This course will be comprised of one lecture hour and one two-hour laboratory. (F,W)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 200

CIS 290  Topic in Programming Languages  2 Credit Hours
One significant programming language is covered in depth. The particular language changes from term to term. The language chosen might be Ada, C, MODULA 2, USP, PROLOG, or SMALLTALK.
Prerequisite(s): CIS 200

CIS 290A  Topic in Programming Languages  2 Credit Hours
Prerequisite(s): CIS 200

CIS 294  Programming with Visual Basic  3 Credit Hours
An introduction to create professional-looking applications using the graphical user interface of Windows. Students learn how to create graphical objects and controls, write event driven code that responds to clicking on buttons, work with multiple forms and executable files. (F,S)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 200 or IMSE 200
CIS 295  Introduction to Python  3 Credit Hours
Course covers Python programming language, focusing on GUI development, distributed computing and network applications.
Prerequisite(s): (CIS 200 or IMSE 200)

CIS 298  Intro to C Sharp  3 Credit Hours
This course provides an introduction to the C# programming language and the .NET Framework, including development of Windows game applications. Some discussion of DirectX programming and XNA game development is also included. (W)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 200

CIS 300  Intro to Python II  3 Credit Hours
Full title: Introduction to Python An introduction to the Python programming language and its various libraries, packages, and toolkits. The focus of this course will be on the development of analytics/data science applications. (W)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 200 or IMSE 200
Restriction(s):
Can enroll if Level is Undergraduate

CIS 309  Internship  1 Credit Hour
Student works with an industrial sponsor in the area of CIS. Approval of Internship Coordinator required. (F,W,S).

CIS 310  Computer Org and Assembly Lang  4 Credit Hours
The architecture of computer systems and associated software. Topics include digital logic circuits, computer interfacing, interrupt systems, input/output systems, memory systems, assemblers and assembly language programming, and computer networks. (F,W,S).
Prerequisite(s): CIS 275

CIS 316  Pract. Comp. Sec.  3 Credit Hours
Full title: Practical Aspects of Computer Security This course provides a practical introduction to a broad range of security topics including legal, ethical and professional issues in information security. Covered topics include: practical computer security principles; firewalls, malware, and intrusion detection; cryptography basics and their applications; mobile devices and related security issues; network technologies and their vulnerabilities. (YR)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 200
Restriction(s):
Can enroll if College is Engineering and Computer Science

CIS 3200  Data Science II  4 Credit Hours
This course provides an overview of what Big Data is and explores its characteristics. It introduces the fundamental technologies, platforms, and methods that enable Big Data analysis, and covers how to acquire, store, and analyze very large amounts of information to complete Big Data analysis tasks. Topics include MapReduce, similarity search, mining real-time data streams, link analysis, clustering, recommender systems, social network graph mining, and large scale data mining tasks. (W)
Prerequisite(s): (CIS 2001 or CIS 200) and ECE 3100

CIS 350  Data Struct and Algorithm Anlys for SE  4 Credit Hours
This course focuses on data design and algorithms for software engineers. Data design topics include object-oriented discussions of hashing, advanced tree structures, graphs, and sets. Algorithm design topics include the greedy, divide-and-conquer, dynamic programming, backtracking and branch-and-bound techniques. A significant discussion of algorithm complexity theory, including time and space trade-offs and elementary computability theory, is included. (F,W,S)
Prerequisite(s): (MATH 115 or MPLS with a score of 116) and (CIS 200 or IMSE 200) and CIS 275

CIS 3501  Data Sci & Alg Anlys for SE  4 Credit Hours
This course focuses on data design and algorithm design for software engineers. Data design topics include object-oriented discussions of hashing, advanced tree structures, graphs and sets. Algorithm design topics include the greedy, divide-and-conquer, dynamic programming, backtracking and branch-and-bound techniques. A significant discussion of algorithm complexity theory, including time and space trade-offs and elementary computability theory, is included. (F,W,S)
Prerequisite(s): (MATH 115 or MPLS with a score of 116) and (CIS 200 or IMSE 200) and CIS 275

CIS 375  Software Engineering I  4 Credit Hours
This course introduces students to further topics in discrete mathematics, including theory of computation, more complexity theory, coding theory, and game theory.

Prerequisite(s):
Can enroll if Class is Junior or Senior

CIS 375  Software Engineering I  4 Credit Hours
This course presents an in-depth treatment of the following software engineering topics: software engineering paradigms, requirements, specification, functional design, object-oriented design, user interface design, software verification and validation, and the maintenance and management of software engineering artifacts, as well as an introductory discussion of software reliability. Various phases of the software engineering process will be modeled using UML. (F,W)
Prerequisite(s): (CIS 350 or CIS 3501 or IMSE 350) or (ECE 370 and MATH 276) or (ECE 370 and ECE 276) and (COMP 270 or COMP 106 or COMP 220 or CPAS with a score of 40)

CIS 376  Software Engineering II  4 Credit Hours
This course continues the formal development of the software engineering material begun in CIS 375. Topics covered include personal software process, team software process, formal methods, security, software architecture, software quality assurance, software fault tolerance, the evaluation of the effectiveness of human computer interaction and software reliability. (W,S)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 375

CIS 381  Industrial Robots  4 Credit Hours
The course introduces students in engineering and computer science to fundamentals of robotics technology, programming and their applications in industrial environment. The emphasis will be on robotics anatomy and configurations, robotics kinematics, end effectors, use of sensors in robotics, robotics programming, design of robot workcell, robotics applications to production problems, cost justifications and robotics safety, rather than on the extensive theory of robotics. Three-hour lecture and three-hour laboratory per week.
Prerequisite(s): MATH 115
Restriction(s):
Can enroll if Class is Junior or Senior
CIS 387  Digital Forensics I  4 Credit Hours
This course takes a detailed, hands-on approach to study the procedures and
techniques used to identify, extract, validate, document and preserve
electronic evidence. Students completing this course will be familiar with
the core computer science theory and practical skills necessary to
perform basic computer forensic investigations, understand the role of
technology in investigating computer-based crime, and be prepared to
deal with investigative bodies at a basic level.
Prerequisite(s):
(CIS 200 or ECE 270) and (CIS 310* or ECE 370* or
ECE 372*)
Restriction(s):
Cannot enroll if Class is Freshman
Can enroll if Level is Undergraduate

CIS 390  Topics in Computer Science  1 to 3 Credit Hours
A course designed to offer selected topics in an area of computer
science. The specific topics will be announced (together with special
prerequisites) each time offered. Students must elect different topics to
take both CIS 390 and CIS 391.  (OC).
Prerequisite(s):
(CIS 350 or CIS 3501 or IMSE 350 or (ECE 370 and
ECE 276) or (ECE 370 and MATH 276)

CIS 391  Topics in Computer Science II  1 to 3 Credit Hours
A course designed to offer selected topics in an area of computer
science. The specific topics will be announced (together with special
prerequisites) each time offered. Students must elect different topics to
take both CIS 390 and CIS 391.  (OC).
Prerequisite(s):
(CIS 350 or CIS 3501 or IMSE 350 or (ECE 370 and
ECE 276) or (ECE 370 and MATH 276)

CIS 399  Internship  1 Credit Hour
Student works with industrial sponsor in the area of CIS. Permission of
Internship Coordinator required. (F,W,S)

CIS 400  Programming Languages  4 Credit Hours
Systematic study of programming languages with regard to their
implementation, structures, and use. Languages are compared with
regard to their various data types, data structures, operations, control
structures, programming environments, and ease of use in solving
various programming problems. (F,W)
Prerequisite(s):
(CIS 350 or IMSE 350 or CIS 3501) or (ECE 370 and
MATH 276) or (ECE 370 and ECE 276)

CIS 405  Algorithm Analysis & Design  3 Credit Hours
This course investigates how to design efficient algorithms. Topics
include asymptotic analysis, amortized analysis, divide-and-conquer,
dynamic programming, greedy algorithms, branch and bound,
backtracking, lower bounds, NP-completeness and approximation
algorithms.
Prerequisite(s):
(CIS 350

CIS 411  Natural Language Processing  3 Credit Hours
This course provides an introduction to the theory and practice of
natural language processing (NLP), as well as the approaches that
allow understanding, generating, and analyzing natural language. The
course will cover the three major areas in NLP: syntax, semantics,
and pragmatics. The course will introduce both knowledge-based and
statistical approaches to NLP, illustrate the use of NLP techniques and
tools in a variety of application areas, and provide insight into many open
research problems.  (YR)
Prerequisite(s):
(CIS 350 or CIS 3501

CIS 421  Database Mgmt Systems  4 Credit Hours
An introduction to database systems, concepts, and techniques. Topics
covered include: database environments, ER modeling, relational
data model, object-oriented databases, database design theory and
methodology, database languages, query processing and optimization,
concurrency control, database recovery, and database security.
Prerequisite(s):
(CIS 350 or CIS 3501 or IMSE 351 or (ECE 370 and
MATH 276)

CIS 422  Massive Data Management  4 Credit Hours
An introduction to database systems, concepts, and techniques for big
data. The course discusses classical relational technologies, and then
covers the more current approaches to managing massive amounts
of data for analytics purposes. Topics include database environments,
database design, the relational data model, normalization, SQL, query
processing, parallel databases and query processing, in-database
analytics, data warehousing, key-value and column stores, NoSQL and
NewSQL approaches for managing massive data.  (F)
Prerequisite(s):
(CIS 2001 or CIS 200) and CIS 3200

CIS 423  Dec Support and Exp Systems  3 Credit Hours
The application of artificial intelligence to building decision support
and expert systems for management and other applications. Topics
include fundamentals of artificial intelligence, knowledge representation
and knowledge processing, tools for building expert systems (logic
programming, expert shells), decision support system design (modeling
and simulation), expert system design (knowledge engineering, learning).
(F).
Prerequisite(s):
(CIS 421

CIS 425  Information Systems  4 Credit Hours
This course is an introduction to the principles of information
systems analysis and design and their role in business organizations.
Topics include Systems Development Life Cycle (SDLC), using CASE
(Computer Aided Software Engineering) tools for systems design and
analysis, prototyping, Rapid Application Development (RAD), extreme
programming, quality assurance through software engineering, and
object-oriented systems design and analysis using UML (Unified
Modeling Language). Participation in a major design project is a
requirement for this course.
Prerequisite(s):
(CIS 375 and CIS 421*
Restriction(s):
Cannot enroll if Class is Freshman or Sophomore

CIS 4261  Inf Sys Analysis & Design I  4 Credit Hours
An introduction to the principles of information systems analysis
and design and their role in business organizations. Topics include
information systems strategy and planning, ethical issues in information
systems, system modeling, clean-room system engineering, domain
ontologies, UML, Enterprise Unified Process, e-business, and supply-chain
management, deployment and support. Participation in a major design
project is a requirement for this course.  (F).
Prerequisite(s):
(CIS 375 and CIS 421*

CIS 4262  Inf Sys Analysis & Design II  4 Credit Hours
This course is a continuation of CIS 4261 and provides students
with breadth and depth in the information systems area. Topics
include web-based information systems, e-commerce, computer-
supported collaborative work, workflow systems, data mining, and data
warehousing. Participation in a major design project is a requirement of
this course.  (W).
Prerequisite(s):
(CIS 4261
CIS 427  Comp Networks and Dis Process  4 Credit Hours
Study of the management aspects of computing networks and distributed systems. Topics include network architectures (ISO/OSI, TCP/IP, ATM), communication hardware (transmission media, network adaptors, switches), encoding, framing, error detection and correction, reliable transmission, data link control and LAN technology, internetworking, routing/congestion control, network design/management.
Prerequisite(s): (CIS 350 or CIS 3501 or IMSE 351) or (ECE 370 or ECE 276) and MATH 276 and IMSE 317

CIS 428  High Speed Network Admin  3 Credit Hours
The course requires students to setup and manage their own computer network in the lab. Topics include: overview of file servers, LAN configurations and protocols, server hardware (CPU, hard drives, memory), server clients, server installation, domains, user accounts, groups, rights, directories, permissions, applications, printers, other OS, monitoring, maintenance, high speed switching, ATM, video, routers, firewalls. (YR).
Prerequisite(s): CIS 427

CIS 435  Web Technology  3 Credit Hours
This course deals with the study of technologies used to design and implement multimedia web sites. Topics include web servers, HTML, CGI, scripting languages, Java applets, back-end database connectivity, web security, multimedia, XML. (F, W).
Prerequisite(s): CIS 553 CIS 375*  
Restriction(s):  
Can enroll if Class is Junior or Senior
Can enroll if Level is Undergraduate

CIS 436  Mobile App Des & Impl  3 Credit Hours
This course introduces students to the development of software applications for programmable mobile and wireless intelligent handheld devices. Topics covered include the different mobile development platforms, best practices in mobile user interaction design, software quality assurance in mobile environment, security and privacy issues, and context-aware computing. Students will participate in a final project.
Prerequisite(s): CIS 375*
Restriction(s):  
Can enroll if Class is Junior or Senior
Can enroll if Level is Undergraduate
Can enroll if College is Arts, Sciences, and Letters or Engineering and Computer Science

CIS 437  Advanced Networking  3 Credit Hours
Topics include an overview of the internet, congestion control, quality of service, internet multicasting, multimedia networking, mobile and wireless networks, vehicular networks, overlay networks, peer-to-peer networks, internet management (SNMP), and internet applications (web-HTTP and email-SMTP).
Prerequisite(s): CIS 427
Restriction(s):  
Cannot enroll if College is Business

CIS 446  Wireless & Mobi Comp Security  3 Credit Hours
Full course title: Wireless and Mobile Computing Security. The course focuses on security and privacy issues in the area of wireless networks and mobile computing such as cellular networks, wireless LANs, connected vehicles, smart and mobile devices, sensors and sensor networks, IoT, etc. The course will first present on overview of wireless communication and wireless systems, then focus on attacks, discuss proposed solutions and their limitations. Topics of this course include: (1) introduction to security primitives and wireless networks; (2) security issues in single-hop wireless networks that include cellular networks, RFID, modern vehicle, smartphone security; (3) security issues in multi-hop wireless network that include Mobile Ad Hoc network, wireless sensor network and vehicular network security. (YR)
Prerequisite(s): (CIS 200 or CIS 2001) and MATH 396

CIS 447  Intro Computr & Ntwrk Security  3 Credit Hours
This course will provide a broad-spectrum introduction to the fundamental principles of computer and network security. Topic will include security policies, models and mechanisms for confidentiality, integrity and availability, access control, authorization, cryptography and applications, threats and vulnerabilities in computer networks, key management, firewalls and security services in computer networks.
Prerequisite(s): CIS 450*
Restriction(s):  
Cannot enroll if College is Business or Education, Health, and Human Services

CIS 450  Operating Systems  3 or 4 Credit Hours
Introduction to computer operating systems. Process control, threads, concurrency, memory management, virtual memory, uniprocessor, multiprocessor, and real-time scheduling, I/O management, disk scheduling, file management, distributed processing, client/server, clusters, distributed process management, security. (F, W).
Prerequisite(s): CIS 310 and (CIS 350 or CIS 3501 or IMSE 350) or (ECE 370 and MATH 276) or (ECE 370 and IMSE 317* and ECE 276)

CIS 451  Computer Graphics  3 Credit Hours
Basic geometrical concepts: graphics output primitives, two-dimensional transformations, windowing and clipping, three-dimensional viewing, visible surface detection methods, and graphical user interfaces. (F).
Prerequisite(s): MATH 227 and CIS 350 (MATH 217 or CIS 3501 or IMSE 350 or (ECE 370 and MATH 276) or (ECE 370 and ECE 276)

CIS 452  Inf Vis & Multimedia Gaming  3 Credit Hours
This course introduces basic techniques for digital animation, computer and video games, and web multimedia. Topics include the process of creating animated video clips from start to finish, including story creation, storyboarding, modeling, animation, and post-production; several key techniques for video editing and motion generation, including keyframe, motion capture editing, collision detection, particle systems, physical simulation, and real-time rendering; techniques for web animation and multimedia; and internet gaming.
Prerequisite(s): CIS 451 or CIS 487
Restriction(s):  
Can enroll if Class is Senior
Can enroll if College is Business
CIS 456  Windows Programming  3 Credit Hours
This course covers the core tenets of the Microsoft Foundation Class (MFC) or similar package and Windows programming. The emphasis will be on the relationship between Windows Operating System and MFC. Windows OS has three major components: user, graphics device interface (GDI), and kernel. User is a module that controls input devices, GDI is a module that services output devices, and kernel controls internal resources. These three components are called the API and communicate with MFC. Projects will be assigned to simulate the major components of API using MFC. (YR)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 350

CIS 467  Digital Forensics II  4 Credit Hours
This course is a continuation of Digital Forensics I and will focus on Internet Forensics. Students will examine in-depth concepts in Internet evidence collection and preservation, as well as applications of contemporary commercial forensic investigative software.
Prerequisite(s): (CIS 427* or ECE 471*) and (CIS 387 or ECE 387)
Restriction(s):
Cannot enroll if Class is Freshman
Cannot enroll if College is Business

CIS 474  Compiler Design  3 Credit Hours
Principles of language compilation. Introduction to formal languages. Lexical analysis, top-down and bottom-up parsing, code generation and optimization. Error handling and symbol table management. Run-time storage management. Programming language design. Introduction to compiler-writing tools such as LEX and YACC. (F,W).
Prerequisite(s): CIS 350 or CIS 3501 or IMSE 350 or (ECE 370 and MATH 276)

CIS 475  Software Engineering Seminar  3 Credit Hours
The focus of this course is on management issues related to modern software engineering practice. Students read and discuss papers written by master software engineering professionals. Seminar topics discussed include: management of software engineering processes, software measurement, software engineering ethics, and legal issues related to professional practice. (W, S).
Prerequisite(s): CIS 376

CIS 476  Soft Arch & Design Patterns  3 Credit Hours
This course focuses on design patterns in object-oriented programming. This course begins with an overview of UML and a review of object-oriented programming and then moves on to various structural, behavioral and creational patterns, including: facades, adaptors, bridges, factories and the template method. Analysis of case studies will also be discussed. Using various modern software tools, students will apply various design patterns to real-world software design problems to gain complete practical understanding. (F,W)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 375
Restriction(s):
Can enroll if College is Engineering and Computer Science

CIS 479  Intro to Artificial Intel  3 Credit Hours
This course introduces students to basic concepts and methods of artificial intelligence from a computer science perspective. Emphasis of the course will be on the selection of data representations and algorithms useful in the design and implementation of intelligent systems. The course will contain an overview of one AI language and some discussion of important applications of artificial intelligence methodology. (S)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 350 or CIS 3501 or IMSE 350 or (ECE 370 and MATH 276) or (ECE 370 and ECE 276)

CIS 481  Computational Learning  3 Credit Hours
This course covers basic computational aspects of learning to perform a task and improve with experience. Topics include learning frameworks and problem formulations; standard models, methods, computational tools, algorithms and modern techniques; and methodologies to evaluate learning ability and to automatically select optimal models. The main focus is on computer science (e.g., basic runtime, space and complexity analysis, programming, and empirical evaluations?). Simple applications to areas such as computer vision, natural language processing (NLP), and robotics will also motivate the course material. (W)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 306 and (MATH 217* or MATH 227*) and (IMSE 317* or BENG 364* or MATH 425*)
Restriction(s):
Cannot enroll if Class is Graduate or Doctorate

CIS 485  Data Security and Privacy  3 Credit Hours
This course covers basics of data security and privacy techniques, which can facilitate the use of data in a secure and privacy-sensitive way. Topics include security and privacy challenges due to data collection and analytics, technologies and strategies for data security and privacy (access control mechanism, integrity policy, cryptography and encryption, notice and consent, anonymization or de-identification, deletion and non-retention). (W)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 200 or CIS 2001

CIS 487  Computer Game Design & Implem  3 Credit Hours
This course deals with the study of the technology, science and art in the creation of computer games. The focus of the course will be hands-on development of computer games. Students will study a variety of software technologies relevant to computer game design, including programming languages, scripting languages, operating systems, file systems, networks, simulation engines and multi-media design systems. Lecture topics will be taken from several areas of computer science: simulation and modeling, computer graphics, artificial intelligence, real-time processing, game theory, software engineering, human computer interaction, graphic design and game aesthetics. (F).
Prerequisite(s): CIS 375*
Restriction(s):
Can enroll if Class is Junior or Senior
Can enroll if Level is Undergraduate
Can enroll if College is Engineering and Computer Science

CIS 488  Computer Game Design II  3 Credit Hours
This course is a continuation of the material studied in CIS 487. The focus of the course will be hands-on development of computer game development tools (e.g. game engines). Students will study a variety of software technologies relevant to computer game design, including: 3D graphics, computer animation, data-driven game design, multiplayer game programming, and game AI. Lecture topics will be taken from several areas of computer science: simulation and modeling, computer graphics, artificial intelligence, game theory, software engineering, human computer interaction and game content development. (W)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 487
Restriction(s):
Can enroll if Class is Junior or Senior
Can enroll if College is Engineering and Computer Science

CIS 490  Advanced Topics  1 to 3 Credit Hours
This course is intended for seniors and graduate-level students in CIS. For specific topic, consult current semester’s Schedule of Classes. (OC)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 350 or CIS 3501 or IMSE 350 or (ECE 270 and ECE 276) or (ECE 370 and MATH 276)
CIS 491  Research Project I  1 to 4 Credit Hours
Provides the advanced student with the opportunity to undertake a research project under the supervision of a faculty member. At least two weeks prior to registration in the semester when such a course is to be elected, an interested student must submit to the CIS chair and one CIS faculty member a written request for permission to elect a research course on the appropriate form available in the CIS Office. The request will include a description of the proposed research project. The CIS chair will review the proposal with faculty members to ascertain availability of relevant faculty supervision and to establish appropriate credit. Grades will be granted on a Pass/Fail (S/E) basis exclusively. (F,W,S).
Restriction(s):
Can enroll if Class is Senior
Can enroll if Major is CIS/Information Systems

CIS 492  Research Project II  1 to 4 Credit Hours
This course is a second registration for a research project in CIS. (F,W,S).
Restriction(s):
Can enroll if Class is Senior
Can enroll if Major is CIS/Information Systems

CIS 493  Independent Study I  1 to 4 Credit Hours
Readings or analytical assignments in accordance with the needs and interests of those enrolled and agreed upon by the student and an instructor, which shall not duplicate a formal course offering. Permission of instructor required. (F,W,S).

CIS 494  Independent Study II  1 to 4 Credit Hours
This course is a second registration for an independent study in CIS. Permission of instructor required. (F,W,S).

CIS 495  Design Seminar  4 Credit Hours
Students participate in the design and implementation of a major software project. Seminar topics discussed include: computing ethics and professional practice in computer science. (F,W,S).
Prerequisite(s): CIS 375
Restriction(s):
Can enroll if Class is Senior
Can enroll if College is Business

CIS 4951  Design Seminar I  2 Credit Hours
Students participate in the design and implementation of a major software project. Seminar topics discussed include: computing ethics and professional practice. (F,W,S)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 375
Restriction(s):
Can enroll if College is Engineering and Computer Science

CIS 4952  Design Seminar II  2 Credit Hours
Students continue to participate in the design and implementation of a major software project. Seminar topics discussed include: computing ethics and professional practice. (F,W,S)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 4951
Restriction(s):
Can enroll if College is Engineering and Computer Science

CIS 496  Design Seminar for SE  4 Credit Hours
Software engineering students participate in the design and implementation of a major software project. Seminar topics discussed include: computing ethics and professional practice in software engineering.
Prerequisite(s): CIS 376 and CIS 476

CIS 4961  Design Seminar for SE I  2 Credit Hours
Software engineering students participate in the design and implementation of a major software project. Seminar topics discussed include: computing ethics and professional practice in software engineering. (F,W,S)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 376
Restriction(s):
Can enroll if College is Engineering and Computer Science

CIS 4962  Design Seminar for SE II  2 Credit Hours
Software engineering students continue to participate in the design and implementation of a major software project. Seminar topics discussed include: computing ethics and professional practice in software engineering.
Prerequisite(s): CIS 4961 and CIS 476*
Restriction(s):
Can enroll if College is Engineering and Computer Science

CIS 4971  Cap Sem for Data Sci I  2 Credit Hours
Data science students participate in the design and implementation of a major data science project. Seminar topics discussed include: computing ethics and professional practice in data science. (F, W, S)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 3200 and (STAT 326 or STAT 425)
Restriction(s):
Can enroll if Class is Senior

CIS 4972  Cap Proj for Data Sci II  2 Credit Hours
Data science students continue to participate in the design and implementation of a major data science project. Seminar topics discussed include: computing ethics and professional practice in data science. (F, W, S)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 4971 and STAT 430*
Restriction(s):
Can enroll if Class is Senior

CIS 4981  Design Seminar for CIS-DS I  0 or 2 Credit Hours
Full Course Title: Design Seminar for Dual Degree CIS-DS Majors I Dual degree CIS and Data Science students participate in the design and implementation of a major software project involving data science. Seminar topics discussed include computing ethics and professional practice in data science. (F,W,S)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 375 and CIS 3200 and (STAT 325 or IMSE 317)
Restriction(s):
Can enroll if Class is Senior

CIS 4982  Design Seminar for CIS-DS II  0 or 2 Credit Hours
Dual Degree CIS and Data Science students participate in the design and implementation of a major software project involving data science. Seminar topics discussed include computing ethics and professional practice in data science. (F,W,S)
Prerequisite(s): CIS 4981 or STAT 430*
Restriction(s):
Can enroll if Class is Senior

CIS 499  Internship  1 Credit Hour
Student works with industrial sponsor in area of CIS. Approval of Internship Coordinator required. (F,W,S).

* An asterisk denotes that a course may be taken concurrently.
The following abbreviations are used to denote the frequency of offering: (F) fall term; (W) winter term; (S) summer term; (F, W) fall and winter terms; (YR) once a year; (AY) alternating years; (OC) offered occasionally