

CSci 340 INTRODUCTION TO DATABASE

COURSE SYLLABUS SPRING 2017

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COURSE INFORMATION

Meeting Location and Time:

BA 248 and Navarro College-BC322, Tuesday/Thursday 11:00 am

Materials:

Textbook Required

Murach, Joel. Murach's MySQL 2ed. Mike Murach & Associates, 2015. ISBN: 978-1-890774-82-0.

Software Required

MySQL database software and associated documentation is available at no charge-- see the FAQ: https://www.apachefriends.org/download_success.html. A "zip" file for a portable implementation is recommended rather than installing on a hard drive. For usb/flash drive implementation link to <http://bit.ly/14idYDv>) then extract files to the root directory (e.g. d:/). A folder named xampp will be created.

Course Description

This course offers lecture, laboratory, and online interaction to provide a foundation in data management concepts and database systems. It includes representing information with the relational database model, manipulating data with an interactive query language (SQL) and database programming (PHP), database development including internet applications, and database security, integrity and privacy issues.

Student Learning Outcomes(as measured by exam and lab project results)

- Install, configure, and interact with a relational database management system;**
- Describe, define and apply the major components of the relational database model to database design;**
- Learn and apply SQL(language) for database definition and manipulation;**
- Utilize a database modeling techniques for a single entity class, a one-to-one (1:1) relationship between entity classes, a one-to-many (1:M) relationship between entity classes, a many-to-many (M:M) relationship between entity classes;**
- Define, develop and process single entity, 1:1, 1:M, and M:M database tables;**

Learn web database programming fundamentals by developing an application program interface (API) to access and maintain a relational database;
Learn and implement the principles and concepts of information integrity, security and confidentiality;
Apply ethical computing concepts and practices to database design and implementation.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

Minimum Technical Skills Needed

Students planning to enroll for this course should have mastered the fundamentals of programming and basic data structures. It is expected that the student can download, install and configure software to a usb flash drive.

Instructional Methods

This is a lecture and laboratory course with assigned readings, classroom presentations, online tutorials, exercises to be completed during class hours and programming assignments.

Student Responsibilities

The student is expected to:

- a. read assignments to prepare for scheduled discussions of the material**
- b. access online course materials to obtain assignments and related materials**
- c. face-to-face students should attend all classes. Online students are expected to frequently interact with their instructor. Regular and punctual attendance/interaction should ensure that expectations are understood, and give feedback for monitoring and assessment of progress.**
- d. complete each graded activity at the scheduled time. Should one of these activities be missed, the grade for the next activity of the same type will be used for both.**

GRADING

Grades will be based upon an evaluation of exams and lab project(s)(300 pts). A point total in the range of 270-300 will earn the grade "A", 240-269 a "B", 210-239 a "C" and so on. College policy must be followed to obtain an "X" (incomplete). Unless circumstances are beyond control, the student is expected to withdraw instead of delaying completion of the course.

POLICY, RULES & PROCEDURES

ADA Statement

Students with Disabilities

The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) is a federal anti-discrimination statute that provides comprehensive civil rights protection for persons with disabilities. Among other things, this legislation requires that all students with disabilities be guaranteed a learning

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Office of Student Disability Resources and Services

Texas A&M University-Commerce

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COURSE OUTLINE / CALENDAR

Week	Topic/Activity	Chapter
1	Orientation and introduction to MySQL database management Software installation and configuration (MySQL)	*
2	Overview of database development	1
	Introduction to Relational databases and SQL	2
3	Retrieving(querying) from a single table	3
	Multiple relation(table) queries	4
4	Table creation and updating	5
5	Exam 1 for "face-to-face" (FTF) enrollees (Thu)	1-5
6	Summary queries	6
	Subqueries	7
7	Data types	8
	Functions	9
8	Database design	10
9	Spring Break	--

10	Managing database objects: tables, indexes, and views	11 12
11	Exam 2 for FTF enrollees (Thu)	6-10
12	PHP & MySQL	*
13	Project presentations	--
14	Database administration	17
15	User administration and security	18
16	Database backup and restore	19
17	Exam 3 (Tue 9 May, 10:30am) for FTF enrollees * plus supplementary material	11-12, 17-19*

TAMUC Attendance

For more information about the attendance policy please visit the attendance web page <http://www.tamuc.edu/admissions/registrar/generalinformation/attendance.aspx> and see Procedure 13.99.99.R0.01

<http://www.tamuc.edu/aboutUs/policiesProcedures/StandardsStatements/rulesProcedures/13students/academic/13.99.99.R0.01.pdf>

Academic Integrity: By departmental policy, the discovery of plagiarism (example: copying from another's lab solution) will result in a grade of "F" on a particular lab or other individually graded activity. A subsequent breach of this policy mandates a grade of "F" for the course.

COMMUNICATION AND SUPPORT

Interaction with Instructor Statement

The instructors communication response time and feedback on assessments are stated clearly (on page 1).

COURSE AND UNIVERSITY PROCEDURES AND POLICIES

Course Specific Procedures/Policies

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Syllabus Change Policy

The syllabus is a guide. Circumstances and events, such as student progress, may make it necessary for the instructor to modify the syllabus during the semester. Any changes to the syllabus will be announced in advance of the effective date.

University Specific Procedures

Student Conduct: "All students enrolled at the University shall follow the tenets of common decency and acceptable behavior conducive to a positive learning environment." See the **Student Guidebook**:

<http://www.tamuc.edu/admissions/registrar/documents/studentGuidebook.pdf>

The syllabus/schedule are subject to change.