ITM DEVELOPMENT (ITMD)

ITMD 321
Data Modeling and Applications
Basic data modeling concepts are introduced. Hands-on database design, implementation, and administration of single-user and shared multi-user database applications using a contemporary relational database management system.
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 361
Fundamentals of Web Development
This course covers the creation and deployment of modern, standards-compliant web pages written in HTML, CSS, and JavaScript in the context of the client-server architecture of the web. Students create and deploy a website with multiple, structured pages cross-linked by a site navigation structure.
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 362
Human-Computer Interaction and Web Design
Students in this course will learn the importance of human-computer interaction design and the effectiveness of user-centered design. The course will cover a survey of methods frequently used in the HCI profession, such as usability testing and prototyping, as well as general design principles and the use design guidelines. A particular emphasis will be placed on usability for website engineering. Students will apply knowledge from the field in the design and construction of user-centered websites.
Prerequisite(s): ITMD 361
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 411
Intermediate Software Development
This course covers a broad spectrum of object-oriented programming concepts and application programming interfaces. The student considers the details of object-orientated development in topics of multi-threading, data structure collections, stream I/O and client interfaces. Software engineering topics of packaging and deployment are covered as well. Hands-on exercises reinforce concepts taught throughout the course.
Prerequisite(s): (ITM 311 or CS 116 or CS 201) and (ITM 312 or ITM 313 or CS 331)
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 412
Advanced Structured and Systems Programming
Structured programming continues with advanced concepts including strings, arrays, pointers, data structures, file manipulation, and dynamic memory management. Students create more complex applications that work with user input, manipulate user supplied text or text obtained from a file, apply standard library routines for working with literal text, use pointers to store complex structures within arrays, and read and write data from files, the console, and the terminal. The object-oriented programming (OOP) paradigm is covered in depth including the philosophy of OOP, classes and objects, inheritance, template classes, and making use of class libraries.
Prerequisite(s): ITM 312 or Graduate standing
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 413
Open Source Programming
Contemporary open-source programming languages and frameworks are presented. The student considers design and development topics in system, graphical user interface, network, and web programming. Dynamic scripting languages are covered using object-oriented, concurrent, and functional programming paradigms. Concepts gained throughout the course are reinforced with numerous exercises which will culminate in an open-source programming project.
Prerequisite(s): ITM 411
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 415
Advanced Software Development
This course considers Web container application development for enterprise systems. The primary focus is on database connectivity (JDBC) integration with Web application programming using an enterprise-level application framework. A Web application term project considers the design and implementation of a database instance that serves as the information tier in a contemporary 3-tier enterprise solution.
Prerequisite(s): ITM 411
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 419
Topics in Software Development
This course will cover a particular topic in software development, varying from semester to semester, in which there is particular student or staff interest. This course may be taken more than once but only 9 hours of ITM 419/519 credit may be applied to a degree.
Credit: Variable

ITMD 422
Advanced Database Management
Advanced topics in database management and programming including client server application development are introduced. Expands knowledge of data modeling concepts and introduces object-oriented data modeling techniques. Students will learn the use of Structured Query Language in a variety of application and operating system environments.
Prerequisite(s): ITM 421
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 441
Web Application Foundations
In this course students examine core web technologies that are integral in the creation of web-based applications typically delivered in a browser. The course will cover fundamental web protocols, web application architectures, markup, and scripting languages. A focus will be placed on writing modern, standards-compliant JavaScript and how it is used to interact with HTML and CSS to enable rich user interfaces and communication with other services. Current frameworks, libraries, and tools will also be explored.
Prerequisite(s): ITM 361
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3
ITMD 442
Full-Stack Web Development
This course covers the fundamental concepts and techniques of full-stack web development, focusing on server-delivered front-end content such as server-rendered HTML or JSON and its integration with back-end architectures and data stores.
Prerequisite(s): ITMD 441
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 443
Front-End Web Development
Catalog description: This course emphasizes front-end, browser-based components of web application development. It includes a robust survey of Web APIs in addition to advanced coverage of visual design executed in leading-edge CSS.
Prerequisite(s): ITMD 442
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 444
Back-End Development
This course emphasizes back-end, server-side components of web application development. It provides broad coverage of server-side data stores and languages, and surveys multiple leading server-side web development frameworks.
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 445
Web Real-Time Communication
This course covers the WebRTC specification’s set of protocols, architectures, and APIs designed to enable browser-to-browser real-time communication of voice, video, and data. Students will learn to apply basic technologies including WebSockets, HTTP, HTML5, Web Sockets, NAT, STUN, TURN, and ICE to ensure two-way real-time communication. Students will use JavaScript and development environments to create basic data and media applications based on WebRTC technologies and will analyze the impact of their applications on the performance and behavior of the networks that carry them.
Prerequisite(s): ITMD 441
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 446
Web Microservices and APIs
This course covers fundamental principles and methods for programatically accessing and parsing data returned by internet-available data APIs. The course guides students in carefully examining the structure of API endpoints expressed as URLs and the conventions of RESTful architecture.
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 449
Topics in Web Development
This course will cover a particular topic in web development, varying from semester to semester, in response to a specific student or faculty interest. This course may be taken more than once, but only 9 hours of ITMD 449 credit may be applied to a degree.
Credit: Variable

ITMD 453
Enterprise Intelligent Device Applications
Intelligent device application development is covered with proprietary enterprise and open-source technologies on media device, mobile, and robotic platforms. Utilizing contemporary toolkits, the student considers design and development on simulated and real "smart" devices including smart phones, tablets, sensors, actuators, drones, and robots. Numerous exercises reinforce concepts gained throughout the course. A term project will integrate course topics into a comprehensive intelligent device application.
Prerequisite(s): ITM 311
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 454
Mass-Market Intelligent Device Applications
Intelligent device application development is covered with leading mass-market and open-source technologies on media device, mobile, and robotic platforms. Utilizing contemporary toolkits, the student considers design and development on simulated and real "smart" devices including smart phones, tablets, sensors, actuators, drones, and robots. Numerous exercises reinforce concepts gained throughout the course. A term project will integrate course topics into a comprehensive intelligent device application.
Prerequisite(s): ITM 312
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 455
Open-Source Intelligent Device Applications
Intelligent device application development is covered with various technologies on mobile and robotic platforms. Utilizing contemporary toolkits, the student considers design and development on emulated and real "smart" devices including smart phones, personal digital assistants, sensors, actuators, drones, and robots. Numerous exercises reinforce concepts gained throughout the course. A term project will integrate course topics into a comprehensive intelligent device application.
Prerequisite(s): ITM 311
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 460
Fundamentals of Multimedia
Students are introduced to computer-based multimedia theory, concepts, and applications. Topics include desktop publishing, hypermedia, presentation graphics, graphic images, animation, sound, video, multimedia on the World Wide Web and integrated multimedia authoring techniques.
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3
Satisfies: Communications (C)
ITMD 462
Web Site Application Development
This course is designed to primarily introduce PHP as a server-side programming language for building dynamic web pages and applications. Topics covered include PHP language syntax and usage, handling form data, current libraries and frameworks, web application security, development tools, application architecture, and database access. Other languages for server-side web development and the use of content management systems may be discussed. Students will design and create a web application that will allow for user login pages as well as functionality to create, read, update, and delete database content through a web interface using web forms and basic database structure.
Prerequisite(s): ITM 311 and ITMD 421 and ITMD 361
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 463
Intermediate Web Application Development
In-depth examination of the concepts involved in the development of Internet applications. Students will learn the differences and similarities between Internet applications and traditional client/server applications. A discussion of the technologies involved in creating these Internet applications is included, and students will learn to use these technologies to create robust server-side applications.
Prerequisite(s): ITMD 361
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 464
Advanced Web Application Development
Strategies for management of electronic commerce allow students to learn to re-engineer established business processes to increase enterprise competitive advantage, provide better customer service, reduce operating costs, and achieve a better return on investment. Students will learn to evaluate, use, and deploy state-of-the-art tools and techniques needed to develop a reliable e-commerce offering on the Web. The course will cover state-of-the-art programming and development tools. This class will provide students with hands-on exposure needed to design and build a fully functional e-commerce Web site.
Prerequisite(s): ITMD 463
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 465
Rich Internet Applications
Students learn to create interactive rich Internet applications using modern web development technologies, frameworks, and techniques to deliver robust applications that primarily operate on the client-side. The emphasis will be on developing client-side programs that run in a standards-based web browser without plugins. Some server and command line coding will also be explored. Topics covered may include the JavaScript language, HTML5 APIs, the Document Object Model (DOM), JavaScript libraries and frameworks, development tools, application architecture, and compile-to-JS languages.
Prerequisite(s): ITMD 361 and ITM 311
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 466
Service-Oriented Architecture
This course covers IT enterprise systems employing web services technologies in SOA and ESB architectural patterns. The student considers SOA which defines and provisions IT infrastructure and allows for a loosely-coupled data exchange over disparate applications participating in business processes. The simplification of integration and flexible reuse of business components within SOA is greatly furthered by ESB. Lab exercises using contemporary toolkits are utilized to reinforce platform-agnostic course topics.
Prerequisite(s): ITMD 411 and ITMD 361
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 467
Web Systems Integration
In this project-based course, student teams will build an enterprise-grade website and web infrastructure integrating server-side applications, databases, and client-side rich internet applications as a solution to a defined business problem.
Prerequisite(s): ITMD 465 and ITMD 462
Lecture: 3 Lab: 0 Credits: 3

ITMD 469
Topics in Application Development
This course will cover a particular topic in application development, varying from semester to semester, in which there is particular student or staff interest. This course may be taken more than once but only 9 hours of ITMD 469/569 credit may be applied to a degree.
Credit: Variable