

CS 2413 – Data Structures – Spring 2022

Syllabus

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Class Meeting Location: Dale Hall 218

Class Meeting Time: Mondays and Wednesdays 1:30 PM to 2:45 PM

Office Location: Felgar Hall 221A

Office Hours: Mondays and Wednesdays 3:30 PM to 4:30 PM held via Zoom or by appointment.

There is also a Discussion Board for general questions about the class that can be answered by anyone – make crowdsourcing work for you!

Zoom link for office hours:

<https://oklahoma.zoom.us/j/91065598628?pwd=a3ZiVmxEWJXaXd0RVZ5aGZxT1dJUT09>

Teaching Assistants:

Ms. Sanjana Mudduluru: Office hours on Tuesdays & Thursdays 1:30 - 3:00 PM via Zoom, using the link: <https://oklahoma.zoom.us/j/5549939998?pwd=cnVYbGZ3SVcyWjg3aVdkb1JWbHBLUT09>

Mr. Oluwasijibomi A. Ajisegiri (SJ): Office hours on Tuesdays: 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM and Wednesdays: 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM via Zoom, using the link:

<https://oklahoma.zoom.us/j/97874548573?pwd=aDFzdVBuRDVRCnJhYnhDaUdzL09XUT09>

Course Pre/Co-requisite: CS 2334 and (CS 2813 or MATH 2513 as a corequisite)

Textbook: Radhakrishnan, S., Wise L., and Sekharan, N. 2013. *Data Structures Featuring C++: A Programmer's Perspective (Links to an external site.)* This textbook is available on Amazon.

Course Requirements: Students are required to take two exams and a final. There will be no makeup exams, except in cases of emergencies. Failure to take the final exam will result in an automatic F as the overall course grade. There will be a set of six programming projects that each student should individually complete and all programming projects must be able to compile in ANSI C/C++. The projects will be being announced during the semester. There will be a number of pop quizzes. These quizzes will be during class time. The quizzes will be on canvas and released just before the actual quiz time and will be closed in about 10-15 mins. Exactly 20% of the lowest scoring quizzes will be dropped. If a quiz is not taken, then you will receive an automatic zero on the quiz. If there is a legitimate and documented reason (for example, health), then that quiz will not be considered when evaluating the quiz grades. The course letter grade will be assigned based on the overall percentage: ≥ 90 (A), ≥ 80 and < 90 (B), ≥ 70 and < 80 (C), ≥ 60 and < 70 (D), and < 60 (F). The allocation of percentages is given below:

	Percentages
Pop Quizzes	10%
Exam 1	15%
Exam 2	15%
Final	25%
Programming Projects	35%

ABET Outcomes of Instruction in CS 2413:

1. Analyze a complex computing problem and apply principles of computing and other relevant disciplines to identify solutions.
2. Design, implement and evaluate a computing-based solution to meet a given set of computing requirements in the context of the program's discipline.

Persons with Disability or Special Accommodation or Accommodation for any reason:

Please advise/inform your instructor of any of your special needs if you are an individual with disability. Also, please advise/inform your instructor of any special accommodation that you need, and all such matters will be addressed after conversations with relevant experts. It is important that you reach out to your instructor in a timely manner to address all matters relating to the need for accommodation. We will follow the makeup policies as provided in [\[See Faculty Handbook 4.7, 4.9, 4.10, and 4.11\]](#)

Programming Projects:

Projects have to be coded in C/C++. You can deploy your programs in whichever platform you prefer, as soon as the code that you submit is ANSI C/C++ and therefore compiles with g++. We will use ANSI C/C++ and hence if your program compiles on any g++ compiler then you are set to go.

1. You will also use the gradescope facility to submit the source program.
2. For every 24 hours late, you will be deducted 10% of the grade of the programming project. Any project that is more than 5 days late will not be evaluated.
3. A programming project that does not meet the specifications will receive an automatic deduction of 50% of the grade.
4. You are better off submitting a working project on the fifth day rather than the one that does not work on the day it is due.
5. Programs have to be documented clearly. Programs that lack or are weak in documentation will receive a deduction of up to 30% of the grade. Follow the documentation methods that were used in programs presented in your data structures book.
6. You will demo your project to the grader during the grader assigned special office hours **if the grader so wishes**. Graders are not responsible for debugging your programs.

7. The specification for the projects presented by the instructor may not contain all the details of implementation. It is your responsibility to understand the specifications thoroughly. Please ensure that all relevant questions regarding the project are asked during class time.
8. **Copying programs or consulting others for coding is strictly prohibited and will be treated as plagiarism. Additionally, copying programs from the WWW is also strictly prohibited. All projects are individual projects and hence you are required to work on your own without any help from others.**
9. Apart from the above general policies for evaluating, each programming project will also have a set of specifications that should be met.

Programming Tools:

You can implement the projects using the platform you prefer. However, the code you submit should be written in ANSI C/C++ and compile with g++.

The syllabus is continuously updated and subject to change. Students are responsible for any changes/additions to this syllabus announced in class or via Canvas.

Make-up Policy

TBA

Absences

TBA

Tentative Course Schedule

Date	Topics	Projects
January 19, 2022	C++Programming	
January 24, 2022	Chapter 1 Introduction (Object-Oriented Programming)	
January 26, 2022	Chapter 1 Introduction (Object-Oriented Programming)	
January 31, 2022	Chapter 2 Algorithms and Recursion	Project 1 Assigned
February 2, 2022	Chapter 2 Algorithms and Recursion	
February 7, 2022	Chapter 2 Algorithms and Recursion	
February 9, 2022	Chapter 3 Arrays, Strings, and Vectors	Project 2 Assigned (Feb 11)
February 14, 2022	Chapter 3 Arrays, Strings, and Vectors	
February 16, 2022	Chapter 4 Linked Lists	Project 1 Due (Feb 17)
February 21, 2022	Chapter 4 Linked Lists	
February 23, 2022	Chapter 5 Stacks and Queues	
February 28, 2022	Chapter 5 Stacks and Queues	Project 2 Due; Project 3 Assigned; Quiz
March 2, 2022	Exam – 1	
March 7, 2022	Chapter 6 Single Dimensional Binary Trees	
March 9, 2022	Chapter 6 Single Dimensional Binary Trees	Project 4 Assigned
March 14-18, 2022	Spring Break	Project 3 Due
March 21, 2022	Chapter 6 Single Dimensional Binary Trees	
March 23, 2022	Chapter 7 Self-Modifying Search Trees	
March 28, 2022	Chapter 7 Self-Modifying Search Trees	
March 30, 2022	Chapter 7 Self-Modifying Search Trees Chapter 8 Priority Search Trees	
April 4, 2022	Chapter 8 Priority Search Trees	Project 4 Due; Project 5 Assigned; Quiz
April 6, 2022	Exam – 2	
April 11, 2022	Chapter 9 Sorting	
April 13, 2022	Chapter 9 Sorting	
April 18, 2022	Chapter 9 Sorting Chapter 10 Hashing	
April 20, 2022	Chapter 10 Hashing	Project 5 Due; Project 6 Assigned
April 25, 2022	Chapter 11 Graphs	

April 27, 2022	Chapter 11 Graphs	
May 2, 2022	Chapter 11 Graphs	
May 4, 2022	Review for the Final Examination	Project 6 Due
May 12, 2022	Final Examination; 8:00 AM – 10:00 AM (Thursday)	

University Policies

Academic Integrity: Cheating is strictly prohibited at the University of Oklahoma, because it devalues the degree you are working hard to get. As a member of the OU community it is your responsibility to protect your educational investment by knowing and following the rules. For specific definitions on what constitutes cheating, review the Student's Guide to Academic Integrity at http://integrity.ou.edu/students_guide.html. To be successful in this class, all work on exams and quizzes must be yours and yours alone. You may not receive outside help. On examinations and quizzes, you will never be permitted to use your notes, textbooks, calculators, or any other study aids. Should you see someone else engaging in this behavior, I encourage you to report it to myself or directly to the Office of Academic Integrity Programs. That student is devaluing not only their degree, but yours, too. Be aware that it is my professional obligation to report academic misconduct, which I will not hesitate to do. Sanctions for academic misconduct can include expulsion from the University and an F in this course, so don't cheat. It's simply not worth it.

Religious Observance: It is the policy of the University to excuse the absences of students that result from religious observances and to reschedule examinations and additional required classwork that may fall on religious holidays, without penalty. [\[See Faculty Handbook 3.15.2\]](#)

Reasonable Accommodation Policy: Students requiring academic accommodation should contact the Disability Resource Center for assistance at (405) 325-3852 or TDD: (405) 325-4173. For more information please see the Disability Resource Center website <http://www.ou.edu/drc/home.html>. Any student in this course who has a disability that may prevent him or her from fully demonstrating his or her abilities should contact me personally as soon as possible so we can discuss accommodations necessary to ensure full participation and facilitate your educational opportunities.

Title IX Resources and Reporting Requirement: For any concerns regarding gender-based discrimination, sexual harassment, sexual assault, dating/domestic violence, or stalking, the University offers a variety of resources. To learn more or to report an incident, please contact the Sexual Misconduct Office at 405/325-2215 (8 to 5, M-F) or smo@ou.edu. Incidents can also be reported confidentially to OU Advocates at 405/615-0013 (phones are answered 24 hours a day, 7 days a week). Also, please be advised that a professor/GA/TA is required to report instances of sexual harassment, sexual assault, or discrimination to the Sexual Misconduct Office. Inquiries regarding non-discrimination policies may be directed to: Bobby J. Mason, University Equal Opportunity Officer and Title IX Coordinator at 405/325-3546 or bjm@ou.edu. For more information, visit <http://www.ou.edu/eoo.html>.

Adjustments for Pregnancy/Childbirth Related Issues: Should you need modifications or adjustments to your course requirements because of documented pregnancy-related or childbirth-related issues, please contact your professor or the Disability Resource Center at 405/325-3852 as soon as possible. Also, see <http://www.ou.edu/eoo/faqs/pregnancy-faqs.html> for answers to commonly asked questions.

Final Exam Preparation Period: Pre-finals week will be defined as the seven calendar days before the first day of finals. Faculty may cover new course material throughout this week. For specific provisions of the policy please refer to OU's Final Exam Preparation Period policy (<https://apps.hr.ou.edu/FacultyHandbook#4.10>).

Emergency Protocol: During an emergency, there are official university [procedures](#) that will maximize your safety.

Severe Weather: If you receive an OU Alert to seek refuge or hear a tornado siren that signals severe weather 1. *LOOK* for severe weather refuge location maps located inside most OU buildings near the entrances 2. *SEEK* refuge inside a building. Do not leave one building to seek shelter in another building that you deem safer. If outside, get into the nearest building. 3. *GO* to the building's severe weather refuge location. If you do not know where that is, go to the lowest level possible and seek refuge in an innermost room. Avoid outside doors and windows. 4. *GET IN, GET DOWN, COVER UP*. 5. *WAIT* for official notice to resume normal activities.

[Link to Severe Weather Refuge Areas](#), [Severe Weather Preparedness - Video](#)

Armed Subject/Campus Intruder: If you receive an OU Alert to shelter-in-place due to an active shooter or armed intruder situation or you hear what you perceive to be gunshots:

1. *GET OUT:* If you believe you can get out of the area *WITHOUT* encountering the armed individual, move quickly towards the nearest building exit, move away from the building, and call 911. 2. *HIDE OUT:* If you cannot flee, move to an area that can be locked or barricaded, turn off lights, silence devices, spread out, and formulate a plan of attack if the shooter enters the room. 3. *TAKE OUT:* As a last resort fight to defend yourself.

For more information, visit <http://www.ou.edu/emergencypreparedness.html>

[Shots Fired on Campus Procedure - Video](#)

Fire Alarm/General Emergency: If you receive an OU Alert that there is danger inside or near the building, or the fire alarm inside the building activates: 1. *LEAVE* the building. Do not use the elevators. 2. *KNOW* at least two building exits 3. *ASSIST* those that may need help 4. *PROCEED* to the emergency assembly area 5 *ONCE safely outside, NOTIFY first responders of anyone that may still be inside building due to mobility issues*. 6. *WAIT* for official notice before attempting to re-enter the building. [OU Fire Safety on Campus](#)