Introduction to CS441

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CS441
Introduction to Computer Networks

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Goals of CS441

- To provide undergraduate students with sound understanding of fundamental concepts and problems in networking
- To train them in network programming
Grading Policy

• Attendance (10%)
  – Win 3 stars by proactively engaging in discussion
• Homework (40%)
  – Written & Programming assignments
• Mid-term (25%)
• Final (25%)
How to Be Active in Class

• Before Class
  – Remind oneself about last class
  – Look at today's topics
  – Make a list of things you expect to learn

• In Class
  – Ask yourself if the lecture is close to/far from your expected material
  – Raise a question if what you've learned is different from your expectation
Time Management

• Meaning of a 3 credit course
  – 3hr lecture + 3hr hw / wk
  – 6hr/wk x 16 wk/sem = 96 hr/semester ≈ 100hr
  – Attendance, midterm, final = 50% ≈ 50hr
  – HW = 50% ≈ 50hr
    • Problem sets = 30% ≈ 30hr
    • Programming assignments 20% ≈ 20hr

• Real-feel Load??
  – Problem sets: 30%
  – Programming assignments: 40%
  – Exams: 30%
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