CSI 2320: C++ for Programmers

Credits Hours: 2 credits, 1.78 contact hours/week.

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Text book: The C++ Programming Language, Special Edition, by Bjarne Stroustrup, Addison-

Wesley Press.

Specific course information

A course in C++ programming for programmers with basic knowledge of data types and control structures in programming languages. Topics include pointers, memory management, classes, polymorphism, overloading, templates, input/output, parameter passing, multiple inheritance, standard template library, and philosophical differences in major object-oriented programming languages.

Prerequisites: CSI 1420

Elective course

Course Objectives: Upon successful completion of this course, students should be able to

- Describe pointers and references
- Describe dynamic memory allocation
- Describe classes & objects
- Describe constructors and destructors
- Describe static data members and static member functions
- Describe function overloading and operator overloading
- Describe templates and C++ standard template library (STL)
- Describe inheritance
- Describe polymorphism
- Describe virtual functions

List of Topics:

- Introduction and motivation
- A Tour of C++ and coding style
- Standard Library
- Types and Declarations
- Pointers, Arrays, and Structures
- Expressions and Statements
- Functions
- Classes

- Object Initialization
- Operator Overloading
- Inheritance
- Polymorphism
- Templates and Standard Template Library
- Exception Handling