

CIS 115 - Introduction to Computing Science (Fall 2015)
Schedule (as of 8/18/2015)

Date	Lecture	Topic / Blog Article	Reading (Before Class)	Activity
8/25/15	1	What is Computing Science?		Get a CIS Account
8/27/15	2	Teams, Projects, and Success	Syllabus & Assignments	Team Resume
9/1/15	3	Early Computing Machines	POTS 1 - Nuts and Bolts	Scratch Introduction
9/3/15	4	Bits and Boolean Algebra	POTS 2 - Universal Building Blocks	Loops & Conditionals
9/8/15	Blog 1	Personal Biography		
9/8/15	5	Programming	POTS 3 - Programming	1 - Loops & Conditionals
9/10/15	6	Universal Computers	POTS 4 - How Universal are Turing Machines	Variables - Turing Machine
9/14/15	Blog 2	Historical Figure in Computing		
9/15/15	7	Algorithms	POTS 5 - Algorithms & Heuristics	2 - Lists - Sorting
9/17/15	8	Encoding Data	POTS 6 - Memory: Information and Secret Codes	Binary Numbers
9/21/15	Blog 3	Algorithms		
9/22/15	9	Embedded Systems, Architecture, & FSMs	POTS 7 - Speed: Parallel Computers	3 - Finite State Machine
9/24/15	10	Human Computer Interaction	POTS 8 - Computers that Learn and Adapt	TBD
9/28/15	Blog 4	Computer Systems in Daily Life		
9/29/15	11	History of the Internet	POTS 9 - Beyond Engineering	TBD
10/1/15	12	Software Engineering	TUBES 1 - The Map	Software Diagrams
10/2/15	TOPIC	Topic Research Project / Presentation Due		
10/5/15	Blog 5	Making Meaning - POTS		
10/6/15	13	High Performance Computing	TUBES 2 - A Network of Networks	4 - Parallel Programming
10/8/15	14	Topic Research Presentations	<none>	<none>
10/12/15	Blog 6	TBD		
10/13/15	15	Topic Research Presentations	<none>	<none>
10/15/15	16	Topic Research Presentations	<none>	<none>
10/19/15	Blog 7	Topic Research Response		
10/20/15	17	How the Internet Works	TUBES 3 - Only Connect	Packet Switched Network
10/22/15	18	Programming for the Web	TUBES 4 - The Whole Internet	5 - Web Programming
10/23/15	WIKI	Wiki Article Draft Due		
10/26/15	Blog 8	TBD		
10/27/15	19	TBD	TUBES 5 - Cities of Light	TBD
10/29/15	20	Cryptography	TBD	6 - Cryptography
11/2/15	Blog 9	TBD		
11/3/15	21	Informatics & Big Data	TUBES 6 - The Longest Tubes	Map Reduce
11/5/15	22	Artificial Intelligence	TBD	7 - Mars Rover
11/6/15	WIKI	Wiki Article Final Version Due		
11/9/15	Blog 10	TBD		
11/10/15	23	Computer Graphics	TUBES 7 - Where Data Sleeps	Drawing in Scratch
11/12/15	24	Video Game Design	TBD	Final Project Assigned
11/16/15	Blog 11	Making Meaning - Tubes		
11/17/15	25	Robotics	TBD	Lego Robots
11/19/15	26	Industry Speaker Panel	Speaker Bios & Prep Sheet	<none>
11/24/15		<i>Student Holiday - No Class</i>		
11/26/15		<i>Student Holiday - No Class</i>		
11/30/15	Blog 12	Industry Speaker Response		
12/1/15	27	Cybersecurity	TBD	<work time>
12/3/15	28	Cybersecurity	TBD	<work time>
12/4/15	VIDEO	Video Project Due		
12/7/15	Blog 13	TBD		
12/8/15	29	Video Project Presentations	<none>	Final Project Due
12/10/15	30	The Future	<none>	<none>
12/14/15	Blog 14	Where Do I Go from Here?		