



Introduction to CS491/2 Senior Design Project I/II

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Course Description

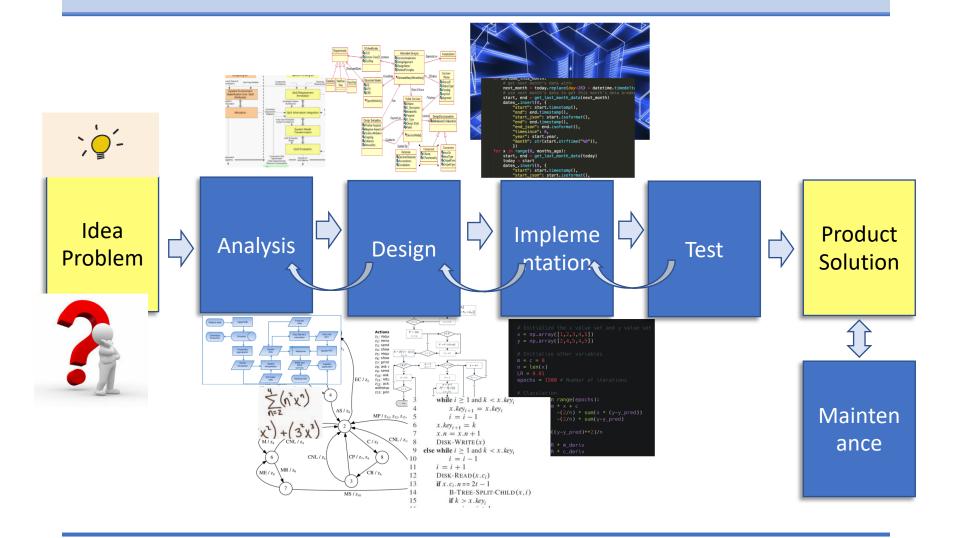
- Capstone design project
- Technical and innovative
- Group project
- Empasizing engineering design principles on a specific topic in any field of computer science and engineering
 - creative components in design
- Two semesters

Course Description

- Students develop their project idea themselves.
- Opportunity to enhance innovation and entrepreneurship skills.
- You should try to use all knowledge and skills you acquired in your computer engineering education. It is a culminating engineering project.
- There will be a project fair at the end as well.
- There will be **awards** in different categories. Various companies sponsor them.



Steps of a typical project



Course Work

- CS491
 - Project specification
 - Analysis
 - High level design
 - Oral presentation + demo

Analysis + Design
Some implementation
Prototyping
Learning tools
Try and See
Code pieces

- CS492
 - Low level design
 - Final report
 - Oral presentation + demo

Design
Implementation
Tests
Improve design

Process

- Before submitting project specification
 - Form a team of 3,4, or 5 students
 - Come up with an innovative project idea (The hardest part)
 - Identify and formulate a novel problem
 - Develop (novel) initial solution ideas
 - Choose a supervisor
 - Supervisor:
 - Assesses the project
 - It is a capstone design project
 - Time and number of members suitable
 - It is innovative
 - Then, assigns you to (or you choose) one of the Innovation Experts

http://www.cs.bilkent.edu.tr/CS491-2/current/innovation/experts.html

Either the problem or the Solution must be novel

Choosing Supervisor

- It is upto you to choose and contact a supervisor.
- A supervisor may take upto 3 teams.
- See the current load of supervisors at course webpage

https://www.cs.bilkent.edu.tr/~cs4912/

Looking for Supervisor

A supervisor should be able to supervise upto 3 teams. If a team sees that a supervisor is already supervising 3 teams, then the team should contact to a supervisor with less number of teams. Below you see links to pages of supervisors showing the teams they are committed to supervise.

[Selim Aksoy] [Mehmet Fatih Aktas] [Can Alkan] [Shervin Arashloo] [Cevdet Aykanat] [Fazli Can] [Ercument Cicek] [Hamdi Dibeklioglu] [Ugur Dogrusoz] [Aysegul Dundar] [Ugur Gudukbay] [Cigdem Gunduz Demir] [Altay Guvenir] [Ibrahim Korpeoglu] [Ozcan Ozturk] [Eray Tuzun [Ozgur Ulusoy]]

Meeting with innovation experts

- Prepare a presentation describing your project
- It should last about 20-30 minutes
- Make an appointment
- Visit the innovation expert
- Present your project
- Ask for suggestions
- Have him/her fill the Assessment of Innovativeness Form

Evaluation of Innovativeness

- Innovation expert will fill the following form:
 - Assessment of Innovativeness Form
 - https://www.cs.bilkent.edu.tr/~cs4912/current/innovation/assessment_of_innovativeness.doc
- Questions:
 - What is the nature of the innovation in the project?
 - Are there similar products, systems, services, or technologies in the market?
 - If there are what are the differences in relevant aspects such as cost, efficiency and usability?
 - Who are the potential users?
- Grade: out of 20. It is 20% of your CS491 grade.
- Return the form to your project supervisor.

Important dates for 2021-2022

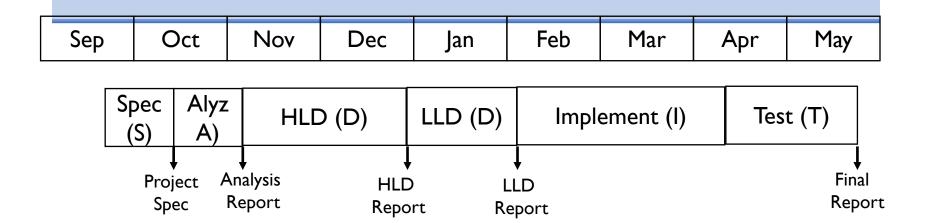
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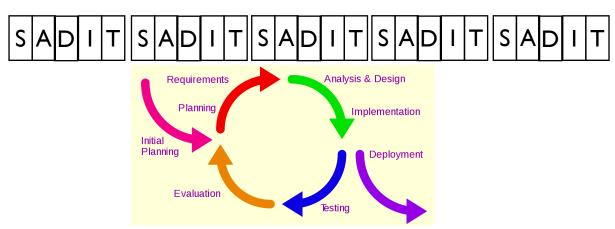
- Below are the specific deadlines set for this academic year.
 - CS491: Project Specification + filled innovation export form + website + info about group and website to dept

 Oct 11, 2021, Monday, 5pm.
 - CS491: Analysis Report: Nov 8, 2021, Monday, 5 pm.
 - CS491: High-Level Design Report: Dec 24, 2021, 5pm.
 - CS491: Presentation and Demo: Last week of the semester (schedule will be announced later).
 - Running code / prototype

- We will also have deadlines in CS492 next semester. We will announce them in the beginning of the next semester.
 - CS492: Low-Level Design Report: TBD
 - CS492: Final Report: TBD
 - CS492: Presentation and Demo: TBD
 - CS Fair: In May or June.

Use Iterative Model





from: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Iterative_and_incremental_development

CS492 in Fall

- CS491-492 will be offered **once** per year.
- CS491 in Fall and CS492 in Spring

CS Fair 2022

- We will have a project fair, called CS Fair, at the end 2021-2022 academic year for 2021-2022 projects.
- Date: last week of Spring 2022 or during/after final exams.
- If face-to-face: Bilkent Hotel.
- If online: zoom based organization.
- Various awards.
 - One of them will be "SUSTAINABILITY AWARD"

Sustainability Year

• Bilkent declared this academic year as "Sustainability Year".

Definition of sustainable

- 1 : capable of being <u>sustained</u>
- **2 a** : of, relating to, or being a method of harvesting or using a resource so that the resource is not depleted or permanently damaged
 - // sustainable techniques
 - // sustainable agriculture
 - **b** : of or relating to a lifestyle involving the use of sustainable methods // sustainable society
- You are encouraged to do projects related with Sustainability

Sustainability Considerations

- Additionally, each project will have a sustainability consideration, like global, economic, ... considerations.
- Write it in the Analysis Report as a separate sub-section.
 (in Section 4.1 of the Analysis Report): Section 4.1.
 Consideration of Various Factors in Engineering Design

Project web page by each team

- Each team is required to prepare a webpage for their project.
- It should contain:
 - Description of the project
 - Team members, supervisor, jury members, innovation expert.
 - All reports.
 - Screen shots, demo.
- We will get the URLs of your pages via a Google form that we will send you later.

Seminars

- Meet I-2 hours per week for seminars.
- This is the first of these seminars.
- Attendance to the seminars is required. There may be a quiz at the end as well.
 - Your attendance + quiz performance will be part of your CS491 grade.
- Seminars are only in CS491.

Related Web Pages

 You can find detailed course information, related documents and forms, and what is expected from teams at the following CS491-2 webpage:

https://www.cs.bilkent.edu.tr/~cs4912/

- Please read everything very carefully.
- Later we will also set up a CS fair webpage (in Spring semester):

http://www.cs.bilkent.edu.tr/~csfair/csfair2021/doku.php/home

- Seminars will be organized by
 - Prof. Selim Aksoy
 - Asst. Prof. Dr. Mehmet Fatih Aktaş
- Teaching Assistant:
 - Mehmet Özkanoğlu
- CS491 jury members
 - I) Your Supervisor
 - 2) Asst. Prof. Dr. Shervin Arashloo
 - 3) Asst. Prof. Dr. Hamdi Dibeklioğlu

•Thank you for listening.

•Questions?