

Administrative Issues



EECS3311 A: Software Design
Fall 2019

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Instructor



- How may you call me?
"Jackie" (most preferred),
"Professor Jackie", "Professor", "Professor Wang", "Sir", "Hey", "Hi", "Hello"
- Office: Lassonde Building 2043
- Office hours: **4pm – 6pm** on **Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays**. Or by appointments.
- When you need advice on the course, speak to me!
- Throughout the semester, feel free to suggest ways to helping your learning.

Class Protocol



- No talking, no mobile – **distracting, disrespectful** to everyone.
- If you feel like talking or using mobile, please **leave**.
- In class: core concepts, examples, **your engagement**
- You'd study the **remaining** slides/notes on your own.
- Speak to me **early** when you have trouble studying!

Writing E-Mails



- Think of me as your **colleague** who is happy to help you learn.
- You want to write to your colleagues with **courtesy**.
- This sounds **very rude** (and may be delayed, if not ignored):

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On the link you sent us for our mark
my mark for lab0 did not appear on it
and i submitted lab0 during my lab session
--
sent from my iPhone
```

- This sounds **much nicer**:

```
Hello Jackie, the link you sent didn't work.
I did submit my lab0. Could you please look into this?
Thanks! Jim
--
sent from my iPhone
```

Course Information



- Lecture materials will be posted on my website:
https://www.eecs.yorku.ca/~jackie/teaching/lectures#EECS3311_F19
- Two muddle sites: <http://moodle.info.yorku.ca/>
 - LE/EECS3311 A & E - Software Design (Fall 2019-2020)
 - Announcement for **both** sections.
 - **Lab instructions** are posted here.
 - Post questions to the Q & A Forum (no sharing of any code for labs).
 - LE/EECS3311 A - Software Design (Fall 2019-2020)
 - Announcement for Section A only.
- Check your emails regularly!

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If You Are Not Enrolled Yet



- Send me an email ASAP requesting access to the course moodle, with your *name*, *student number*, *York Passport ID*.
- Still attend lectures.
- Still complete labs (no extension).

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Course Syllabus



Available on the Moodle site for Section A.

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Lab Tests



- Computer test, based on lab exercises and lecture materials
- Each section has its own lab tests.
- A *guide* will be available prior to the lab test.

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Lab Sessions



- Lab 0 has been posted on the course Moodle.
- I will attempt to come for all lab sessions (and do some **demos** when needed).
- Feel free to ask me other course-related materials.

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General Tips about Studying CS



- To do well, **inspiration** is more important than **perspiration**.
- Hard work does not necessarily guarantee **success**, but no success is possible without **hard work**
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 - Don't be too satisfied just by the fact that you work hard.
 - Make sure you work hard both on **mastering "ground stuffs"** and, more importantly, on **staying on top of what's being taught**.
 - Always **reflect** yourself on **how things are connected**.
 - Be **curious** about going beyond lectures.
 - Be **curious** about why things work the way they do.

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Study Tips

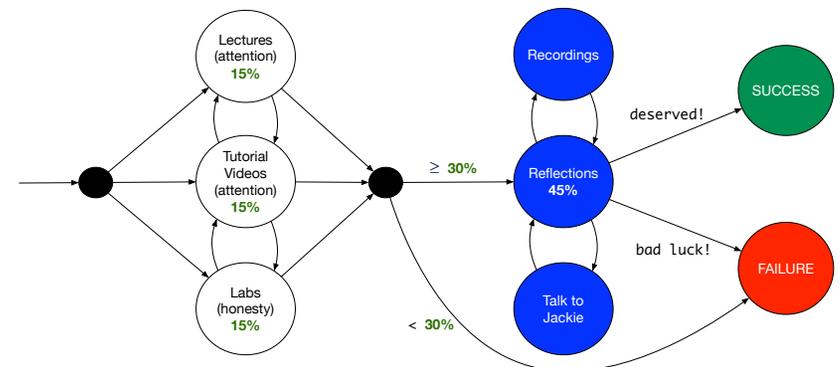


I attempt to record each lecture entirely:

- **Not meant to be a replacement for classes!**
- The purpose of recording is that you can focus on reaching **maximum comprehension**.
 - **Ask questions!**
 - Take (even **incomplete**) notes: they help when re-visiting lectures.

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Academic Integrity



Apply an **Educational** Github account (for *private* repositories)!

The moral code or ethical policy of academia:

- avoidance of cheating or plagiarism;
- maintenance of academic standards;
- honesty and rigor in research and academic publishing.

Pay careful attention to *all* occasions where the submitted work is to be graded and receive credits (i.e., labs, quizzes, assignments, tests, exams).

It is *absolutely not* acceptable if, in any of these occasions, you:

- share your (programming or written) solutions with others;
- copy and paste solutions from elsewhere and claim that they are yours.

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Need Accommodation for Tests/Exams?



- Please approach me (email, in person) as soon as possible, so we can make proper arrangements for you.
- We will work out a way for you to gain the most out of this course!

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