

CS 442/542 Fall 2020

General Information

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Office Hours: MTWHFS 2:00-3:00 (online)
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course website: www.cs.uwlax.edu/~tgendreau/cs442/cs442.html
Canvas course site

Textbook: *Engineering a Compiler 2nd Edition* by Cooper and Torczon

Grading: 200 points: 10 quizzes (best 10 out of 12)
200 points: Homework
100 points: Cumulative final exam
500 total points

Attendance: The class will be taught primarily online. Lectures will be posted on the course web site. Students must listen to all the course lectures. Starting in October we might meet face-to-face on a few Fridays. Students will not be required to meet face-to-face.

A quiz will be given every Friday except September 11 and November 25 (November 25 is the Wednesday before Thanksgiving but it is a Friday class day). Quizzes will be posted on the course web site on Friday morning and will be due at 11:59 PM Friday night. Quizzes will be submitted through Canvas. **No makeup quizzes will be given.** Unusual situations such as multi-week illness will be handled on an individual basis.

Homework: Keep copies of each homework until it is graded.

Grading: The exact grade ranges will not be determined until after the final exam. Estimated grades will be shown after quizzes 4, 8, and 12. Border line point values will be assigned letter grades using the instructor's subjective evaluation of a student's work.

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<https://www.uwlax.edu/info/syllabus/>

UWL Catalog Entry: <http://catalog.uwlax.edu/undergraduate/coursedescriptions/cs/>