



ICE3003: Computer Architecture

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Introduction



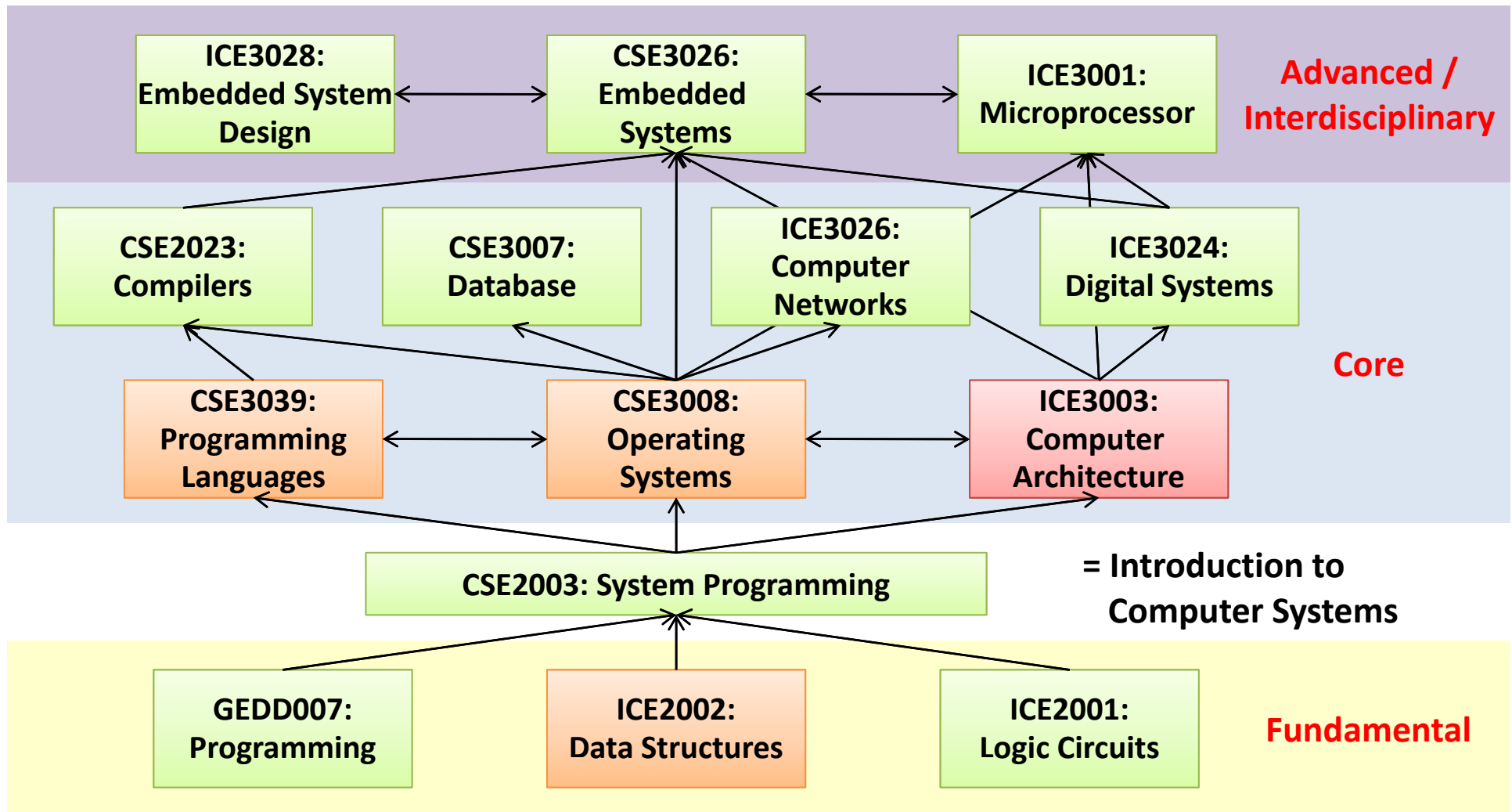
■ Schedule

- 12:00 – 13:15 (Mon), 15:00 – 16:15 (Wed)
- Lecture room #330110 (Semiconductor Bldg.)

■ Instructor

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Computer Systems Track



Prerequisites



- **Prerequisites**

- **CSE2003 (System Programming): Must!**
- ICE2001 (Logic circuits):

- **You should be familiar with the followings:**

- Basics on digital circuits and systems
- x86 instruction set architecture
- x86 assembly programming
- Shells and basic Unix/Linux commands
- C programming skills

Course Plan



- **Lectures**

- Basic concepts

- **Projects**

- Will be announced later

- **Exams**

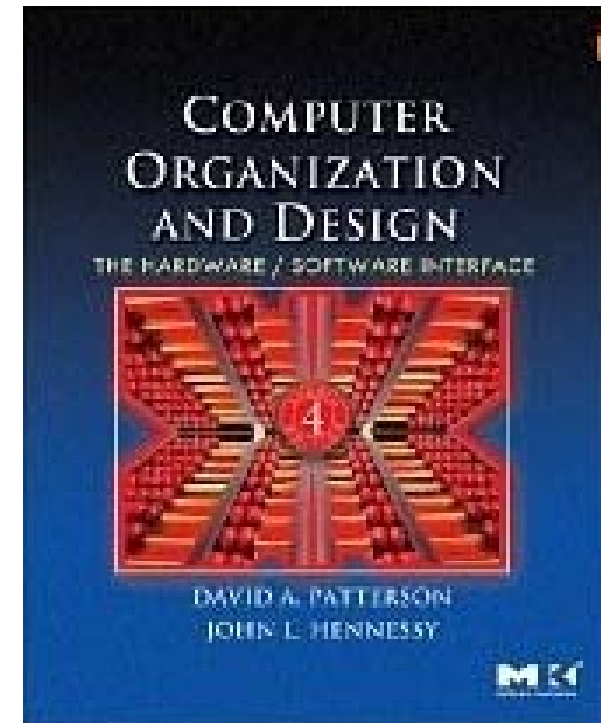
- **Course Homepage**

- <http://csl.skku.edu/ICE3003F09/Overview>

Textbook

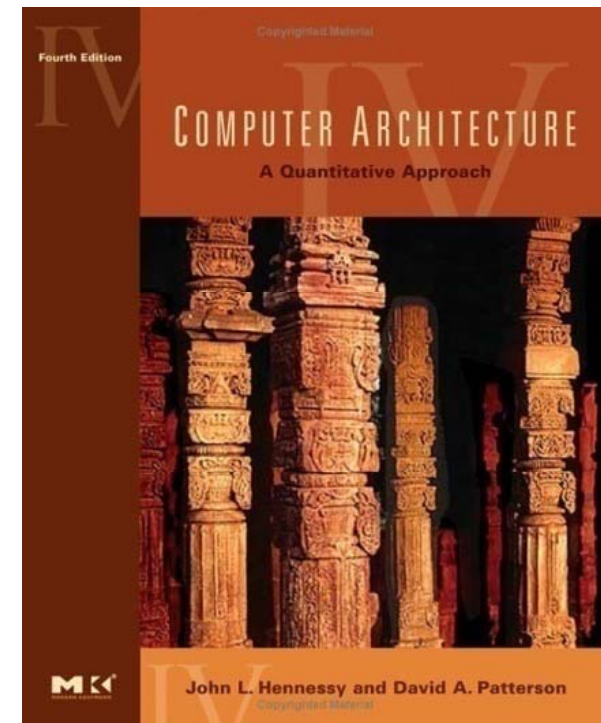
- **Computer Organization and Design –
The Hardware/Software Interface**

- David A. Patterson and
John L. Hennessy,
4th Edition,
Morgan Kaufmann Publishers,
2009.



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- **For Advanced Computer Architecture:**
 - **Computer Architecture – A Quantitative Approach**
John L. Hennessy and David A. Patterson,
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2007.

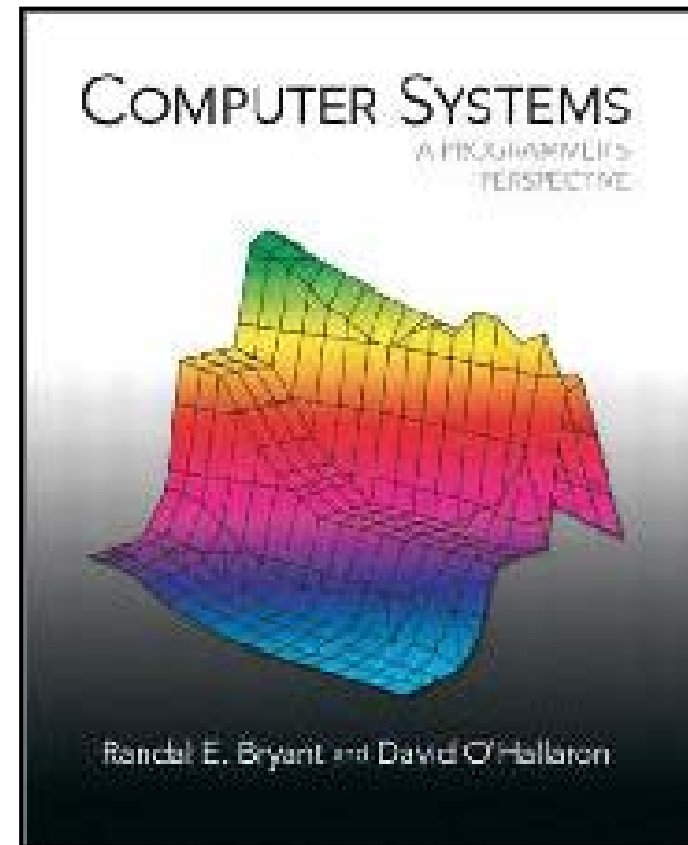


References (2)

- **For Introduction to Computer Systems:**

- **Computer Systems: A Programmer's Perspective**

Randal E. Bryant and
David R. O'Hallaron,
Prentice-Hall, Inc.
2003.



Class Policies (1)

- **Grading Policy (subject to change)**
 - Midterm exam: 30%
 - Final exam: 30%
 - Projects: 30%
 - Class attendance: 10%

Class Policies (2)

■ Class Attendance Policies

- If you miss one or both of exams, you will fail this course.
- The seat you select for the first class of each month will be your assigned seat for the rest of the month
- Do not be late! You should be present when I take class attendance.
- You have four "tokens"; these tokens can be used for unexcused absences and for excused absences as well.

Academic Integrity

■ Cheating

- What is cheating?
 - Sharing code: either by copying, retyping, looking at, or supplying a copy of a file.
- What is NOT cheating?
 - Helping others use systems or tools.
 - Helping others with high-level design issues.
 - Helping others debug their code.
- Penalty for cheating:
 - Anyone who involved in cheating will fail this course and get disciplinary actions from the University.
- Ask helps to me or TAs if you experience any difficulty!

Topics



- Overview
- MIPS instruction set architecture
- Arithmetic for computers
- Processor – datapath & control
- Pipelining and hazards
- Cache memory
- Virtual memory
- Storage and I/O
- Multiprocessors

World's Tallest Lego Tower

- **Legoland Windsor, UK**
 - May 2 – 5, 2008
 - To celebrate 50th anniversary of the Lego bricks
 - 100ft (~ 30.5m)
 - 500,000 bricks



Pentium 4 – 125M Transistors

