



**King Fahd University of Petroleum & Minerals**  
College of Computer Sciences and Engineering

**ICS 103: Computer Programming in C (2-3-3)**

**Syllabus – Summer Semester 2010-2011 (103)**

**Website:** Blackboard (WebCT)

**Lecture Time, Venue and lecture Instructor Information:**

Sec.	Time	Venue	Instructor	Office Hourse
01	SUMT 9:20-10:10	24-146	<b>Dr. AIMAN EL-MALEH</b> Office: 22-407-5 Phone: 03-860-2811 E-mail: <a href="mailto:aimane@kfupm.edu.sa">aimane@kfupm.edu.sa</a>	SUMT 11:30-12:30am Office hours can also be arranged by appointments
02	SUMT 10:30-11:20	24-165	<b>Dr. AIMAN EL-MALEH</b> Office: 22-407-5 Phone: 03-860-2811 E-mail: <a href="mailto:aimane@kfupm.edu.sa">aimane@kfupm.edu.sa</a>	SUMT 11:30-12:30am Office hours can also be arranged by appointments
03	SUMT 10:30-11:20am	22-132	<b>Mr. FAISAL ALVI</b> Office: 23-058 Phone: 03-860-1869 E-mail: <a href="mailto:alvif@kfupm.edu.sa">alvif@kfupm.edu.sa</a>	UT 12:15-1:30pm Office hours can also be arranged by appointments
04	SUMT 09:20-10:10am	24-106	<b>Mr. R. PUTU</b> Office: 23-TBA Phone: 03-860-4027 E-mail: <a href="mailto:raharja@kfupm.edu.sa">raharja@kfupm.edu.sa</a>	TBA
05	SUMT 08:10-09:00am	24-106	<b>Dr. FARAG AZZEDIN</b> Office: 22-107 Phone: 03-860-3431 E-mail: <a href="mailto:fazzedin@kfupm.edu.sa">fazzedin@kfupm.edu.sa</a>	SUMT 09:10-10:00am Office hours can also be arranged by appointments

**Lab Time, Venue and Lab Instructor Information:**

Sec.	Time	Venue	Instructor	Office Hourse
51, 52	SUMT 14:10-16:50pm	23-015	<b>Mr. Ejaz Ahmed</b> Office: 22-411-1 Phone: 03-860-1141 E-mail: <a href="mailto:eahmed@kfupm.edu.sa">eahmed@kfupm.edu.sa</a>	SUMT 12:10-01:00pm Office hours can also be arranged by appointments
53	SM 14:10-16:50pm	22-335	<b>Mr. FAISAL ALVI</b> Office: 23-058 Phone: 03-860-1869 E-mail: <a href="mailto:alvif@kfupm.edu.sa">alvif@kfupm.edu.sa</a>	UT 12:15-1:30pm Office hours can also be arranged by appointments
54	UT 14:10-16:50pm	22-335	<b>Mr. R. PUTU</b> Office: 23-TBA Phone: 03-860-4027 E-mail: <a href="mailto:raharja@kfupm.edu.sa">raharja@kfupm.edu.sa</a>	TBA
56	UT 14:10-16:50pm	22-333	<b>Dr. FARAG AZZEDIN</b> Office: 22-107 Phone: 03-860-3431 E-mail: <a href="mailto:fazzedin@kfupm.edu.sa">fazzedin@kfupm.edu.sa</a>	SUMT 09:10-10:00am Office hours can also be arranged by appointments

## Course Catalog Description

Overview of computer hardware and software; Programming in C with emphasis on modular and structured programming technique; Problem solving and algorithm development; Simple engineering and scientific problems. Note: ICS 103 cannot be taken by ICS/SWE students.

**Co-requisites:** MATH 101 or MATH 132

## Objectives

- To provide engineering students with basic knowledge of programming in C and problem solving.

## Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of the course, you should be able to:

- Understand and find the output of simple C programs that incorporate different types of variables, expressions (arithmetic and logical), selection, and iteration.
- Understand and find the output of more complex C programs containing arrays and invoking (calling) functions having input and output arguments using pointers.
- Design and implement simple programs using basic syntax of C language such as assignment, expressions, selection, and iterations.
- Practice modular programming by developing more complex C programs made of functions passing data between them using arrays, input, and output arguments.

## Lab Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of the lab, you should be able to:

- Use effectively software tools.
- Comprehend theoretical concepts through practical examples.
- Strengthen programming capabilities in the construction of software systems of varying complexity.
- Enhance teamwork and communication skills.
- Engage in continuing professional development.

## Required Material

- C Program Design for Engineers, 2/e, by Jeri R. Hanley & Elliot B. Koffman. Addison Wesley, 2001.
- Lecture and Lab Handouts

## Other Recommended References

- Problem Solving and Program Design in C, 6/e, by Jeri R. Hanly & Elliot B. Koffman. Addison Wesley, 2009. (Latest edition of the textbook)
- C for Engineers and Scientists: An Imperative Approach, by Harry H. Cheng. McGraw Hill, 2009.
- Engineering Problem Solving with C, 3/e, by Delores M. Etter, 2005.
- C Programming: A Modern Approach, 2/e, by K. N. King, 2008.
- C How to Program, 5/e, By Deitel & Deitel, 2007.
- C Programming Language, 2/e, by Brian W. Kernighan & Dennis M. Ritchie. Prentice Hall, 1988.

## Assessment Plan

Assessment Tool	Wt
Lab: Lab assignments (0.5%*12 = 6%), 3 Lab Quizzes (2%+2%+3%), Lab Project 7%	20%
Lecture quizzes	10 %
Homework assignments	10 %
Class Participation and Discussions in WebCT	5 %
Major Exam 1 (Wed. July 13, at 7:00 pm-9:00 pm)	15 %

Major Exam 2 (Wed. Aug 3, at 10:00 pm-12:00 am)	15 %
Final Exam (comprehensive) [Date: as announced by the registrar]	25 %

### Tentative Schedule

Wk#	Lecture		Lab (Mr. Alvi's Section: 53)	
	Covered Topics	Readings	Topics	
1	Overview of Computers and Software	1.1-1.5	Lab0: Introduction of lab course & check login & passwords & Distribution of Syllabus	
	Overview of C	2.1-2.2		
	Assignment, Input and Output	2.3-2.5	Lab1: Introduction of C-Program & how to run & compile it.	
	Arithmetic Expressions	3.1-3.3		
2	Simple Standard Functions	3.4,3.5	Lab2: Data Types	
	Selection	4.1-4.5		
	Selection (cont.)	4.6-4.7	Lab3: Expressions	
	Repetition	5.1-5.5	<b>Lab Quiz 01 Due (Monday 4/July/2011)</b>	
3	Repetition (cont.)	5.6-5.8	Lab4: Selection	
	Repetition (cont.)			
	Data Files	2.6	Lab5: Repetition	
	Function with input Arguments	6.1		
4	Function with input Arguments (cont.) (2 lectures)	6.1	Lab6: Data Files	
	Functions with output parameters (Using pointers)	6.3 , 6.5	<b>Lab Project Assigned</b>	
	Recursive Functions	6.6	Lab7: Functions (with input parameters)	
5	1-D Array	7.1-7.3		
	1-D Array elements as Function arguments	7.4	Lab8: Functions (functions with output parameters using pointers & recursive functions)	
	1-D Array elements as Function arguments (cont.)	7.4	<b>Lab Quiz 02 Due (Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2011)</b>	
	1-D Arrays as Function Arguments (cont.)	7.5	Lab9: 1-D Array (How to read & write elements in 1-D array)	
6	1-D Arrays [Linear & Binary Search (Iterative & recursive methods), Sorting (bubble & Selection sort)]	7.5		
	Strings	7.6	Lab10: 1-D Array (How to use 1-D array with functions)	
	Strings (cont.) (2 lectures)	7.6	Lab11: 1-D Array (Linear & Binary (Iterative & Recursive both) Searching) & Selection & Bubble Sort)	
7	Introduction of 2-D Array	8.1		
	2-D Array	8.2,8.3	Lab12: Strings	
	2-D Array (cont.) (2 lectures)		<b>Lab Quiz 03 Due (Monday 01<sup>st</sup> August 2011)</b>	
			Lab13: 2-D Array	
			<b>Lab Project Due</b>	

## Additional Notes

- **Labs:** Lectures and labs are integrated and they complement each other. To pass this course, the student must pass the lab-component of the course. The requirements for the lab project will be discussed in the lab.
- **Course Website & Participation:** Students are required to periodically check the course website and download course material as needed. Several resources will be posted through the website as well. Keys to quizzes and exams will be posted on WebCT. WebCT will be used for communication and interaction, posting and submitting assignments, posting grades, posting sample exams, etc. It is expected that you get benefit of the discussion board by raising questions or answering questions put by others.
- **Attendance:** Regular attendance is a university requirement; hence attendance will be checked at the beginning of each lecture and lab. Late arrivals will disrupt the class session. Hence, two late attendances (more than 10 minutes) will be considered as one absence. Missing more than 9 lectures or three or more unexcused labs will result in a DN grade without prior warning. To avoid being considered as absent, an official excuse must be shown no later than one week of returning to classes. Every three unexcused absences lead to a loss of 0.5% of total grade.
- **No makeup of homework, quizzes or exams will be given.**
- **Re-grading policy:** If you have a complaint about any of your grades, discuss it with the instructor no later than a week of distributing the grades (except for the final). Only legitimate concerns on grading should be discussed.
- **Office Hours:** Students are encouraged to use the office hours to clarify any part of the material that is not clear; however the instructor will only provide hints if it is an assigned task but not solve it.
- **Academic honesty:** Students are expected to abide by all the university regulations on academic honesty. Cheating will be reported to the Department Chairman and will be severely penalized. Although collaboration and sharing knowledge is highly encouraged, copying others' work without proper citation, either in part or full, is considered plagiarism. Whenever in doubt, review the university guidelines or consult the instructor. Cheating in whatever form will result in F grade.
- **Courtesy:** Students are expected to be courteous toward the instructor and their classmates throughout the duration of this course. Talking while someone else is speaking will not be tolerated. Furthermore, all cell phones must be turned off during class and exams. In addition, students are expected to be in class on time. More importantly, you are not allowed to leave the class unless it is an urgent matter. To contact your instructor, please use email through WebCT whenever possible and avoid using phone calls or written notes. When necessary to send an email through the university email system, please indicate ICS103-083 in the "Subject" field of your email, e.g. ICS103-03: Question about homework 1.

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