NTU 902 10730: Object Oriented Software Design

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Three Warnings Before (Signing for) the Course (1/3)

警告: High Expectations

- goal of NTU OOP class:
 as good as the best ones in the world
- 7-8 homework sets, midterm, final
- possibly time-consuming programming assignments

be prepared to work hard!

Three Warnings Before (Signing for) the Course (2/3)

警告: Strict Instructor

- Will you give me a second chance if I copy homework from other people? No.
- Could you let me pass because I will be kicked out by the 1/2 rule? No.
- Will you change my score from 59 to 60? No.

be prepared to follow the rules!

Three Warnings Before (Signing for) the Course (3/3)

警告: Uncertain Outcome

- first-time teaching this course, lots of uncertainties
- How many people will not pass? I don't know yet.
- Will your investment (time) get good return (knowledge)?
 No guarantees, but I'll try my best.

be prepared to take some risks!

Wise Words

給資訊系的同學們: 努力加油 給想加簽的同學們: 審慎考慮

Basic Information

- instructor: 林軒田, Hsuan-Tien Lin (htlin@csie.ntu.edu.tw)
- office hour: after class or by appointment
- course webpage:
 https://ceiba.ntu.edu.tw/972oop_even
 announcements, homework, reference handouts, etc.
- discussion forum: hyperlink on course webpage (supported by CEIBA)
- mailing list: supported by CEIBA

Update your secondary email address on CEIBA!

THE Principle

Taking any unfair advantages over other class members is not allowed. It is everyone's responsibility to maximize the level of fairness.

- eating? fine, but no smells and no noise
- sleeping? fine, but no snoring
- cellphone? fine, but silent mode, and speak outside
- ...

applies to instructor, TAs, students

Honesty

NO CHEATING

NO LYING

NO PLAGIARISM

very very very serious consequences

Grade

- homework, midterm, final
- supplementary reference: participation in discussions
- score to be normalized with the other class

from the principle: no individual score change

Collaboration and Open-Book

- homework discussions: encouraged
- but fairness?write the final solutions alone and understand them fully
- references (books, notes, Internet): consulted, but not copied from
- no need to lend/borrow solutions

to maximize fairness (everyone's responsibility), lending/borrowing not allowed

Homework

- students: justify solutions clearly
- TAs: evaluate solutions fairly
- no individual extension unless not violating the principle (e.g. institute-established cases of illness or emergency)
- late penalty:
 80% of value for one-day late, 60% for two-days late, ...

three penalty-free late days per person

Sign Up

- CSIE students:
 原則上不能換班 有意願者可找單班同學一對一交換
- none-CSIE students:
 有空間的話會容許加簽 會儘量採用單雙學號分班;
 一樣請先登記,下星期會決定結果

Important TODOs

- Sign up if you want to be added
- Update your secondary email address on CEIBA
- Read the policy thoroughly
- Do homework 0 and send the instructor emails for questions

Enjoy the Class!