ELEC 519B Selected Topics in Computer Communication  
– Broadband and Wireless Networks  
Term – Spring 2017 (201701)

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Days: Mon/Thu  
Time: 13:00-14:20

Course Objectives  
The goal of the course is to introduce the fundamental concepts, tools and methodologies in networking research, and how to apply them to solve practical and emerging problems.

Learning Outcomes  
- Multimedia traffic modeling, wireless channel modeling, radio resource management, mobility management, and end-to-end flow and congestion control

Syllabus  
- This course focuses on resource management and protocol design for transporting data and multimedia traffic in broadband and wireless communication networks. Topics include multimedia traffic modeling, wireless channel modeling, radio resource management, mobility management, and end-to-end flow and congestion control. The goal of the course is to introduce the fundamental concepts, tools and methodologies in networking research, and how to apply them to solve practical and emerging problems. Students are encouraged to investigate novel ideas in the area via course projects.

A-Section(s):  A01 / CRN 21200; A02/ CRN 21201  
Days: Mon/Thu  
Time: 14:30-15:50

Location: CLE A308

Optional Text  
Title: Multimedia services in wireless Internet: Modeling and analysis  
Author: Lin Cai, Xuemin Shen and Jon W. Mark  
Publisher: Wiley  
Year: 2009

Reference:  
Assessment:
Assignments: 20%  Due Dates: Jan. 30, Feb. 20, Mar. 13, Mar. 23
Presentation 20%
Quiz: 15%  Date: April 3, 2017
Final Exam 45%

Note:
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Course Lecture Notes
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