CPE 390: Microprocessor Systems Spring 2018

Lecture 0 Course Organization & Introduction

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Course Organization

• Course instructor:

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• Course web site:

http://personal.stevens.edu/~backland/Courses/Course390_Spring_18.htm

• Will use Canvas for Announcements and Gradebook only

Course Organization

• Course schedule:

Tuesday 3:00 – 4:40 pm: Burchard 118 Thursday 1:00 – 1:50 pm: Babbio 122

January 17 - May 3

• Office Hours:

Wednesday 9:30 am – 11:30 am Thursday 10:00 am – 12:00 noon

Other times by appointment (or just drop by)

Laboratory Course

• Lab schedule:

- Monday 390LA: 390LB: Thursday 390LC: Friday
- 390LD:
- Monday

- 1:00 pm 3:30 pm:
- 9:00 am 11:30 am:
- 3:00 pm 5:30 pm:
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- Burchard 123 (29) Burchard 123 (2) Burchard 123 (9) Burchard 123 (30)

• First Lab. starts in 5th week

 Please email me a list of all (2-hour plus) slots you are available Mon-Fri, 9-6

Grading & Exam Info

- Grading Information
 - -- Attendance (5%)
 - -- Midterm examination (20%)
 - -- Homework (20%)
 - -- Laboratory Assignments (25%)
 - -- Final examination (30%)

Up to 2 grade points will be given to students who participate in class

• Exam times:

Midterm: Tuesday, March 20 @ 3:00 pm Final: *to be announced*

 Students will be able to use lecture notes & Huang text book during exam

Homeworks

- Students are allowed to discuss assignments and collaborate on best approach to solve problems.
- Once discussion has taken place, each student must individually prepare his/her own assignment submission
- Is it OK to:
 - ask a fellow student for help in understanding how to attack a problem? YES
 - get together with a group of 2-3 colleagues and share ideas on how to approach problems? YES
 - copy another student's answers? NO
 - work with another student(s) to prepare a group solution which each submit independently? NO

Textbook:

HCS12/9S12 An Introduction to Software and Hardware Interfacing, *2nd. edition*, Han-Way Huang, Publisher: DelMar Cengage Learning, ISBN: 1-4354-2742-4, 2010

Recommended references:

(1) *Microcontroller Theory and Applications, 2nd. edition,* D. Pack and S. Barrett, Pearson Prentice Hall, ISBN 0-13-615205-8, 2008

(2) *Computers as Components,* W. Wolf, Elsevier, ISBN: 0-12-369459-0, 2005.

Course Objectives & Outline

Outline:

- Microprocessors and Microcontrollers
- CPU, registers, ALU, memories
- Machine code and Assembly Programming
- Data structures
- Subroutines
- Input-Output and Interrupts
- Timers, Serial I/O and A/D Conversion

Goal:

- Understand how microprocessors & programmable hardware really work
 - at the lowest level
- Be able to use microprocessors to quickly design and build efficient embedded systems
 - whether you're programming in C, C++, assembler, Java,... 8

Sources

These lectures notes are based on the following sources:

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- [2] Y. Meng, Microprocessor Systems Lecture Notes
- [4] Y. Zhang, Microprocessor Systems Lecture Notes