

**CI 484**

**Multimedia for Learning**

**Fall 2007**

**INSTRUCTOR**

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**DESCRIPTION**

An introduction to the evaluation, design, and development of interactive instructional multimedia programs. The instructional methods of Tutorial, Drill-and-Practice, Simulation, and Games are covered. Instructional theory and design principles are covered. Projects include designing, developing, and use-testing an interactive instructional multimedia program.

Between-class discussion and activities use the ci484 forum. It is the students' responsibility to check the forum regularly.

**OBJECTIVES**

After completing CI 484, students will be able to:

- Describe the basic principles of behavioral, cognitive, and constructivist learning theories.
- Compare various media, methods, instructional strategies, testing strategies, and delivery systems.
- Evaluate interactive multimedia instructional programs.
- Work with a client to assess audience, objectives, budget, and production schedule to develop a multimedia program.
- Design and develop an interactive multimedia program that meets a particular instructional need.

**PROJECTS**

Group projects involve planning, designing, and presenting a multimedia instructional program. A key attribute of multimedia designers is the ability to work in groups and students will be evaluated on this aspect.

**TEXT**

Alessi, S. M., & Trollip, S. R. ((2001). *Multimedia for learning: Methods and development* (3<sup>rd</sup> edition). Allyn and Bacon: Boston.

**OFFICE HOURS**

Tuesday, 1-4 pm and Wednesday, 1-3 pm. Also by appointment.

**GRADING**

The following activities will receive grades as shown below:

- Participation (including on-line forum).....10%
- Activities (primarily multimedia evaluations).....20%
- Mid-term..... 30%
- Projects.....40%

### Schedule for Fall 2007

Week	Topic	Assignment (for class)
8/22	Introduction to Interactive MM	
8/29	Discussion – ID principles Multimedia Checklist	Ch. 1-3 – General Principles
9/5	Tutorials	Ch. 4 – Tutorials / <b>Tutorial evaluation</b>
9/12	Formative Evaluation	Project 1 – <b>Tutorial Project (rough)</b>
9/19	Tutorial Revision (in-class)	Project 1 – <b>Tutorial Formative Eval /</b>
9/26	Drill Activity	Ch. 6 - Drills
10/3	Games (drill-based)	Ch. 8 – Games
10/10	Games (simulation)	<b>Drill or Game evaluation</b>
10/17	Spring Break	
10/24	Simulations	Ch. 7 – Simulations / <b>Sim. Evaluation</b>
10/31	Mid-term exam Project 2 - Introduction	Review Ch. 1-4, 6-8
11/7	Project 2 – Proposal Planning	Ch. 12-15 (selected) <b>Project Proposal due</b>
11/14	Project 2 – Group Work	<b>Project Storyboard / Flowchart due</b>
11/21	Thanksgiving Break	
11/28	Project 2 – Group Work	
12/5	Project 2 – Presentations	<b>Final Project due</b>
Finals	Presentations (backup)	

**This schedule is subject to change.**