

COP 3502 - 4/20/22

FOUNDATION EXAM INFO DAY

WEBSITE - My website link (Google "Anp Guha")
- Foundation Exam Info

[CS.UCF.EDU/computer-science/#foundation-exam](https://cs.ucf.edu/computer-science/#foundation-exam)

- ① ONLY REQUIRED OF COMPUTER SCIENCE MAJORS!
- ② ELIGIBLE TO TAKE THE EXAM FOR ONE YEAR (12 MONTHS) AFTER YOU PASS COP 3502 WITH A C OR HIGHER.
- ③ GIVEN THE FIRST SATURDAY OF EVERY SEMESTER, (USUALLY RESERVE 9AM-1PM).
- ④ IF YOU PASS COP 3502 THIS SEMESTER, YOU CAN TAKE THE SUM 2022, FALL 2022 AND SPRING 2023³, (MAY) (AUG) (JAN)
- ⑤ IF YOU CHOOSE NOT TO SHOW UP, YOU DON'T GET AN EXTRA OPPORTUNITY. (SAME ELIGIBILITY!)
- ⑥ SAS - Sign up with CS FIRST, THEN SIGN UP WITH SAS. [CLOSED ON SATURDAY]
⇒ ALL STUDENTS ON FRIDAY [DAY BEFORE]

EXAM STRUCTURE / RULES

- ① DURATION = 2 HOURS
- ② 4 SECTIONS : A, B, C, D
Get these at once at beginning.
~~Each~~
- ③ Each section has 3 questions; two are worth 10 pts, one is worth 5 pts.
- ④ Each question comes from a specific topic
⇒ Go to Exam Outline on the website
- ⑤ AIDS: Formula Sheet on Website
NO CALCULATOR, we'll provide scratch paper.

How TO SIGN UP: GO TO website
Click "Ready to Sign Up"

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: WED NOON BEFORE
EXAM - Double Check you typed email correctly.

MY STUDY TIPS

For those in class right now:

After final exam, assess your strengths + weaknesses.

Pick 2 or 3 weaknesses to work on

- go back over notes
- do some practice questions from old exam
- review your soln vs posted ones.

If weakness is code related, type up something (LL or BST insert) from scratch, test on your own.

Take 1 Practice Exam

DAY OF EXAM TIPS

SLEEP WELL MULTIPLE NIGHTS BEFORE!

DECENT BREAKFAST (NO BUFFET)

READ ALL QUESTIONS BE 30 MIN MARK.

- FIRST PASS only do fast questions.
- SECOND PASS do all question you're sure of.
- THIRD PASS hit all other questions trying to make deductions, partial credit, maybe you're figure some of it out.

TWO EXTREMES

- TUNNEL VISION 1 QUESTION
- THRASHING BETWEEN TOO MANY Qs

⇒ FIND HAPPY MEDIUM

AFTER EXAM

- ① Results found online - link off FND EXAM website
- ② If you pass $\Rightarrow$ assigned advisor
- ③ Meet w/advisor to discuss a plan of study
- ④ Either you or advisor submit plan to Jenny Shen.
- ⑤ Jenny send email w/instructions to register for COT 3960 on myUCT.
- ⑥ Follow the instructions.
- ⑦ Then you can sign up for COP4331, COT4210, etc.