




CSCI 3410 | Systems Programming

PROF. SIBIN MOHAN

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Administrivia

Class Schedule

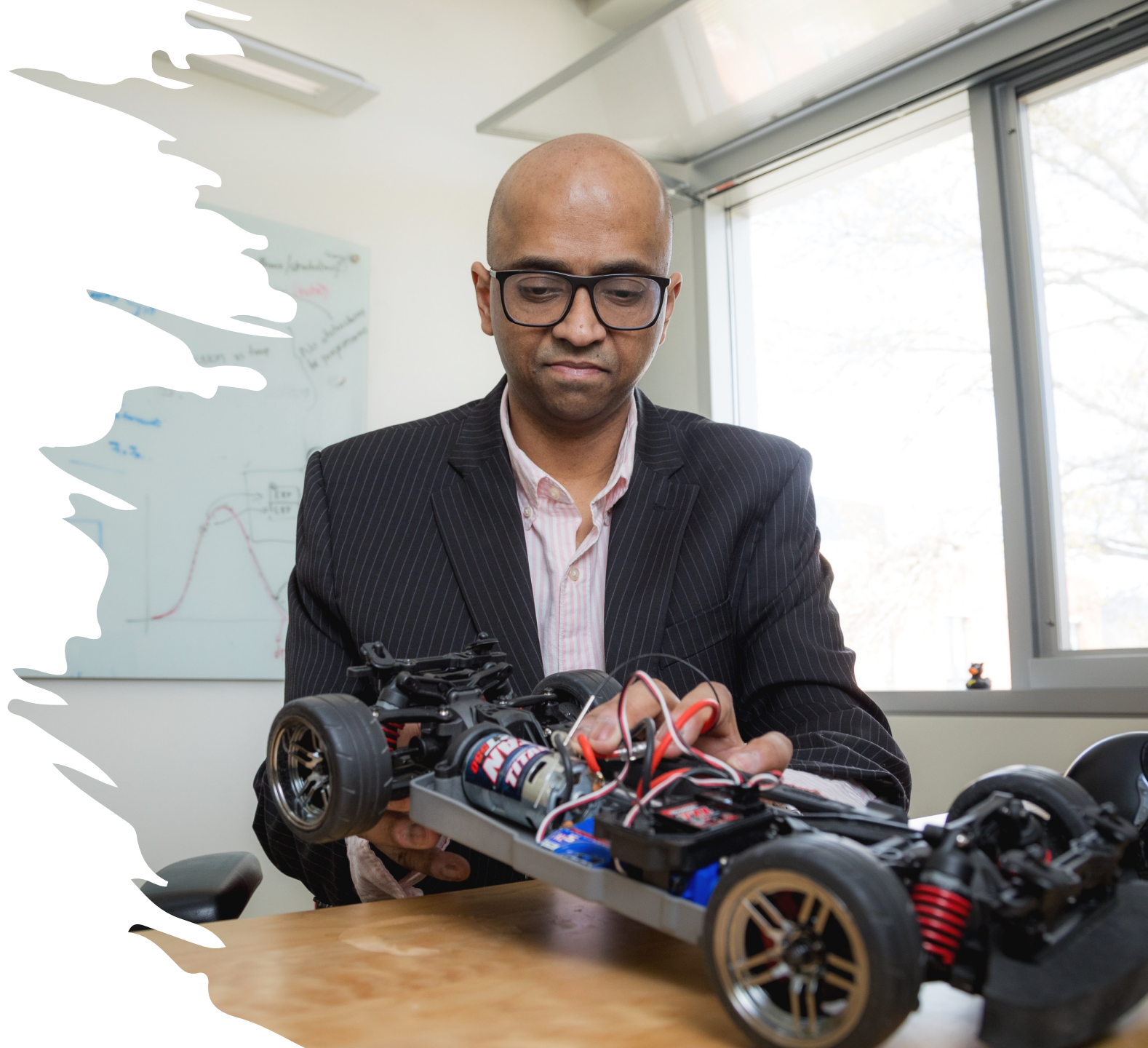
- Tuesdays and Thursdays
- 3:45 PM – 5:00 PM
- Location: 1957 E **B12**

Lab Schedule

- Mondays
- 10:00 AM – 11:15 AM
- **Three** sections
- SEH1300, SEH1400, SEH 4040

Course Staff

- Instructor: **Prof. Sibin Mohan**
 - Associate Professor, Computer Science Dept.
 - Research interests: security, systems
 - Other interests: photography, travel
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Office Hours [Sibin]

- Thursdays, 1—2 PM
- Location: 5th Floor Common areas
- TA Office Hours TBA

Course Content

- Design/implement C programs
- Construct applications from libraries
- Communicate with system services
- Composition as a fundamental design concept
- Programs/processes
- UNIX abstractions

Learn the fundamentals of system design!

Course Structure

- Lectures: concepts, in-class exercises
- Labs: hands-on, in-depth exploration of concepts

- Homeworks [5]
- Tests+Quizzes [TBD]

Grading

Category	Percentage
Homeworks	70%
Tests/Quizzes	20%
Participation	10%

Grading [contd.]

- **Extra credit** for finishing early!
- Negative points for not following exact instructions
- Script-based automated grading!

Resources

- Course website
- GitHub – also used for assignment submissions!
- Discord
- Blackboard

Academic Honesty

- DO NOT
 - Copy/share code
 - Look at others' code!
- Feel free to discuss/talk with your classmates
- Always ask (Prof/TA) when in doubt!