



UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY
FACULTY OF SCIENCE
DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE
COURSE OUTLINE

1. **Course:** SENG 607.08: Analytical Software Project Management

Lecture Sections:

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Office Hours: T 15:30-16:30

Course Website: http://ruhe.cpsc.ucalgary.ca/teaching.htm#SENG607_08

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2. **Prerequisites:** Consent of Department
(<http://www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/computer-science.html#3620>)
3. **Grading:** The University policy on grading and related matters is described in sections F.1 and F.2 of the online University Calendar. In determining the overall grade in the course the following weights will be used:

Assignments (2 worth 20% each)	40%
Course Project (Scoping, Presentations, Report)	50%
Participation and Discussion	10%

This course **will not** have a Registrar's Scheduled Final Exam.

Special Regulations affecting the Final Grade: None.

4. **Missed Components of Term Work:** The regulations of the Faculty of Science pertaining to this matter are found in the Faculty of Science area of the Calendar. Section 3.6. It is the student's responsibility to familiarize themselves with these regulations. See also Section E.6 of the University calendar.
5. **Scheduled Out-of-Class Activities:** REGULARLY SCHEDULED CLASSES HAVE PRECEDENCE OVER ANY OUT-OF-CLASS-TIME ACTIVITY. If you have a clash with this out-of-class activity, please inform your instructor as soon as possible so that alternative assignments can be arranged.
6. **Course Materials:**
Software Project Management in a Changing World, G. Ruhe, C. Wohlin (eds), *Springer* 2014
<http://www.springer.com/computer/swe/book/978-3-642-55034-8>

The Art and Science of Analyzing Software Data, C. Bird et al (eds), *Morgan & Kaufmann* 2015

Online Course Components:

See course webpage.

7. **Examination Policy:** None. Students should also read the Calendar, Section G, on examinations.
8. **Approved Mandatory and Optional Course Supplemental Fees:** None.
9. **Writing across the Curriculum Statement:** In this course, the quality of the student's writing in the weighted components of the course will be a factor in the evaluation of these components. See also Section E.2 of the University Calendar.
10. **Human Studies Statement:** Students will be expected to participate as subjects or participants in projects. See also Section E.5 of the University Calendar.

11. OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS:

- a) **Misconduct:** Academic misconduct (cheating, plagiarism, or any other form) is a very serious offense that will be dealt with rigorously in all cases. A single offence may lead to disciplinary probation or suspension or expulsion. The Faculty of Science follows a zero tolerance policy regarding dishonesty. Please read the sections of the University Calendar under Section K, Student Misconduct to inform yourself of definitions, processes and penalties.
- b) **Assembly Points:** In case of emergency during class time, be sure to FAMILIARIZE YOURSELF with the information on assembly points which can be found in each classroom and building.
- c) **Student Accommodations:** Students needing an Accommodation because of a Disability or medical condition should contact Student Accessibility Services in accordance with the Procedure for Accommodations for Students with Disabilities available at http://www.ucalgary.ca/policies/files/policies/procedure-for-accommodations-for-students-with-disabilities_0.pdf. Students needing an Accommodation in relation to their coursework or to fulfil requirements for a graduate degree, based on a Protected Ground other than Disability, should communicate this need, preferably in writing, to the Associate Head of Computer Science.
- d) **Safewalk:** Campus Security will escort individuals day or night (<http://www.ucalgary.ca/security/safewalk/>). Call 403-220-5333 for assistance. Use any campus phone, emergency phone or the yellow phones located at most parking lot pay booths.
- e) **Freedom of Information and Privacy:** This course is conducted in accordance with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FOIPP). As one consequence, students should identify themselves on all written work by placing their name on the front page and their ID number on each subsequent page. For more information see also <http://www.ucalgary.ca/secretariat/privacy>
- f) **Student Union Information:** VP Academic (403) 220-3911 suvpaca@ucalgary.ca SU Faculty Rep (403) 220-3913 science1@su.ucalgary.ca, science2@su.ucalgary.ca and science3@su.ucalgary.ca, Student Ombuds Office: (403) 220-6420 ombuds@ucalgary.ca, <http://ucalgary.ca/provost/students/ombuds>
- g) **Internet and Electronic Device Information:** You can assume that in all classes that you attend your cell phone should be turned off unless instructed otherwise. All communications with other individuals via laptop computers, cell phones or other devices connectable to the internet in not allowed during class time unless specifically permitted by the instructor. If you violate this policy you may be asked to leave the classroom. Repeated abuse may result in a charge of misconduct.
- h) **U.S.R.I.:** At the University of Calgary feedback provided by students through the Universal Student ratings of Instruction (USRI) survey provides valuable information to help with evaluating instruction, enhancing learning and teaching, and selecting courses (www.ucalgary.ca/usri). Your responses make a difference – please participate in USRI surveys.

Department Approval _____ Date _____

Associate Dean's Approval for
out of regular class-time activity: _____ Date: _____

Associate Dean's Approval for
Alternate final examination
arrangements: _____ Date: _____

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SENG 607.08 Percentage to Letter Grade Conversion Table

A+	95-100
A	90-94
A-	85-89
B+	80-84
B	75-79
B-	70-74
C+	65-69
C	60-64
C-	55-59
D+	50-54
D	40-49
F	0-39

SENG 607.08 Syllabus

Tentative Topics Covered

Week 1: Motivation, course overview and introduction

Week 2: Analytical methods, Part 1

Weeks 3 and 4: Course project: Scoping a literature review as part of projects presentations.

Topic: Analytical methods in

- Time management
- Cost and effort management
- Human resource management
- Communications management
- Risk management

Week 5: Analytical methods, Part 2

Week 6 and 7: Tool support (Assignment 1, Demo presentations for one of the software project management knowledge areas, using existing R, SPSS or SAS software packages)

Week 8: Advanced analytical methods 1

Week 9: Advanced analytical methods 2

Week 10 and 11: Industrial case studies (Assignment 2, studies from literature)

Week 12 and 13: Course project presentations and discussion