



FOUNDATIONS TO COMPUTER SYSTEMS DESIGN

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TYPE OF COURSE : Rerun | Core | UG/PG

COURSE DURATION : 12 weeks (18 Jan' 21 - 09 Apr' 21)

EXAM DATE : 24 Apr 2021

INTENDED AUDIENCE : Undergraduate/Post Graduate students

INDUSTRIES APPLICABLE TO : All core computer science and engineering and computer hardware company – Intel, AMD, NVidia, Redhat, etc

COURSE OUTLINE :

The Computer Architecture and Organization, Operating Systems, and Compilers are three fundamental pillar courses for both Computer Science and Engineering; and, Electrical and Electronics engineering students. The current course presents a cross-layer view of the three pillars, which help the student appreciate the contributions, interactions and challenges related to each of these pillars from the view of the total systems engineering.

ABOUT INSTRUCTOR :

V. Kamakoti is a Professor at Department of Computer Science and Engineering, IIT Madras. He specializes in the area of Computer Architecture and embedded systems, VLSI design and Information Security.

COURSE PLAN :

- Week 1:** Introduction to Boolean Logic
- Week 2:** Introduction to Boolean Algebra
- Week 3:** Introduction to Sequential Logic
- Week 4:** Machine Language Specification
- Week 5:** HACK – A Simple Computer Microarchitecture
- Week 6:** Assembly Language Fundamentals
- Week 7:** Introduction to Stack Based Virtual Machine
- Week 8:** Language and Interpreter for Virtual Machines
- Week 9:** Introduction to JACK – High Level Language
- Week 10:** Front-end JACK Compiler
- Week 11:** Back-end JACK Compiler
- Week 12:** Introduction to Operating Systems