

Accounting Information Systems
52:010:432 Section 01
Spring 2018
Tuesday and Thursday 3:35 – 4:55
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Course Objectives: Understanding organizations (their activities, processes, and the information needs of organization stakeholders) is the focus of this course. This course strives to prepare accounting professionals for the information age. Students will learn the skills necessary to support the various accounting information customers, and develop competence in contributing to the inter-disciplinary team effort of justifying, designing, implementing, maintaining, and evaluating accounting information systems (the infrastructure that supports the production and delivery of accounting outputs).

Prerequisite(s): 52:010:305 Intermediate Accounting

Materials: Accounting Information Systems by James A. Hall 9th edition.
Additional materials will be on Sakai.

Class Preparation: Be prepared to spend 6 to 9 hours each week preparing for this class (studying and homework).

Grading Scale: Grades will not be rounded.

A	100 – 90.0%
B+	89.9 – 87.0%
B	86.9 - 80.0%
C+	79.9 – 77.0%
C	76.9 – 70.0%
D	69.9 – 60.0%
F	59.9 – 0.0%

STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

Students who are seeking an accommodation because of a disability are directed to the website <http://learn.camden.rutgers.edu/disability/disabilities.html> or they can contact the Camden campus Disability Coordinator, Mr. Tim Pure at 856-225-6442, Armitage Hall Room 362. The email address is disabilityservices@camden.rutgers.edu. All contact will be considered confidential.

Grade Weights:

Homework Assignments	15%
Classwork Assignments	5%
Intro Database Project	10%
Final Database Project	20%
Exam 1 (Transaction Processing)	15%
Exam 2 (REA)	20%
Exam 3 (Microsoft Access)	15%
Total	100%

Homework:

Homework assignments must be typed up and turned in during class. Late assignments will not be accepted, unless accompanied by a documentable excused absence. Chapter homework includes all of the multiple choice questions and 2 discussion questions of your choice. REA homework assignments are not in the book and will be provided on Sakai.

Classwork:

Classwork assignments are completed during class. Classwork assignments cannot be made up, unless accompanied by a documentable excused absence. If a student has a planned absence, he or she may receive half credit for classwork that is completed and uploaded to the dropbox prior to class. It is the student's responsibility to ask for the assignment ahead of time.

Database Projects:

The **introduction database project** is designed to familiarize students with Microsoft Access and expose students to relational databases as they learn about related concepts.

The **final database project focuses** on designing and extracting the information content from relational databases. Students may work individually or with a partner to complete this project. The project is completed in 2 phases. Each student should complete the entire project and each student is responsible for understanding all aspects of the project.

Exams:

Each exam has a different format.

- Exam 1 (transaction processing) will be a combination of multiple choice, true/false, and short answer questions.
- Exam 2 (REA) requires the completion of a REA diagram and a conversion chart.
- Exam 3 (Microsoft Access) will be held during final exam week and requires several tasks to be completed in Microsoft Access.

Code of Conduct:

- Academic integrity will be held to Rutgers standards.
<http://academicintegrity.rutgers.edu/integrity.shtml>
- Anyone who creates a classroom disturbance will be asked to leave.
- Please refrain from using obscene language during class.

- Please adhere to the student code of conduct,
<http://policies.rutgers.edu/PDF/Section10/10.2.11-current.pdf>

Course schedule: The course schedule is provided on a separate document and is subject to change. The most current version of the schedule will be maintained on Sakai.