CS465/565
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Course Material

• Databases
  – Theory (relational database theory)
  – Design (normalization, entity-relationship diagrams, indices)
  – Hands-on Experience (mySQL)
Course Material (cont)

• Scripting Languages/Web Programming
  – HTML
  – CSS
  – Php: server side programming
  – Javascript: Client side
    • Node.js: server-side
Course Personnel

• Brad Vander Zanden
  – MK 312
  – Office Hours: T 2-3, R 3:30-4:30
  – email: bvanderz@utk.edu -- only personal things, like needing to miss an exam
TAs

• **Elvis Offor:**
  – grading
  – office hours
  – late requests (answer is probably no)

• Contact info is on course web-site
Where to Find Things

• web.eecs.utk.edu/~bvz/cs465:
  – General Course Information
  – Assigned Readings
  – Lecture Slides
  – Homework Assignments

• piazza.com: Course announcements and discussions
  – do not send me email—post to piazza instead

• canvas:
  – Homework and project submissions
  – Quizzes
Textbook

• Database Systems: A Practical Approach to Design, Implementation, and Management, 6th Ed. by Thomas Connolly and Carolyn Begg

• Web Programming: ebook by Zyante
Grading

Grading Scale:

A: 90-100
B: 80-90
C: 70-80
D: 60-70
F: < 60

Pluses may be given for composite scores near the top of the range and minuses may be given for composite scores near the bottom of the range. I sometimes curve letter grades based on your final composite score.
## Elements of Your Grade

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Key Dates

• Midterm: Tuesday, Oct. 16
• CS565 projects due: Nov. 21 @ 6am
• Final: Fri, Dec. 7, 12-2pm