CSCI427/CSCI927 Service-Oriented Software Engineering

Subject Introduction Service-Oriented Computing: Preliminaries

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Lecture and Tutorial

Lecture

Wednesday 8:30 – 9:30

Lecture/Tutorial

- Wednesday 9:30 11:30
 - First part is continuing lecture, second part is tutorial/workshop (note: sometimes this order is swapped)
 - No tutorial/workshop in Week 1 and Week 13

Subject objectives

On successful completion of this subject, students will be able to:

- Build service-oriented systems and describe their architecture.
- Identify appropriate software engineering methodologies and tools that apply specifically to service-oriented systems and exploit them.
- Apply a range of techniques and tools for the management and maintenance of service-oriented systems.
- Discuss the R&D challenges and open questions in the area.

Topics

- Service-Oriented Computing: Preliminaries
- Service Modelling
- Business Process Modelling and Management
- Service Design, Composition, Interoperation
- Service-oriented architectural patterns
- Enterprise Service Architectures
- Semantic processes and services
- Service change management
- Service analytics
- Service compliance management
- Case studies + Modern industry trends

Resources

Lectures

PDF files with slides from lectures

Assignments

Supplementary materials

One-stop shop: Moodle

Overall assessment

- **Quiz (5%)**
 - Week 6 Tutorial
- Group project (40%)
 - Progress report Weeks 4 & 8 Tutorial.
 - Final deliverables and project presentations Week 12.
- Examination (55%)
 - Technical Fail
 - To be eligible for a Pass in this subject a student must achieve a mark of at least 40% in the Final Examination.
 - Students who fail to achieve this minimum mark & would have otherwise passed may be given a TF (Technical Fail) for this subject.

The group project

Group size: 6 people

Formation of groups is your responsibility.

- You will have to form a group ASAP, and submit details of group membership by the end of Week 2.
 - Go to the Moodle site of the subject and you will see a link for group registration.
 - Only 1 registration per group.
 - Registration will be closed by the end of <u>Week 2</u>.
- A forum has been created on Moodle which you can use to find other students to form a group for the project

Q & A

- Q: Can we obtain a HD in this subject?
 - A: "Yes, we can!"
- Q: Great! Sounds easy but how?
 - A: Sure, you need to do exercises in the Lab, work hard on the project and do well in the exam.
- Q: Of course, but still how?
 - A: Yes, you need to attend the lectures <u>regularly</u> (very important in this subject), read reference texts, and read Lecture slides.
 - You should also do Lab exercises
- Q: Hmmm, it's not that easy but it's ok, I can do it in just only 1 week before the exam, huh?
 - A: No, you have to do it every week.
- □ Q: Oh no, it's so difficult ⁽²⁾. I don't want a HD anymore, I just want a P. So less work?
 - A: Yes, but you still have to do the same things.

Service Oriented Computing

- Read this paper and answer the following questions and provide an example for each answer:
 - <u>Service -Oriented Computing: Concepts, Characteristics</u> and Directions" by Mike P. Papazoglou

You can also find this paper under the "Additional Materials" on Moodle.



Service Oriented Computing (cont.)

What is a service?

- What are service characteristics?
- What are the two main service types?
- What are the differences between a service and a software functionality?
- What is a service provider?
- What is a service client/consumer?
- What is a service registry?



Service Oriented Computing (cont.)

- What is a service interface?
- What is a service specification?
- What is the differences between service deployment and service realization?



Service Oriented Computing (cont.)

- What is a service aggregator?
- What is service composition?
- Provide a real-life example of this model. The example should be different from the ones in the paper.

