COSC 4750, Systems Programming and Administration    Spring 2016

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Grading: Grades will be based on the percentage listed below and curved at the end of the semester. There will be no extra credit.
Lab          25%
Homework    25%
Midterm Exam 25%
Final Exam  25% (comprehensive)

Lecture Course Web page:    http://www.cs.uwyo.edu/~seker/

Texts:
Required: A Practical Guide to Fedora and Red Hat Linux, Mark Sobell, Prentice Hall
Optional: Linux Administrator Handbook, Nemeth, Prentice Hall
Optional: Learning Perl, Schwartz & Christiansen, O'Reilley

Labs and Homework:
This course has a mandatory one-hour lab session each week. Attendance at labs is required. You MUST attend the lab in which you are enrolled. Labs can be completed during a single session, except for writing up results which should be done outside of the labs. Some preparation maybe required for labs – specifications for these will be noted before the lab.

Other programming or homework assigned in lecture will be due AT CLASS TIME on the date specified for each assignment. Late homework will not be accepted without an official excused absence from class on the due date. DO NOT TURN HOMEWORK INTO THE COMPUTER SCIENCE OFFICE or you will receive a zero on the assignment.

There WILL be homework due for credit during the last week of class.

Academic Honesty:
Assignments are designed to be completed independently. UN IREG 802 defines academic dishonesty and specifies the penalties. Collaboration and discussion are acceptable, but you MUST report the names of everyone who helps you.

Also use of cell phones, pagers, and other devices that beep must be silenced during class, unless necessary for emergencies.