

Computer Science Course Restrictions for Fall 2020 Courses

Students should follow our Advising PIAZZA: piazza.com/illinois/other/csadvising

Piazza is the location department will announce if there are additional seats being released on a day not specified within this document.

- During the 2020-2021 academic year (i.e., Fall 2020 and Spring 2021), the CS Department is committed to providing enough capacity in the core courses for our minor (CS 125, CS 173, and CS 225) to accommodate all students who are interested and who meet the prerequisites.
- **Some seats will be reserved for graduate and transfer students.** The instructor and advisors cannot give overrides for these reserved seats. If any seats remain after the graduate and transfer students have registered they will be released on the first day of classes.
- **If a section says "Closed," it is full at that time and we will not be providing overrides even if Enterprise lists remaining seats.** Many CS courses have multiple sections/crosslists, which share all of the seats for the entire course. If one section says there are remaining seats, those seats are likely occupied by students in another section. To know actual seats remaining in a cross-listed course, you must look at the XL remaining number in Enterprise (Self-Service).
- **For online sections you must read the course notes in Enterprise/Course Explorer or the online UIUC class schedule to find out if you are eligible to register for the section. (This includes City Scholar sections):**
<https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule>
- **The CS Academic Office will not create or manage wait-lists.**
- **Engineering undeclared** and **DGS PREP** has a specific section to register for in 125, 173, 225 & 233.
- CS students who intend to register for a **CS 397** Individual Study, **CS 497** Team Project or **CS 499** Senior Thesis should go to the following link and complete the form after speaking with CS (or CS affiliated) faculty member who will supervise their Individual Study/project/thesis:
<https://cs.illinois.edu/academics/undergraduate/undergraduate-forms>
- **CS 400-level courses (unless otherwise listed)** If the course is cross-listed with another department the CS section will be restricted to students in CS programs and the crosslisted section to those within the other department.
- **Grad-level courses for undergrads:** If the course has both a 3- & 4-hour sections, 4-hour sections are generally restricted to graduate-level students. Any undergraduate wanting the graduate-level 4-hour section or a 500-level course must request approval from the instructor. To obtain this, students must email the instructor to ask for approval through the webtools: <https://forms.illinois.edu/sec/9582046> you must include your NetID and UIN with the request to instructor. Requests will be reviewed and overrides given by the Friday before classes begin. **If the course has an undergraduate section you must have a seat in the undergrad section until the department reviews the requests. If the course is filled with graduate students and the course sections appear "Closed," the class is full to capacity and we cannot add more students.**

GRAD STUDENTS

- **CS GRAD STUDENTS:** If there is a grad section of the course, students should register for the grad section and request an hour change after 10th day by stopping by CS Graduate office.
- **Non-CS GRADS:** CS will open GRAD seats to all GRADS on August 28th
- **Non-CS GRAD students wanting 100, 200, or 300 level CS courses** must submit a request here
<https://go.cs.illinois.edu/FA20GradPrereqs>. Any request submitted after 9am on the September 4th (the add deadline) will not be reviewed/approved for Fall 2020 semester.

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July 11-August 3: student self-service registration closed while course explorer is updated

July 14: students can view revised time tickets in student self-service

August 1: majority of changes to classes should be complete to view in course explorer

August 3-14: currently enrolled and new degree seeking students will have a time ticket allowing revision of their schedules, if needed

These dates have been set by the university and are subject to change if decided upon the university.

All CS undergrad courses that are listed as online will be open to all students starting August 3 with the following exceptions:

- CS 196 section 25 will open after the first day of classes and the instructor has informed you about the section in your CS 125 lecture
- CS 126 and CS 242 will remain open to only those within CS Engineering or one of the &CS+ majors
- Only DGS PREP and Engineering Undeclared that have been advised to register for their designated sections will be allowed to register for those courses and they will not open to other major at a later date CS 125 ALP, CS 173 ALP & CLR, CS 225 ALP & ALR CS 233 ALP & ALR with CS 126 SLP only being available to Engineering Undeclared
- CS 107, 265, 413, 439, 481 & 483 (along with CS 549 & 572) are crosslisted with but not controlled by CS, and you must follow the restrictions set by the department that owns the course

CS undergraduate courses offered on-campus in the Fall 2020

- August 3-19 any CS course that offers an on-campus section will only be open to CS ENG and &CS+ majors
- August 19th any course that is offering an in-person section will be opened to all undergrads; this is done manually and will be completed by 5 p.m.
- Once on-campus sections are full there will be no seats added to those sections

Any 400 level that is required of majors besides CS GENG will have same access as CS GENG.