

ICS 421 : Database Systems (3 cr.)			
Description	Principles of enterprise database processing in a multi-user environment. Students will address issues associated with a enterprise database processing with respect to user authentication and development in an application/internet environment. Approaches to concurrent processing using cursor definition and ANSI isolation levels are presented with established acceptable risk levels.		
Prerequisites	321 , or consent		
Learning Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● understand methods and implementation of user authentication, privileges and roles for major DBMSs. ● be able to process a database via SQL and application programs ● be able to use current technology and products for publishing databases using Internet technology with ODBC, OLE DB, ADO, and ASP or related functions ● understand and use algorithms in dealing with concurrent processes in a multi-user environment with major DBMSs ● implement cursor types and isolation levels for accepted risk levels. ● be able to use database XML and other features for materializing complex row-set views. ● understand data mining, data warehouse, and OLAP cube concepts in support of functional and strategic management levels. 		
Topic List	#	Topic	Lecture Hours
	1	Introduction to Multi-user Databases	3.0
	2	Networks, Multi-tier Architectures	3.0
	3	ODBC (JDBC), OLE DB, ADO, and ASP (JSP) framework structure	4.0
	4	Authentication, roles and privileges	3.0
	5	Concurrent-processing issues	3.0
	6	Isolation levels and Cursor definitions	2.0
	7	Concepts of XML Schema and understand their importance to database processing	4.0
	8	nature and problems of distributed database processing	3.0
	9	concepts of database backup and recovery	3.0
	10	Data mining principles	3.0
	11	Data Warehouse principles	3.0
	12	OLAP Cube and understand its relationship to database processing principles	3.0