

Changes to CSE Degrees

for CSE EdC, July 8 2016

Why the Changes?

- ✦ prompted by ...
 - ✦ new core syllabus (from Jingling's WG)
 - ✦ accreditation requirements (ACS/EngAust)
 - ✦ CBA \$\$\$ for Security Stream
- ✦ needed revision of ...
 - ✦ BE(Hons) streams, CS program (+Sec), MIT program
- ✦ starting in 17s1 (CS maybe 17s2)

New CS Degree

- ✦ incorporate new courses (incl. capstone)
- ✦ revise “majors” as complete streams
 - ✦ allowing re-use in other contexts e.g. dual awards
- ✦ try to ensure same degree of flexibility
- ✦ some streams dropped
- ✦ some former core courses now elective

New BE(Hons) Degrees

- ✦ Bioinformatics/Computer/Software Engineering
- ✦ all BE(Hons) degrees are majors under 3707
- ✦ needed to incorporate new courses
- ✦ required re-arrangement of some schedules

New MIT Programs

- ✦ current program very flexible, only one core
- ✦ ACS required guaranteed core + capstone
- ✦ defined core (based on de facto existing core)
- ✦ defined streams as core + prescribed electives
- ✦ added capstone project course (no new courses otherwise)

New Courses

- ✦ COMP1511 Intro to Programming (C)
- ✦ COMP1521 Comp Systems Fundamentals (C,Asm)
- ✦ COMP1531 Software Eng Fundamentals (Python)
- ✦ COMP2511 OO Design and Programming (Java)
- ✦ COMP2521 Data Structs and Algorithms (C)
- ✦ **all** students in **all** CSE programs take these

New Courses (cont)

- ✦ COMP3900 Computer Science Project
 - ✦ capstone course for CS program
- ✦ COMP9900 Information Technology Project
 - ✦ capstone course for MIT program
- ✦ both are team-based system-building courses

New Courses (cont)

- ✦ COMP6[48]41 (Extended) Security Engineering
- ✦ COMP6[48]43 (Extended) Web App Security & Testing
- ✦ COMP6[48]45 (Extended) Digital Forensics
- ✦ COMP6447 System & Software Security Assessment
- ✦ COMP6448 Security Engineering Masterclass
- ✦ COMP6449 Security Engineering Professional Practice

Retired Courses

- ✦ COMP1917 Computing 1 (to COMP1511)
- ✦ COMP1927 Computing 2 (to COMP2521)
- ✦ COMP2911 Eng Design ... (to COMP2511)
- ✦ SENG1031 SE Workshop 1 (revised SE Workshops)

New CompSci Rules

- total 144UOC, 3 years full-time
- must take one of the following majors (all 96UOC)
 - COMPA1 Computer Science (default)
 - COMPD1 Database Systems
 - COMPE1 Electronic Commerce
 - COMPI1 Artificial Intelligence
 - COMPJ1 Programming Languages (new)
 - COMPN1 Computer Networks
 - COMPY1 Security Engineering (new)
- 6 x Free Electives, 2 x GenEd

New CompSci Rules (cont)

Core:

- ✦ COMP1511, COMP1521, COMP1531
- ✦ COMP2511, COMP2521, COMP3121
- ✦ COMP3900, COMP4920
- ✦ MATH1081, MATH11x1, MATH12x1

Note: dropped COMP2121 and COMP2041 as core

New CompSci Rules (cont)

COMPA1 stream (default)

- Core + 5 x COMP3+

COMPD1 (Database) stream

- Core + COMP3311 + 3 x DB Electives + COMP3+

COMPN1 (Networks) stream

- Core + COMP3331 + 3 x Net Electives + COMP3+

Other streams have similar structure

Note: dropped Streams with insufficient electives: *Games, HCI, Robotics*

New BE (Hons) Rules

- ✦ All BE(Hons) streams are 168 UOC
- ✦ Core:
 - ✦ COMP1511, COMP1521, COMP1531
 - ✦ COMP2511, COMP2521, Ethics, Thesis
 - ✦ MATH1081?, MATH11x1, MATH12x1
- ✦ $x < 3$ x Free Electives, 2 x GenEd
- ✦ rest depends on major (BINF, CompENG, SENG)

New BE Stream Rules

Bioinformatics Engineering (BINFAH)

- Core + BINFxx + Bio + Chem + ... + 12UOC COMP3+

Computer Engineering (COMPBH)

- Core + COMPxx + Elec + Phys + ... 30UOC COMP3+

Software Engineering (SENGAH)

- Core + SENGxx + COMP2xx + ... 24UOC COMP3+

New MIT Rules

Core

- ✦ COMP9021, COMP9024, COMP9311, COMP9331
- ✦ GSOE9820, COMP9900

Electives

- ✦ 10 x COMP4+ electives (determined by major)
- ✦ above must include 6 x Advanced Disciplinary (AQF9)

New MIT Majors

- ✦ COMPCS - Information Technology (96UOC)
- ✦ COMPBS - Bioinformatics (96UOC)
- ✦ COMPDS - Database Systems (96UOC)
- ✦ COMPES - e-Commerce Systems (96UOC)
- ✦ COMPGS - Geospatial Systems (96UOC)
- ✦ COMPIS - Internetworking (96UOC)
- ✦ COMPSS - Data Science & Engineering (96UOC)

New MIT Majors (cont)

COMPCS major (default)

- Core + 10 x COMP4+ electives

COMPDS (Database) stream

- Core + 3 x DB Electives + 7 x COMP4+ electives

COMPIS (AI) stream

- Core + COMP9414 + 3 x AI Electives + 6 x COMP4+ electives

Other streams have similar structure