## CIT314 - Multimedia Design and Production Course Syllabus

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<td>Assist. Prof. Dr. Seren Başaran</td>
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This course utilizes the Moodle course management system to share information and resources. To access the course site, log on to this link: [http://elearning.gau.edu.tr](http://elearning.gau.edu.tr) and select the course from list of courses. All course materials will be posted here.

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<td>Course Objectives</td>
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<td>1. Learn how learning theories influence the development of multimedia product</td>
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<td>2. Explore a brief history of multimedia in education;</td>
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<td>3. Develop competencies in designing and creating interactive multimedia applications by explaining how elements of these applications reflect a theory of how learning will occur;</td>
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<td>4. Work with all aspects of text, audio, images and video;</td>
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<td>5. Learn the phases involved in multimedia planning, design and production;</td>
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<td>7. Be able to use various multimedia authoring tools</td>
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<td>8. Be able to design and create interactive multimedia products</td>
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<td>9. Develop competencies in designing and producing instructional multimedia</td>
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<td>10. Apply contemporary theories of multimedia learning to the development of multimedia products</td>
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<td>11. Evaluate existing multimedia products that can be used to design instructional and informational material.</td>
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<td>12. Analyze instructional and informational media (print materials, audio/visual materials and/or web-based materials, games/simulations, etc.)</td>
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13. Apply theory and principles of learning, instructional
design, and perception to the design of instructional media
products
14. Demonstrate proficiency with common software
applications used to create multimedia assets

### Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of the course, students should be
able to:

**Knowledge and understanding:**
1. Understand the concepts and processes which underpin the
design and development of multimedia products.
2. Understand the techniques and technologies used in the
development of multimedia solutions.

**Intellectual / cognitive skills:**
3. Plan the development of an idea into the realisation of a product.
4. Design and implement multimedia solutions.

**Practical, research and independent learning skills:**
5. Use appropriate tools for the design, development and
creation of digital media artefacts.
6. Locate relevant information from a variety of sources and
assimilate, interpret and apply knowledge.
7. Can positively influence educational improvement through
altering classrooms, schools, and school systems.
8. Learn how to be proactive and reflective

**Transferable / key skills:**
9. Manage time and prioritise workloads
10. Communicate effectively through written and electronic
means
11. Function effectively in diverse educational settings with
competencies that are instrumental to planning,
implementing, assessing, and re-evaluating existing or
proposed practices
12. Become successful decision makers, lifelong learners and
adaptive
13. Work collaboratively
14. Culturally sensitive and empathetic

### Course Content

Introduction of course development software, electronic
courseware planning, design and development stages, screen
design principles, digital image/audio/video software,
animation, user interaction, feedback techniques, navigation,
multimedia courseware packaging, evaluation. Creating,
publishing and evaluation of multi-media applications. This
course introduces students to the design and production
process of developing interactive multimedia, a combination
of text, sound, animation, graphics, and video. Students will be
given an opportunity to work with a variety of software
including programs used for sound and video production,
multimedia presentations & image editing.
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<td>Introduction to Multimedia and Hypermedia. Brief history of multimedia, benefits, examples of multimedia, hypermedia, hypertext. Differences between these three terms</td>
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<td>Functions of Graphics How can we improve multimedia learning? <em>Techniques for Reducing Extraneous Processing</em> Coherence principle Signaling principle Redundancy principle Spatial contiguity principle Temporal contiguity principle</td>
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<td><em>Techniques for Managing Essential Processing</em> Segmenting principle Pre-training principle Modality principle <em>Techniques for Fostering Generative Processing</em> Personalization principle Voice principle</td>
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<td>Creating Multimedia Text, Sound, Images, Video and animation</td>
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<td>Principles of Stack Design</td>
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<td>Publishing Multimedia Planning and Costing Designing and Producing Delivering</td>
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<td>Multimedia Learning in Advanced Computer-Based Contexts Multimedia Learning with Animated Pedagogical Agents Multimedia Learning in Virtual Reality Multimedia Learning with Games, Simulations, and Microworlds Multimedia Learning with Hypermedia Multimedia Learning in e-Courses</td>
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<td>Advanced Multimedia Principles Guided-discovery Worked out example Collaboration Self-explanation Animation and interactivity Navigation Site map Prior knowledge Cognitive aging</td>
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**Textbook/Recommended Readings**

- Adobe Fireworks CS5 Classroom in a Book: Adobe Training book
- Audacity. The Free, Cross-Platform Sound Editor (http://audacity.sourceforge.net)
### ASSESSMENT METHODS

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| Percentage of Classroom Activities | 65 |
| Percentage of Final Activities    | 35 |
| **TOTAL**                          | 100|

**Calculation work load within the framework of learning, teaching and evaluation activities**

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**COURSE ECTS CREDIT=Total Work Load (hour) / (30 hour/ECTS)= 153 / 30 = 5**

### Programme and learning outcomes
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**Contribution Level:**
1. very low
2. low
3. medium
4. high

Additional Information about the Assignments (100 points each):
Individual projects are assigned to students on a specific topic and at a given grade level that is previously determined by the instructor.
Students should apply the principles of multimedia learning, instructional and visual design, and the pedagogical principles during the production of each project.
Assignment 1: Students will create an instructional poster by using Adobe Fireworks/Photoshop on a given topic assigned by the instructor.
Assignment 2: Students will create an instructional audio podcast by using Audacity on the same topic.
Assignment 3: Students will create a video including an introduction of the topic by recorded by themselves, relevant images with provided background music and related videos on the subject matter.
Assignment 4: Students will create an interactive multimedia game on the same topic by using Scratch.
CITT Department Programme Outcomes

1. Having adequate level of knowledge and skills in current/new computing and educational technologies.
2. Having sufficient communication and teaching skills in teaching profession.
3. Being able to teach updated computing technologies efficiently in English.
4. Being able to identify information technology problems through using various analysis and synthesis.
5. Being pragmatic to develop and apply persistent information technology solutions to educational and business problems.
6. Being able to use critical and computational thinking skills to produce alternative solutions at every level of project development life-cycle.
7. Being capable to work in disciplinary and interdisciplinary teamwork.
8. Being sensitive, reactive and responsive to professional, social and ethical issues. Having social and ethical awareness in teaching and in providing solutions to problems.
9. Having adequate level of knowledge and skills in current/new computer hardware, operating systems and computer networks.
10. Adequate level of knowledge and skills in current/new programming languages, programming paradigms (procedural and object-oriented) and programming environments (visual, console-based programming).
11. Being able to analyse, plan and manage educational software design and project development.
12. Having the capability of evaluating and criticising educational software design and development.
13. Adequate level of knowledge in using and integrating current/new e-learning and distance education systems such as learning management systems (LMS).
14. Having sufficient skills and knowledge in using instructional technology and material design.
15. Having skills to apply and use special teaching approaches, theories, teaching strategies, methods and techniques (such as to those people with disabilities).
16. Using appropriate measurement and evaluation techniques to assess students' learning and development in addition to supporting them with good level of feedback.
17. Having sufficient knowledge in the process of establishment of Republic of Turkey. Identifying social, cultural, political and economic problems through understanding Ataturk’s principles and revolution.