

CS169: Operating Systems Project

Course Information and Syllabus Semester I, 2009–2010

Format	Half-credit lab course
Sessions	Occasional Tuesday evenings, 8–9pm The first meeting is on September 29.
Room	CIT 165
Notes	Handed out in class
Corequisite	CS 167
Instructor	Tom Doepfner (twd@cs.brown.edu)
Office	CIT 405, x3-7633
Office Hours	MWF 3 to 4, by appointment, or just stop by. Also most Tuesdays from 4:30 to 6 in “Advising Central” (second floor of J. Walter Wilson). See http://brown.edu/college/advising_central .
Head TAs	Spencer Brody (stbrody@cs.brown.edu) Robert Mustacchi (rm@cs.brown.edu)
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Requirements	1 Program; 5 deadlines: Kernel 1 due October 5 Kernel 2 due October 13 Virtual File System due October 26 S5FS (File System) due November 16 Virtual Memory due December 10
Incomplete Policy	Incompletes are granted only under exceptional circumstances (e.g. severe illness, death in the family, kidnapping, etc.; <i>too heavy of a course load is not sufficient reason for an incomplete</i>). Getting a dean to certify your reason for requesting an incomplete helps, but is not sufficient.
Due Dates	Assignments are due at 11:59pm (Eastern Time) on the indicated day.
Late Policy	The due dates are firm. Don't fall behind.

Meetings

Date	Topic	Out	Due
Sept 28	(No meeting)	Kernel 1	
Sept 29	Intro to CS169; Kernel 1 help session		
Oct 5	(No meeting)	Kernel 2	Kernel 1
Oct 6	Kernel 2 help session		
Oct 12	(No meeting)	VFS	
Oct 13	VFS help session		Kernel 2 (due prior to help session)
Oct 26	(No meeting)	S5FS	VFS
Oct 27	S5FS help session		
Nov 9	(No meeting)	VM	S5FS
Nov 10	Virtual Memory help session		
Dec 10	(No meeting)		VM