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## **ECE 429 - COMPUTER COMMUNICATIONS LAB**

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**Prerequisites:** ECE 422 Computer Communication Networks

**Textbook:** No textbook. A Laboratory Manual will be provided

**Credits:** 2

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**Course Catalog Description:**

Experiments with different protocols and standards used in the TCP/IP computer communications, including Ethernet/802.3 standard, Address Resolution Protocol (ARP), Internet Protocol (IP), Transport Control Protocol (TCP), User Datagram Protocol (UDP), and others. Exercises with network measurements and virtualization tools, and configurations of some commercial routers are included.

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**Syllabus:**

- Introduction to Linux
- Chapter 1: Introduction to the Computer Communications Laboratory
- Chapter 2: Tools for Examination of Communication Protocols
- Chapter 3: Communication at Data-Link Layer
- Chapter 4.a: Communication at the Network Layer (Part I)
- Chapter 4.b: Communication at the Network Layer (Part II)
- Chapter 5: Configuration of Cisco 891 Routers
- Chapter 6: Beyond the Application Layer: Socket Programming
- Final Exam
- Final Project

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**Grading Policy:**

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| • Lab Reports and Performance | 40% |
| • Quizzes                     | 30% |
| • Final Exam                  | 20% |
| • Final Project               | 10% |

**Attendance is mandatory to receive the credits**

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