



Sharif University of Technology  
International Campus-Kish Island  
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**Course:** *English for Computer Engineering Students*

**Number of Credits:** *2 Credits*

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## 1. Course Description

This course is developed and designed to improve the technical English knowledge of Computer Engineering students. Students should have already passed their General English before taking this course.

## 2. Course Goals

By the end of this term, students are expected to:

- read texts related to the field of Computer Engineering,
- get acquainted with technical terms in the field of Computer Engineering,
- listen to lectures and seminars related to the field of Computer Engineering,
- give a talk in class on a topic of interest in their department, and
- analyze research articles published in the field of Computer Engineering.

## 3. Scoring Criteria

### a) Classroom Active Participation **2 Points**

This includes active participation in discussions and reading activities.

### b) Assignments & Research Report **4 points**

- The completion of assignments in a timely fashion is appreciated. Late assignments will receive deductions or will be discarded and only in rare cases with convincing causes this rule is waived.
- Students, in consultation with the course instructor, will choose a paper written by one of the faculties of the Computer Engineering department at Sharif and will present its results to the class.

### c) Midterm Exam **4 points**

### d) Final Exam **10 points**

1. The final exam will include a short written test including multiple-choice questions
2. Online interview with the course instructor

## 4. Required Text

- Esteras, S. R., & Fabre, E. M. (2007). *Professional English in Use: For Computers and the Internet: Intermediate to Advanced. ICT*. Cambridge University Press.

## 5. Recommendations for Further Reading

Ibbotson, M. (2008). *Professional English in use: Engineering*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.