

We are Virginia Tech

Our Resources

- Counseling
 - Cook Counseling Center, 240 McComas Hall
<http://www.ucc.vt.edu/>, 231-6557
 - Take a friend, go as a group, go with me
- Each other
- Me, in my office (224E Randolph) any time, on my cell phone (449 4456), at *any* time, for any reason, for no reason

We are strong enough to stand tall...

Take Care of Yourself

- Allow more time to do things
- Maintain regular eating and sleeping routines
- Choose healthy foods
- Utilize community support
- Do things that help you heal
- Return to daily work and life activities as soon as you can

We are sad enough to know that we must laugh again...

Our Course

- What we have achieved:
 - 5 Experiments, 5 Instrumentation labs
 - 11 homeworks or logbooks
 - 3 reports
- What we didn't complete
 - 1 Experiment and logbook
 - The last report
 - An exam on the class material

The Hokie Nation embraces our own...

Where we go from here

- The University says our final grades can be based on:

- The work already done

...but we want you to still participate in the rest of the course, if you can

- The work already done plus whatever else you want to do...

- ...up to and including the rest of the course material

We are strong, and brave, and innocent,
and unafraid.....

How do we make this choice?

- Whenever you want
- However you want (if I don't hear from you I will make the choice for you that gives you the highest grade)
- As many times as you want (including retroactively)
- You are in control
- Your grade cannot go down

We are better than we think and not quite what we want to be.....

Grade based on what we did

- Add all the grades you have based on what we originally planned
- Divide by the total of all the grades you could have got based on those assignments
- Convert to letter grades in the normal way
- Everyone gets the maximum 2% extra credit for evaluations

We will continue to invent the future through our blood and tears and through all our sadness.....

What other work is left that we could do?

- The 3rd report
 - Please let me know if you want your first submission graded.
 - You have the option of doing a second submission if you want. Not due until you have time. Submit to me (not your TA)
- A multiple choice exam on the class material
- We lost our last experiment, but maybe we can find an informal way of having that experience another time.
 - Bill Oetjens (the wind tunnel engineer) has offered to help anyone would like a tour or wants to experience running the Stability Tunnel Tuesday 1-5 and Wednesday 8-12. Just stop by. If you would like to stop by, but cannot make these times, let me know. There are no requirements or preparation needed.

We will prevail...

Our (Optional) Exam

- Open book open note
- Multiple choice questions on the live and online class material
- Here, next Monday 4/30. Duration 50mins

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Other Choices

- You can change from A-F to P/F.
 - A pass grade will still satisfy all degree and pre-requisite requirements
 - Let me know by May 2nd if you would like to do this
- You can withdraw from the course
 - No limit on course withdrawal hours for this semester
 - File a course withdrawal form by May 2
- If you need a different choice, come and see me and we'll make it happen

We will prevail...

Our Schedule

- This Wednesday (4/25). Meet, check up on each other and talk about how the course went and how it can be improved (Smyth 146 @ 2:30). Give some details on exam
- Next Monday (4/30). Meet, do (or not do) our exam

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