IT 3110: Systems Automation

Spring 2021 Schedule

Resources

- **CIT VM Farm**
  - Create VM and connect from osx/Linux
  - Manage VMs with CLI instead of Web
  - Connect to vm from Linux host
- **AWS**
  - Create AWS Educate Account
  - Create EC2 instance
  - Connect EC2 instance
- **Software**
  - If you are using windows to connect to your vm, you might need the following:
    - Putty
    - TightVNC
  - If you have a newer version of windows 10 and have installed the linux subsystem, you can just ssh from the command line like you do in OSX and Linux.

Week 1 (Jan 11,13)

- **Slides**
  - DHCP Slides
- **Readings**
- **Lectures**
  - DHCP Lecture
  - Bionic Networking
  - Wireshark DHCP Capture
- **Screenshots/Helps**
  - DHCP Dynamic
  - DHCP Fixed
  - DHCP Dynamic Client
- **Assignment**
  - Hosts

Week 2 (Jan 20)

- **Slides**
  - NFS Slides
  - PXE Boot
  - Kickstart
- **Reading**
- **Lectures**
- **Screenshots/Helps**
  - NFS How To
  - kickstart
  - tftp and Netboot
- **Assignment**
  - DHCP

Week 3 (Jan 25, 27)

- **Slides**
  - Diskless
Reading
Lectures
Screenshots/Helps
  - Dual netboot
  - Create an Initial ramdisk
  - Use debootstrap to create a disk image
  - FOG
Assignment
  - NFS 1

Week 4 (Feb 1, 3)

** EXAM 1 **

- Slides
- Reading
- Lectures
- Screenshots/Helps
  - Review
  - Capture image fog video old video
  - Deploy image fog video
- Assignment
  - DHCP 2 - netboot/kickstart
  - Diskless Boot
  - FOG

Week 5 (Feb 8, 10)

- Slides
  - Shell 1
  - StdOut
  - StdIn
  - Command Execution
  - Variables
- Reading
  - Shell review
  - stdout review
  - stdin review
  - executing commands
- Lectures
  - Sample files
- Screenshots/Helps
- Assignment
  - Bash on Windows

Week 6 (Feb 17)

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- Slides
  - Logic
  - Sed/Awk

- Reading
  - Variables
  - Shell logic and arithmetic
  - A better one on logic
  - Recommended on brackets
  - AWK, SED - Read 7.10- 7.11
Lectures

Screenshots/Helps
- SSH As root

Assignment
- Shell Script 1
- Shell Script 2

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Week 7 (Feb 22,24)

- Slides
  - Regex
  - Shell Features
- Reading
  - Additional Scripting
  - Shell Speed
  - Shell troubleshooting
- Lectures
- Screenshots/Helps
- Assignment
  - Shell Script 3
  - Regex

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Week 8 (Mar 1, 3)

- Slides
- Reading
  - Quick Shell
  - Troubleshooting
- Lectures
- Screenshots/Helps
  - Sample scripting exam
  - Sample solution other
- Assignment
  - Shell Script 4
  - Shell Script 5

TEST 2

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Week Mar 7-13

SPRING BREAK

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Week 9 (Mar 15,17)

- Slides
  - Terraform
  - Terraform2
  - Terraform3
- Reading
  - Read chapter 2 in “Terraform up and running 2nd edition” found on Oreilly (safarionline) from library.dixie.edu website.
- Lectures
  - Review AWS
  - Infrastructure as Code
  - Terraform
Week 10 (Mar 22, 24)

- Slides
  - Automation with Ansible
  - Ansible Playbooks
  - Ansible Playbooks 2

- Reading
  - Ansible variables

- Lectures
  - Configuration management with Ansible

- Screenshots/Helps

- Assignment
  - Ansible 1
  - Ansible 2

Week 11 (Mar 29, 31)

- Slides
  - Ansible Roles
  - Ansible Advanced stuff

- Reading

- Lectures
  - Ansible Roles
  - Example of Roles

- Screenshots/Helps

- Assignment
  - Ansible 3

Terraform and Ansible Exam

Week 12 (Apr 5, 7)

- Slides
  - Python

- Reading

- Lectures
  - Python video slide lecture

- Screenshots/Helps
  - Python example

- Assignment
  - Python
Week 13 (Apr 12, 14)

- Slides
  - **Salt**
- Reading
  - **Salt states**
  - **Basic usage**
  - **More complex states**
- Lectures
  - **Installing saltstack**
- Screenshots/Helps
- Assignment
  - **Salt 1**

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Week 14 (Apr 19, 21)

- **Reading**
- **Lectures**
  - **Salt 1**
  - **Salt 2**
- **Screenshots/Helps**
  - **Salt example file**
- **Assignment**
  - **Salt 2**
  - **Salt 3**

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Week 15 (Apr 26, 28)

- **SALT**
- **REVIEW**
- **EXAM**