The goal of this course is to provide a comprehensive introduction to the SQL language. This course not only covers the syntax of SQL, but also shows how it can be used to create and maintain a database and retrieve information from it. It also provides an introduction to relational databases. In addition to explaining concepts, the course uses a variety of assignments to reinforce the material in each chapter.

**Prerequisites: IT 468  \hspace{1cm}  Credits: 3**

All information technology professionals must be knowledgeable in computer technologies. The outcomes of this course are consistent with the mission of Central Washington University, “by teaching we learn;” the mission of the College of Education and Professional Studies, “to prepare enlightened leaders for the professions and for society;” and the mission of the Information Technology and Administrative Management Department, “to produce competent, confident, and independent lifelong learners for a diverse world through a caring, creative, supportive, and technologically rich learning environment.” Course topics include:

1. Introduction to SQL  
2. Single-Table Queries  
3. Multiple-Table Queries  
4. Updating Data  
5. Database Administration  
6. Reports  
7. Embedded SQL

**Students will be able to . . .**

- Manipulate a database on paper prior to working in SQL
- Examine concepts and terminology associated with relational databases.

**Assessments**

- Rubric-based assignments, projects, and/or exams.

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Use SQL to query a database, discussing the use of simple and compound conditions; computed columns; the SQL operators BETWEEN, LIKE, and IN; SQL functions; nesting queries; grouping data; and retrieving columns with null values.

Use queries to join multiple tables, discussing the SQL operators IN and EXIST, SQL set operations, and the use of the ALL and ANY operators.

Apply specific SQL commands, including COMMIT, ROLLBACK, UPDATE, INSERT, and DELETE commands to update table data.

Employ database administration features of SQL, including the use of view; granting and revoking database privileges to users; creating, dropping, and using an index; using and obtaining information from the system catalog; and using integrity constraints to control data entry.

Employ SQL single row functions, and create basic and complex reports based on data in a table or view, including concatenating data, creating a view for a report, changing report column headings and formats, and adding report titles.

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**University Policy on Academic Integrity**

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- cheating on tests;
- copying from another student’s test paper;
- using materials during a test not authorized by the person giving the test;
- collaboration with any other person during a test without authority;
- knowingly obtaining, using, buying, selling, transporting, or soliciting in whole or in part the contents of an un-administered test or information about an un-administered test; bribing any other person to obtain an un-administered test or information about an un-administered test; substitution for another student or permitting any other person to substitute for oneself to take a test; plagiarism” which shall mean the appropriation of any other person’s work and the unacknowledged incorporation of that work in one’s own work offered for credit;
- “Collusion” which shall mean the unauthorized collaboration with any other person in preparing work offered for credit.

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**University Policy on Special Needs**

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