

# CSE 341: Programming Languages

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Lecture 1 — Course Introduction

# Welcome!

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We have 10 weeks to learn *different paradigms* and *fundamental concepts* of programming languages.

With diligence, patience, and an open mind, this course makes you a much better programmer (in languages we won't use).

Today in class:

- Course mechanics
- Course overview and a rain-check on motivation
- Dive into ML (homework 1 available on the course web)

In the next 24 hours:

- Join the class mailing list

<http://www.cs.washington.edu/education/courses/cse341/05au>

# Credits

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This version of the course is heavily based versions by Dan Grossman, Hal Perkins, Keunwoo Lee, Larry Ruzzo, and others. Look at previous course webs for a good idea of where we're going.