

GTU Computer Engineering Graduate Program 2024 Spring Semester

BİL591, BİL691, YZ591 and SİB591 Seminar Courses

Rules and Regulations

After the recent changes, the seminar course is mandatory once for each program. The main expectation of the course is to allow students to present their early work towards their thesis. In particular, the student will be expected to conduct literature review, to define a research problem and to propose a solution culminating in a presentation to their peers and professors.

The course will be monitored via a specific team in MS Teams:

Seminar Courses Team: [Seminars Spring 23-24 BİL591 / 691 & SİB591 | Genel | Microsoft Teams](#)

Seminar Courses Team Code: szgvxwu

Course Content:

Although the contents of the seminar courses are not limited to the examples given below, it is recommended to follow them, considering that they may contribute to the thesis studies planned to be done.

- **BIL/SIB/YZ 591:** A presentation and report detailing the literature review on the thesis topic. Optionally but strongly suggested, the presentation and report would include the problem definition and early results towards a novel solution.
- **CSE691:** A presentation and report detailing the literature review on the thesis topic. The presentation and report should include the problem definition and early results towards a novel solution.

Schedule:

1. Seminars will be done in two parts.
 - a. In the first 11 weeks, the students taking the course will conduct the necessary work to prepare their presentations. This will be done under their supervisor's guidance. At the same time, several presentations by experienced people will be given.
 - b. In the last 3 weeks, the students taking the course will give their presentations.
2. Students will join the Teams group of the seminar course.
3. The exact dates of the student and other presentations (to be invited within our department or outside the department or university) will be announced on the website and Teams group.
4. Students are required to report the topic they have chosen together with their advisor by using the online form. The due date is: **23:59 on Sunday, 14 April 2024.**
5. Students who do not fill out the form on time will automatically receive an "FF" even if they meet the course requirements for the remainder of the semester.
6. The final schedule of presentations for the last three weeks will be announced on **May 8, 2024.**
7. Attendance to the seminars is mandatory (less than 70% will result in an "FF").
8. Seminar reports must be uploaded to the Teams page **until 23:59 on Sunday, May 5, 2024.** Students who do not upload the report on time will fail the course.
9. The seminar report should be in IEEE/ACM format (<https://journals.ieeeauthorcenter.ieee.org/create-your-ieee-journal-article/>) and between 6-12 pages.
10. The presentation and report should be prepared in a way that comply with scientific ethical rules. Failure to do so will result in an "FF".

Tentative Presentation Schedules:

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Week Number	Date (Wednesdays)	Time	Info
8	Ramazan Holiday		No Presentation
9	April 17, 2024	12:30 – 14:00 (Z10)	Mehmet Pekmezci – PhD Thesis Work
10	April 24, 2024		TBD
11	May Day Holiday		No Presentation
12	May 8, 2024		TBD
13	May 15, 2024	12:30-14:00	Student Presentations
14	May 22, 2024	12:30-14:00	Student Presentations
15	May 29, 2024	12:30-14:00	Student Presentations