

Course Title: **System Analysis and Design (3 Cr.)**  
Course Code: **CACS203**  
Year/Semester: **II/III**  
Class Load: **4 Hrs. / Week (Theory: 3 Hrs, Tutorial: 1 Hr.)**

### Course Description

This course mainly focuses on different aspect of system analysis and design such as foundation, planning, analysis, design, implementation and maintenance.

### Course Objectives

The general objective of this course is to provide concepts related to information systems development in a systematic approach including foundations, planning, analysis, design, implementation and maintenance.

### Course Contents

#### Unit 1 System Development Fundamentals 9 Hrs.

##### **a. The Systems Development Environment**

Introduction, Modern Approach of System Analysis and Design, Information System and its Type, Developing Information Systems and the Systems Development Life Cycle, The Heart of the Systems Development Process, The Traditional Waterfall SDLC, Approaches for Improving Development, CASE Tools, Rapid Application Development, Service-Oriented Architecture, Agile Methodologies, eXtreme Programming, Object- Oriented Analysis and Design

##### **b. The Origins of Software**

Introduction, System Acquisition, Reuse

##### **c. Managing the Information Systems Project**

Introduction, Managing Information Systems Project, Representing and Scheduling Project Plans, Using Project Management Software

#### Unit 2 Planning 7 Hrs.

##### **a. System Development Projects: Identification and Selection**

Introduction, Identifying and Selecting Systems Development Projects, Corporate and Information Systems Planning

##### **b. System Development Projects: Initiation and Planning**

Introduction, Initiating and Planning Systems Development Projects, Process of Initiating and Planning IS Development Projects, Assessing Project Feasibility, Building and Reviewing the Baseline Project Plan

#### Unit 3 Analysis 13 Hrs.

##### **a. System Requirements**

Introduction, Performing Requirements Determination, Traditional Methods for Determining Requirements, Contemporary Methods for Determining System Requirements, Radical Methods for Determining System Requirements,