

## Education Committee

### Agenda

March 29, 2019

- 1) Parallel undergraduate specializations in CS, physics, and ECE (Childs) -- see attachment
- 2) Update to data science specialization (Corrada Bravo) -- see below
- 3) Proposed update to cybersecurity specialization (Hicks)
- 4) Status of CMSC 133 (was: 131X) course rollout (Hicks)
- 5) Status of IMDM (Eastman)
- 6) Announcement of Articulation workshop, July 1 (Eastman)
- 7) TA staffing, management, assessment: request for comments (Hicks)
  - a) Do a TA management workshop
  - b) Survey undergrad TAs -- what do you wish you had known, at the outset? (Use as basis for training)

Proposal: Add CMSC 470, Introduction to Natural Language Processing, to Data Science Specialization.

Data Science is one of two Bachelor of Science specializations, along with Cybersecurity, offered by the Department. Its course requirements include one course in Data Science applications. The current list of courses is listed here:

<https://undergrad.cs.umd.edu/node/36>

CMSC470 was created and approved after the specialization was created and thus not included in original list. We propose to amend the list of application courses to add CMSC470.