

# Comprehensive Exams Tentative Schedule 2009-2010 Academic Year (Revised 10/07/09)

## Locations: Braun Auditorium (BraunAud), Gates B12, Hewlett 200 (H200)

**Braun Auditorium** is in the Mudd Chemistry building and faces the portables that are by the North Service Road side of Gates. Please enter **Hewlett 200** via the **first-floor** entrances.

**Exam ID Numbers (formerly known as “magic” numbers):** Each student who is taking the Comprehensive Exams must be assigned an exam ID number. This will be used to identify yourself when you take the exam and when the results are posted. **Stop by Gates 196 from Monday, October 19th through Friday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> between 1:00 and 3:00 pm to be assigned a number. \*Please bring your Student ID with you.\***

**Schedule:** There are 13 Comprehensive Exams in all. Exams are 1 hour in length. With the exception of Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup>, there are two exams scheduled for each day: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, from 2:45 to 3:45pm and from 4:30 to 5:30pm.

**Please note:** Students need to **arrive 15 minutes before each exam** to sign in, receive blue books and hear specific instructions. **Exams start and end promptly with no exceptions to late arrivals.** Late arrivals have less time to complete their exams. **If you leave an exam early, please notify the proctor.**

## WEEK ONE

### Tuesday, October 27, 2009

2:45-3:45 PM: (AI) Artificial Intelligence (H200)

4:30-5:30 PM: (DB) Databases (H200)

### Wednesday, October 28, 2009

2:45-3:45 PM: (SYS) Software Systems (BraunAud)

4:30-5:30 PM: (LOGIC) Logic (BraunAud)

### Thursday, October 29, 2009

2:45-3:45 PM: (NET) Networks (BraunAud)

4:30-5:30 PM: (AUTO) Automata (BraunAud)

### Friday, October 30, 2009

2:45-3:45 PM: (ARCH) Architecture (BraunAud)

## WEEK TWO

### Tuesday, November 3, 2009

2:45-3:45 PM: (AA) Analysis of Algorithms (H200)

4:30-5:30 PM: (NA) Numerical Analysis (Gates B12)

### Wednesday, November 4, 2009

2:45-3:45 PM: (COMP) Compilers (BraunAud)

4:30-5:30 PM: (GRAPH) Graphics (Gates B12)

### Thursday, November 5, 2009

2:45-3:45 PM: (PL) Programming Languages (BraunAud)

4:30-5:30 PM: (HCI) Human Computer  
Interaction (Gates B12)

- Detailed information with regards to reading lists, updates and changes will be e-mailed to the listserv: [cscscomps2009@lists.stanford.edu](mailto:cscscomps2009@lists.stanford.edu) .
- You can view the Comprehensive Exam Schedule on the Computer Forum's website at: <http://forum.stanford.edu/events/calendar> or at <http://cs.stanford.edu>.
- Scanned copies of exams and solutions from 2000 – 2007 only can be downloaded from: <http://www-cs-students.stanford.edu/phd/comps/> .