



**THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY**  
COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

# Group Studies in Computer Science and Engineering

## CSE 5194.02

**Credit Hours:**

1.00 - 10.00

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**Course Levels:**

Undergraduate (1000-5000 level)

Graduate (5000-8000 level)

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**Course Components:**

Lecture

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**Course Description:**

Designed to give the student an opportunity to pursue special studies not otherwise offered.

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**Prerequisites and Co-requisites:**

Prereq: Permission of instructor.

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**Course Goals / Objectives:**

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### **Course Topics:**

- Course overview and mathematical foundations.
  - Scientific data models and scientific visualization software.
  - Scalar data visualization I: basic visualization techniques, isosurface (marching cubes), isosurface topology, efficient isosurface search algorithms.
  - Scalar data visualization II: direct volume rendering – optical model, discrete approximation, transfer function design.
  - Scalar data visualization III: topological methods.
  - Vector data visualization I: basic visualization techniques, numerical integration and particle tracing.
  - Vector data visualization II: stream function and stream surface, flow texture synthesis.
  - Vector data visualization III: vector field topology.
  - Unstructured and scattered data visualization techniques.
  - Large data visualization I: parallel algorithms (volume rendering, image compositing, particle tracing).
  - Large data visualization II: statistics based data reduction, scientific data compression.
  - Machine learning for scientific visualization
  - Visualization software
  - Visualization applications: case studies
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### **Designation:**

Elective