

Course Title	TECHNICAL WRITING & DOCUMENTATION
Course Code	CSN 124
Course Purpose and Objectives	The purpose of this course is to present the topic of proper writing of technical reports and documentation. It includes technical and ethical writing, documentation and requirements specification along with report and article composition in professional publication format. Current and contemporary issues are also discussed. This course emphasizes in technical documentation directed to engineers and computer specialists. Its goal is to train students to create documentation and communication material that spans the cycle of technology product development. Attention is paid primarily to writing design and functional specifications, argumentative prose for technical explanations, algorithm descriptions and program documentation, proposal writing, progress reports, formal technical reports, and creating oral presentation aimed at audiences that work in the high-tech industries.
Learning Outcomes	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Explain the importance of ethics in writing. 2. Develop design and specification documents for software and hardware. 3. Develop correct and elegant code commenting. 4. Produce elementary academic discourse papers. 5. Produce technical documentation such as user manuals.
Course Content	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Technical Writing. • Ethical writing • Requirements Specification • Documentation • Proposal Writing • Report Writing • Academic Writing • Recent developments and contemporary issues