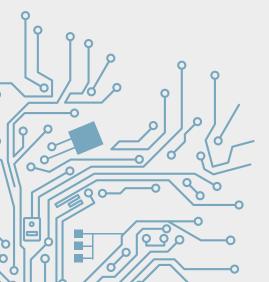


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Preface

Welcome to Design and Implementation of Modern Operating Systems. This book is designed to make the complex yet intriguing world of operating systems (OS) understandable and interesting to all readers, whether they are seasoned professionals wishing to brush up on their expertise or first-year computer science students.

Whether it's the laptop on your desk, the smartphone in your pocket, or the enormous servers running the internet, operating systems are the foundation of all computer activities. However, their magic frequently goes unrecognised. This book seeks to reveal that magic by simplifying difficult ideas into language that is easy to grasp.

We begin by investigating the basic components of operating systems and learning about how hardware and software are managed. You'll discover how important parts such as file systems, memory management, and the kernel interact to provide a smooth user experience.

We'll explore increasingly complex subjects as we go along, such virtualization, security, and process synchronisation. With a focus on providing a thorough understanding of both the theoretical and practical aspects of OS design and implementation, each chapter builds upon the one before it.

Making operating system education approachable and pleasurable is our aim. By providing lucid explanations, practical examples, and interactive exercises, our aim is to deconstruct this crucial domain of computer science and encourage you to go further into it.

We are appreciative that you have decided to travel this path with us. We really hope you find this book to be inspirational and educational.

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A comprehensive manual, 'Modern Operating Systems: Design and Implementation,' explores the inner workings of contemporary operating systems. Regardless of your level of knowledge, this book breaks down difficult ideas into easily understood chunks. You will learn how operating systems handle multitasking, maintain security and stability, and manage hardware and software resources. It deconstructs prominent systems like Windows, Linux, and macOS, explaining their design principles with useful examples and real-world applications. This book provides concise explanations and practical insights into creating and maintaining contemporary operating systems, making it ideal for students, developers, and anyone else intrigued by the technology that runs our gadgets.







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