The content of this one-credit course (CAOT 166) is aligned with the Living Online Unit of the IC³ certification program and covers the basics of Internet knowledge and skills. Upon completion of this course, individuals are prepared to seek this portion of the IC³ certification by passing the Living Online IC³ exam.

- **Understanding the Internet:**
  - Identify network fundamentals and the benefits and risks of network computing
  - Understand how the Internet was “born”
  - Understand how to connect to the Internet
  - Understand security and ethics online
  - Identify different types of information sources on the Internet

- **Searching for Information:**
  - Identify how to use a web browser
  - Identify how to search online
  - Identify how to managing information online
  - Understand the basics of creating and hosting web pages
  - Understand security, privacy, and ethics when using web browsers
  - Be able to use a variety of search methods including Boolean searches

- **The Impact of Computing and the Internet on Society:**
  - Identify how computers are used in different areas of work, school, and home
  - Identify the risks of using computer hardware and software
  - Identify how to use the Internet safely and legally