Dear Class:

As you might know UTSA has instituted an option for CR/NC (effectively Pass/Fail) grades in Spring 2020. The Computer Science Department has decided to make this option available for all Computer Science courses (including all graduate courses). Students will be able to exercise this option between April 20 and May 8. A UTSA FAQ on this topic is available at http://www.utsa.edu/coronavirus/faq/pass-fail-faq.html

Quoting from the FAQ:
"Student will see the course(s) with CR/NC “pass/fail” option in ASAP and will need to make their choice to opt-in by 5 p.m. CST, May 8, 2020, the last day of classes; otherwise, they will receive the traditional letter grade you earned."

My advise to the class is to remain in the letter grade option. This requires no action on your part. I expect everyone in the class to get at least a B (provided you attest to listening to all the lectures and submit Assignment 2). All the same it is my duty to inform you of this CR/NC option for CS6393.

Stay positive. Stay safe. Listen to the lectures. Prepare your answer for Assignment 2.

-- Prof. Sandhu