Subject: ECE 1111: Learning Emacs
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Good questions:

> I was going over the emails you sent out regarding ECE 1111, and I wanted to ask more about Emacs, and where I
> could download it so that
> I can practice some of the examples and suggestions I found.

Part of the assignment was to learn how to download tools like emacs if
you want to use it locally (e.g. for Windows):

https://www.gnu.org/software/emacs/download.html

But for this class, log into ece-000 and type the command isip_e. Then
type "escape" follow by "x" followed by help-with-tutorial. Emacs has a
built-in tutorial.

> Also, if it's not too much to ask, I'd like to know about any other
> tools or websites I can use, apart from the link you provided, that
> you suggest for me to

Every class lecture has a summary slide that links relevant tutorials, videos, etc. I would start
with the lecture 1 summary slide, work your way through those links, and then move on to lecture
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The syllabus also links some resources.

Let's keep the questions coming.

You have to get started early in this course because the initial learning curve is steep. It
takes time for all of this to sink in. Learning tools such as emacs before the class begins is
important.

Of course, 90% of you will ignore this advice, and then you will be extremely stressed out over
the first 6 weeks of the course.

-Joe