

# CS 1301 Recitation Assignment

## Word Counter

1. Begin by downloading the file `words2Count.txt` from the course calendar website. You can use this file as an example for this assignment, but assume that your code should work for any `.txt` file.
2. Write a function called `wordCounter` that takes in the name of a text file as a string and returns the number of words in that file.
3. For example, if `words2count.txt` contained the following contents,  
`wordCounter("words2count.txt")` would return 5.

*Note: A word is any set of characters separated by white space. So, for example, "Boo-hoo!" is one word, while "boo hoo" is two words.*

Words. Words.

More words.

4. This assignment is worth 20 points; be sure to submit your function named `wordCounter` in a file named `'wordCounter.py'` to T-Square.