Programming

Academic Year: (2019/2020)

Department assigned to the subject: Computer Science and Engineering Department

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Type: Basic Core ECTS Credits : 6.0

Year : 1 Semester : 1

Branch of knowledge: Engineering and Architecture

REQUIREMENTS (SUBJECTS THAT ARE ASSUMED TO BE KNOWN)

No pre-requisites

OBJECTIVES

By the end of this subject, students will be able to have:

1. Knowledge and understanding of the programming foundations and computer systems underlying their branch of engineering.

2. Awareness of the wider multidisciplinary context of engineering.

3. The ability to apply their knowledge and understanding to identify, formulate and solve

engineering problems using computer methods.

4. The ability to combine theory and practice to solve engineering problems using computer methods.

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS: PROGRAMME

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The purpose of the course is to give students an overview on programming techniques. As programming language, it will be used a imperative programming language. The language used during this academic course is Python

PROGRAMME:

1. Programming foundations

Description: This chapter introduces the essential components of computer programming and programming languages.

Detailed contents:

- Basic architecture of computers
- Computer programming
- Programming paradigms
- Types of programming languages

2. Design of programs

Description: This chapter focuses on the internal design of programs, paying special attention to the concept of algorithm.

- Detailed contents:
 - Computer algorithms
 - Analysis of algorithms
 - Data structures

3. Coding

Description: Acquiring knowledge on coding by using an imperative programming language.

- Detailed contents:
- Program data
- Operators
- Advanced data structures
- Program statements
- Subprograms

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4. Testing and debugging

Description: Learning principles and techniques about testing, debugging and deploying computer programs. Detailed contents:

- Compilation-execution cycle

- Testing techniques
- Debugging techniques

LEARNING ACTIVITIES AND METHODOLOGY

1) Theoretical lectures: 1,5 ECTS. Página 1 de 2Lectures oriented to present the theoretical concepts on programming.

2) Practical lectures: 1,5 ECTS. Classes in computer labs oriented to learn the use of an IDE and put into practice the syntax.

3) Programming exercises: 2,0 ECTS. Problem-based learning. Programming different pieces of code with the purpose of understanding those conceptual,

technical, and methodological principles that underlie structured programming.

4) Individual study: 1,0 ECTS. Self-studying to prepare for partials and final exams

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM

- Midterm exam on programming foundations: 20%
- Midterm exam on tracing code: 20%

- Final exam: 60%

There is a minimum mark required on the final exam of 3.0 of 6

% end-of-term-examination:	60
% of continuous assessment (assigments, laboratory, practicals…):	40

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