Automatic Planning

Academic Year: (2022 / 2023)

Department assigned to the subject: Computer Science and Engineering Department

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Type: Compulsory ECTS Credits : 3.0

Year : 1 Semester : 1

REQUIREMENTS (SUBJECTS THAT ARE ASSUMED TO BE KNOWN)

None

OBJECTIVES

- To present state-of-the-art automated planning techniques
- To characterize every technique as well as the domains they suit better
- To use tools that implement techniques discussed in class
- To identify different open issues for research in order to suggest new Master and PhD thesis

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS: PROGRAMME

- 1. Introduction
- 1.1 Knowledge representation
- 1.2 Heuristic Search
- 2. Classical planning
- 2.1 State space. STRIPS
- 2.2 Partial plans. UCPOP
- 3. Planning based on plan graphs
- 3.1 Plan graphs. GRAPHPLAN
- 3.2 SAT planning. SATPLAN
- 4. Heuristic planning
- 4.1 Early approaches. HSP, FF
- 4.2 New heuristics and planners. Fast downward, pattern data bases, landmarks, symbolic planning, portfolios
- 4.3 Hierarchical Task Networks (HTN). SHOP2
- Machine learning in planning
 Other planning paradigms
- 6. Other planning paradigms
- 6.1 Temporal planning (scheduling)
- 6.2 Partial Satisfaction Planning
- 6.3 Planning under uncertainty
- 6.4 Timeline-based planning

LEARNING ACTIVITIES AND METHODOLOGY

Lectures Weekly homework Final project with oral presentation Individual office hours

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM

| 50% oral presentation of final project (final exam) 50% sum of homework Extraordinary evaluation: 100% project |
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| % end-of-term-examination: |

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| % of continuous assessment (assigments, laboratory, practicals): | 50 |

BASIC BIBLIOGRAPHY

- James F. Allen, James Hendler y Austin Tate (eds.) Readings in planning, Morgan Kaufmann, 1990..

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- Malik Ghallab, Dana Nau, Paolo Traverso Automated Task Planning. Theory & Practice, Morgan Kaufmann, 2004.
- Stuart Russell y Peter Norvig Artificial Intelligence: A modern approach, Prentice Hall, 2010

BASIC ELECTRONIC RESOURCES

- ICAPS council . ICAPS: https://www.icaps-conference.org/