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# Directory of Modules for Visiting Students *Diplom* Programme in Information Systems Engineering

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## Description

The Faculty of Electrical and Computer Engineering and the Faculty of Computer Science at the Technische Universität Dresden offer the Diplom degree **programme in Information Systems Engineering**. This programme is an integrated five-year (single-tier) programme and thus **includes Bachelor as well as Master's level**.

## Structure

The degree programme in Information Systems Engineering is divided into **basic studies and main studies**. The **basic studies** include **semester 1-4** (= first and second year of the programme); the **main studies** include **semester 5-10** (= third until fifth year of the programme).

The programme **comes in modules**. Each module **consists of 1, 2, 3 or 4 parts, i.e. courses**. Mostly the courses' name is equivalent to the module name but sometimes it differs.

**You must visit all parts/courses of one module!**

**Also, you have to choose minimum 70% of the modules offered by the Faculty of Electrical and Computer Engineering!**

In the following catalogue you will find

- the **modules of our basic studies**, see [here](#)
- the **modules of the main studies**, see [here](#).

## Language of instruction

The study programme is held in **German**, however, a few modules are taught in English, too. Students who apply for this study programme should have **German language skills** of at least **B1**.

## Specialization areas

Within the **main studies**, there are **5 specialization areas**:

- Automation / *Automatisierung*
- Electronic Circuits and Systems / *Elektrische Schaltungen und Systeme*
- Communication Technology / *Kommunikationstechnik*
- Microelectronics / *Mikroelektronik*
- Computer Science / *Informatik*

**In order to avoid timetable conflicts you should choose from one specialisation area!**

## Content of the following module catalogue

1. **Overview of the basic studies modules**, 1<sup>st</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> semester, Bachelor level – click [here](#)
2. **Overview of the main studies modules**, 5<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> semester, all specializations – click [here](#)
  - Specialization *Automation* – click [here](#)
  - Specialization *Electronic Circuits and Systems* – click [here](#)
  - Specialization *Communication Technology* – click [here](#)
  - Specialization *Microelectronics* – click [here](#)
  - Specialization *Computer Science* click [here](#)

# FAQ

The FAQ shall answer any questions about the module catalogue.

## Why is it called modules but not courses?

Each module consists of 1, 2, 3 or 4 parts, i.e. courses. Mostly, if it is just one part, the course name is equivalent to the module name.

## In which semester are the modules offered?

Please look in the columns "winter semester" / "summer semester".

The academic year at the TU Dresden is divided into the winter semester (October–March) and summer semester (April–September). The semester dates for the following academic years can be found [here](#).

Our module descriptions inform you in which semester, i.e. winter or summer semester, the respective module is offered. When setting up your learning agreement it is important to consider at first which semester you are coming to the TU Dresden (either the winter or summer semester) and then choose appropriate modules.

## What level does the module have?

Please look in the columns "1<sup>st</sup> semester", "2<sup>nd</sup> semester" etc. to find out the semester when it is held. Basic studies are from 1<sup>st</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> semester; main studies from 5<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> semester.

## Why is the 10<sup>th</sup> semester not indicated?

In the 10<sup>th</sup> semester the students write their final thesis.

## How long is an "hour per week"?

An hour per week (German: SWS =Semesterwochenstunde) is one lesson of 45 minutes per week during the teaching period.

At the TU Dresden, **lessons** usually last for **90 minutes**, i.e. one double lesson (German: Doppelstunde (DS)).

1 double lesson (Doppelstunde) = 2 hours per week (Semesterwochenstunde)

## What does L/T/P mean?

- L means lecture
- T means tutorial
- P means practical lab course

### What does 2/2/0 or 4/4/1 mean?

The **first number** stands for the hours per week for the **lecture**.

The **second number** stands for the hours per week for the **exercise**.

The **third number** stands for the hours per week for the **practical lab course**.

#### **Examples:**

2/2/0 = 2 hours per week lectures (90 minutes lecture every week), 2 hours per week tutorial (90 minutes exercise every week), no practical lab course

4/1/1 = 4 hours per week lectures (180 minutes lecture every week), 1 hour (45 minutes) per week tutorial but mostly conducted as 90 minutes every other week, 1 hour (45 minutes) per week practical lab course but conducted as 90 minutes every other week or as block course.

### What does "PL" mean?

It is German for Prüfungsleistung which means assessment.

### I have chosen a module - what to do next?

After you have chosen a module you should know which parts are included in the module, in which semester the parts take place, and if a lecture, tutorial and/or practical lab course is included. Furthermore you should search for it in the timetables.

Detailed information you can find on the websites [Plan your Studies](#) as well as [Create your timetable](#).

**Note: The English version of our module descriptions is not legally binding.**

# Overview of the Basic studies modules 1<sup>st</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> semester (Bachelor level)

Module number, with link to description	Module name English German	1 <sup>st</sup> semester winter semester L/T/P	2 <sup>nd</sup> semester summer semester L/T/P	3 <sup>rd</sup> semester winter semester L/T/P	4 <sup>th</sup> semester summer semester L/T/P	Language of instruction	ECTS Credits
<a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a>	Introduction to Analysis and Algebra Algebraische und analytische Grundlagen	6/4/0 PL				German	11
<a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a>	Calculus for Functions with Several Variables Mehrdimensionale Differential- und Integralrechnung		4/4/0 PL			German	9
<a href="#">ET-01 04 03</a>	Complex Function Theory Funktionentheorie			2/2/0 PL		German	4
<a href="#">ET-01 04 04</a>	Partial Differential Equations and Probability Theory Partielle Differentialgleichungen und Wahrscheinlichkeitstheorie				2/2/0 PL	German	4
<a href="#">ET-01 04 05</a>	Algebra Algebra	1/1/0	1/1/0 PL			German	6
<a href="#">INF-D-210</a>	Algorithms and Data Structures Algorithmen und Datenstrukturen	2/2/0 PL				German	5
<a href="#">INF-B-230</a>	Introduction project RoboLab Einführungspraktikum RoboLab	0/0/4 PL				German	4
<a href="#">INF-B-240</a>	Programming Programmierung		2/2/0 PL			German	6
<a href="#">INF-B-310</a>	Software Technology Softwaretechnologie		2/2/0 PL			German	6
<a href="#">INF-B-320</a>	Software Technology project Softwaretechnologie-Projekt			0/0/4 PL		German	6
<a href="#">INF-B-330</a>	Computer Architecture Rechnerarchitektur			2/2/0	2/2/0 PL	German	10
<a href="#">INF-D-420</a>	Technical Basics of Computer Science and Hardware Laboratory Technische Grundlagen und Hardwarepraktikum			3/2/0	0/0/3 2 PL	German	9

ET-12 08 01	Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering Grundlagen der Elektrotechnik	2/2/0 PL				German	<b>6</b>
ET-12 08 02	Electric and Magnetic Fields Elektrische und magnetische Felder		4/2/0 PL			German	<b>6</b>
ET-12 08 03	Dynamical Electrical Networks Dynamische Netzwerke			2/2/1 PL	0/0/2 PL	German	<b>8</b>
ET-12 08 31	Electronic Circuits Schaltungstechnik				4/2/0 PL	German	<b>7</b>
ET-12 09 10	System Theorie and Automation Engineering Systemtheorie und Automatisierungstechnik			2/1/0	4/3/0 2 PL	German	<b>10</b>
ET-12 08 11	Microelectronic Technologies and Devices Technologien und Bauelemente der Mikroelektronik			5/1/0 PL		German	<b>6</b>
ET-12 08 33	Digital Circuit Design Digitale Schaltungstechnik			2/1/0 PL		German	<b>3</b>

# Overview of the Main studies modules 5<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> semester (relevant for all specialization areas)

Module number, with link to description	Module name English German	5 <sup>th</sup> semester	6 <sup>th</sup> semester	Language of instruction	ECTS Credits
		winter semester L/T/P	summer semester L/T/P		
<a href="#">INF-B-275</a>	Theory and Applications of Formal Systems Theorie und Anwendung formaler Systeme	4/2/0 PL	2/0/0 PL	German	<b>10</b>
<a href="#">INF-B-370</a>	Databases/Computer Networks Datenbanken und Rechnernetze		4/4/0 2 PL	German	<b>10</b>
<a href="#">INF-B-380</a>	Operating Systems and Security Betriebssysteme und Sicherheit	4/2/0 PL		German	<b>7</b>
<a href="#">ET-12 08 18</a>	Integrated Circuit Design Schaltkreis- und Systementwurf	2/1/0	0/0/2 2 PL	German	<b>7</b>
<a href="#">ET-12 02 01</a>	Electromagnetic Theory Theoretische Elektrotechnik	2/2/0 PL	2/2/0 PL	German	<b>10</b>
<a href="#">ET-12 10 24</a>	Communications Nachrichtentechnik		2/1/0 PL	German	<b>3</b>

# Overview of the Main studies modules 5<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> semester In the specialization area: **Automation**

Module number, with link to description	Module name English German	6 <sup>th</sup> summer semester L/T/P	7 <sup>th</sup> winter semester L/T/P	Language of instruction	ECTS Credits
<a href="#">ET-12 01 10</a>	Industrial Automation Engineering 1 Industrielle Automatisierungstechnik – Basismodul	3/1/0 PL	0/0/2 PL	German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 01 21</a>	Project Planning for Process Automation Systems Projektierung von Automatisierungssystemen	2/2/2 2 PL		German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 01 11</a>	Industrial Automation Engineering 2 Industrielle Automatisierungstechnik – Aufbaumodul	3/2/1 2 PL		German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 01 12</a>	Robotics Robotik	2/1/0 PL	2/1/1 2 PL	German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 01 13</a>	Systems Design Systementwurf		4/2/0 2 PL	German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 13 11</a>	Nonlinear Control Systems, Advanced Nichtlineare Regelungssysteme – Vertiefung	2/0/0 PL	2/1/0 PL	German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 13 12</a>	Optimal and Robust Multivariable Control Systems Optimale, robuste und Mehrgrößenregelung	2/0/0 PL	2/1/0 PL	German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 01 20</a>	Human Machine System Technology Mensch-Maschine-Systemtechnik		2/2/2 2 PL	German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 01 22</a>	Process Management Systems Prozessführungssysteme		2/2/2 3 PL	German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 08 20</a>	Laser Sensor Technology Lasersensorik	4/1/1 2 PL		German	7



# Overview of the Main studies modules 5<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> semester In the specialization area: **Electronic Circuits and Systems**

Module number, with link to description	Module name English German	6 <sup>th</sup> semester	7 <sup>th</sup> semester	Language of instruction	ECTS Credits
		summer semester L/T/P	winter semester L/T/P		
<a href="#">ET-12 08 19</a>	VLSI Processor Design VLSI-Prozessorentwurf		2/2/2 2 PL	German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 08 16</a>	Radio Frequency Integrated Circuits	3/1/2 PL		English	7
<a href="#">ET-12 08 17</a>	Integrated Circuits for Broadband Optical Communications		3/1/2 PL	English	7
<a href="#">ET-12 10 16</a>	Digital Signal Processing and Hardware Implementation Digitale Signalverarbeitung und Hardware-Implementierung	2/1/0 PL	0/0/2 PL	German/ English	7
<a href="#">ET-12 08 07</a>	Introduction to the Theory of Nonlinear Systems Einführung in die Theorie nichtlinearer Systeme	2/1/0 PL	2/1/0 PL	German/ English	7
<a href="#">ET-12 08 08</a>	Circuit Simulation and System Identification Schaltungssimulation und Systemidentifikation	1/1/0 PL	2/1/0 PL	German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 08 27</a>	Neuromorphic VLSI Systems Neuromorphe VLSI Systeme	4/2/0 2 PL		German	7

# Overview of the Main studies modules 5<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> semester In the specialization area: **Communication**

Module number, with link to description	Module name English German	6 <sup>th</sup> semester summer semester L/T/P	7 <sup>th</sup> semester winter semester L/T/P	Language of instruction	ECTS Credits
<a href="#">ET-12 09 08</a>	Room Acoustics / Virtual Reality Raumakustik / Virtuelle Realität	4/0/2 2 PL		German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 10 05</a>	Communication Networks, Advanced I Kommunikationsnetze, Aufbaumodul	4/2/0 2 PL		German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 10 09</a>	Information Theory, Advanced I Aufbaumodul Informationstheorie		4/2/0 2 PL	German or English	7
<a href="#">ET-12 10 21</a>	Network Coding: Theory and Practice Netzwerkkodierung in Theorie und Praxis	4/2/0 2 PL		German or English	7
<a href="#">ET-12 10 16</a>	Digital Signal Processing and Hardware Implementation Digitale Signalverarbeitung und Hardware-Implementierung	2/1/0 PL	0/0/2 PL	German/ English	7
<a href="#">ET-12 09 13</a>	Applied Intelligent Signal Processing Angewandte intelligente Signalverarbeitung	4/1/1 PL		German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 09 04</a>	Speech Technology Sprachtechnologie		4/0/2 PL	German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 09 09</a>	Psychoacoustics / Sound Design Psychoakustik / Sound Design		4/2/0 2 PL	German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 10 20</a>	Communication Networks, Advanced II Kommunikationsnetze, Vertiefungsmodul		4/2/0 2 PL	German or English	7
<a href="#">ET-12 10 22</a>	Cooperative Communications Kooperative Kommunikation	4/2/0 2 PL		German or English	7
<a href="#">ET-12 10 19</a>	Optimization in modern Communication Systems Optimierung in modernen Kommunikationssystemen		4/2/0 2 PL	German or English	7

ET-12 10 13	RF Systems Hochfrequenzsysteme	4/2/0 PL		German	<b>7</b>
ET-12 10 15	Basics Mobile Communications Systems Grundlagen mobiler Nachrichtensysteme	4/2/0 PL		German	<b>7</b>
ET-12 10 17	Upgrade Mobile Communication Systems Vertiefung Mobile Nachrichtensysteme		4/2/0 PL	German/ English	<b>7</b>
ET-12 10 18	Digital Signal Processing Systems Digitale Signalverarbeitungssysteme		3/1/2 2 PL	German	<b>7</b>
NES-12 10 08	Introduction to Optical Non-classical Computing: Concepts and Devices		4/2/0 2 PL	English	<b>7</b>

# Overview of the Main studies modules 5<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> semester In the specialization area: **Microelectronics**

Module number, with link to description	Module name English German	6 <sup>th</sup> semester summer semester L/T/P	7 <sup>th</sup> semester winter semester L/T/P	Language of instruction	ECTS Credits
<a href="#">ET-12 08 26</a>	Characterization and Modeling of Nanoelectronic Devices Modellierung und Charakterisierung nanoelektronischer Bauelemente	2/1/0 PL	2/0/1 PL	German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 12 02</a>	Design of Microelectromechanical Systems Entwurf mikroelektromechanischer Systeme	4/2/0 2 PL		German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 11 01</a>	Solid-State and Nano Electronics Festkörper- und Nanoelektronik	4/2/0 PL		German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 12 03</a>	Applied Thin-Film and Solar Technology Angewandte Dünnschicht- und Solartechnik	6/0/0 PL		German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 05 09</a>	Electronic Design Automation Entwurfsautomatisierung		2/4/0 2 PL	German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 06 07</a>	Hybrid Integration Hybridintegration		4/0/2 3 d excursion 2 PL	German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 08 19</a>	VLSI Processor Design VLSI-Prozessorentwurf		2/2/2 2 PL	German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 11 04</a>	Sensors and Sensor Systems Sensoren und Sensorsysteme		4/1/1 2 PL	German	7
<a href="#">ET-12 12 04</a>	Memory Technology	2/1/0	2/1/0 PL	English	7
<a href="#">ET- 12 11 05</a>	Plasma Technology Plasmatechnik		4/2/0 PL	German	7

# Overview of the Main studies modules 5<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> semester In the specialization area: **Computer Science**

Module number, with link to description	Module name English German	7 <sup>th</sup> semes- ter winter semester L/T/P	8 <sup>th</sup> semes- ter summer semester L/T/P	Language of instruction	ECTS Credits
<b>Applied Computer Science</b>					
<a href="#">INF-BAS1</a>	Introduction to Applied Computer Science Basismodul Angewandte Informatik	4/4/0 PL		German	12
<a href="#">INF-VERT1</a>	Advanced Applied Computer Science Vertiefungsmodul Angewandte Informatik		PL	German	15
<b>Artificial Intelligence</b>					
<a href="#">INF-BAS2</a>	Artificial Intelligence Basismodul Künstliche Intelligenz	PL		German	12
<a href="#">INF-VERT2</a>	Advanced Artificial Intelligence Vertiefungsmodul Künstliche Intelligenz	PL		German	15
<b>Software and Web-Engineering</b>					
<a href="#">INF- BAS3</a>	Introduction to Software and Web Engineering Basismodul Software- und Web-Engineering		PL	German	12
<a href="#">INF- VERT3</a>	Advanced Software and Web Engineering Vertiefungsmodul Software- und Web-Engineering		PL	German	15
<b>System Architecture</b>					
<a href="#">INF- BAS4</a>	Introduction to System Architecture Basismodul Systemarchitektur		PL	German	12
<a href="#">INF- VERT4</a>	Advanced System Architecture Vertiefungsmodul Systemarchitektur		PL	German	15
<b>Technical Computer Science</b>					
<a href="#">INF- BAS5</a>	Introduction to Computer Engineering Basismodul Technische Informatik	PL		German	12
<a href="#">INF- VERT5</a>	Advanced Computer Engineering Vertiefungsmodul Technische Informatik		PL	German	15

## Module descriptions

### Basic studies modules 1<sup>st</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> semester

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-01 04 01</b>	Introduction to Analysis and Algebra	Prof. Dr. rer. nat. habil. Z. Sasvári
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Contents of the module are set theory, real and complex numbers, sequences of numbers and series, analysis of real functions of a variable, linear spaces and pictures, matrices and determinants, systems of linear equations, eigenvalues and eigenvectors.</p> <p>Outcomes: The students have basic mathematical knowledge and knowledge of algebra. They are capable to calculate with (complex) numbers and to apply functions, sequences and series, vectors (Vector space), determinants and matrices.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	6 hours per week lectures, 4 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Knowledge of mathematics on "Abitur" level.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded when the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 180 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	11 ECTS credit points The module grade is the grade of the exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	330 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-01 04 02</b>	Calculus for Functions with Several Variables	Prof. Dr. rer. nat. habil. Z. Sasvári
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Contents of the module is the analysis of real functions of several variables, vector analysis, function series (power and Fourier series), differential equations.</p> <p>Outcomes: The students have knowledge of the differentiation and integration of functions with one and more variables, for the analytical solution of differential equations and differential equation systems and for the vector analysis.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 4 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competencies acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded when the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 150 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	9 ECTS credit points The module grade is the grade of the exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	270 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-01 04 03</b>	Complex Function Theory	Prof. Dr. rer. nat. habil. Z. Sasvári
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	Content of the module is the function theory with the main focus on differentiation, integration, series development and conformal transformation. Outcomes: The students have knowledge of functions with complex variables.	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	2 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competencies acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra, <a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a> Calculus for Functions with Several Variables.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 120 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	4 ECTS credit points can be earned. The module grade is the grade of the exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	120 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	



<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-01 04 04</b>	Partial Differential Equations and Probability Theory	Prof. Dr. rer. nat. habil. Z. Sasvári
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	The content of the module focuses on partial differential equations and probability theory. Outcomes: After completion of the module, the students have knowledge of special analytical solution methods of partial differential equations and probability theory.	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	2 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competencies acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra, <a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a> Calculus for Functions with Several Variables, <a href="#">ET-01 04 03</a> Complex Function Theory.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 120 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	4 ECTS credit points can be earned. The module grade is the grade of the exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	120 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-01 04 05</b>	Algebra	Director of the Institute of Algebra
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The module covers graphs, orders and lattices, modular arithmetic, semigroups and groups, arithmetic in polynomial rings and finite bodies including applications, etc. After completing the module, students will have knowledge of basic algebraic structures that are important for their course of study. The students know the basic concepts of the mentioned theoretical areas and can handle them safely - in the sense of the mathematical mode of operation. They are able to formulate and prove facts of the mentioned areas thematically correct. They are able to put these theoretical elements into a meaningful context with applied questions and to solve tasks.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	2 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Knowledge in mathematics on highschool education level	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	<p>This module is a compulsory module of the basic studies in the diploma course of studies in information systems engineering. It is a prerequisite for the majority of the modules of the basic and main studies of the diploma study course Information Systems Engineering.</p>	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	<p>The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 90 minutes.</p>	
<b>Frequency</b>	<p>6 ECTS credit points can be earned. The module grade is the grade of the written exam.</p>	
<b>Workload</b>	Annually, starting in the winter semester	
<b>Duration</b>	180 hours	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
INF-D-210	Algorithms and data structures	Prof. Dr. Heiko Vogler
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	Students will have knowledge of the basics of imperative programming (syntax diagrams, EBNF, functions, modules, data structures) and can use this knowledge to formulate algorithms for classical problems (sorting and search procedures, algorithms on trees and graphs). The students will know different classes of algorithms (di-vid-e-and-conquer, dynamic programming, iteration versus recursion, backtracking). As a first step towards complexity analysis, they can also analyze algorithms with respect to their runtime behavior.	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	2 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Knowledge in mathematics on highschool education level	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are acquired if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of written exam of 90 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	5 ECTS credit points can be earned. The module grade is the grade of the written exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, starting in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	150 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
INF-B-230	Introduction project RoboLab	Prof. Dr. Christof Fetzer
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	After completing the module, students are able to solve practical tasks in computer science. They know the basics of team and project work as well as lecture and presentation techniques. The students are able to solve practical tasks of robot programming in a team and to present them afterwards.	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week practical lab course, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	knowledge in mathematics, computer science and physics on highschool education level	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are acquired if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a project work of 5 weeks.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	4 ECTS credit points The module grade is the grade of the project work.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, starting in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	120 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
INF-B-240	Programming	Prof. Dr. Heiko Vogler
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	Students will have knowledge of functional programming and can apply this knowledge in practice. Students will have the skills to use and develop formal tools (basics of calculation, translation of program constructors, program transformations, verification of program properties).	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	2 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Basic knowledge of the imperative programming paradigm and the EBNF concept as well as competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">INF-D-210</a> Algorithms and data structures, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 90 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	6 ECTS credit points The module grade is the grade of the written exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, starting in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	180 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<a href="#">INF-B-310</a>	Software Technology	Prof. Dr. Uwe Aßmann
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	The students master the methods for the development of software systems. This enables students to apply a systematic engineering approach using the concepts of object orientation, in particular to master the use of the Unified Modelling Language (UML) in analysis, design and implementation. For the practical implementation of the systems the students master the specific use of the programming language Java, with special emphasis on the use of class libraries and design patterns. Basic information on project management and software quality assurance round off the contents	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	2 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">INF-D-210</a> Algorithms and data structures, <a href="#">INF-B-230</a> Introduction project RoboLab, or equivalent. In particular, competences in the programming of class structures and procedures are required.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written examination of 120 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	6 ECTS credit points can be earned. The module grade is the grade of the written exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, starting in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	180 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
INF-B-330	Computer Architecture	Prof. Dr. Rainer G. Spallek
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The students will have a balanced theoretical and methodological understanding of the structure and organization of computers and their basic components. This especially refers to the basic understanding of complex computer systems, the use of parallelism and performance evaluation. Starting from the necessary basics of computer technology, the students will learn about the structure and function of the individual components of a computer structure, their organization and interaction. These are acquired by way of examples, starting with the implementation of switching networks and switching mechanisms at gate level, the representation, coding and processing of information, the instruction set as a link to the software and the components of a computer such as control unit, arithmetic unit, register and memory. The various types of parallelism, networking and evaluation of complex computer systems are understood.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 4 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences in the field of Boolean algebra and Boolean functions	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written examination of 240 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	10 ECTS credit points The module grade is the grade of the written exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, starting in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	300 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	2 semesters	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
INF-D-420	Technical Basics of Computer Science and Hardware Laboratory	Prof. Dr. Rainer G. Spallek
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The students will have a balanced theoretical and methodological understanding of the structure and function of information processing systems hardware. They will be familiar with the basic technologies for the realization of simple digital circuits and their operation at transistor level. They will be familiar with the basic procedures for the analysis and design of digital circuits at gate and register transfer level and will be able to build and test these circuits in practice. The students will have basic knowledge of hardware programmable circuits and the use of CAD systems for designing digital systems. The most important contents are: electrotechnical basics; semiconductor electronics; semiconductor circuit technology; switching algebra; switching stages; interconnection elements; switching networks; memory elements; circuitry, memory and control units as basic components of computers; hardware programmable circuits.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	3 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, 3 hours per week practical lab course, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Basic knowledge of mathematics (Boolean algebra, Boolean functions) is required.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 120 minutes and ungraded lab protocols. The scope of the lab protocols will be announced at the beginning of the semester.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	9 ECTS credit points The module grade is calculated from the average of the examination results.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, starting in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	300 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	2 semesters	



<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 08 01</b>	Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering	Prof. Dr. phil. nat. habil. Ronald Tetzlaff
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Content: The calculation of direct current (DC) electrical networks</p> <p>Objectives: Having successfully completed this module, the students will have basic knowledge of electrical engineering and electronics and master methods for solving electrical engineering problems as a basis for further modules. The focus is on resistive circuits.</p> <p>Students are able to describe linear and nonlinear two poles and to consider the temperature dependence of their parameters, to analyze systematically electrical DC circuits and to apply simplified analysis methods (two pole theory, superposition theorem). They are able to calculate the power dissipation in circuits as well as to analyze and determine their thermal behaviour.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	2 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Basic knowledge in mathematics and physics on highschool education level	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 150 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	6 ECTS credit points The module grade is the grade of the written exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	180 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 08 02</b>	Electric and Magnetic Fields	Prof. Dr. phil. nat. habil. Ronald Tetzlaff
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The module content focuses on: fundamentals of electric and magnetic fields.</p> <p>Outcomes: After completing this module, students understand basic concepts, know physical quantities, and apply methods for calculating basic electric and magnetic fields. They are able to calculate the stored field energy, force effects, and induction phenomena of magnetic fields. Basic principles and the elementary electronic components resistor, capacitor, inductor, and transformer are known.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorial, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-12 08 01</a> Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 150 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	6 ECTS credit points can be earned. The module grade is the grade of the written exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	180 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 08 03</b>	Dynamical Electrical Networks	Prof. Dr. phil. nat. habil. Ronald Tetzlaff
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The module contents: the analysis of linear dynamic networks.</p> <p>Outcomes: After completing this module, students are able to apply methods for analyzing linear dynamic circuits excited by periodic signals and to determine the transient behavior between stationary states. They are able to describe, to model and to analyze linear two-ports. They can determine transfer functions, analyze and graphically represent the network behavior for different frequencies, and determine basic filter structures. Phasor representations and Nyquist plots are mastered.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	2 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorial, 3 hours per week practical lab course, and self-study.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	<p>Knowledge acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-12 08 01</a> Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering, or equivalent.</p> <p>The prerequisite for participation in the lab course is to pass the module exam of the module ET-12 08 01 Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering.</p>	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 150 minutes and a lab course. Both assessments must be passed.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	<p>8 ECTS credit points can be earned.</p> <p>The module grade is determined by the weighted average of the grades of both elements of assessment. The module grade consists to 2/3 of the grade of the written exam and to 1/3 of the lab course grade.</p>	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, starting in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	240 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	2 semesters	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 08 31</b>	Electronic Circuits	Prof. Dr. sc. techn. habil. F. Ellinger
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>This module gives an introduction to electronic circuits, such as basic analogue circuits, differential amplifiers, power amplifiers, operational amplifiers and its applications, power supply, basic digital circuits, combinational und sequential logic.</p> <p>Students learn fundamental principles and practical realisations of analogue and digital circuits. They understand the properties of these circuits using different structures and the properties of the electronic devices.</p> <p>They can handle the methods of circuit analysis and they can dimension the circuits for specific applications.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra, <a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a> Calculus for Functions with Several Variables, <a href="#">ET-12 08 01</a> Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering, <a href="#">ET-12 08 11</a> Microelectronic Technologies and Devices, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 180 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points can be earned. The module grade is the grade of the written exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 09 10</b>	System Theorie and Automation Engineering	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. E. Jorswieck
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Content:</p> <p>The module deals with</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. the fundamentals of systems theory with focus on digital systems, analogue time-continuous systems, analogue time-discrete systems and selected applications.</li> <li>2. the fundamentals of automation engineering with the focus on behavioural description, control design in the frequency domain, digital control loops, industrial standard controllers, discrete-event control systems, elementary control concepts and automation technologies</li> </ol> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Having successfully completed the module, the students</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. are familiar with the regulative significance of the system concept in engineering. They master the application of signal transformations for the effective description of the system behaviour in the area of image. In particular, they are able to apply the approach of system theory to important areas of their own discipline, e.g. to the calculation of electrical networks in the case of non-sinusoidal or stochastic excitation and to the realization of systems with desired transfer behaviour in time-discrete form (digital filter).</li> <li>2. understand fundamental behaviour description forms for technical systems. Further, they master the basic theoretical and computer-aided handling of linear, time-invariant and discrete-event behaviour models for the control of technical systems. They are able to design control algorithms for simple tasks.</li> </ol>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	6 hours per week lectures, 4 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra, <a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a> Calculus for Functions with Several Variables, <a href="#">ET-12 08 01</a> Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The ECTS credit points are awarded when the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of two written exams of 120 minutes each (PL1 + PL2).	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	10 ECTS credit points can be earned. The module grade is the weighted mean of the two exams according to: $M = (7 PL1 + 3 PL2) / 10$ .	

<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, beginning in the winter semester
<b>Workload</b>	300 hours
<b>Duration</b>	2 semesters

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 08 11</b>	Microelectronic Technologies and Devices	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. M. Schröter
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The module includes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- the physical fundamentals of electronic devices</li> <li>- the physical-technical fundamentals for their production by means of microtechnologies</li> </ul> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>The students are capable of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- understanding the fundamental functioning and electrical features of the most important semiconductor electronic devices on basis of a simplified description of the physical potential ratio and transport mechanisms in semiconductors</li> <li>- discussing the most important characteristic lines</li> <li>- constructing physical modell descriptions (including equivalent circuit diagrams) of semiconductor electronic devices for their application</li> <li>- working with fundamental principles for the production and miniaturisation of devices and circuits</li> <li>- understanding the modes of functioning of the individual technologies as well as their coaction resulting in simple process flows</li> </ul>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	5 hours per week lectures, 1 hour per week tutorial, and self-study.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra, <a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a> Calculus for Functions with Several Variables, <a href="#">ET-12 08 01</a> Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering, <a href="#">ET-02 06 04 05</a> Basics of Science	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. This assessment is a written exam of 210 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	6 ECTS credits The module grade is the grade of the exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	180 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 Semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
INF-B-275	Theory and Applications of Formal Systems	Prof. Dr. Franz Baader
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	Students are enabled to understand formal systems, to develop such systems in different forms of description and to use them in the context of compiler construction for the analysis of programs and code generation. Contents of the module are the theory of formal systems with the areas of formal languages, automata theory and logic as well as compiler construction as a possible application area of formal systems with lexical, syntactic and semantic analysis, automatic parser generation and code generation.	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	6 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Basic knowledge of mathematics (discrete structures, analysis, linear algebra) as well as of algorithms and data structures and programming is required.	
<b>Usability</b>	This module is a compulsory module in the diploma course of studies in information systems engineering.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are acquired if the module examination is passed. The module examination consists of two 90-minute written examinations.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	10 ECTS credit points The module grade is calculated from the average of the grades of the individual examination performances.	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, starting in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	300 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	2 semesters	



<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
INF-B-370	Databases/ Computer Networks	Prof. Dr. Alexander Schill
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Students have knowledge of database theory and are able to solve application problems in practice. The main focus is on the entity relationship model, the relational data model including the design theory of relational databases and the XML data model as well as on the implementation of database systems, error handling and query processing in database systems. Students are able to apply information technology contexts to concrete example networks, develop transmission methods and associated protocols step-by-step and protect them against errors and attacks, analyse and evaluate network technologies and understand Internet protocol mechanisms and distributed system architectures.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 4 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	<p>Prerequisites are a knowledge of mathematics at high school graduation level, the ability to think methodically and the competences to be acquired in the modules  <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra,  <a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a> Calculus for Functions with Several Variables,  <a href="#">ET-01 04 03</a> Complex Function Theory,  <a href="#">INF-D-210</a> Algorithms and data structures,  <a href="#">INF-B-230</a> Introduction project RoboLab,  <a href="#">INF-B-240</a> Programming,  <a href="#">INF-B-310</a> Software Technology, with regard to the basic concepts, basic algorithms and architectural concepts of computer science.</p>	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are acquired if the module examination is passed. The module examination consists of two 90-minute written examinations.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	<p>10 ECTS credit points</p> <p>The module grade is calculated from the average of the grades of the individual examination performances.</p>	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, starting in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	300 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
INF-B-380	Operating Systems and Security	Prof. Dr. Hermann Härtig
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	Students have knowledge of database theory and are able to solve application problems in practice. The main focus is on the entity relationship model, the relational data model including the design theory of relational databases and the XML data model as well as on the implementation of database systems, error handling and query processing in database systems. Students are able to apply information technology contexts to concrete example networks, develop transmission methods and associated protocols step-by-step and protect them against errors and attacks, analyse and evaluate network technologies and understand Internet protocol mechanisms and distributed system architectures.	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences in computer architecture and organization, imperative programming (e.g. C or Java), stochastics (random variables and distribution) and a basic understanding of program verification are expected, as they are described in the modules <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra, <a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a> Calculus for Functions with Several Variables, <a href="#">ET-01 04 03</a> Complex Function Theory, <a href="#">INF-D-210</a> Algorithms and data structures, <a href="#">INF-B-230</a> Introduction project RoboLab, <a href="#">INF-B-240</a> Programming, <a href="#">INF-B-310</a> Software Technology, and <a href="#">INF-B-330</a> Computer Architecture.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are acquired if the module examination is passed. The module examination consists a 90-minute written examination.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade corresponds to the grade of the examination paper.	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, starting in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 10 24</b>	Communications	Prof. Dr.-Ing. Dr. h. c. G. Fettweis
<b>Course contents and intended learning outcomes</b>	<p>The module includes: Signal theory (sine waves, Dirac function, convolution, Fourier transform), linear time-invariant systems (transfer function, impulse response), bandpass signals (real and complex up and down mixing of signals, equivalent lowpass signal), analogue modulation (modulation, demodulation, properties of AM, PM, FM), analogue-digital conversion (sampling, signal reconstruction, quantization, sub- and oversampling), digital modulation schemes (modulation methods, matched-filter receiver, bit error probability).</p> <p>Outcomes: After completing this module, the students master the basic principles and the practical application of communications engineering. The students will be able to understand the basic signal processing in communications systems and to describe them mathematically. They are familiar with the transmission in base-band and band-pass area and know the basic analogue and digital modulation methods. They understand the impact of noise on the transmission quality for simple analogue and digital transmission scenarios.</p>	
<b>Teaching methods</b>	2 hours per week lectures, 1 hour per week tutorial, and self-study.	
<b>Required previous knowledge</b>	Competences provided in modules such as <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra, <a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a> Calculus for Functions with Several Variables, <a href="#">ET-01 04 03</a> Complex Function Theory, Systems Theory, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 120 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	3 ECTS credit points The module grade is the grade of the written exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	90 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

## Module descriptions

### Main studies modules 5<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> semester

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 01 10</b>	Industrial Automation Engineering 1	PD Dr.-Ing. Annerose Braune
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Content: Automation technology solutions for locally distributed automation systems using current information technologies such as the Internet, XML and model-driven technologies in automation technology</p> <p>Objectives: The students</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. are capable of working with basic concepts, protocols and services of the Internet technologies</li> <li>2. have basic experience and skills in dealing with current technologies that are relevant for automation</li> <li>3. are capable of evaluating basic risks and opportunities of the application of modern information technologies</li> <li>4. are capable of solving a manageable application with the learned methods as a small project.</li> </ol>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	3 hours per week lectures, 1 hour per week tutorial, 2 hours per week project, and self-study	
<b>Requirements for the award of credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 120 minutes (PL1) and a project of 15 weeks (PL2).	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade (M) is determined by the weighted average of PL1 and PL2: $M = (4PL1 + 3PL2)/7$ .	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, beginning in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	2 semesters	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 01 11</b>	Industrial Automation Engineering 2	Prof. Dr. techn. Klaus Janschek
<b>Content and objectives</b>	<p>Content: Automation technology concepts and solutions for selected applications, such as position control for space vehicles, embedded systems, or industrial automation means.</p> <p>Objectives: The students</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. are able to design basic concepts, model descriptions and approaches of the respective application domain</li> <li>2. master fundamental solution methods</li> <li>3. are capable of dealing with examples of automation devices.</li> </ol>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	3 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorial, 1 hour per week project, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences in the field of Automation Engineering and Measurement.	
<b>Requirements for the award of credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 120 minutes (PL1) and a project of 15 hours (PL2).	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade M is determined by the weighted average: $M = (3 \text{ PL1} + 2 \text{ PL2}) / 5$	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 01 12</b>	Robotics	Prof. Dr. techn. Klaus Janschek
<b>Content and objectives</b>	<p>Content:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>1. Control of serial manipulators</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Kinematic fundamentals</li> <li>– Trajectories</li> <li>– Robot dynamics</li> <li>– Position control</li> <li>– Force control</li> </ul> </li> <li><b>2. Control of mobile robots</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Kinematic fundamentals</li> <li>– Navigation (localization)</li> <li>– Path planning</li> </ul> </li> </ol> <p>Objectives: The students are capable of</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. applying controlled industrial robot systems. They master the theoretical and computational handling of behavior models and algorithms for the controlling of industrial robot systems (manipulators, serial kinematics).</li> <li>2. working with behavioral models for the navigation (position, orientation) and path planning of autonomous mobile robot platforms. They master the basic methodological and algorithmic approaches</li> <li>3. solving a manageable design task with the learned methods as a small project.</li> </ol>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, 1 hour per week project, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences in the fields of Control of Continuous-Time Processes and Modelling and Simulation.	
<b>Requirements for the award of credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of two written exams of 120 minutes each and a project of 20 hours.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the weighted mean of the grades for the elements of assessment: The grades for the written exams contribute by 3/7 each and the grade for the project by 1/7.	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, beginning in the summer semester.	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	

<b>Duration</b>	2 semesters
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<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 01 13</b>	Systems Design	Prof. Dr. techn. Klaus Janschek
<b>Content and objectives</b>	<p>Content:</p> <p><b>1. System design of mechatronic systems</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Multi-body dynamics</li> <li>- Mechatronic converter principles</li> <li>- Stochastic behavior analysis</li> <li>- System budgets</li> </ul> <p><b>2. System design of complex automation systems</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Definition of requirements</li> <li>- Function-oriented behavior modeling</li> <li>- Object-oriented behavioral modeling</li> <li>- Fundamentals of project management</li> </ul> <p>Objectives: The students are capable of</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. applying methods and tools of physically based behavior modeling and analysis (mechatronic systems). They are able to conduct a sound quantitative evaluation of design and optimization.</li> <li>2. working with concepts, methods and tools of abstract behavior modeling and analysis (complex automation systems). They are able to conduct a sound quantitative evaluation of design and optimization.</li> </ol>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences in the field of Control of Continuous-Time Processes and Modelling and Simulation.	
<b>Requirements for the award of credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of two written exams of 120 minutes each.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the arithmetic mean of both elements of assessment.	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, in the winter semester.	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	



<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 01 20</b>	Human Machine Systems Technology	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. Leon Urbas
<b>Content and objectives</b>	<p>Content: Principles and methods of the human-machine-system to take into account the human factor in the analysis, evaluation and design of complex, interactive technical systems</p> <p>Objectives: The students</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. master fundamental methods of the human-machine systems technology for the description, analysis, evaluation and design of dynamic interactive systems.</li> <li>2. are capable of working systematically on domain-specific issues of human-machine interaction.</li> </ol>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	2 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorial, 2 hours per week practical lab course and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences in the fields of Automation Engineering and Measurement, and Process Control.	
<b>Requirements for the award of credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 120 minutes and a project of 30 hours.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is determined by the weighted average of both elements of assessment.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 01 21</b>	Project Planning for Process Automation Systems	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. Leon Urbas
<b>Content and objectives</b>	<p>Content: Methods for Computer Assisted Engineering in Process Automation (CEA-PA) with the following focus:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. computer-aided integrated and life-cycle-wide project planning of process automation systems with e.g. requirements analysis, basic, detail and order engineering, implementation and commissioning, information modeling for integrated engineering systems</li> <li>2. implementation in automation projects</li> </ol> <p>Objectives: The students</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. know the methods and means for computer-aided project planning of complex automation systems from process requirements and</li> <li>2. can implement these in specific domains and application areas or deepen these by means of further computer-based methods.</li> </ol>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	2 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorial, 2 hours per week project, and self-study	
<b>Requirements for the award of credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 120 minutes and a project of 30 hours.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is determined by the arithmetic mean of both elements of assessment: $M = (PL1 + PL2) / 2$	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration of the module</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 01 22</b>	Process Management Systems	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. Leon Urbas
<b>Content and objectives</b>	<p>Content: Knowledge-based methods and algorithms for automated process evaluation, diagnosis and management</p> <p>Objectives: The students are capable of</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. designing, implementing and operating complex knowledge-based process-oriented (partially) automated information processing systems,</li> <li>2. combining and applying these methods with system theoretical and automation engineering approaches in order to implement complex automation systems.</li> </ol>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	2 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorial, 2 hours per week practical lab course, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences in the field of Process Control and Microcomputer Technology.	
<b>Requirements for the award of credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 90 minutes each, an oral exam of 90 minutes, and a project of 30 hours.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the arithmetic mean of the module assessments.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration of the module</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 02 01</b>	Electromagnetic Theory	Prof. Dr. rer. nat. habil. H. G. Krauthäuser
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>With regard to contents, the module comprises the basics of the classical electromagnetic field theory.</p> <p>After completion of the module, the students have the ability to assess the causes and connections between most electromagnetic phenomena and are capable solving field problems with fundamental analytical methods. The students can establish relationships between the different disciplines in electrical engineering, the motivation and the scientific limits.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 4 hours per week tutorials and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra, <a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a> Calculus for Functions with Several Variables, <a href="#">ET-01 04 03</a> Complex Function Theory, <a href="#">ET-12 08 02</a> Electric and Magnetic Fields, or equivalent	
<b>Requirements for the award of credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded when the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of two written examinations. Each examination takes 120 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	10 ECTS credit points  The module grade is the arithmetic mean of grades of the two examinations.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually,  first part in winter semester, second part in summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	300 hours	
<b>Duration of module</b>	2 semesters	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 05 09</b>	Electronic Design Automation	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. J. Lienig
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>This module covers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Relevance of electronic design automation (EDA)</li> <li>- Design styles, design steps, layout design, geometrical fundamentals, etc.</li> <li>- Floorplanning</li> <li>- Partitioning and placement algorithms</li> <li>- Routing algorithms</li> <li>- Methods for compaction and verification</li> <li>- Trends in EDA</li> </ul> <p>Intended learning outcomes:</p> <p>Students completing this module have obtained knowledge of algorithms which are used in modern design tools for physical design automation (going from netlist to the final layout). They are thus capable of writing design modules on their own or adapting commercial design tools for specific tasks.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	2 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, 2 hours per week seminars, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Students should have knowledge of the basics of electrical engineering.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of an oral examination of 30 minutes and tutorial assignments. Both elements of assessment must be passed.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is determined by the weighted average of both elements of assessment: $M = (3PL1 + 2PL2) / 5$	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, during winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

Module number	Module name	Lecturer in charge
ET-12 06 07	Hybrid Integration	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. Dr. h.c. Karlheinz Bock
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>This module includes two parts</p> <p><b>1. Hybrid technique</b> <i>(Hybridtechnik)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Technologies for the Hybrid technique,</li> <li>- thin film- and thick film technologies,</li> <li>- substrates and pastes,</li> <li>- thermal processes,</li> <li>- single layer and multilayer techniques,</li> <li>- design rules, hybridisation, components, housing</li> <li>- printing, sintering, laser application and trimming</li> <li>- packaging techniques,</li> <li>- functional test,</li> </ul> <p>and</p> <p><b>2. Micro und nano integration</b> <i>(Mikro- und Nano-Integration)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Micro and nano integration of electronic components,</li> <li>- nano scaling und nano materials,</li> <li>- processes and tools for the nano structuring,</li> <li>- photonic und nano systems, 3D integration</li> </ul> <p>The module provides skills in the fields of thin film and thick film technologies, hybrid integration and packaging of such components. The knowledge of micro and nano integration qualifies the students for the solving of innovative tasks in the electronic packaging technology. The students become able to estimate and choose such technologies.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week practical lab courses, up to 3 one-day excursions, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences in the field of electronic packaging technologies as acquired in the module ET-12 08 11 Microelectronic Technologies and Devices.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 150 minutes and a practical lab course. Both assessments have to be passed.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the weighted average for the written exam (2/3) and the lab course (1/3).	

<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the winter semester
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 08 07</b>	Introduction to the Theory of Nonlinear Systems	Prof. Dr. phil. nat. habil. R. Tetzlaff
<b>Contents</b>	<p>The module contents:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. phenomena and analysis of nonlinear systems (including chaotic systems)</li> <li>2. specialization in the theory and application of "Cellular Neural Networks".</li> </ol> <p>Outcomes:</p> <p>After completing the module the students know the stability analysis by linearization and by applying Lyapunov functions, as well as the Volterra analysis of nonlinear transmission systems. Students know the properties of Cellular Neural Networks (CNN) and are able to realize binary information processing by means of these networks. The participants have an understanding of the structure CNN-based computers and are able to simulate the behavior of such networks numerically.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra, <a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a> Calculus for Functions with Several Variables, <a href="#">ET-12 08 01</a> Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering, <a href="#">ET-12 08 02</a> Electric and Magnetic Fields and Systems Theory.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. If the number of registered students exceeds 10, the assessment consists of two written exams of 90 minutes each. With up to 10 registered students, the written exams are replaced by oral exams as individual exams of 30 minutes each.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points  The module grade is determined by the arithmetic mean of the grades of the two exams.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, starting in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	2 semesters	



<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 08 08</b>	Circuit Simulation and System Identification	Prof. Dr. phil. nat. habil. R. Tetzlaff
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The module contents: the mathematical basics of system identification and its practical application, basic system properties, important modeling approaches, methods for parameter identification and essential aspects of signal selection and data conditioning as well as adaptation of model parameters with appropriate algorithms.</p> <p>Outcomes: The students can select suitable model approaches based on theoretical considerations (linear/nonlinear, time/frequency domain). They are aware of simplifications made and consider specific boundary conditions for the applied methods. Students are able to define and analyze the set of data available for the identification and to evaluate it in terms of suitability. The students master the application of common methods for system identification and are able to evaluate the result.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	3 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-12 08 01</a> Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering, <a href="#">ET-12 08 31</a> Electronic Circuits, Systems Theory, <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra, <a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a> Calculus for Functions with Several Variables.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The assessment consists of two written exams of 120 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 credit points The module grade is the arithmetic mean of the two exams.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	2 semesters	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 08 26</b>	Characterization and Modeling of Nanoelectronic Devices	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. M. Schröter
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The module contains the course <b><i>Characterization and modeling of electronic devices</i></b> along with a student lab.</p> <p>The module includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Current topics and trends in the field of experimental characterization and modeling of micro- and nanoelectronic components, including model parameter determination.</li> </ul> <p>After completing this module, students are capable of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- understanding the basic operation of selected advanced transistors, their most important practical characteristics, and associated compact models for high-frequency circuit design;</li> <li>- applying advanced methodologies for model parameter extraction under industrial conditions;</li> <li>- understanding industrially relevant measurement methods for device characterization and analyzing/interpreting test results.</li> </ul>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 1 hour per week tutorial, 1 hour per week practical lab course, and self-study.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-12 08 11</a> Microelectronic Technologies and Devices, Physics of Selected Devices, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 90 minutes and an assignment of 20 hours.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The grade is the weighted mean of the grades of the assessments.	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	2 semesters	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
ET-12 12 02	Design of Microelectromechanical Systems	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. U. Marschner
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Contents of the module are</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Design of microsystems with modelling and simulation of technological procedures and processes (electrical components, sensors and actuators as well as complete systems)</li> <li>2. Electromechanical networks with electrical, mechanical, magnetic, fluidic (acoustic) and coupled subsystems including their interactions (common circuit diagram and their behaviour simulation with existing circuit simulation software, such as SPICE),</li> <li>3. Combination of network simulation with the method of finite element modelling (complete systems consisting of electrical and non-electrical components)</li> </ol> <p>The students have knowledge</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- the basic model descriptions of technological processes,</li> <li>- for effective design and clear analysis of the dynamic behaviour of electromechanical and electromagnetic systems,</li> <li>- on the function and modelling of reversible converters in sensors and actuators,</li> <li>- the functionality and possible applications of finite element methods and finite difference methods,</li> <li>- for the overall system description using HDL languages.</li> </ul>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, 1 hour per week Paperwork and self-study.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	The competences to be acquired in the modules Materials and Technical Mechanics and Scientific Fundamentals are required.	
<b>Usability</b>	The module is a compulsory elective module in the field of microelectronics in the diploma course in electrical engineering, in the diploma course in information systems engineering and in the master course in electrical engineering.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are acquired if the module examination is passed. The module examination consists of a written paper PL1 of 150 minutes duration and a paper PL2.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade M results from the weighted average of the grade of the examination performance: $M = (3 \text{ PL1} + \text{PL2}) / 4$ .	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, starting in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET- 12 08 16</b>	Radio Frequency Integrated Circuits	Prof. Dr. sc. techn. habil. F. Ellinger
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The content of the module focuses on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- high frequency integrated circuits for high speed wireless communications such as low noise amplifiers, power amplifiers, mixers, oscillators on basis of active and passive devices, as well as complete radio frontends and architectures</li> <li>- advantages and challenges of aggressively scaled CMOS and BiCMOS, Moore than Moore (e.g. FinFET, SOI, strained silicon) and Beyond more Moore (silicon nano wire, CNT and organic) technologies are discussed from circuit design perspective.</li> </ul> <p>After completion of the module, the students obtain competences regarding</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- methods for the design of analog high frequency integrated circuits. They know the basic circuits and architectures of the systems.</li> <li>- analysis and optimisation of these circuits,</li> <li>- complete design cycle for high frequency integrated circuits using the Cadance CAD system and are therefore prepared in this field for the requirements in industry and academia,</li> <li>- technical English</li> </ul>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	3 hours per week lectures, 1 hour per week tutorial, 2 hours per week practical lab courses, and self-study. The lecture is given in English.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Students should have basic knowledge of circuit design on Bachelor level.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 120 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the grade of the written exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, during the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET- 12 08 17</b>	Integrated Circuits for Broad-band Optical Communications	Prof. Dr. sc. techn. habil. F. Ellinger
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Integrated circuits for optical broadband communications, such as transimpedance amplifiers, detector circuits, laser drivers, multiplexers, frequency dividers, oscillators, phase locked loops, synthesizers and data recovery circuits.</p> <p>Students learn the methods of the design of fast integrated circuits and systems for optical broadband communications. They are able to analyse and optimise these circuits. The students know the complete design cycle using the program CADENCE.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	<p>3 hours per week lectures, 1 hour per week tutorial, 2 hours per week practical lab courses, and self-study.</p> <p>The language of instruction is English.</p>	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	<p>Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-12 08 31</a> Electronic Circuits (on Bachelor level).</p>	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	<p>The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 120 minutes.</p>	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	<p>7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the grade of the written exam.</p>	
<b>Frequency</b>	<p>Annually, in the winter semester</p>	
<b>Workload</b>	<p>210 hours</p>	
<b>Duration</b>	<p>1 semester</p>	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 08 18</b>	Integrated Circuit Design	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. C. Mayr
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The content of the module includes the basics and methods for development of application-specific digital integrated circuits (ASICs). This involves the transformation of a numeric algorithm into a data-dependency graph, the useage of scheduling and allocation procedures, optimizing regarding the consumption of resources (area, duration) as well as the implementation and functional verification (simulation) of the ASIC.</p> <p>After completing the module, the students are enabled to develop the data path (register transfer description) and the control unit (FSM) of a slected numeral algorithm using a data dependency graph. They know the implementation flow, which includes both the automated synthesis of complex blocks based on a hardware description language (eg. Verilog), as well as manually optimized digital data path elements.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	2 hours per week lectures, 1 hour per week tutorial, 2 hours per week practical lab courses, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra, <a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a> Calculus for Functions with Several Variables, <a href="#">ET-01 04 03</a> Complex Function Theory, <a href="#">ET-01 04 04</a> Partial Differential Equations and Probability Theory, <a href="#">ET-12 08 01</a> Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering <a href="#">ET-12 08 11</a> Microelectronic Technologies and Devices <a href="#">ET-12 08 31</a> Electronic Cicuits.	
<b>Requirements for the award of credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a project report of 40 hours.	
<b>Credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the grade of the project report.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, beginning in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	2 semesters	

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<b>ET-12 08 19</b>	VLSI Processor Design	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. C. Mayr
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Content of the module:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Basics, concepts and methods for designing complex digital VLSI-systems</li> <li>- Architectures for highly integrated digital processing systems, with emphasis on user-specific signal processing systems</li> <li>- Methods for the efficient transfer of architectural concepts in the highly integrated implementation of a digital system.</li> <li>- Specification and abstract modelling of the system, conversion into a Register-Transfer-Level (RTL) description, automated circuit synthesis and physical implementation (place &amp; route, layout synthesis), delivering the data for the manufacture of the chip.</li> <li>- Verification of the design on all levels of abstraction (behaviour, implementation) via simulation (functional verification)</li> <li>- Proof of the equivalence of transformation steps via formal verification, i.e. by checking compliance with design rules (signoff-verification)</li> <li>- Training in working together as a design team (division of tasks, definition of interfaces, schedule planning and time management)</li> </ul> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>After completion of this module, the students will be able to carry out a complete implementation and verification of a VLSI-System (e.g. a processor with a complexity comparable to an 8051) using industrial design software (Synopsys, Cadence).</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	2 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, 2 hours per week practical lab courses, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-12 08 01</a> Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering, <a href="#">ET-01 04 03</a> Complex Function Theory, <a href="#">ET-01 04 04</a> Partial Differential Equations and Probability Theory, <a href="#">ET-12 08 31</a> Electronic Circuits, Systems Theory, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a project report of 30 hours and an oral presentation of 20 minutes.	
<b>Credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the weighted average of the grade of the project report and the grade of the oral presentation: $M = (2 \text{ PL1} + \text{ PL2}) / 3.$	

<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in winter semester
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester



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ET-12 08 19	VLSI Processor Design	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. C. Mayr
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Content of the module:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Basics, concepts and methods for designing complex digital VLSI-systems</li> <li>- Architectures for highly integrated digital processing systems, with emphasis on user-specific signal processing systems</li> <li>- Methods for the efficient transfer of architectural concepts in the highly integrated implementation of a digital system.</li> <li>- Specification and abstract modelling of the system, conversion into a Register-Transfer-Level (RTL) description, automated circuit synthesis and physical implementation (place &amp; route, layout synthesis), delivering the data for the manufacture of the chip.</li> <li>- Verification of the design on all levels of abstraction (behaviour, implementation) via simulation (functional verification)</li> <li>- Proof of the equivalence of transformation steps via formal verification, i.e. by checking compliance with design rules (signoff-verification)</li> <li>- Training in working together as a design team (division of tasks, definition of interfaces, schedule planning and time management)</li> </ul> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>After completion of this module, the students will be able to carry out a complete implementation and verification of a VLSI-System (e.g. a processor with a complexity comparable to an 8051) using industrial design software (Synopsys, Cadence).</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	2 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, 2 hours per week practical lab courses, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-12 08 01</a> Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering, <a href="#">ET-01 04 03</a> Complex Function Theory, <a href="#">ET-01 04 04</a> Partial Differential Equations and Probability Theory, <a href="#">ET-12 08 31</a> Electronic Circuits, Systems Theory, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a project report of 30 hours and an oral presentation of 20 minutes.	

<b>Credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the weighted average of the grade of the project report and the grade of the oral presentation: $M = (2 \text{ PL1} + \text{ PL2}) / 3.$
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in winter semester
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 08 20</b>	Laser Sensor Technology	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. J. Czarske
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The module deals with the basic principles and the realisation of laser sensors in practice.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Laser measurement technology (laser technology, biophotonics, fiber optic measurement systems, optical information technology)</li> <li>- Mechatronic laser sensors</li> <li>- Experimental investigation and application of laser sensors</li> </ul> <p>Intended learning outcomes:</p> <p>Students will acquire skills to describe the physical principle and the technical design of laser sensors and to assess them. They will be able to handle the basic approaches and methods for the system design of modern laser sensors.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 1 hour per week tutorial, 1 hour per week practical lab course and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences in the fields of Systems Theory, <a href="#">ET-12 02 01</a> Electromagnetic Theory, and Measurement and Sensor Techniques.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The assessment consists of an individual oral exam of 40 min duration and a lab course.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is determined by the weighted average of both elements of module assessment, for which the oral exam contributes by 6/7 and the lab course by 1/7.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, during the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 Semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 09 13</b>	Applied Intelligent Signal Processing	Jun.-Prof. Dr.-Ing. P. Birkholz
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The content of the module includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- methods for recording and analyzing audio signals, image signals and biosignals</li> <li>- methods of classification and regression in the field of machine learning</li> <li>- the implementation of selected processes from 1) and 2) on an embedded system</li> </ul>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 1 hour per week tutorial, 1 hour per week practical lab course, and self-study.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as Signal Theory.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment is a written exam of 150 minutes and an ungraded lab course.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	<p>7 ECTS credit points</p> <p>The module grade is the unweighted mean of the parts of the assessment.</p>	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 09 04</b>	Speech Technology	Jun.-Prof. Dr.-Ing. P. Birkholz
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The module content includes:</p> <p>The algorithms and methods required for the lingual human-machine interaction (speech recognition and speech synthesis).</p> <p>Learning outcomes:</p> <p>Successful students master the latest technologies being used in speech recognition and speech synthesis. They know the basic concepts of linguistics and the hierarchical semiotic system and the structures of natural language. They are able to define it by means of formal languages and grammars and employ this knowledge in the development of speech recognition systems.</p> <p>Furthermore, they know the structure of speech synthesis systems and the algorithms used in linguistic-phonetic and acoustic-phonetic implementations. They know how to adapt these systems to meet specific demands such as multilingual or multimodal interaction.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week practical lab courses, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as Signal Theory, <a href="#">ET-12 09 03</a> Intelligent Audio Signal Processing, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam 150 minutes. The lab course has to be passed.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the grade of the written exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 09 08</b>	Room Acoustics/ Virtual Reality	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. E. Altinsoy
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>This module provides the theoretical and practical foundation for room acoustics (first part) and interface design for virtual reality applications (second part).</p> <p>1)The first part of the module (room acoustics) includes the theory of sound fields in enclosed spaces, geometrical acoustics, sound absorbers, electroacoustic systems in rooms and design of lecture halls, concert halls, opera houses, etc.</p> <p>2) The aim of the second part of the module is to present the advanced concepts for generation of real-time interactive auditory, haptic, and visual virtual environments. Nowadays, such kinds of systems play a pronounced role in scientific and industrial research &amp; development and, thus, become more and more important as tools for automotive industry (e.g. driving simulators, prototyping of engineering designs, restyling, ergonomics, etc.), telecommunication industry, architecture, and entertainment industry. Students learn audio recording and reproduction technologies (binaural techn., stereophony, surround sound, VBAP, ambisonics, wave field synthesis), implementation of room acoustical models, sound synthesis techniques, haptic and visual reproduction technologies. Furthermore, students will be exposed to the process of creating virtual environments, by developing some small VR applications (auditory/haptic/visual) as members of a small team.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week practical lab courses, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as Systems Theory, Signal Theory, Acoustics, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists an oral exam of 55 minutes as individual exam and a project work of 30 hours.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credits points The module grade is the arithmetic mean of the oral exam and the project work: $M = (PL1 + PL2) / 2$ .	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 09 09</b>	Psychoacoustics / Sound Design	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. E. Altinsoy
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>This module gives an introduction to:</p> <p>1. Psychoacoustics: Psychoacoustics is concerned with the relationships between the physical characteristics of sounds and their perceptual attributes. The aim of this module is to give students an understanding on the theory and practice of psychophysics, including the various aspects of psycho-acoustics, such as sensitivity, masking, loudness, sharpness, pitch, timbre and roughness. In this module various binaural models and the aspects of the binaural hearing will be introduced.</p> <p>2. Sound design Each perceived sound in product use is a carrier of information. Each sound has a meaning to its listener, and as such each sound is perceived as a sign. The humming sound inside a car is mostly associated with, e.g., sportiness. This module outlines basic principles of sign theory and gives guidelines to how human perception of a product is affected by product sounds.</p> <p>Intended learning outcomes: Students learn to construct signals, which evoke – if they are heard – specific physical, affective or psychomotor reactions. They are qualified for the product development, e.g., in the automotive, hearing aid, household appliance or telecommunication industry and in medical engineering companies.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as Measurement and Sensor Techniques, Acoustics, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 90 minutes and a project of 30 working hours.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credits The module grade results from the arithmetic mean of both elements of assessment.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 10 05</b>	Communication Networks, Advanced I	Prof. Dr.-Ing. Frank Fitzek
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Content:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The planning process for communication networks with transport, service and cost modelling and principles for the dimensioning and routing in communication networks, including their implementation in algorithmic or heuristic optimization approaches</li> <li>• Integrated packet networks with selected basics of networking technologies and protocols for LAN, MAN and WAN</li> </ul> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Having successfully completed this module, the students have a sound knowledge of planning, dimensioning and optimization of integrated communication networks. They understand the procedures and protocol structures that are used for efficient, flexible and reliable operation of these networks and have an overview of currently used technologies and their trends. The students are familiar with the basic technologies for integrated communication networks. They understand the system structures and processes and are able to evaluate and apply these. They master the most important networking technologies, their operating principles and protocols and are able to apply these to new problems.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-12 10 24</a> Communications and Communication Networks, Basics, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. If the number of registered students exceeds 15, the assessment consists of two written exams of 120 minutes each. With up to 15 registered students, the assessment consists of an oral exam as individual exam of 30 minutes and a written exam of 120 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the arithmetic mean of the grades for both elements of assessment.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	



<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 10 19</b>	Optimization in modern Communication Systems	Prof. Dr.-Ing. E. Jorswieck
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Content:</p> <p>The foundations of optimization in communication systems and modern methods of signal processing for communication in radio systems</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>The students are familiar with optimization problems that occur in communication technology as well as with modern approaches and methods of information theory and signal processing. The students have the mathematical knowledge necessary for classifying these problems and master both analytical methods as well as numerical methods for the solution thereof. They are able to apply these to different scenarios and are thus able to develop optimal and efficient strategies for current problems in modern communication systems.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	<p>4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study.</p> <p>The language of instruction can be either German or English. At the beginning of the teaching period, the lecturer announces the language the module will be taught in.</p>	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	<p>Competences acquired in modules such as Information Theory, Systems Theory, or equivalent.</p>	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	<p>The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The assessment consists of two written exams of 120 minutes each each.</p>	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	<p>7 ECTS credit points</p> <p>The module grade is the arithmetic mean of the grades for both elements of assessment.</p>	
<b>Frequency</b>	<p>annually, in the winter semester</p>	
<b>Workload</b>	<p>210 hours</p>	
<b>Duration</b>	<p>1 semester</p>	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 10 20</b>	Communication Networks, Advanced II	Prof. Dr.-Ing. Frank Fitzek
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Content:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tools for analyzing the performance of communication systems, in particular the analytical and simulative approach, and the exemplary realization by implementation</li> <li>• Future communication systems, their planning, analysis and structure</li> <li>• Approaches to project-based work, incl. work-structuring and presentation of the results (in writing and oral) in front of an expert public</li> </ul> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Having successfully completed this module, the students have a thorough understanding of the modelling and performance analysis of communication networks and their protocols. They are able to chose and apply appropriate methods of investigation for various problems.</p> <p>The students have learned to look at their tasks in a professional manner, to structure their project in terms of work and time, and to present their results in a public-oriented manner.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	<p>4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study.</p> <p>The language of instruction can be either German or English. At the beginning of the teaching period, the lecturer announces in which language the module will be taught.</p>	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	<p>Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-12 10 24</a> Communications, Communication Networks, Basics, or equivalent.</p>	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	<p>The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. If the number of registered students exceeds 15, the assessment consists of a written exam o 120 minutes and a project of 30 hours. With up to 15 registered students, the assessment consists of an oral exam as individual exam of 30 minutes and a project work of 30 hours.</p>	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	<p>7 ECTS credit points</p> <p>The module grade is the arithmetic mean of the grades for both elements of assessment.</p>	
<b>Frequency</b>	<p>annually, in the winter semester</p>	
<b>Workload</b>	<p>210 hours</p>	

<b>Duration</b>	1 semester
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<b>ET-12 10 09</b>	Information Theory, Advanced I	Prof. Dr.-Ing. E. Jorswieck
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>This module comprises:</p> <p>Elements of the multi-user information theory, meaning capacity regions and attainable rate regions of multiple access channels, broadcast channels, relay channels, interference channels with coding theorems and converse</p> <p>Intended learning outcome:</p> <p>After completing this module, students are familiar with the elements of the network information theory and the basic results regarding capacity regions und attainable rate regions. Students further obtain information theoretical and mathematical tools to prove coding theorems. Amongst these coding theorems are superposition coding, Gelfand-Pinkser coding, dirty-paper coding, successive-interference-cancellation, Han-Kobayashi-coding, backward-decoding and many more. Furthermore, students will know the current status of technology – e.g. the capacity region of the multi-antenna broadcast channel – as well as unsolved issues regarding network information theory and its difficulties. They further apply their gained knowledge and the functional interpretation of system designs of future mobile communication systems, for cellular systems (multiple access and broadcast channel), relay and multi-hop systems as well as ad hoc networks to specific tasks. Moreover, they confidently deploy various performance metrics, are familiar with the stochastic description of wireless networks, and can evaluate average and outage-performances.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study. The language of instruction can be German or English, and is announced at the beginning of the semester by the lecturer.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences provided by modules such as Information Theory.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The assessment consists of two written exams of 120 minutes each.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the arithmetic mean of the two written exams.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the winter semester	

<b>Workload</b>	210 hours
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 10 13</b>	RF Systems	Prof. Dr.-Ing. D. Plettemeier
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The module content: The operation and the physical basics of modern RF and wireless systems.</p> <p>Objectives: The students are familiar with ground- and satellite-based radio navigation and positioning systems. Communication satellite links can be described at system level. Basic understanding of satellite technology, antenna systems and phenomena of wave propagation (free space propagation, atmospheric absorption, plasma frequency, reflection and scattering, Doppler effect, etc.) are taught. The students are familiar with the different radar techniques (e.g. pulse-radar, pulse Doppler radar, FMCW radar and secondary radar, MTI principle, chirp) and with the system description and signal processing. They have obtained knowledge regarding the functionality and methods of the signal processing of radar imaging techniques (e.g. SAR principles).</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as RF Engineering, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment is an individual oral exam of 45 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the grade of the oral exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 10 15</b>	Basics Mobile Communications Systems	Prof. Dr.-Ing. Dr. h.c. G. Fettweis
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	Having completed the module, the students know and understand the basic structure of cellular mobile communications systems (system and protocol architectures, radio network planning and optimization, capacity calculation). They are able to analyze and to solve problems of radio network planning. They know the phenomena of the mobile radio channel (Doppler effect, multipath propagation), master the basic principles of digital signal transmission over frequency-selective and time-variant transmission channels and are able to analyze, to describe mathematically and to work out solutions for real-world data transmission problems.	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-12 10 24</a> Communications, Systems Theory, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. If the number of registered students exceeds 15, the assessment consists of a written exam of 150 minutes. With up to 15 registered students, the written exam will be replaced by an oral exam of 45 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the grade of the exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 10 16</b>	Digital Signal Processing and Hardware Implementation	Prof. Dr.-Ing. Dr. h.c. G. Fettweis
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Having completed the module, the students master processes for software implementation of digital signal processing algorithms on different hardware platforms and can evaluate them with respect to various criteria.</p> <p>The students know methods for hardware and software realization of communications engineering problems as well as design and optimization methods for digital signal processing systems. They are able to design and optimize signal processing systems in the field of communications by taking into account the mutual influence of the hardware and software (HW / SW co-design).</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	<p>2 hours per week lectures, 1 hours per week tutorial, 2 hours per week practical lab courses, and self-study.</p> <p>The language of instruction is at least partially in English.</p>	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	<p>Competences acquired in modules such as  <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra,  <a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a> Calculus for Functions with Several Variables,  <a href="#">ET-01 04 03</a> Complex Function Theory,  <a href="#">ET-12 10 24</a> Communications, Systems Theory.</p>	
<b>Requirements for the award of credit points</b>	<p>The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of two exams. Exam 1 is a written exam of 120 minutes if the number of participants exceeds 16. With up to 16 participants, the written exam will be replaced by an oral exam as an individual exam of 20 minutes. The type of exam will be announced at the end of the registration period at the faculty. Exam 2 is a lab report.</p>	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	<p>7 ECTS credit points</p> <p>The module grade results from the arithmetic mean of the grades of both elements of assessment.</p>	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, beginning in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	2 semesters	



<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 10 16</b>	Digital Signal Processing and Hardware Implementation	Prof. Dr.-Ing. Dr. h.c. G. Fettweis
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Having completed the module, the students master processes for software implementation of digital signal processing algorithms on different hardware platforms and can evaluate them with respect to various criteria.</p> <p>The students know methods for hardware and software realization of communications engineering problems as well as design and optimization methods for digital signal processing systems. They are able to design and optimize signal processing systems in the field of communications by taking into account the mutual influence of the hardware and software (HW / SW co-design).</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	<p>2 hours per week lectures, 1 hours per week tutorial, 2 hours per week practical lab courses, and self-study.</p> <p>The language of instruction is at least partially in English.</p>	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	<p>Competences acquired in modules such as  <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra,  <a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a> Calculus for Functions with Several Variables,  <a href="#">ET-01 04 03</a> Complex Function Theory,  <a href="#">ET-12 10 24</a> Communications, Systems Theory.</p>	
<b>Requirements for the award of credit points</b>	<p>The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of two exams. Exam 1 is a written exam of 120 minutes if the number of participants exceeds 16. With up to 16 participants, the written exam will be replaced by an oral exam as an individual exam of 20 minutes. The type of exam will be announced at the end of the registration period at the faculty. Exam 2 is a lab report.</p>	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	<p>7 ECTS credit points</p> <p>The module grade results from the arithmetic mean of the grades of both elements of assessment.</p>	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, beginning in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	2 semesters	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 10 17</b>	Upgrade Mobile Communications Systems	Prof. Dr.-Ing. Dr. h.c. G. Fettweis
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	Having completed this module, the students are able to understand the concepts of modern mobile systems and to contribute creatively to solve radio transmission problems under mobile communications conditions. The students have a deeper understanding of the problems in mobile communications (signal transmission via disturbed frequency-variant and time-variant communication channels), have the knowledge and skills to analyze theoretically these problems, to develop and implement practical solutions.	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	The module includes lectures and tutorials in the amount of 6 hours per week, and self-study. The language of instruction is at least partly in English.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-12 10 24</a> Communications, Systems Theory, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. If the number of registered students exceeds 15, the module assessment is a written exam of 150 minutes. With up to 15 registered students, the written exam will be replaced by an oral exam as an individual exam of 45 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the grade of the exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 10 18</b>	Digital Signal Processing Systems	Prof. Dr.-Ing. Dr. h.c. G. Fettweis
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	Having completed the module, the students have the mathematical knowledge necessary for describing and analyzing discrete-time systems (e.g., fundamentals of time-discrete systems and spectral analysis of time, signal sampling and reconstruction, digital filtering, quantization, multirate systems, adaptive filtering), and can use this knowledge in the design and implementation of digital signal processing systems. The students are able to simulate signal processing modules and to implement them with the help of digital signal processors (DSPs).	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	3 hours per week lectures, 1 hour per week tutorials, 2 hours per week practical lab courses, and self-study.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra, <a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a> Calculus for Functions with Several Variables, <a href="#">ET-01 04 03</a> Complex Function Theory, Systems Theory, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 120 minutes and a lab report.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit point The module grade results from the weighted grades of the elements of assessment; the written exam contributes by 2/3 and the lab report by 1/3.	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually, in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 10 21</b>	Network Coding: Theory and Practice	Prof. Dr.-Ing. Frank Fitzek
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Content:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Theoretical fundamentals of network coding (NC)</li> <li>• Evaluation of NC's performance in present and future communications systems</li> </ul> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>The students are able to cope with the joint treatment of coding and routing in networks. They know both the classic NC in wire-bound and the extension to the wireless case. They are familiar with current research topics in the fields of modulation and coding in networks as well as modern methods for data storage and secure data transmission, such as network coded modulation, lattice codes, compute-and-forward, distributed data storage and secure network coding. They know the performance of NC systems and are familiar with the simulation as well as the implementation of NC on simple communication systems.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	<p>4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study</p> <p>The language of instruction can either be German or English. At the beginning of the teaching period, the lecturer announces whether the module will be taught in English or German.</p>	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	<p>Competences acquired in modules such as Information Theory, Systems Theory, Communication Networks, Basics or equivalent.</p>	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	<p>The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. If the number of registered students exceeds 15, the assessment consists of two written exams of 120 minutes each. With up to 15 registered students, the written exams will be replaced by two oral exams as individual exams of 30 minutes each.</p>	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	<p>7 ECTS credit points</p> <p>The module grade is the arithmetic mean of the grades for both elements of assessment.</p>	
<b>Frequency</b>	<p>Annually, in the summer semester</p>	
<b>Workload</b>	<p>210 hours</p>	
<b>Duration</b>	<p>1 semester</p>	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 10 22</b>	Cooperative Communications	Prof. Dr.-Ing. Eduard Jorswieck
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Content:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Modern methods of resource allocation in radio systems</li> <li>• Their application to cooperative communication systems</li> </ul> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>The knowledge of approaches and methods of game theory makes it possible to analyse conflict situations such as occur in resource allocation in radio systems. The students are familiar with the fundamental mathematical tools of the game theory and master their application in cooperative and non-cooperative systems in the field of mobile communication. They are familiar with example systems and the corresponding analytical and simulative approach, as well as the exemplary realisation by means of implementation on practical systems.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	<p>4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study.</p> <p>The language of instruction can be either German or English. At the beginning of the teaching period, the lecturer announces in which language the module will be taught.</p>	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	<p>Competences acquired in modules such as Information Theory, Systems Theory, or equivalent.</p>	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	<p>The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. If the number of registered students exceeds 15, the assessment consists of two written exams of 120 minutes each. With up to 15 registered students, the written exams can be replaced by oral exams of 30 minutes each.</p>	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	<p>7 ECTS credit points</p> <p>The module grade is the arithmetic mean of the grades for both elements of assessment.</p>	
<b>Frequency</b>	<p>Annually, in the summer semester</p>	
<b>Workload</b>	<p>210 hours</p>	
<b>Duration</b>	<p>1 semester</p>	

Module number	Module name	Lecturer in charge
<b>ET-12 11 01</b>	Solid-State and Nano Electronics	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. G. Gerlach
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The module comprises:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Solid-state electronics</b> with electronic functions based on di-, piezo-, pyro- and ferroelectricity, magnetic effects, electronic effects of plasmons and electron emission,</li> <li>- <b>Nanotechnology and nanoelectronics</b> of nanoelectronic devices (effects in nanodots and nanowires as well as effects taking place at very small numbers of charge carriers).</li> </ul> <p>Intended learning outcome:</p> <p>After successfully passing the module, students are able</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- to bring physically caused material effects to bear,</li> <li>- to apply probability-based theoretical basics of these effects,</li> <li>- to evaluate these effects, and</li> <li>- to use electronic and ionic effects for up-to-date electron devices.</li> </ul>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, self-study.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra, <a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a> Calculus for Functions with Several Variables, <a href="#">ET-01 04 03</a> Complex Function Theory, <a href="#">ET-01 04 04</a> Partial Differential Equations and Probability Theory, Materials Science and Engineering Mechanics, Microsystems and Semiconductor Technology, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. If the number of registered students exceeds 8, the module assessment consists of a written exam of 90 minutes. With up to 8 registered students, the module assessment consists of an oral exam as individual exam of 30 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the grade of the exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	

<b>Duration</b>	1 semester
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<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<a href="#">ET-12 08 27</a>	Neuromorphic VLSI Systems	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. Ch. G. Mayr
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The content of the module includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Design Methods for Integrated Analog CMOS circuits and their circuit sizing,</li> <li>- neuromorphic VLSI systems and their neurobiological basics, common abstraction models, as well as the use in research and technology, eg. in brain-machine-interfaces and for signal processing,</li> <li>- foundations, concepts and methods for the preparation and analysis of analog and neuromorphic CMOS circuits with the design software Cadence DF2.</li> </ul> <p>Outcomes:</p> <p>After completing the module, students will be familiar with the area of neuronal networks from neurobiological foundations up to the application circuit. They are able to work with design tools (Cadence DF2, Specter), to design and dimension CMOS circuits, and to verify the parameters by simulation and to create associated circuit layouts.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week tutorials, and self-study.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-12 08 01</a> Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering, <a href="#">ET-12 08 31</a> Electronic Circuits, <a href="#">ET-12 09 01</a> Systems Theory, <a href="#">ET-12 02 02</a> Numerical Analysis, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment consists of an assignment and a report.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the grade is the weighted mean of the parts of the assessment: $M = (2 \text{ PL1} + \text{PL2}) / 3$ .	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	



<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 11 04</b>	Sensors and Sensor Systems	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. G. Gerlach
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The module comprises:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Physical effects connecting diverse measurands of sensors with electronic sensor quantities</li> <li>- Properties of sensors (material properties, transducer mechanisms, fabrication technology, construction of sensors, application requirements),</li> <li>- Design, application and operation of sensors</li> </ul> <p>Intended learning outcome:</p> <p>After successfully passing the module students are able</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- to apply physical basics of sensors,</li> <li>- to connect coupling effects and interferences caused by material properties, fabrication and application,</li> <li>- to estimate the impact of effects upon the sensor behaviour and to compare it with other influences, and</li> <li>- to use sensors for diverse applications.</li> </ul>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	Lectures, tutorials, and lab work with at least 6 hours per week (typically 4 hours per week lectures, 1 hour per week tutorial, 1 hour per week practical lab course), and self-study.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-01 04 01</a> Introduction to Analysis and Algebra, <a href="#">ET-01 04 02</a> Calculus for Functions with Several Variables, <a href="#">ET-01 04 03</a> Complex Function Theory, <a href="#">ET-01 04 04</a> Partial Differential Equations and Probability Theory, Microsystems and Semiconductor Technology, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 150 minutes and a lab course.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is calculated from the weighted mean of both the grade of the written exam (2/3) and the grade of the lab course (1/3).	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 11 05</b>	Plasma Technology	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. G. Gerlach
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The module includes plasma process for coating, surface treatment, surface modification, structuring and cleaning as well as separation of functional layers and layer systems.</p> <p>Outcomes:</p> <p>Students are able to work with the physical basics of plasmas in process plants, to chose the most important technical plasma sources and plasma processing systems as well as to classify the most important layers and layer systems from technical practice in the main applications.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 2 hour per week tutorials, and self-study.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as Basics of Science.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment consists of a written exam of 90 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is the grade of the written exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the winter semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 12 03</b>	Applied Thin-Film and Solar Technology	Prof. Dr. rer. nat. J. W. Bartha
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>The module includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- the production of electronic devices and solar cells by the vacuum-based generation of thin films</li> </ul> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>Having successfully completed this module, the students are familiar with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- the kinetic theory of gases</li> <li>- the generation of vacuum and vacuum measurement</li> <li>- the dimensioning of vacuum plants</li> </ul> <p>The students are capable of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- applying processes of thin film technology</li> <li>- using interactions between materials and the characteristics of the film</li> <li>- differentiating between the various types of solar cells and their manufacturing technologies</li> <li>- mastering the methods of process control</li> <li>- characterizing failure mechanisms of the devices</li> </ul>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	6 hours per week lectures and self-study.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competencies acquired in modules such as Materials and Engineering Mechanics, Basics of Science, or equivalent.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The module assessment is an individual oral exam of 45 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The grade of the module is the grade of the oral exam.	
<b>Frequency</b>	annually, in the summer semester	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	1 semester	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 12 04</b>	Memory Technology	Prof. Dr.-Ing. T. Mikolajick
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>This module covers memory concepts in the market and in research respectively development stage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Magnetic memories</li> <li>- Optival memories</li> <li>- Semiconductor memories (SRAM, DRAM, nonvolatile Memories (EPROM, EEPROM, Flash))</li> <li>- Innovative semiconductor memories (e.g. ferroelectric, magnetoresistive, resistive, organic, and single molecule memories)</li> </ul> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>After completion of the module the students have the competences to optimize and develop new generations of existing memory concepts. Based on the physical effects they will also be able to develop new memory concepts. Furthermore, the students are able to evaluate the areas of application for the memory concept and are aware of their limitation.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	<p>3 hours per week lectures, 2 hours per week seminars, and self-study.</p> <p>The module is taught in English.</p>	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	<p>Competencies acquired in modules such as <a href="#">ET-12 08 11</a> Microelectronic Technologies and Devices, or equivalent.</p>	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	<p>The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. If the number of registered students exceeds 20, the module assessment consists of a written exam of 90 minutes. With up to 20 registered students, the written exam will be replaced by an oral exam as individual exam of 15 minutes.</p>	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	<p>7 ECTS credit points</p> <p>The grade of the module is the grade of the exam.</p>	
<b>Frequency</b>	<p>Annually, beginning in the summer semester</p>	
<b>Workload</b>	<p>210 working hours</p>	
<b>Duration</b>	<p>2 semesters</p>	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 13 11</b>	Nonlinear Control Systems, Advanced	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. Klaus Röbenack
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Content:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mathematical tools of nonlinear systems (e.g. differential geometry)</li> <li>• System theoretical elements of complex control systems (e. g. spatially distributed systems)</li> </ul> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>The students are capable of analyzing complex control systems and dimension nonlinear control systems. They are able to model, identify, analyze, control and regulate complex control systems (e.g. spatially distributed systems) by means of mathematical and system theoretical correlations.</p>	
<b>Modes of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 1 hour per week tutorial, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences acquired in modules such as Systems Theory and Control of Continuous-Time Processes.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The assessment consists of two written exams of 90 minutes each.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is determined by the arithmetic mean of both exams.	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually The module starts in the summer semester.	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	2 semesters	

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Lecturer in charge</b>
<b>ET-12 13 12</b>	Optimal and Robust Multi-variable Control Systems	Prof. Dr.-Ing. habil. K. Röbenack
<b>Contents and objectives</b>	<p>Content:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Analysis and design of optimal and / or robust control</li> <li>2. Design of control concepts for multivariable systems or systems with model uncertainties</li> </ol> <p>Objectives:</p> <p>The students create optimal or robust controls and regulations (controller design). They are able to develop control concepts for multivariable systems or systems with model uncertainties, e.g. for the simultaneous influencing or decoupling of several sizes.</p>	
<b>Methods of teaching and learning</b>	4 hours per week lectures, 1 hour per week tutorial, and self-study	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Competences in the field of Control of Continuous-Time Processes.	
<b>Requirements for the award of ECTS credit points</b>	The credit points are earned if the module assessment is passed. The assessment consists of two written exams of 90 minutes.	
<b>ECTS credit points and grades</b>	7 ECTS credit points The module grade is determined by the arithmetic mean of both exams.	
<b>Frequency</b>	Annually The module starts in the summer semester.	
<b>Workload</b>	210 hours	
<b>Duration</b>	2 semesters	

Module number	Module name	Responsible lecturer
INF-BAS1	Introduction to Applied Computer Science	Prof. Dr. Martin Wollschlaeger martin.wollschlaeger@tu-dresden.de
<b>Contents and qualification objectives</b>	The students master the basic principles of engineering information technology in flexible automated systems according to the requirements of man and environment. The content of the module is chosen by the students: Methods for modeling and simulation, analysis and performance evaluation of complex dynamic systems, approaches to solve practical technical decision problems, specifics of networked systems or real-time systems, methods for planning and controlling complex technical systems, methods of design, specification and implementation of networked industrial application systems, methods for testing and troubleshooting in software applications, techniques of task analysis and evaluation methods for the usable design of interactive systems.	
<b>Teaching and learning methods</b>	The module includes 4 SWS (semester weeks) lectures and 4 SWS exercises and the self-study. The language of the lectures and/or exercises can be German or English and will be determined at the beginning of the semester.	
<b>Prerequisites for participation</b>	Knowledge and skills in the basics of statistics, object-oriented programming, the basics of distributed systems, computer networks and software design are required. With the following literature, students can prepare for the module: Christian Ullenboom, Java is also an island: Learning programming with the standard work for Java developers, Rheinwerk Computing; Edition: 12, 2016, ISBN: 978-3836241199. Andrew s. Tanenbaum: Computer Networks. Prentice Hall, Pearson Education Germany. Alan Dix, Janet Finlay, Gregory D. Abowd: Human Computer Interaction, Prentice Hall, Pearson.	
<b>Usability</b>	The module is one of eight compulsory elective basic modules of the Master's programme in Computer Science, of which three are to be selected, one of seven compulsory elective basic modules of the Diploma programme in Computer Science, of which three are to be selected and one of four compulsory elective basic modules of the Diploma programme in Information Systems Engineering, of which one is to be selected. In the aforementioned Diploma programme in Computer Science, it fulfils the prerequisites for the compulsory elective advanced modules <i>Advanced Applied Computer Science</i> (INF-VERT1), <i>Introduction to Basic Research in Computer Science</i> (INF-PM-FOR) and <i>Introduction to Applied Research in</i>	

	<i>Computer Science</i> (INF-PM-ANW).
<b>Requirements for the awarding of credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded if the module examination is passed. If there are more than 40 registered students, the module examination consists of a written examination with a duration of 90 minutes. If there are 40 or fewer registered students, it consists of an oral examination with a duration of 30 minutes; this will be announced to the registered students as usual at the faculty at the end of the registration period.
<b>Credit points and grades</b>	The module allows for the earning of 12 credit points. The module grade corresponds to the grade of the examination.
<b>Frequency of the module</b>	The module is offered each winter semester.
<b>Workload</b>	The workload is a total of 360 hours.
<b>Duration of the module</b>	The module takes one semester.



Module number	Module name	Responsible lecturer
INF-BAS2	Artificial Intelligence	Dr. Bjoern Andres bjoern.andres@tu-dresden.de
<b>Contents and qualification objectives</b>	<p>The students understand the theory and master the methods for the independent conception, construction and programming of intelligent systems. Students are able to familiarize themselves with various topics in the field of artificial intelligence in both industry-related and research-oriented contexts and to apply their knowledge to solve problems independently. The content of the module is chosen by the students: Modelling and analysis of visual objects as well as methods of pattern recognition and computer vision, modeling and solution of complex problems with the help of declarative programming languages, ontology languages and other techniques of computational logic, theory of learning and advanced approaches in the field of machine learning and of statistical learning and methods for self-learning systems, techniques for solving planning and configuration problems as well as the combination of planning, decision theory and execution in rational agents and mobile robots, construction and methodology of autonomous robots, basic techniques for autonomous systems in complex systems that act rationally despite possible erroneous data and uncertain knowledge.</p>	
<b>Teaching and learning methods</b>	<p>The module includes lectures, exercises and seminars in the amount of 8 SWS (semester weeks) and the self-study. The courses are to be selected from the INF-BAS2 catalogue to the specified extent, including at least 2 SWS lectures and 2 SWS exercises. Some courses of this module can be offered in English. The catalogue will be announced as usual at the Faculty of Computer Science, at the beginning of each semester, including the language of the courses.</p>	
<b>Prerequisites for participation</b>	<p>Knowledge and skills in the basics of artificial intelligence (search methods, knowledge representation, machine learning) are required. With the following literature, students can prepare for the module:</p> <p>Russell &amp; P. Norvig: Artificial Intelligence - A Modern Approach.</p>	
<b>Usability</b>	<p>In the Master's programme in Computer Science, the module is one of eight elective basic modules, of which three must be chosen and one of seven elective basic modules, of which three must be chosen in the Diploma programme in Computer Science.</p>	

	This module fulfils the prerequisites for the following compulsory elective modules: <i>Advanced Artificial Intelligence</i> (INF-VERT2), <i>Introduction to Basic Research in Computer Science</i> (INF-PM-FOR) and <i>Introduction to Applied Research in Computer Science</i> (INF-PM-ANW) of the aforementioned Diploma programme.
<b>Requirements for the awarding of credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded if the module examination is passed. The module examination consists of an oral examination, with a duration of 30 minutes. At the student's request, the oral examination may be conducted in English.
<b>Credit points and grades</b>	The module allows for the earning of 12 credit points. The module grade corresponds to the grade of the oral examination.
<b>Frequency of the module</b>	The module is offered each semester.
<b>Workload</b>	The workload is a total of 360 hours.
<b>Duration of the module</b>	The module takes two semesters.

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Responsible lecturer</b>
INF-BAS3	Software and Web Engineering	Prof. Dr. Raimund Dachzelt raimund.dachselt@tu-dresden.de
<b>Contents and qualification objectives</b>	The students master the basic principles of the engineering of software, web and multimedia applications and the associated processes. You can design, implement and evaluate simple applications with graphical and web-based interfaces. The content of the module is chosen by the students: Software Technologies, Web & Multimedia Engineering and Usability Engineering.	
<b>Teaching and learning methods</b>	The module includes lectures, exercises and seminars in the amount of 8 SWS (semester weeks) and the self-study. The courses are to be selected from the INF-BAS3 catalogue of the Faculty of Computer Science to the specified extent, including at least 2 SWS lectures and 2 SWS exercises. Some courses of this module can be offered in English. The catalogue will be announced as usual at the faculty, at the beginning of each semester, including the language of the courses.	
<b>Prerequisites for participation</b>	<p>Skills and abilities in the basics of programming (e.g. in Java and JavaScript), software technology (e.g. UML) and markup languages (e.g. XML) are required. The following literature will help students to prepare for the module:</p> <p>Helmut Balzert, Textbook of Software Engineering, 2nd edition. Heidelberg, 2000, ISBN 3-8274-0042-2.</p> <p>Christian Ullenboom, Java is also an island: Learning programming with the standard work for Java developers, Rheinwerk Computing; Edition: 12, 2016, ISBN: 978-3836241199.</p> <p>Balzert, Helmut; Krüger, Sandra. HTML5, XHTML &amp; CSS: Developing websites systematically &amp; barrier-free - [ 2nd ed. Witten : W3L, 2011. ISBN: 9783937137544. <a href="http://katalogbeta.slub-dresden.de/id/0011609301/">http://katalogbeta.slub-dresden.de/id/0011609301/</a>.</p>	
<b>Usability</b>	The module is one of eight compulsory elective basic modules in the Master's programme in Computer Science, of which three are to be selected, one of seven compulsory elective basic modules in the Diploma programme in Computer Science, of which three are to be selected and one of four compulsory elective basic modules in the Diploma programme in Information Systems Engineering, of	

	<p>which one is to be selected. It fulfils the prerequisites for the compulsory elective compulsory modules <i>Advanced Software and Web Engineering</i> (INF-VERT3) in the Master's and Diploma programmes in Computer Science and the prerequisites for the compulsory elective profile modules <i>Introduction to Basic Research in Computer Science</i> (INF-PM-FOR) and <i>Introduction to Applied Research in Computer Science</i> (INF-PM-ANW) in the Diploma programme in Computer Science.</p>
<b>Requirements for the awarding of credit points</b>	<p>The credit points are awarded if the module examination is passed. The module examination consists of an oral examination with a duration of 30 minutes. At the student's request, the oral examination may be conducted in English.</p>
<b>Credit points and grades</b>	<p>The module allows for the earning of 12 credit points. The module grade corresponds to the grade of the oral examination grade.</p>
<b>Frequency of the module</b>	<p>The module is offered each semester.</p>
<b>Workload</b>	<p>The workload is a total of 360 hours.</p>
<b>Duration of the module</b>	<p>The module takes one semester.</p>

Module number	Module name	Responsible lecturer
INF-BAS4	System Architecture	Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Lehner wolfgang.lehner@tu-dresden.de
<b>Contents and qualification objectives</b>	The students have the technical and methodological competence to analyze, design, validate and operate system architectures not only under functional but also under non-functional aspects such as effort, costs, real time, fault tolerance, security and data protection. The content of the module is chosen by the students: Operating systems, databases, computer networks, fault tolerance, data protection and data security.	
<b>Teaching and learning methods</b>	The module includes lectures, exercises and seminars in the amount of 8 SWS (semester weeks) and the self-study. The courses are to be selected from the INF-BAS4 catalogue of the Faculty of Computer Science, to the specified extent, including at least 2 SWS lectures and 2 SWS exercises. Some courses of this module can be offered in English. The catalogue will be announced as usual at the faculty, at the beginning of each semester, including the language of the courses.	
<b>Prerequisites for participation</b>	<p>Knowledge and skills in the basics of databases, computer networks, operating systems and security at Bachelor level are required. The following literature will help students to prepare for the module:</p> <p>Andrew S. Tanenbaum: Modern operating systems.</p> <p>Andrew S. Tanenbaum: Computer Networks.</p> <p>David Kahn: The Codebreakers: The Comprehensive History of Secret Communication from Ancient Times to the Internet.</p> <p>Theo Härder, Erhard Rahm: Database systems. Concepts and techniques of implementation.</p>	
<b>Usability</b>	The module is one of eight compulsory elective basic modules in the Master's programme in Computer Science, of which three are to be selected, one of seven compulsory elective basic modules in the Diploma programme in Computer Science, of which three are to be selected and one of four compulsory elective basic modules in the Diploma programme in Information Systems Engineering, of which one is to be selected. In the aforementioned Diploma programme in Computer Science, it fulfils the prerequisites for the compulsory elective advanced and profile modules <i>Advanced</i>	

	<i>System Architecture (INF-VERT4), Introduction to Basic Research in Computer Science (INF-PM-FOR) and Introduction to Applied Research in Computer Science (INF-PM-ANW)).</i>
<b>Requirements for the awarding of credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded if the module examination is passed. The module examination consists of an oral examination with a duration of 30 minutes. At the student's request, the oral examination may be conducted in English.
<b>Credit points and grades</b>	The module allows for the earning of 12 credit points. The module grade corresponds to the grade of the oral examination.
<b>Frequency of the module</b>	The module is offered each semester.
<b>Workload</b>	The workload is a total of 360 hours.
<b>Duration of the module</b>	The module takes two semesters.

Module number	Module name	Responsible lecturer
INF-BAS5	Computer Engineering	Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Nagel wolfgang.nagel@tu-dresden.de
<b>Contents and qualification objectives</b>	<p>Students know system architectures and modeling paradigms of VLSI systems, are able to verify descriptions of hardware systems by simulation and convert them into real circuits using typical tools. You know different implementation concepts for embedded systems and can describe them with formal means. They understand how the systems are embedded in their environment and how they are connected to it. You understand the interweaving of hardware and software in embedded systems and can derive design decisions from this. You know different approaches to formulate parallel programs. You understand how these formulations are mapped to different parallel computers and can estimate or evaluate the effects of program alternatives and architectural decisions. The contents of the module are design, modeling, programming, simulation and realization of technical systems in the fields of VLSI systems, embedded systems and parallel processing.</p>	
<b>Teaching and learning methods</b>	<p>The module includes lectures, exercises, practical courses and seminars in the amount of 8 SWS (semester weeks) and the self-study. The courses are to be selected from the INF-BAS5 catalogue of the Faculty of Computer Science, to the specified extent, including at least 2 SWS lectures, 2 SWS exercises and 2 SWS internships. Some courses of this module can be offered in English. The catalogue will be announced as usual at the faculty, at the beginning of each semester, including the language of the courses.</p>	
<b>Prerequisites for participation</b>	<p>Knowledge and skills in the basics of digital circuits, computer organization and computer architecture are required. The following literature will help students to prepare for the module:</p> <p>Lipp &amp; Becker: Basics of digital technology.</p> <p>David Patterson (author), John LeRoy Hennessy: Computer organization and computer design: The hardware/software interface.</p> <p>Hennessy &amp; Patterson: Computer Architecture. A Quantitative approach.</p>	

<b>Usability</b>	The module is one of eight compulsory elective basic modules in the Master's programme in Computer Science, of which three are to be selected, one of seven compulsory elective basic modules in the Diploma programme in Computer Science, of which three are to be selected and one of four compulsory elective basic modules in the Diploma programme in Information Systems Engineering, of which one is to be selected. In the aforementioned Diploma programme in Computer Science, it fulfils the prerequisites for the compulsory elective advanced and profile modules <i>Advanced Computer Engineering</i> (INF-VERT5), <i>Introduction to Basic Research in Computer Science</i> (INF-PM-FOR) and <i>Introduction to Applied Research in Computer Science</i> (INF-PM-ANW).
<b>Requirements for the awarding of credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded if the module examination is passed. The module examination consists of an oral examination with a duration of 30 minutes. A collection of minutes must be prepared as a preliminary examination performance.
<b>Credit points and grades</b>	The module allows for the earning of 12 credit points. The module grade corresponds to the grade of the oral examination.
<b>Frequency of the module</b>	The module is offered in the winter semester.
<b>Workload</b>	The workload is a total of 360 hours.
<b>Duration of the module</b>	The module takes one semester.



<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Responsible lecturer</b>
INF- VERT1	Advanced Applied Computer Science	Prof. Dr. Martin Wollschlaeger martin.wollschlaeger@tu-dresden.de
<b>Contents and qualification objectives</b>	<p>Students know advanced engineering methods for flexible automated systems over their entire life cycle. They can transfer engineering methods to novel application systems, apply them in an integrated way and develop components of such systems independently. The content of the module can be chosen by the students: Design and synchronization of multimodal user interfaces using visual, speech-based and haptic interaction techniques, assistive technologies, simulative performance evaluation of complex dynamic systems, industrial simulation projects including common statistical methods and modelling approaches, planning and control approaches from production and logistics, Resource scheduling problems, design of networked software systems including wireless networks and sensor-actuator networks and methods for modelling, specification, description, engineering and management of industrial communication systems, information models and systems for complex networked production systems.</p>	
<b>Teaching and learning methods</b>	<p>The module includes courses in the amount of 10 SWS (semester weeks) and the self-study. At least 4 SWS lectures and 2 SWS exercises are to be selected from the INF-VERT1 catalogue of the Faculty of Computer Science. 4 SWS lectures, exercises, seminars and internships listed in the catalogue can be freely selected. Some courses in this module may be offered in English. The catalogue will be announced as usual at the Faculty of Computer Science, at the beginning of each semester, including the language of the course.</p>	
<b>Prerequisites for participation</b>	<p>Competences to be acquired in the module INF-BAS1 Applied Computer Science, or equivalent.</p>	
<b>Usability</b>	<p>The module is one of seven compulsory elective advanced modules in the Master's programme in Computer Science, of which one is to be selected, and one of seven compulsory elective advanced modules in the Diploma programme in Computer Science, of which one is to be selected. It is also one of four compulsory elective advanced modules in the Diploma</p>	

	programme in Information Systems Engineering, of which one must be selected.
<b>Requirements for the awarding of credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded if the module examination is passed. The module examination consists of an oral examination performance, with a duration of 40 minutes. At the student's request, the oral examination may be conducted in English.
<b>Credit points and grades</b>	The module allows for the earning of 15 credit points. The module grade corresponds to the grade of the oral examination.
<b>Frequency of the module</b>	The module is offered each semester.
<b>Workload</b>	The workload is a total of 450 hours.
<b>Duration of the module</b>	The module takes two semesters.

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Responsible lecturer</b>
INF- VERT2	Advanced Artificial Intelligence	Dr. Bjoern Andres bjoern.andres@tu-dresden.de
<b>Contents and qualification objectives</b>	The students are able to specify intelligent systems by means of formal methods, procedures and algorithms, they can prove properties of intelligent systems by means of formal methods, procedures and algorithms and they can introduce the used formal methods, procedures and algorithms into further applications. The contents of the module are as chosen by the students: Knowledge representation and inference, computational logic, pattern recognition and computer vision as well as bioinformatics.	
<b>Teaching and learning methods</b>	The module includes courses in the amount of in total 10 SWS (semester weeks) and the self-study. At least 4 SWS lectures and 2 SWS exercises are to be selected from the INF-VERT2 catalogue of the Faculty of Computer Science. 4 SWS lectures, exercises, seminars and internships listed in the catalogue are to be freely selected. Some courses in this module may be offered in English. The catalogue will be announced as usual at the Faculty of Computer Science, at the beginning of each semester, including the language of the courses.	
<b>Prerequisites for participation</b>	Competences acquired in the module INF-BAS2 Artificial Intelligence, or equivalent. Literature: Russel S. and Norvig, P.: Artificial Intelligence: A Modern Approach, Prentice Hall, 2009.	
<b>Usability</b>	In the Master's programme in Computer Science, the module is one of seven compulsory elective advanced modules of which one must be chosen, and one of seven compulsory elective advanced modules of which one must be chosen in the Diploma programme in Computer Science.	
<b>Requirements for the awarding of credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded if the module examination is passed. The module examination consists of an oral examination performance with a duration of 40 minutes. At the student's request, the oral examination may be conducted in English.	
<b>Credit points and grades</b>	The module allows for the earning of 15 credit points. The module grade corresponds to the grade of the oral examination.	

<b>Frequency of the module</b>	The module is offered each semester.
<b>Workload</b>	The workload is a total of 450 hours.
<b>Duration of the module</b>	The module takes two semesters.

Module number	Module name	Responsible lecturer
INF-VERT3	Advanced Software and Web Engineering	Prof. Dr. Raimund Dachsel raimund.dachsel@tu-dresden.de
<b>Contents and qualification objectives</b>	The students know advanced development methods and tools for the engineering of software, web, and Multimedia applications and the associated processes. With the help of modern frameworks, they can design and implement complex distributed applications with multimedia interfaces and evaluate their usability. The content of the module can be chosen by the students: Software technologies, web & multimedia engineering and usability engineering.	
<b>Teaching and learning methods</b>	The module includes courses in the amount of 10 SWS (semester weeks) and the self-study. At least 4 SWS lectures and 2 SWS exercises are to be chosen from the INF-VERT3 catalogue of the Faculty of Computer Science. 4 SWS lectures, exercises, seminars and internships listed in the catalogue can be freely chosen. Some courses of this module can be offered in English. The catalogue will be announced as usual at the faculty, at the beginning of each semester, including the language of the courses.	
<b>Prerequisites for participation</b>	Competences to be acquired in the module INF-BAS3 Software and Web Engineering, or equivalent.	
<b>Usability</b>	The module is one of seven compulsory elective advanced modules in the Master's programme in Computer Science, of which one is to be chosen, and one of seven compulsory elective advanced modules in the Diploma programme in Computer Science, of which one is to be chosen. It is also one of four compulsory elective advanced modules in the Diploma programme in Information Systems Engineering, of which one must be chosen.	
<b>Requirements for the awarding of credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded if the module examination is passed. The module examination consists of an oral examination performance with a duration of 40 minutes. At the student's request, the oral examination may be conducted in English.	

<b>Credit points and grades</b>	The module allows for the earning of 15 credit points. The module grade corresponds to the grade of the oral examination.
<b>Frequency of the module</b>	The module is offered each semester.
<b>Workload</b>	The workload is a total of 450 hours.
<b>Duration of the module</b>	The module takes two semesters.

<b>Module number</b>	<b>Module name</b>	<b>Responsible lecturer</b>
INF- VERT4	Advanced System Architecture	Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Lehner wolfgang.lehner@tu-dresden.de
<b>Contents and qualification objectives</b>	Students can independently develop new concepts and solutions for the analysis, design, validation and operation of complex system architectures. They consider both functional and non-functional aspects such as effort, costs, real time, fault tolerance, security and data protection. Furthermore, they are able to consider new research-oriented problems in this area under possible economic and social effects. The contents of the module can be chosen by the students: Operating systems, databases, computer networks, fault tolerance, data protection and data security.	
<b>Teaching and learning methods</b>	The module includes courses in the amount of 10 SWS (semester weeks) and the self-study. At least 4 SWS lectures and 2 SWS exercises are to be chosen from the INF-VERT4 catalogue of the Faculty of Computer Science. 4 SWS lectures, exercises, seminars and internships listed in the catalogue can be freely chosen. Some courses of this module can be offered in English. The catalogue will be announced as usual at the faculty, at the beginning of each semester, including the language of the courses.	
<b>Prerequisites for participation</b>	Competences to be acquired in the module INF-BAS4 System Architecture, in particular basic knowledge of databases (relational databases, Entity Relationship Model, XML data model), computer networks (transmission methods, network technologies, Internet protocol mechanisms), operating systems (memory and process management, quantitative methods, process communication) and security (multilateral security, protection targets, attack models, security mechanisms).	
<b>Usability</b>	The module is one of seven compulsory elective advanced modules in the Master's programme in Computer Science, of which one is to be chosen, and one of seven compulsory elective advanced modules in the Diploma programme in Computer Science, of which one is to be selected. It is also one of four compulsory elective advanced modules in the Diploma programme in Information Systems Engineering, of which one must be chosen.	

<b>Requirements for the awarding of credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded if the module examination is passed. The module examination consists of an oral examination performance with a duration of 40 minutes. At the student's request, the oral examination may be conducted in English.
<b>Credit points and grades</b>	The module allows for the earning of 15 credit points. The module grade corresponds to the grade of the oral examination.
<b>Frequency of the module</b>	The module is offered each semester.
<b>Workload</b>	The workload is a total of 450 hours.
<b>Duration of the module</b>	The module takes two semesters.



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INF- VERT5	Advanced Computer Engineering	Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Nagel wolfgang.nagel@tu-dresden.de
<b>Contents and qualification objectives</b>	The students are able to develop new approaches for design, realization, use and evaluation of computer architectures and hardware implementations of technical systems by recombination and extension of known concepts. The contents of the module are as chosen by the students: Performance evaluation of computer systems; hardware and software techniques for parallel processing, design and testing of VLSI circuits, programmable circuits, computer arithmetic, hardware and software architecture of embedded systems; methods for hardware synthesis and efficient methods for code generation.	
<b>Teaching and learning methods</b>	The module includes courses in the amount of 10 SWS (semester weeks) and the self-study. At least 4 SWS lectures and 2 SWS exercises are to be chosen from the INF-VERT5 catalogue of the Faculty of Computer Science. 4 SWS lectures, exercises, seminars and internships listed in the catalogue can be freely chosen. Some courses of this module can be offered in English. The catalogue will be announced as usual at the faculty, at the beginning of each semester, including the language of the courses.	
<b>Prerequisites for participation</b>	The competences to be acquired in the module INF-BAS5 Computer Engineering, or equivalent.	
<b>Usability</b>	The module is one of seven compulsory elective advanced modules in the Master's program in Computer Science, of which one is to be chosen, and one of seven compulsory elective advanced modules in the Diploma programme in Computer Science, of which one is to be chosen. It is also one of four compulsory elective advanced modules in the Diploma programme in Information Systems Engineering, of which one must be chosen.	
<b>Requirements for the awarding of credit points</b>	The credit points are awarded if the module examination is passed. The module examination consists of an oral examination performance with a duration of 40 minutes.	

<b>Credit points and grades</b>	The module allows for the earning of 15 credit points. The module grade corresponds to the grade of the oral examination.
<b>Frequency of the module</b>	The module is offered each semester.
<b>Workload</b>	The workload is a total of 450 hours.
<b>Duration of the module</b>	The module takes two semesters.