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6.374. Testing Digital Systems I - T-INFO-101388	
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6.382. Transport Economics - T-WIWI-100007	
6.383. Ubiquitous Computing - T-INFO-101326	
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#### 1 General information

Welcome to the new module handbook of your study program! We are delighted that you have decided to study at the KIT Department of Economics and Management and wish you a good start into the new semester! In the following we would like to give you a short introduction to the most important terms and rules that are important in connection with the choice of modules, courses and examinations.

#### 1.1 Structural elements

The program exists of several **subjects** (e.g. business administration, economics, operations research). Every subject is split into **modules** and every module itself consists of one or more interrelated **module component exams**. The extent of every module is indicated by credit points (CP), which will be credited after the successful completion of the module. Some of the modules are **obligatory**. According to the interdisciplinary character of the program, a great variety of **individual specialization and deepening possibilities** exists for a large number of modules. This enables the student to customize content and time schedule of the program according to personal needs, interest and job perspective. The **module handbook** describes the modules belonging to the program. It describes particularly:

- the structure of the modules
- the extent (in CP),
- the dependencies of the modules,
- the learning outcomes,
- the assessment and examinations.

The module handbook serves as a necessary orientation and as a helpful guide throughout the studies. The module handbook does not replace the **course catalog**, which provides important information concerning each semester and variable course details (e.g. time and location of the course).

## 1.2 Begin and completion of a module

Each module and each examination can only be selected once. The decision on the assignment of an examination to a module (if, for example, an examination in several modules is selectable) is made by the student at the moment when he / she is registered for the appropriate examination. A module is completed or passed when the module examination is passed (grade 4.0 or better). For modules in which the module examination is carried out over several partial examinations, the following applies: The module is completed when all necessary module partial examinations have been passed. In the case of modules which offer alternative partial examinations, the module examination is concluded with the examination with which the required total credit points are reached or exceeded. The module grade, however, is combined with the weight of the predefined credit points for the module in the overall grade calculation.

#### 1.3 Module versions

It is not uncommon for modules to be revised due to, for example, new courses or cancelled examinations. As a rule, a new module version is created, which applies to all students who are new to the module. On the other hand, students who have already started the module enjoy confidence and remain in the old module version. These students can complete the module on the same conditions as at the beginning of the module (exceptions are regulated by the examination committee). The date of the student's "binding declaration" on the choice of the module in the sense of §5(2) of the Study and Examination Regulation is decisive. This binding declaration is made by registering for the first examination in this module.

In the module handbook, all modules are presented in their current version. The version number is given in the module description. Older module versions can be accessed via the previous module handbooks in the archive at <a href="http://www.wiwi.kit.edu/Archiv\_MHB.php">http://www.wiwi.kit.edu/Archiv\_MHB.php</a>.

## 1.4 General and partial examinations

Module examinations can be either taken in a general examination or in partial examinations. If the module examination is offered as a general examination, the entire learning content of the module will be examined in a single examamination. If the module examination is subdivided into partial examinations, the content of each course will be examined in corresponding partial examinations. Registration for examinations can be done online at the campus management portal. The following functions can be accessed on <a href="https://campus.studium.kit.edu/">https://campus.studium.kit.edu/</a>:

- Register/unregister for examinations
- Check for examination results
- Create transcript of records

For further and more detailed information, see https://campus.studium.kit.edu/faq.php.

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### 1.5 Types of examinations

Examinations are split into written examinations, oral examinations and alternative exam assessments ("Prüfungsleistungen anderer Art"). Examinations are always graded. Non exam assessments ("Studienleistungen") can be repeated several times and are not graded.

### 1.6 Repeating examinations

Principally, a failed written exam, oral exam or alternative exam assessment can repeated only once. If the repeat examination (including an eventually provided verbal repeat examination) will be failed as well, the examination claim is lost. A request for a second repetition has to be made in written form to the examination committee two months after loosing the examination claim. For further information see <a href="http://www.wiwi.kit.edu/hinweiseZweitwdh.php">http://www.wiwi.kit.edu/hinweiseZweitwdh.php</a>.

#### 1.7 Examiners

The examination committee has appointed the KIT examiners and lecturers listed in the module handbook for the modules and their courses as examiners for the courses they offer.

## 1.8 Additional accomplishments

Additional accomplishments are voluntarily taken exams, which have no impact on the overall grade of the student and can take place on the level of single courses or on entire modules. It is also mandatory to declare an additional accomplishment as such at the time of registration for an exam. Additional accomplishments with at most 30 CP may appear additionally in the certificate.

#### 1.9 Further information

For current information about studying at the KIT Department of Economics and Management, please visit our website www.wiwi.kit.edu as well as Instagram, LinkedIn, and YouTube. Please also see current notices and announcements for students at: https://www.wiwi.kit.edu/studium.php.

Information around the legal and official framework of the study program can be found in the respective study and examination regulations of your study program. These are available under the Official Announcements of KIT (http://www.sle.kit.edu/amtlicheBekanntmachungen.php).

More detailed information about the legal and general conditions of the program can be found in the examination regulation of the program (http://www.sle.kit.edu/amtlicheBekanntmachungen.php).

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## 2 Study plan

The Master's programme in Information Systems has a standard duration of four semesters and comprises 120 credit points. Depending on personal interests and goals, the specialist knowledge acquired in the Bachelor's programme can be expanded and deepened within the scope of the study plan.

Figure 2 shows the subject and module structure with the allocation of credit points (LP) and, as an example, a possible distribution of modules over the semesters.

Semester	Leistungs- punkte	Wirtschaftsinformatik	Informatik	Wirtschaftswissenschaften	Recht		Seminare	Masterarbeit
			Informatik 6 LP					
1	33		<b>Informatik</b> 6 LP				Seminarmodul	
		Wirtschaftsinformatik 9 LP	Informatik 4 LP	Wirtschafts- wissenschaften 9 LP	Recht 9 LP	Recht 9 LP	Wirtschafts- informatik	
2	27		Informatik 8 LP	34			Informatik Wirtschafts- wissenschaften	
							Rechts- wissenschaften	
3	30	<b>Wirtschaftsinformatik</b> 9 LP	Informatik 6 LP	Wirtschafts- wissenschaften 9 LP			3 LP + 3 LP*	
4	30							<b>Masterarbeit</b> 30 LP
*	120	18	30	18	1	8	6	30

<sup>\*</sup> In Summe sind 2 Seminare zu wählen. Die Vermittlung von überfachlichen Qualifikationen erfolgt integrativ im Rahmen der fachwissenschaftlichen Module.

Figure 2: Structure of the Master's programme in Information Systems (german)

Within the scope of the master's programme, modules from the subjects of Information Systems, Informatics, Economics and Law are to be completed and a master's thesis is to be written.

In the subject Informatics, modules with a total volume of 30 credit points are to be taken. In the remaining subjects Information Systems, Economics and Law, modules with a total of 18 credit points must be proven.

In the subjects Information Systems, Informatics, Economics and Management and Law, two seminars of 3 LP each must be completed. The seminars have to be chosen from different subjects.

It is up to the individual study plan (taking into account the relevant requirements in the study and examination regulations as well as any module regulations) in which subject semester the selected module examinations are started or completed. However, it is recommended that all other academic achievements of the Master's examination be proven before the start of the Master's thesis.

All modules including options within the modules are described in the module handbook. WiWi seminars that can be attended as part of the seminar modules will be published on the Wiwi portal at https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/Seminare.

## 3 Qualification goals

The KIT graduates of the interdisciplinary, four-semester Master's program in Information Systems have an in-depth research-oriented expertise in Information Systems and the related disciplines of Informatics, Economics and Law. This specialist knowledge is supplemented by subject-independent competences that can be applied across several disciplines. Depending on their profile, their qualifications are particularly suitable for interdisciplinary activities as IT managers, management consultants, technology entrepreneurs, process managers, company founders and for a further scientific career (scientist).

KIT business IT specialists are characterized by their interdisciplinary methodological competence and their innovative ability in shaping the digital transformation of business and society.

By combining their knowledge and competencies, they are able to independently recognize economic and information technology conditions as well as innovative development potentials for the digitization of processes, products and services and to implement them within the legal framework.

KIT business IT specialists design and develop interdisciplinary information goods and information systems from a socio-technical perspective with the aim of creating social and economic value through the digitisation of economy and society.

They are able to analyse and structure complex subject-relevant problems and requirements and develop tailor-made solutions and options for action.

They know how to identify the advantages and disadvantages of existing processes, models, technologies and approaches, compare them with alternatives, evaluate them critically and transfer them to new areas of application.

According to their needs, they can also combine, adapt or independently develop new solutions and implement them using innovative information and communication technologies. They can make and justify their decisions in a scientifically sound manner, taking into account social and ethical aspects.

They know how to critically interpret, validate, document and present the results obtained.

Graduates will be able to communicate with representatives at a scientific level and take on outstanding responsibility in a team.

## 4 Field of study structure

Mandatory	
Master's Thesis	30 CR
Information Systems	18 CR
Informatics	30 CR
Economics and Management	18 CR
Law	18 CR
Seminars	6 CR

4.1 Master's Thesis	Credits
	30

Mandatory		
M-WIWI-104833	Module Master's Thesis	30 CR

## 4.2 Information Systems Credits 18

Information Systems (Election: )		
M-WIWI-104814	Information Systems: Analytical and Interactive Systems	9 CR
M-WIWI-104812	Information Systems: Engineering and Transformation	9 CR
M-WIWI-104813	Information Systems: Internet-Based Markets and Services	9 CR

4.3 Informatics

Credits
30

Optional Modules	Informatics (Election: )	
M-INFO-106303	Access Control Systems: Models and Technology	5 CR
M-WIWI-106804	Advanced Topics in AI: Graph Neural Networks and Language Models neu	9 CR
M-WIWI-106803	Advanced Topics in AI: Knowledge Graphs and the Web neu	9 CR
M-INFO-100795	Algorithm Engineering	5 CR
M-INFO-101173	Algorithms II	6 CR
M-INFO-100031	Algorithms for Routing	5 CR
M-INFO-102094	Algorithms for Visualization of Graphs	5 CR
M-INFO-102110	Computational Geometry	6 CR
M-INFO-100762	Algorithmic Graph Theory	5 CR
M-INFO-103294	Wearable Robotic Technologies	4 CR
M-WIWI-105366	Artificial Intelligence	9 CR
M-INFO-104447	Automated Planning and Scheduling	5 CR
M-INFO-106019	Automotive Software Engineering (ASE)	4 CR
M-INFO-100826	Automated Visual Inspection and Image Processing	6 CR
M-INFO-100856	Computer Graphics	6 CR
M-WIWI-106631	Cooperative Autonomous Vehicles	9 CR
M-INFO-106505	Data Science	8 CR
M-INFO-104045	Data Privacy: From Anonymization to Access Control	3 CR
M-INFO-101662	Practical Course: Database Systems	4 CR
M-INFO-100780	Deployment of Database Systems	5 CR
M-INFO-105724	Database as a Service	5 CR
M-INFO-105334	Decentralized Systems: Fundamentals, Modeling, and Applications	6 CR
M-INFO-105753	Deep Learning for Computer Vision I: Basics	3 CR
M-INFO-105755	Deep Learning for Computer Vision II: Advanced Topics	3 CR
M-INFO-104460	Deep Learning and Neural Networks	6 CR
M-INFO-105882	Digital Accessibility and Assistive Technologies	3 CR
M-INFO-100736	Introduction to Video Analysis	3 CR
M-INFO-106101	Introduction to Quantum Computing (IQC)	3 CR
M-INFO-106742	Introduction to Quantum Machine Learning	3 CR
M-INFO-100798	Empirical Software Engineering	4 CR
M-INFO-106626	Engineering Self-Adaptive Systems	3 CR
M-INFO-100831	Design and Architectures of Embedded Systems (ES2)	3 CR
M-WIWI-101477	Development of Business Information Systems	9 CR
M-INFO-106302	Explainable Artificial Intelligence	3 CR
M-INFO-102731	Advanced Data Structures	5 CR
M-INFO-100799	Formal Systems	6 CR
M-INFO-100841	Formal Systems II: Theory	5 CR
M-INFO-100744	Formal Systems II: Application	5 CR
M-INFO-105378	Research Project Autonomous Learning Robots	6 CR
M-INFO-106300	Research Practical Course: Interactive Learning	6 CR
M-INFO-105413	Practical Course on Network Security Research	3 CR
M-INFO-106299	Advanced Artificial Intelligence	6 CR
M-INFO-100731	Photorealistic Rendering	5 CR
M-INFO-100725	Human Brain and Central Nervous System: Anatomy, Information Transfer, Signal Processing, Neurophysiology and Therapy	3 CR
M-INFO-100758	Graph Partitioning and Graph Clustering in Theory and Practice	5 CR
M-INFO-101573	Hands-on Bioinformatics Practical	3 CR
M-INFO-100822	Heterogeneous Parallel Computing Systems	3 CR
M-WIWI-104520	Human Factors in Security and Privacy	9 CR
M-INFO-100791	Innovative Concepts for Programming Industrial Robots	4 CR

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M-WIWI-101456	Intelligent Systems and Services	9 CR
M-INFO-100732	Interactive Computer Graphics	5 CR
M-INFO-100800	Internet of Everything	4 CR
M-INFO-100749	Introduction to Bioinformatics for Computer Scientists	3 CR
M-INFO-106315	IT Security	6 CR
M-INFO-100786	IT-Security Management for Networked Systems	5 CR
M-INFO-101575	Computational Complexity Theory, with a View Towards Cryptography	6 CR
M-INFO-100728	Context Sensitive Systems	5 CR
M-INFO-100742	Cryptographic Voting Schemes	3 CR
M-INFO-100837	Curves and Surfaces in CAD I	5 CR
M-INFO-101231	Curves and Surfaces for Geometric Design	5 CR
M-INFO-106102	Logical Foundations of Cyber-Physical Systems	6 CR
M-INFO-100840	Localization of Mobile Agents	6 CR
M-INFO-100807	Low Power Design	3 CR
M-INFO-100848	Machine Translation	6 CR
M-WIWI-103356	Machine Learning	9 CR
M-INFO-105778	Machine Learning - Foundations and Algorithms	6 CR
M-INFO-100729	Human Computer Interaction	6 CR
M-INFO-100824	Human-Machine-Interaction in Anthropomatics: Basics	3 CR
M-INFO-100785	Mobile Communication	4 CR
M-INFO-100741	Model-Driven Software Development	3 CR
M-INFO-100825	Pattern Recognition	6 CR
M-INFO-100812	Meshes and Point Clouds	3 CR
M-INFO-100782	Network Security: Architectures and Protocols	4 CR
M-INFO-100784	Next Generation Internet	4 CR
M-INFO-100830	Optimization and Synthesis of Embedded Systems (ES1)	3 CR
M-INFO-100808	Parallel Computer Systems and Parallel Programming	4 CR
M-INFO-100796	Parallel Algorithms	5 CR
M-INFO-105870	Practical Course: Advanced Topics in High Performance Computing, Data Management and Analytics	6 CR
M-INFO-104699	Practical Course: Hot Research Topics in Computer Graphics	6 CR
M-INFO-106286	Practical Course: Current Topics of Quantum Computing	6 CR
M-INFO-102072	Laboratory Course Algorithm Engineering	6 CR
M-INFO-103166	Application Security Lab	4 CR
M-INFO-102411	Practical Course Automatic Speech Recognition	3 CR
M-INFO-105632	Practical Course: Data Science	6 CR
M-INFO-106329	Practical Course: Data Science for Scientific Data	6 CR
M-INFO-106312	Practical Course: Scientific Data Management	4 CR
M-INFO-103047	Practical Course Decentralized Systems and Network Services	4 CR
M-INFO-102570	Practical Course: Digital Design & Test Automation Flow	3 CR
M-INFO-101667	Practical Course: Discrete Freeform Surfaces	6 CR
M-INFO-103506	Lab: Efficient Parallel C++	6 CR
M-INFO-105740	Practical Course: Customized Embedded Processor Design	4 CR
M-INFO-102661	Practical Course FPGA Programming	3 CR
M-INFO-100724	Practical Course: General-Purpose Computation on Graphics Processing Units	3 CR
M-INFO-101666	Practical Course: Geometric Modeling	3 CR
M-INFO-103302	Lab: Graph Visualization in Practice	5 CR
M-INFO-105384	Practical Course: Graphics and Game Development	6 CR
M-INFO-104254	Practical: Course Engineering Approaches to Software Development	6 CR
M-INFO-103706	Lab: Internet of Things (IoT)	4 CR
M-INFO-101559	Laboratory in Cryptoanalysis	3 CR

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M-INFO-101558	Laboratory in Cryptography	3 CR
M-INFO-104031	Lab: Low Power Design and Embedded Systems	4 CR
M-INFO-101579	Practical Course Model-Driven Software Development	6 CR
M-INFO-103143	Practical Course: Neural Network Exercises	3 CR
M-INFO-102414	Natural Language Dialog Systems	6 CR
M-INFO-104895	Penetration Testing Lab	4 CR
M-INFO-101889	Practical Course Applied Telematics	3 CR
M-INFO-101537	Practical Course: Programme Verification	3 CR
M-INFO-102092	Practical Course Protocol Engineering	4 CR
M-INFO-101560	Laboratory in Security	4 CR
M-INFO-103235	Practical Course: Smart Data Analytics	6 CR
M-INFO-105955	Practical Course: Smart Energy System Lab	6 CR
M-INFO-105997	Lab Project: Speech Translation	6 CR
M-INFO-101567	Practical Course: Visual Computing	6 CR
M-INFO-101635	Practical Course: Web Applications and Service-Oriented Architectures (II)	5 CR
M-INFO-104357	Practical Introduction to Hardware Security	6 CR
M-INFO-105037	Research Project (Project, 1st Semester)	10 CR
M-INFO-105038	Research Project (Project, 2nd Semester)	10 CR
M-INFO-102966	Practical Course Computer Vision for Human-Computer Interaction	6 CR
M-INFO-104072	Lab Course Heterogeneous Computing	6 CR
M-INFO-105792	Humanoid Robotics Laboratory	6 CR
M-INFO-102383	Project Lab: Image Analysis and Fusion	6 CR
M-WIWI-106491	Project Lab Applied Machine Learning	5 CR
M-INFO-105958	Practical Course: Machine Learning and Intelligent Systems	8 CR
M-INFO-102224	Practical Project Robotics and Automation I (Software)	6 CR
M-INFO-102230	Practical Project Robotics and Automation II (Hardware)	6 CR
M-INFO-101891	Practical Course Software Defined Networking	6 CR
M-INFO-106469	Probability and Computing	5 CR
M-INFO-100818	Computer Architecture	6 CR
M-INFO-100850	Reliable Computing I	3 CR
M-INFO-106654	Research Focus Class: Blockchain & Cryptocurrencies	6 CR
M-INFO-102522	Robotics - Practical Course	6 CR
M-INFO-100893	Robotics I - Introduction to Robotics	6 CR
M-INFO-102756	Robotics II - Humanoid Robotics	3 CR
M-INFO-104897	Robotics III - Sensors and Perception in Robotics	3 CR
M-INFO-102825	Practical SAT Solving	5 CR
M-INFO-105780	Scientific Methods to Design and Analyze Secure Decentralized Systems	5 CR
M-INFO-105959	Seminar Laboratory: Machine Learning and Intelligent Systems	3 CR
M-INFO-100844	Software Architecture and Quality	3 CR
M-INFO-102998	Software Lab Parallel Numerics	6 CR
M-INFO-105471	Software Product Line Engineering	3 CR
M-INFO-100833	Software Engineering II	6 CR
M-INFO-100719	Software-Evolution	3 CR
M-INFO-106344	Software Security Engineering	3 CR
M-INFO-100829	Stochastic Information Processing	6 CR
M-INFO-100735	Natural Language Processing and Software Engineering	3 CR
M-INFO-100801	Telematics	6 CR
M-INFO-100851	Testing Digital Systems I	3 CR
M-INFO-102962	Testing Digital Systems II	3 CR
M-INFO-105584	Theoretical Foundations of Cryptography	6 CR

M-INFO-100789	Ubiquitous Computing	5 CR
M-WIWI-101458	Ubiquitous Computing	9 CR
M-INFO-100839	Fuzzy Sets	6 CR
M-INFO-101863	Subdivision Algorithms	3 CR
M-INFO-105999	Natural Language Processing	6 CR
M-INFO-100761	Distributed Computing	4 CR
M-INFO-100738	Visualization	5 CR
M-INFO-100734	Web Applications and Service-Oriented Architectures (II)	4 CR
M-INFO-105630	Machine Learning for Natural Sciences with Exercises	6 CR
M-INFO-105623	Reinforcement Learning neu	6 CR
M-INFO-106470	Machine Learning in Climate and Environmental Sciences neu	6 CR
M-INFO-106301	Seminar: Interactive Learning neu	3 CR
M-INFO-106824	Coding Theory neu	3 CR
M-INFO-106864	Energy Informatics neu	10 CR
M-INFO-106870	Tools for Probabilistic Machine Learning neu	6 CR
M-INFO-106812	Advanced Bayesian Data Analysis neu	5 CR

## 4.4 Economics and Management

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Business Administ	ration (Flection: )	
M-WIWI-105659		9 CR
M-WIWI-103639	Business & Service Engineering	9 CR
M-WIWI-101410	Management Accounting	9 CR
M-WIWI-101510	Cross-Functional Management Accounting	9 CR
M-WIWI-103117	Data Science: Data-Driven Information Systems	9 CR
M-WIWI-103118	Data Science: Data-Driven User Modeling	9 CR
M-WIWI-101647	Data Science: Evidence-based Marketing	9 CR
M-WIWI-105661	Data Science: Intelligent, Adaptive, and Learning Information Services	9 CR
M-WIWI-105032	Data Science for Finance	9 CR
M-WIWI-104080	Designing Interactive Information Systems	9 CR
M-WIWI-106258	Digital Marketing	9 CR
M-WIWI-102808	Digital Service Systems in Industry	9 CR
M-WIWI-103720	eEnergy: Markets, Services and Systems	9 CR
M-WIWI-101409	Electronic Markets	9 CR
M-WIWI-101451	Energy Economics and Energy Markets	9 CR
M-WIWI-101452	Energy Economics and Technology	9 CR
M-WIWI-101488	Entrepreneurship (EnTechnon)	9 CR
M-WIWI-101482	Finance 1	9 CR
M-WIWI-101483	Finance 2	9 CR
M-WIWI-101480	Finance 3	9 CR
M-WIWI-105894	Foundations for Advanced Financial -Quant and -Machine Learning Research	9 CR
M-WIWI-101471	Industrial Production II	9 CR
M-WIWI-101412	Industrial Production III	9 CR
M-WIWI-105923	Incentives, Interactivity & Decisions in Organizations	9 CR
M-WIWI-104068	Information Systems in Organizations	9 CR
M-WIWI-101507	Innovation Management	9 CR
M-WIWI-101446	Market Engineering	9 CR
M-WIWI-105312	Marketing and Sales Management	9 CR
M-WIWI-106660	Modeling the Dynamics of Financial Markets	9 CR
M-WIWI-101506	Service Analytics	9 CR
M-WIWI-101503	Service Design Thinking	9 CR
M-WIWI-102754	Service Economics and Management	9 CR
M-WIWI-102806	Service Innovation, Design & Engineering	9 CR
M-WIWI-101448	Service Management	9 CR
M-WIWI-103119	Advanced Topics in Strategy and Management	9 CR
Economics (Electic	on: )	
M-WIWI-101453	Applied Strategic Decisions	9 CR
M-WIWI-101504	Collective Decision Making	9 CR
M-WIWI-101505	Experimental Economics	9 CR
M-WIWI-101478	Innovation and Growth	9 CR
M-WIWI-101514		9 CR
M-WIWI-101500	Microeconomic Theory	9 CR
M-WIWI-101406	Network Economics	9 CR
M-WIWI-101502	Economic Theory and its Application in Finance	9 CR
M-WIWI-105414	Statistics and Econometrics II	9 CR
M-WIWI-101468	Environmental Economics	9 CR
M-WIWI-101485	Transport Infrastructure Policy and Regional Development	9 CR
M-WIWI-101511	Advanced Topics in Public Finance	9 CR
M-WIWI-101496	Growth and Agglomeration	9 CR

Operations Research (Election: )		
M-WIWI-101473	Mathematical Programming	9 CR
M-WIWI-102832	Operations Research in Supply Chain Management	9 CR
M-WIWI-102805	Service Operations	9 CR
M-WIWI-103289	Stochastic Optimization	9 CR
Statistics (Election	Statistics (Election: )	
M-WIWI-101637	Analytics and Statistics	9 CR
M-WIWI-101638	Econometrics and Statistics I	9 CR
M-WIWI-101639	Econometrics and Statistics II	9 CR
M-WIWI-105414	Statistics and Econometrics II	9 CR

4.5 Law	Credits
	18

Compulsory Elective Module in Law (Election: )		
M-INFO-106754	Public Economic and Technology Law	9 CR
M-INFO-101216	Private Business Law	9 CR
M-INFO-101215	Intellectual Property Law	9 CR

4.6 Seminars	Credits
	6

## **Election notes**

In the subjects Information Systems, Informatics, Economics and Management and Law, two seminars of 3 LP each must be completed. The seminars have to be chosen from different subjects.

Seminars (Election: at most 2 items)				
M-INFO-102822	Seminar Module Informatics	3 CR		
M-INFO-101218	Seminar Module Law	3 CR		
M-WIWI-104815	Seminar Information Systems	3 CR		
M-WIWI-102736	Seminar Module Economic Sciences	3 CR		

#### 5 Modules



## 5.1 Module: Access Control Systems: Models and Technology [M-INFO-106303]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Hannes Hartenstein **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
5	Grade to a tenth	Each summer term	1 term	English	4	1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-112775	Access Control Systems: Models and Technology	5 CR	Hartenstein

#### **Competence Certificate**

See Partial Achievements (Teilleistung).

#### **Prerequisites**

See Partial Achievements (Teilleistung).

#### Competence Goal

- The student understands the challenges of access control in the era of hyperconnectivity.
- The student understands that an information security model defines access rights that express for a given system which subjects are allowed to perform which actions on which objects. The student understands that a system is said to be secure with respect to a given information security model, if it enforces the corresponding access rights.
- The student is able to derive suitable access control models from scenario requirements and is able to specify concrete
  access control systems. The student is able to decide which concrete architectures and protocols are technically suited for
  realizing a given access control model.
- The student knows access control protocols using cryptographic methods and is able to compare protocol realizations based on different cryptographic building blocks.
- The student is aware of the limits of access control models and systems with respect to their analyzability and performance and security characteristics. The student is able to identify the resulting tradeoffs.
- The student knows the state of the art with respect to current research endeavors, e.g., access control in the context of decentralized and distributed systems, Trusted Execution Environments, AI, robotics, or hash-chain based systems.

#### Content

Access control systems are everywhere and the backbone of secure services as they incorporate who is and who is not authorized: think of operating systems, information systems, banking, vehicles, robotics, cryptocurrencies, or decentralized applications as examples. The course starts with current challenges of access control in the era of hyperconnectivity, i.e., in cyber-physical or decentralized systems. Based on the derived needs for next generation access control, we first study how to specify access control and analyze strengths and weaknesses of various approaches. We then focus on up-to-date proposals, like IoT and AI access control. We look at current cryptographic access control aspects, blockchains and cryptocurrencies, and trusted execution environments. We also discuss the ethical dimension of access management. Students prepare for lecture and exercise sessions by studying previously announced literature and by preparation of exercises that are jointly discussed in the sessions.

#### Workload

Lecture workload:

1. Attendance time

Lecture: 2 SWS: 2,0h x 15 = 30h Exercises: 1 SWS: 1.0h x 15 = 15h

- 2. Self-study (e.g., independent review of course material, work on homework assignments) Weekly preparation and follow-up of the lecture: 15 x 1h x 3 = 45h Weekly preparation and follow-up of the exercise: 15 x 2h = 30h
- 3. Preparation for the exam: 30h

 $\Sigma$  = 150h = 5 ECTS

#### Recommendation

Basics according to the lectures "IT Security Management for Networked Systems" and "Telematics" are recommended.



## 5.2 Module: Advanced Artificial Intelligence [M-INFO-106299]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Jan Niehues

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-112768	Advanced Artificial Intelligence	6 CR	Niehues

#### Competence Certificate

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### Competence Goal

- The students know the relevant elements of a technical cognitive system.
- The students understand the algorithms and methods of AI to model cognitive systems.
- The students are able to understand the different sub-components to develop and analyze a system .
- The students can transfer this knowledge to new applications, as well as analyze and compare different methods.

#### Content

Due to the successes in research, AI systems are increasingly integrated into our everyday lives. These are, for example, systems that can understand and generate language or analyze images and videos. In addition, AI systems are essential in robotics in order to be able to develop the next generation of intelligent robots.

Based on the knowledge of the lecture "Introduction to AI", the students learn to understand, develop and evaluate these systems. In order to bring this knowledge closer to the students, the lecture is divided into 4 parts. First, the lecture investigates method of perception using different modalities. The second part deals with advanced methods of learning that go beyond supervised learning. Then methods are discussed that are required for the representation of knowledge in AI systems. Finally, methods that enable AI systems to generate content are presented.

#### Workload

Lecture with 3 SWS + 1 SWS exercise, 6 CP. 6 LP corresponds to approx. 180 hours, of which approx. 45 hours lecture attendance approx. 15 hours exercise visit

approx. 90 hours post-processing and processing of the exercise sheets

approx. 30 hours exam preparation



## 5.3 Module: Advanced Bayesian Data Analysis [M-INFO-106812]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Nadja Klein

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits 5

**Grading scale**Grade to a tenth

**Recurrence** Each winter term Duration 1 term **Language** English Level 4 Version 1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-113673	Advanced Bayesian Data Analysis	5 CR	Klein

#### Competence Certificate

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Competence Goal**

- Develop a deep understanding of Bayesian statistical principles and computational techniques.
- Master the application of Bayesian regression models to real-world data.
- Gain proficiency in Markov Chain Monte Carlo (MCMC) methods, including Metropolis-Hastings and Gibbs sampling.
- Acquire skills in implementing Bayesian models using relevant software tools such Stan.

#### Content

This course deepens students' understanding of Bayesian methods and introduces the latest advancements in Bayesian computation. It is designed for Master students in Computer Science, Mathematics, Economathematics, Techno-Mathematics, Business Informatics, or similar programs seeking to enhance their expertise.

Examples of topics covered are the review of key Bayesian concepts including Bayes' Theorem, conjugate prior distributions, and posterior inference. For instance, students may explore the Beta-Binomial conjugacy, where a Beta prior pairs with a Binomial likelihood, and the Normal-Normal conjugacy, where a Normal prior pairs with a normal likelihood with known variance. These examples demonstrate how conjugate priors simplify posterior calculations and enhance analytical tractability.

Next, students delve into Bayesian supervised learning, covering linear, logistic, and nonparametric approaches, with an emphasis on applying Bayesian methods to real-world data and interpreting results.

The course also covers ways to perform posterior estimation, such as, Markov Chain Monte Carlo (MCMC) inference, including the Metropolis-Hastings algorithm and Gibbs sampling. We explore Bayesian high-dimensional regression techniques, such as the horseshoe prior, for handling models with many predictors. Additionally, students will learn about mixture models and Dirichlet processes, which are powerful tools for modelling heterogeneous data and uncovering latent structures.

We conclude with approximate inference methods, including variational inference and Approximate Bayesian Computation (ABC), essential for dealing with complex models and large datasets.

#### Workload

150h

#### Recommendation

- Knowledge in R or Python
- Mathematics-heavy lecture. The basics will be reviewed, but mathematical proficiency is helpful



## 5.4 Module: Advanced Data Structures [M-INFO-102731]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
5	Grade to a tenth	Each summer term	1 term	German	4	2

Mandatory				
T-INFO-105687	Advanced Data Structures	4 CR	Sanders	
T-INFO-111849	Advanced Data Structures Project/Experiment	1 CR	Sanders	

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### Competence Goal

Students acquire a systematic understanding of algorithmic issues and solution approaches in the area of advanced data structures, building on existing knowledge in the subject area of algorithms. They will also be able to apply learned techniques to related problems and interpret and comprehend current research topics in this area.

Upon successful completion of the course, students will be able to:

- explain terms, structures, basic problem definitions, and algorithms from the lecture;
- select which algorithms and data structures are suitable for solving a problem and, if necessary, adapt them to the requirements of a specific problem;
- use algorithms and data structures, analyze them mathematically, and prove the algorithmic properties.

#### Content

In this lecture we deal with modern data structures for fundamental objects such as trees, graphs, integers, and strings. These data structures are the basis for many applications and an important part of efficient algorithms. We look at highlights from different research areas and learn techniques for solving a wide variety of problems.

In addition to the theoretical analysis of data structures, we also look at the practical performance of the various data structures and their applications.

#### Workload

The lectures including the project/experiment with 5 CP corresponds to 150 working hours, which are divided approximately as follows:

- ca. 30 hours attending lectures
- ca. 60 hours preparing and following-up lectures
- ca. 30 hours working on the project/experiment
- ca. 30 hours preparing for the examination



## 5.5 Module: Advanced Machine Learning and Data Science [M-WIWI-105659]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Maxim Ulrich

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>2

Mandatory			
T-WIWI-111305	Advanced Machine Learning and Data Science	9 CR	Ulrich

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out in an alternative form. The final grade is evaluated based on the intermediate presentations during the project, the quality of the implementation, the final written thesis and a final presentation.

#### **Prerequisites**

The module M-WIWI-106660 "Modeling the Dynamics of Financial Markets" must be passed.

#### Competence Goal

After a successful project, the students can:

- select and apply modern machine learning methods to solve a data science problem;
- organize themselves in a team in a goal-oriented manner and bring an extensive software project in the field of data science
  and machine learning to success;
- deepen their data science and machine learning skills
- solve a finance problem with the help of data science and machine learning algorithm.

#### Content

The course is targeted at students with a major in Data Science and/or Machine Learning and/or Quantitative Finance. It offers students the opportunity to develop hands-on knowledge on new developments in the intersection of quantitative financial markets, data science and machine learning. The result of the project should not only be a final thesis, but the implementation of methods or development of an algorithm in machine learning and data science. Typically, problems and data are taken from current research and innovations in the field of quantitative asset and risk management.

#### Workload

Total effort for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours are divided into the following parts: Communication:Exchange during the project: 30 h, Final presentation: 10 h; Implementation and thesis: Preparation before development (Problem analysis and solution design): 70 h, Solution implementation: 110 h, Tests and quality assurance: 50 h.

#### Recommendation

None



## 5.6 Module: Advanced Topics in AI: Graph Neural Networks and Language Models [M-WIWI-106804]

Responsible: Dr.-Ing. Tobias Käfer

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Informatics

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	2 terms	German/English	4	1

Compulsory Elective	Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: at least 2 items)				
T-WIWI-102666	Knowledge Discovery	4,5 CR	Käfer		
T-WIWI-110548	Advanced Lab Informatics (Master)		Professorenschaft des Instituts AIFB		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment mix of each course of this module is defined for each course separately. The final mark for the module is the average of the marks for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### **Competence Goal**

The student

- knows the basics of machine learning, data mining and knowledge discovery,
- can design, train and evaluate systems that are capable of learning,
- knows advanced concepts and methods, especially in the areas of Graph Neural Networks (GNNs) and Large Language Models (LLMs).
- can carry out knowledge discovery projects, taking into account algorithms, representations and applications,
- can apply interdisciplinary thinking to solve applied problems from different domains.

#### Content

The module focuses on machine learning and data mining methods for gaining knowledge from large data sets. In particular, advanced methods from the areas of Graph Neural Networks (GNNs) and Large Language Models (LLMs) are considered.

The lecture on Knowledge Discovery provides an overview of machine learning and data mining approaches for knowledge discovery from large data sets. These are examined in particular with regard to algorithms, applicability to different data representations and use in real application scenarios. Knowledge discovery is an established field of research with a large community investigating methods for discovering patterns and regularities in large amounts of data, including unstructured text.

A variety of methods exist to extract patterns and provide previously unknown insights. This information can be predictive or descriptive. The lecture will cover specific techniques and methods, challenges, and current and future research topics in this research area. The lecture covers the entire machine learning and data mining process, with topics on supervised and unsupervised learning methods and empirical evaluation.

The learning methods covered range from classical approaches such as decision trees, support vector machines and neural networks to selected approaches from current research. The learning problems considered include feature vector-based learning and text mining. The focus is particularly on advanced methods from the areas of Graph Neural Networks (GNNs) and Large Language Models (LLMs). In the practical course (Praktikum) on Knowledge Discovery, students apply the approaches and methods taught in the lecture to problems from different domains hands-on.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours.



## 5.7 Module: Advanced Topics in AI: Knowledge Graphs and the Web [M-WIWI-106803]

Responsible: Dr.-Ing. Tobias Käfer

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Informatics

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	2 terms	German/English	4	1

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: 2 items)						
T-WIWI-110848	Semantic Web Technologies	4,5 CR	Käfer			
T-WIWI-110548	Advanced Lab Informatics (Master)		Professorenschaft des Instituts AIFB			

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment mix of each course of this module is defined for each course separately. The final mark for the module is the average of the marks for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Competence Goal**

Students

- know the foundations and technologies used to build Knowledge Graphs.
- develop ontologies for semantic knowledge representation.
- are able to provide data and applications via a Web-based infrastructure.
- know foundations and advanced methods of symbolic reasoning on Knowledge Graphs.
- transfer the methods and technologies of semantic web technologies to various application domains.
- evaluate the potential of semantic web technologies for new application domains.
- are able to practically apply the aforementioned skills to solve problems from various application domains.

#### Content

This module covers a sub-area of artificial intelligence: (semantic) knowledge representation. The module presents the fundamentals, methods and applications for knowledge graph-based AI systems on the World Wide Web. We focus particularly on methods for semantic modelling and the decentralized provision of data and applications via the Web. Formal basics and practical aspects of semantic knowledge modeling are discussed in detail. Furthermore, technical details about the provision of data sets and their metadata on the Web based on Web standards are covered. In the practical course (Praktikum), students apply the skills acquired in the lecture to practical problems in different domains.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours (9 credits). The allocation is based on the credits of the courses of the module. The workload for courses with 4.5 credits is about 135 hours.

The total number of hours per course results from the effort required to attend the lectures and exercises as well as the examination times and the time required to achieve the learning objectives of the module for an average student for an average performance.



## 5.8 Module: Advanced Topics in Public Finance [M-WIWI-101511]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Berthold Wigger

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Economics)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>2 termsLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>7

Electives (Election: between 1 and 2 items)						
T-WIWI-108711	Basics of German Company Tax Law and Tax Planning	4,5 CR	Gutekunst, Wigger			
T-WIWI-102740	Public Management	4,5 CR	Wigger			
Supplementary Courses (Election: between 0 and 1 items)						
T-WIWI-111304	Fundamentals of National and International Group Taxation	4,5 CR	Wigger			
T-WIWI-102739	Public Revenues	4,5 CR	Wigger			

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4 (2), 1-3 SPO) of the core course and further single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

At least one of the courses "Public Management" or "Basics of German Company Tax Law and Tax Planning" is mandatory in the module and must be successfully examined.

#### Competence Goal

The student

- understands the theory and politics of taxation
- has knowledge in the area of public debt.
- understands efficiency problems of public organizations.
- is able to work on fiscal problems.

#### Content

As a branch of Economics, Public Finance is concerned with the theory and policy of the public sector and its interrelations with the private sector. It analyzes the economic role of the state from a normative as well as from a positive point of view. The normative view examines efficiency- and equity-oriented motives for government intervention and develops fiscal policy guidelines. The positive view explains the actual behavior of economic agents in public sector affairs.

In the course of the lectures within this module the students achieve knowledge in the areas of public revenues, national and international law of taxation and theory of public sector organizations.

#### **Annotation**

The course T-WIWI-102790 "Specific Aspects in Taxation" will no longer be offered in the module as of winter semester 2018/2019.

Students who successfully passed the exam in "Public Management" before the introduction of the module "Advanced Topics in Public Finance" in winter term 2014/15 are allowed to take both courses "Public Revenues" and "Specific Aspects in Taxation".

#### Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours.

Attendance time: approx. 90 hours

Preparation and follow-up: approx. 135 hours Exam and exam preparation: approx. 45 hours

The exact distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge in the area of public finance and public management is required.



## 5.9 Module: Advanced Topics in Strategy and Management [M-WIWI-103119]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Hagen Lindstädt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	2 terms	German	4	1

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: 9 credits)					
T-WIWI-106188	Workshop Current Topics in Strategy and Management	3 CR	Lindstädt		
T-WIWI-106189	Workshop Business Wargaming – Analyzing Strategic Interactions	3 CR	Lindstädt		
T-WIWI-106190	Strategy and Management Theory: Developments and "Classics"	3 CR	Lindstädt		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The control of success takes place in the form of partial examinations (according to §4(2), 1-3 SPO) on the courses of the module, amounting to a total of 9 LP. The performance review is described for each course of this module. The overall grade of the module is formed from the LP-weighted grades of the partial examinations and truncated after the first decimal place.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Competence Goal

Upon completion of the module, students will be able to,

- independently analyze strategic issues in a structured manner using appropriate models and frames of reference from management theory and derive recommendations.
- Convincingly present their position by means of a well thought-out argumentation in structured discussions.
- independently deal with a current, research-oriented issue from strategic management.
- draw his/her own conclusions from the little structured information by incorporating his/her interdisciplinary knowledge
  and selectively develop the current research results.
- apply and discuss theoretical contents of management theory to real situations by intensively dealing with a variety of
  practice-relevant case studies.

#### Content

In terms of content, three focal points will be set. First, strategic issues are discussed and analyzed on the basis of jointly selected case studies. Secondly, the students deal intensively with the topic of business wargaming in a workshop and analyze strategic interactions. Thirdly, topics of strategy and management theory will be elaborated in a written paper.

#### **Annotation**

The module is admission restricted. Upon successful admission to a course, the student is guaranteed the opportunity to complete the module. Examinations are offered at least every other semester so that the entire module can be completed in two semesters.

#### Workload

Total effort for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours. The exact distribution is done according to the credit points of the courses of the module. The workload for courses with 3 credits is approx. 90h.



## 5.10 Module: Algorithm Engineering [M-INFO-100795]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
5	Grade to a tenth	Each summer term	1 term	German/English	4	3

Mandatory				
T-INFO-101332	Algorithm Engineering	4 CR	Sanders	
T-INFO-111856	Algorithm Engineering Pass	1 CR	Sanders	

#### **Prerequisites**

There are two partial achievements Algorithm Engineering and Algorithm Engineering Exercises. The partial achievement Algorithm Engineering Exercises must be started to be allowed to take the oral examination for Algorithm Engineering.

#### Competence Goal

The students acquire a systematic understanding of algorithmic problems and solution approaches in the field of Algorithm Engineering, building on existing knowledge in the subject area of algorithms. In addition, they will be able to apply learned techniques to related problems and interpret and comprehend current research topics in the field of Algorithm Engineering.

Upon successful completion of the course, the student will be able to

- Explain terms, structures, basic problem definitions, and algorithms from the lecture;
- select which algorithms and data structures are suitable for solving an algorithmic problem and, if necessary, adapt them to the requirements of a specific problem;
- Execute algorithms and data structures, analyze them mathematically precise and prove the algorithmic properties;
- Explain machine models from the lecture and analyze algorithms and data structures according to these models
- Analyze new problems from applications, reduce them to their algorithmic core and create a suitable abstract model; based on the concepts and techniques learned in the lecture, design and analyze own solutions in this model, and prove algorithmic properties in this model.

#### Content

- What is Algorithm Engineering, Motivation etc.
- Realistic modeling of machines and applications
- practice-oriented algorithm design
- implementation techniques
- experimental techniques
- evaluation of measurements

The above skills are taught primarily using concrete examples. In the past these were for example the following topics from the area of basic algorithms and data structures:

- linked lists without special cases
- sorting: parallel, external, superscalar,...
- priority queues (cache efficient,...)
- search trees for integer keys
- Full text indexes
- graph algorithms: minimal spanning trees (external,...), route planning

In each of these cases, the focus is on the best known practical and theoretical methods. These usually differ considerably from from the methods taught in beginners' lectures.

#### Workload

Lecture and exercise with a combined 3 semester hours, 5 ECTS
5 ECTS correspond to about 150h of work, split into
about 45h visiting lectures and exercise or block seminar
about 25h preparation and follow-up on lectures
about 40h solving exercise tasks (programming, preparing presentation for mini seminar, etc)
about 40h exam preparation



# 5.11 Module: Algorithmic Graph Theory [M-INFO-100762]

**Responsible:** Dr. rer. nat. Torsten Ueckerdt **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>IrregularDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-103588	Algorithmic Graph Theory	5 CR	Ueckerdt



# 5.12 Module: Algorithms for Routing [M-INFO-100031]

**Responsible:** TT-Prof. Dr. Thomas Bläsius **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-100002	Algorithms for Routing	5 CR	Bläsius



# 5.13 Module: Algorithms for Visualization of Graphs [M-INFO-102094]

**Responsible:** Dr. rer. nat. Torsten Ueckerdt **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>IrregularDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-104390	Algorithms for Visualization of Graphs	5 CR	Ueckerdt



# 5.14 Module: Algorithms II [M-INFO-101173]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion6Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 termGerman/English41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-102020	Algorithms II	6 CR	Sanders

#### Competence Certificate

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Competence Goal**

The student has an in-depth insight into the theoretical and practical aspects of algorithms and is able to identify and formally formulate algorithmic problems in various application areas. Furthermore, they know advanced algorithms and data structures from the areas of graph algorithms, algorithmic geometry, string matching, algebraic algorithms, combinatorial optimization, and external memory algorithms. They are able to independently understand algorithms they are unfamiliar with, associate them with the above areas, apply them, determine their running time, evaluate them, and select appropriate algorithms for given applications. Furthermore, the student is able to adapt existing algorithms to related problems. In addition to algorithms for concrete problems, the student knows advanced techniques of algorithmic design. This includes parameterized algorithms, approximation algorithms, online algorithms, randomized algorithms, parallel algorithms, linear programming, and algorithm engineering techniques. For given algorithms, the student is able to identify techniques used to better understand these algorithms. In addition, they are able to select appropriate techniques for a given problem and use them to design their own algorithms.

#### Content

This module is designed to provide students with the basic theoretical and practical aspects of algorithm design, analysis, and engineering. It teaches general methods for designing and analyzing algorithms for basic algorithmic problems, as well as the basic principles of general algorithmic methods such as approximation algorithms, linear programming, randomized algorithms, parallel algorithms, and parameterized algorithms.

#### Workload

Lecture with 3 semester hours + 1 semester hour exercise 6 ECTS correspond to about 180 hours

about 45h visiting the lectures

about 15h visiting the exercises

about 90h follow-up of lectures and solving the exercise sheets

about 30h preparation for the exam



# 5.15 Module: Analytics and Statistics [M-WIWI-101637]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Grothe

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Statistics)

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	2 terms	German	4	4

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: )				
T-WIWI-106341	Machine Learning 2 – Advanced Methods	4,5 CR	Zöllner	
T-WIWI-111247	Mathematics for High Dimensional Statistics	4,5 CR	Grothe	
T-WIWI-103124	Multivariate Statistical Methods	4,5 CR	Grothe	
T-WIWI-103123	Advanced Statistics	4,5 CR	Grothe	
T-WIWI-112109	Topics in Stochastic Optimization	4,5 CR	Rebennack	

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial written exams (according to Section 4(2), 1 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The examinations are offered every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module seperately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Competence Goal**

A Student

- Deepens the knowledge of descriptive and inferential statistics.
- Deals with simulation methods.
- Learns basic and advanced methods of statistical analysis of multivariate and high-dimensional data.

#### Content

- Deriving estimates and testing hypotheses
- Stochastic processes
- Multivariate statistics, copulas
- Dependence measures
- Dimension reduction
- High-dimensional methods
- Prediction

#### **Annotation**

The planned lectures and courses for the next three years are announced online.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours.



# 5.16 Module: Application Security Lab [M-INFO-103166]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>4Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-106289	Application Security Lab	4 CR	Geiselmann, Müller- Quade



### 5.17 Module: Applied Strategic Decisions [M-WIWI-101453]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Johannes Philipp Reiß

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Economics)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>6

Mandatory					
T-WIWI-102861	Advanced Game Theory 4,5 CR Ehrhart, Puppe, Reiß				
Supplementary Cou	rses (Election: between 4,5 and 5 credits)				
T-WIWI-113469	Advanced Corporate Finance	4,5 CR	Ruckes		
T-WIWI-102613	Auction Theory	4,5 CR	Ehrhart		
T-WIWI-102614	Experimental Economics	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		
T-WIWI-102623	Financial Intermediation	4,5 CR	Ruckes		
T-WIWI-112823	Platform & Market Engineering: Commerce, Media, and Digital Democracy	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		
T-WIWI-102862	Predictive Mechanism and Market Design	4,5 CR	Reiß		
T-WIWI-105781	Incentives in Organizations	4,5 CR	Nieken		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4 (2), 1-3 SPO) of the core course and further single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

### **Prerequisites**

The course "Advanced Game Theory" is obligatory. Exception: The course "Introduction to Game Theory" was completed. Even those who have already successfully proven "Advanced Game Theory" in another master module can take the module. In this case you can choose freely from the rest of the offer. However, this choice can only be made by the examination office of the Department of Economics and Management.

### **Competence Goal**

Students

- can model and analyze complex situations of strategic interaction using advanced game theoretic concepts;
- are provided with essential and advanced game theoretic solution concepts on a rigorous level and can apply them to understand real-life problems;
- learn about the experimental method, ranging from designing an economic experiment to data analysis.

#### Content

The module provides solid skills in game theory and offers a broad range of game theoretic applications. To improve the understanding of theoretical concepts, it pays attention to empirical evidence as well.

#### **Annotation**

The course Predictive Mechanism and Market Design is not offered each year.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours. The exact distribution is made according to the credit points of the courses of the module.

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge in game theory is assumed.



# 5.18 Module: Artificial Intelligence [M-WIWI-105366]

Responsible: Dr.-Ing. Tobias Käfer

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>2 termsLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>2

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: at least 2 items)					
T-WIWI-110848	Semantic Web Technologies	4,5 CR	Käfer		
T-WIWI-110548	Advanced Lab Informatics (Master)	4,5 CR	Professorenschaft des Instituts AIFB		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment mix of each course of this module is defined for each course separately. The final mark for the module is the average of the marks for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Competence Goal

The student

- understands the koncepts behind Semantic Web and Linked Data technologies
- develops ontologies to be employed in semantic web-based applications and chooses suitable representation languages,
- is familiar with approaches in the area of knowledge representation and modelling,
- is able to transfer the methods and technologies of semantic web technologies to new application sectors,
- evaluates the potential of semantic web for new application sectors,
- understands the challenges in the areas of Data and system integration on the web is able to develop solutions.
- know the basics of machine learning, data mining and knowledge discovery
- · can design, train and evaluate systems that are capable of learning
- carry out knowledge discovery projects, taking into account algorithms, representations and applications.

#### Content

The focus of the module is on Semantic Web Technologies as well as machine learning and data mining methods for knowledge acquisition from large databases.

The goal of the semantic web is the meaning (semantics) of data on the web for intelligent systems, e.g. in e-commerce and to make Internet portals usable. The representation of knowledge in the form of RDF and ontologies, the provision of data as Linked Data, as well as the request of data using SPARQL. In this lecture the basics of knowledge representation and processing for the corresponding technologies and application examples are presented.

The lecture "Knowledge Discovery" gives an overview of approaches of machine learning and data mining for knowledge extraction from large data sets. These are examined especially with regard to algorithms, applicability to different data representations and the use in real application scenarios.

Knowledge Discovery is an established research area with a large community that investigates methods for discovering patterns and regularities in large amounts of data, including unstructured text. A variety of methods exist to extract patterns and provide previously unknown insights. This information can be predictive or descriptive.

The lecture gives an overview of Knowledge Discovery. Specific techniques and methods, challenges and current and future research topics in this research area will be taught.

Contents of the lecture cover the entire machine learning and data mining process with topics on supervised and unsupervised learning and empirical evaluation. Covered learning methods range from classical approaches like decision trees, support vector machines and neural networks to selected approaches from current research. Learning problems considered include feature vector-based learning and text mining.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours.



# 5.19 Module: Automated Planning and Scheduling [M-INFO-104447]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>IrregularDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-109085	Automated Planning and Scheduling	5 CR	Sanders



# 5.20 Module: Automated Visual Inspection and Image Processing [M-INFO-100826]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jürgen Beyerer **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101363	Automated Visual Inspection and Image Processing	6 CR	Beyerer



# 5.21 Module: Automotive Software Engineering (ASE) [M-INFO-106019]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Ina Schaefer **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
4	Grade to a tenth	Each winter term	1 term	German/English	4	1

Mandatory					
T-INFO-112204	Automotive Software Engineering (ASE) - Pass	0 CR	Schaefer		
T-INFO-112203	Automotive Software Engineering (ASE)	4 CR	Schaefer		



# 5.22 Module: Business & Service Engineering [M-WIWI-101410]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion9Grade to a tenthEach term1 termGerman/English49

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: 9 credits)					
T-WIWI-113160	Digital Democracy	4,5 CR	Fegert		
T-WIWI-112757	Digital Services: Innovation & Business Models	4,5 CR	Satzger		
T-WIWI-110887	Practical Seminar: Service Innovation	4,5 CR	Satzger		
T-WIWI-102847	Recommender Systems	4,5 CR	Geyer-Schulz		
T-WIWI-113724	Special Topics in Information Systems	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4 (2), 1-3 SPO) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

### **Competence Goal**

The student should

- learn to develop and implement new markets with regards to the technological progresses of information and communication technology and the increasing economic networking
- learn to restructure and develop new business processes in markets under those conditions
- understand service competition as a sustainable competitive strategy and understand the effects of service competition on the design of markets, products, processes and services.
- improve his statistics skills and apply them to appropriate cases
- learn to elaborate solutions in a team

#### Content

This module addresses the challenges of creating new kinds of products, processes, services, and markets from a service perspective in the context of new developed information and communication technologies and the globalization process. The module describes service competition as a business strategy in the long term that leads to the design of business processes, business models, forms of organization, markets, and competition. This will be shown by actual examples from personalized services, recommender services and social networks.

#### **Annotation**

All practical Seminars offered at the IM can be chosen for *Special Topics in Information Systems*. Please update yourself on www.iism.kit.edu/im/lehre.

From summer semester 2023, the course Service Innovation will be offered with a revised course concept and content. The focus will be on the closer integration of the topics of service innovation and digitalization. Current foundational content (e.g., on service innovation challenges or human-centered innovation methods) will remain. New content will cover topics such as digital platforms and ecosystems, IoT and smart service innovation, and business models.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approx. 270 hours (9 credits). The distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module. The workload for courses with 4.5 credits is approx. 135 hours, for courses with 5 credits approx. 150 hours.

The total number of hours per course is calculated from the time required to attend the lectures and exercises, as well as the examination times and the time required for an average student to achieve the learning objectives of the module for an average performance.

Recommendation

None



### 5.23 Module: Coding Theory [M-INFO-106824]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits 3

**Grading scale**Grade to a tenth

Recurrence
Each winter term

Duration 1 term **Language** German Level 4 Version 1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-113693	Coding Theory	3 CR	Müller-Quade

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### Competence Goal

The student

- can name and explain the methods of coding theory;
- assesses various quality characteristics and parameters of codes;
- assesses the practical significance of theoretical barriers for codes;
- analyzes given systems and adapts them to changing conditions.

#### Content

This lecture mainly deals with channel coding. It examines how signals can be protected against random noise affecting the transmission channel. Bounds of codes (Hamming, Gilbert-Varshamov, Singleton) are presented. In addition to the coding and decoding of classical algebraic codes (linear, Reed Solomon, Goppa and Reed Muller codes), concatenated codes and sums of codes are also covered. In addition, a connection to cryptography, in particular the McEliece encryption method, is established.

#### Workload

Attendance time in the lecture: 24 h
Preparation and follow-up of the same: 24 h
Exam preparation and attendance in the same: 42 h



# 5.24 Module: Collective Decision Making [M-WIWI-101504]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Clemens Puppe

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Economics)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>4

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: )				
T-WIWI-102740	Public Management	4,5 CR	Wigger	
T-WIWI-102859	Social Choice Theory	4,5 CR	Puppe	

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4(2), 1 or 2 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module seperately.

The overall grade of the the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### **Competence Goal**

Students

- are able to model and assess problems in public economics and to analyze them with respect to positive and normative aspects.
- understand individual incentives and social outcomes of different institutional designs,
- are familiar with the functioning and design of democratic elections and can analyze them with respect to their individual incentives.

#### Content

The focus of the module is on mechanisms for public decision making including voting and the aggregation of preferences and judgements.

#### Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours

The exact distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.



# 5.25 Module: Computational Complexity Theory, with a View Towards Cryptography [M-INFO-101575]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>IrregularDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>4

Mandatory	Mandatory				
T-INFO-103014	Computational Complexity Theory, with a View Towards Cryptography	6 CR	Hofheinz, Müller- Quade		



# 5.26 Module: Computational Geometry [M-INFO-102110]

Responsible: TT-Prof. Dr. Thomas Bläsius

Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>IrregularDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>3

Mandatory				
T-INFO-104429	Computational Geometry	6 CR	Bläsius	
T-INFO-113718	Computational Geometry - Pass	0 CR	Bläsius	



# 5.27 Module: Computer Architecture [M-INFO-100818]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Karl
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion6Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termGerman41

Mandatory				
T-INFO-101355	Computer Architecture	6 CR	Karl	



# 5.28 Module: Computer Graphics [M-INFO-100856]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Carsten Dachsbacher **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scale<br/>6Recurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory					
T-INFO-101393	Computer Graphics	6 CR	Dachsbacher		
T-INFO-104313	Computer Graphics Pass	0 CR	Dachsbacher		



# 5.29 Module: Context Sensitive Systems [M-INFO-100728]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Michael Beigl
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>2

Mandatory				
T-INFO-107499	Context Sensitive Systems	5 CR	Beigl	



# 5.30 Module: Cooperative Autonomous Vehicles [M-WIWI-106631]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Alexey Vinel

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Informatics

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a third	Each term	2 terms	English	4	1

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: )					
T-WIWI-113363	Collective Perception in Autonomous Driving	4,5 CR	Vinel		
T-WIWI-112690	Cooperative Autonomous Vehicles	4,5 CR	Vinel		
T-WIWI-113059	Human Factors in Autonomous Driving	4,5 CR	Vinel		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### **Competence Goal**

Students

- know the fundamentals of vehicular communications and networking,
- look critically into current research topics in the field of autonomous driving,
- explain basic concepts in cooperative vehicles,
- apply mathematical methods for the performance evaluation of cooperative driving systems,
- apply simulation tools for the modeling of cooperative autonomous vehicles.

#### Content

The module focuses on the aspects of communication, coordination, and cooperation of highly automated and autonomous vehicles. We explain the state-of-the-art of the vehicular communications (V2X) and respective cooperative driving applications from an interdisciplinary viewpoint. The module includes selected material from wireless networking, formal description methods, human-computer interaction, robotics, and machine learning. The students work with mathematical models, simulation environments and lab equipment.

#### Module grade calculation

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course, weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours. The exact distribution is made according to the credit points of the courses of the module.



# 5.31 Module: Cross-Functional Management Accounting [M-WIWI-101510]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Marcus Wouters

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>13

Mandatory					
T-WIWI-102885	Advanced Management Accounting	4,5 CR	Wouters		
Supplementary Cou	Supplementary Courses (Election: 4,5 credits)				
T-WIWI-105777	Business Intelligence Systems	4,5 CR	Mädche		
T-WIWI-105781	Incentives in Organizations	4,5 CR	Nieken		
T-WIWI-102835	Marketing Strategy Business Game	1,5 CR	Klarmann		
T-WIWI-107720	Market Research	4,5 CR	Klarmann		
T-WIWI-111848	Online Concepts for Karlsruhe City Retailers	3 CR	Klarmann		
T-WIWI-102621	Valuation	4,5 CR	Ruckes		
T-WIWI-108651	Extraordinary Additional Course in the Module Cross-Functional Management Accounting	4,5 CR	Wouters		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4 (2), 1-3 SPO) of the core course and further single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

The course "Advanced Management Accounting" is compulsory.

The additional courses can only be chosen after the compulsory course has been completed successfully.

#### **Competence Goal**

Students will be able to apply advanced management accounting methods to managerial decision-making problems in marketing, finance, organization and strategy.

#### Content

The module includes a course on several advanced management accounting methods that can be used for various decisions in operations and innovation management. By selecting another course, each student looks in more detail at one interface between management accounting a particular field in management, namely marketing, finance, or organization and strategy.

#### Annotation

The module "Cross-functional Management Accounting" always includes the compulsory course "Advanced Management Accounting." Students look at the interface between management accounting and another field in management. Students build the module by adding a course from the specified list. Students can also suggest another suitable course for this module for evaluation by the coordinator.

#### Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours

The exact distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.

#### Recommendation

None



# 5.32 Module: Cryptographic Voting Schemes [M-INFO-100742]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthIrregular1 termGerman41

Mandatory				
T-INFO-101279	Cryptographic Voting Schemes	3 CR	Müller-Quade	



# 5.33 Module: Curves and Surfaces for Geometric Design [M-INFO-101231]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Hartmut Prautzsch **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>IrregularDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory				
T-INFO-102041	Curves and Surfaces for Geometric Design II	5 CR	Prautzsch	

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievement.

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievement.

#### Competence Goal

Students of this course are knowledgeable about Bézier and B-spline techniques for surfaces and are able to solve typical problems arising in surface design.

#### Content

Bézier- and B-spline techniques for bi- and multivariate splines, polar forms, de Casteljau algorithm, smooth and geometric smooth joints, subdivision, convexity, various conversions between various surface presentations, patch rendering, intersection algorithms, interpolation and approximation, Powell-Sabin and Clough-Tocher elements, splines over triangulations, Piper's construction, box splines, B-patches and similar topics

#### Workload

approx. 150h thereof

30h for attending the lecture

30h for post-processing

15h for attending the exercises

45h for solving the exercises

30h for exam preparation



# 5.34 Module: Curves and Surfaces in CAD I [M-INFO-100837]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Hartmut Prautzsch **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>IrregularDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory				
T-INFO-101374	Curves and Surfaces in CAD I	5 CR	Prautzsch	

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievement.

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievement.

#### Competence Goal

Students of this course are knowledgeable about Bézier and B-spline techniques for curves and tensor product surfaces and are able to solve typical problems arising in curve design.

#### Content

Bézier- and B-spline techniques, polar forms, de Casteljau algorithm, de Boor algorithm, Oslo algorithm, smooth joints (Staerk construction), subdivision, variation diminishing property, convexity, various conversions between various curve presentations, curve rendering, intersection algorithms, interpolation and approximation, tensor product splines, T-splines and similar topics.

#### Workload

approx. 150h thereof:

30h for attending the lecture

30h for post-processing

15h for attending the exercises

45h for solving the exercises

30h for exam preparation



# 5.35 Module: Data Privacy: From Anonymization to Access Control [M-INFO-104045]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Klemens Böhm **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthIrregular1 termGerman41

Mandatory					
T-INFO-108377	Data Privacy: From Anonymization to Access Control	3 CR	Böhm		



# 5.36 Module: Data Science [M-INFO-106505]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Klemens Böhm **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion8Grade to a tenthEach winter term2 termsGerman41

Mandatory				
T-INFO-113124	Data Science	8 CR	Böhm	



### 5.37 Module: Data Science for Finance [M-WIWI-105032]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Maxim Ulrich

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion9Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 termEnglish41

Mandatory					
T-WIWI-102878	Computational Risk and Asset Management	4,5 CR	Ulrich		
T-WIWI-110213	Python for Computational Risk and Asset Management	4,5 CR	Ulrich		

#### Competence Certificate

The module examination takes the form of an alternative exam assessment.

The alternative exam assessment consists of a Python-based "Takehome Exam". At the end of the third week of January, the student is given a "Takehome Exam" which he processes and sends back independently within 4 hours using Python. Precise instructions will be announced at the beginning of the course. The alternative exam assessment can be repeated a maximum of once. A timely repeat option takes place at the end of the third week in March of the same year. More detailed instructions will be given at the beginning of the course.

#### Competence Goal

The aim of the module is to use data science, machine learning and financial market theories to generate better investment, risk and asset management decisions. The student gets to know the characteristics of different asset classes in an application-oriented manner using real financial market data. We use Python and web scraping techniques to extract, visualize and examine patterns of publicly available financial market data. Interesting and non-public financial market data such as (option and futures data on shares and interest) are provided. Financial market theories are also discussed to improve data analysis through theoretical knowledge. Students get to know stock, interest rate, futures and options markets through the "data science glasses". Through "finance theory glasses" students understand how patterns can be communicated and interpreted using finance theory. Python is the link through which we bring data science and modern financial market modeling together.

#### Content

The course covers several topics, among them:

- Pattern detection in price and return data in equity, interest rate, futures and option markets
- Quantitative Portfolio Strategies
- Modeling Return Densities using tools from financial econometrics, data science and machine learning
- Valuation of equity, fixed-income, futures and options in a coherent framework to possibly exploit arbitrage opportunities
- Neural networks and Natural Language Processing

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is 270 hours (9 credit points). The total number of hours resulting from income from studying online video, answering quizzes, studying Ipython notebooks, active and interactive "Python Data Sessions" and reading literature you have heard.

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge of capital markt theory.



# 5.38 Module: Data Science: Data-Driven Information Systems [M-WIWI-103117]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Alexander Mädche

Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>9

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: )					
T-WIWI-108715	Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems	4,5 CR	Satzger		
T-WIWI-111219	Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems - Applications in Computer Vision	4,5 CR	Satzger		
T-WIWI-109863	Business Data Analytics: Application and Tools	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		
T-WIWI-106187	Business Data Strategy	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		
T-WIWI-105777	Business Intelligence Systems	4,5 CR	Mädche		
T-WIWI-113160	Digital Democracy	4,5 CR	Fegert		
T-WIWI-110918	Introduction to Bayesian Statistics for Analyzing Data	4,5 CR	Scheibehenne		
T-WIWI-113459	Practical Seminar: Human-Centered Systems	4,5 CR	Mädche		
T-WIWI-111385	Responsible Artificial Intelligence	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		
T-WIWI-106207	Practical Seminar: Data-Driven Information Systems	4,5 CR	Satzger, Weinhardt		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4 (2), 1-3 SPO) of the core course and further single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

### Prerequisites

None.

### Competence Goal

The student

- understands the strategic role of integrating, transforming, and analyzing large and complex enterprise data in modern business information systems and is capable of comparing and assessing strategic alternatives
- has the core skills to design, model, and control complex, inter-organisational analytical, processes, including various business functions as well as customers and markets
- understands the usage of performance indicators for a variety of controlling and management issues and is able to define models for generating the relevant performance indicators under considerations of data availability
- distinguishes different analytics methods and concepts and learn when to apply to better understand and anticipate business relationships and developments of industrial and in particular service companies to derive fact- and data- founded managerial actions and strategies.
- knows how to capture uncertainty in the data and how to appropriately consider and visualize uncertainty in decision support or business intelligence systems and analytical processes as a whole.

#### Content

The amount of business-related data availabe in modern enterprise information systems grows exponentially, and the various data sources are more and more integrated, transformed, and analyzed jointly to gain valuable business insights, pro-actively control and manage business processes, to leverage planning and decision making, and to provide appropriate, potentially novel services to customers based on relationships and developments observed in the data.

Also, data sources are more and more connected and single business unit that used to operate on separate data pools are now becoming highly integrated, providing tremendeous business opportunities but also challenges regarding how the data should be represented, integrated, preprocessed, transformed, and finally used in analytics planning and decision processes.

The courses of this module equip the students with core skills to understands the strategic role of integrating, transforming, and analyzing large and complex enterprise data in modern business information systems. Students will be capable to designing, comparing, and evaluating strategic alternatives. Also, students will learn how to design, model, and control complex analytical processes, including various business functions of industrial and service companies including customers and markets. Students learn core skills to understand fundamental strategies for integrating analytic models and operative controlling mechanisms while ensuring the technical feasibility of the resulting information systems.

Furthermore, the student can distinguish different methods and concepts in the realm of data science and learns when to apply. She/he will know the means of characterizing and analyzing hetergeneous, high-dimensional data available data in data warehouses and external data sources to gain additional insights valuable for enterprise planning and decision making. Also, the students know how to capture uncertainty in the data and how to appropriately consider and visualize uncertainty in business information and business intelligence systems.

The module offers the opportunity to apply and deepen this knowledge in a seminar and hands-on tutorials that are offered with all lectures.

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#### Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours. The allocation is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.

#### Recommendation

The module requires a basic understanding of the tasks, systems and processes in business informatics. It is therefore recommended that students attend the course Fundamentals of Information Systems [2540450] beforehand. Furthermore, basic knowledge of operations research as well as descriptive and inferential statistics is required.



# 5.39 Module: Data Science: Data-Driven User Modeling [M-WIWI-103118]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>7

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: at least 9 credits)				
T-WIWI-109863	Business Data Analytics: Application and Tools	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	
T-WIWI-113160	Digital Democracy	4,5 CR	Fegert	
T-WIWI-102614	Experimental Economics	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	
T-WIWI-111109	KD <sup>2</sup> Lab Hands-On Research Course: New Ways and Tools in Experimental Economics	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	
T-WIWI-111385	Responsible Artificial Intelligence	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	
T-WIWI-108765	Practical Seminar: Advanced Analytics	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	

#### Competence Certificate

The assessment is carried out as partial exams of the core course and further single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### **Competence Goal**

Students of this module

- learn methods for planning empirical studies, in particular laboratory experiments,
- acquire theoretical knowledge and practical skills in analysing empirical data,
- familiarize with different ways of modelling user behaviour, are able to critically discuss, and to evaluate them

#### Content

Understanding and supporting user interactions with applications better plays an increasingly large role in the design of business applications. This applies both to interfaces for customers and to internal information systems. The data that is generated during user interactions can be channelled straight into business processes, for instance by analysing and decomposing purchase decisions, and by feeding this data into product design processes.

The Crowd Analytics section considers the analysis of data from online platforms, particularly of those following crowd- or peer-to-peer based business models. This includes platforms like Airbnb, Kickstarter and Amazon Mechanical Turk.

Theoretical models of user (decision) behaviour help analyzing the empirically observed user behaviour in a systematic fashion. Testing these models and their predictions in controlled experiments (primarily in the lab) in turn helps refine theory and to generate practically relevant design recommendations. Analyses are carried out using advanced analytic methods.

Students learn fundamental theoretical models for user behaviour in systems and apply them to cases. Students are also taught methods and skills for conceptualizing and planning empirical studies and for analyzing the resulting data.

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge of Information Management, Operations Research, Descriptive Statistics, and Inferential Statistics is assumed.



# 5.40 Module: Data Science: Evidence-based Marketing [M-WIWI-101647]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martin Klarmann

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>2 termsLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>5

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: 9 credits)				
T-WIWI-103139	Marketing Analytics	4,5 CR	Klarmann	
T-WIWI-107720	Market Research	4,5 CR	Klarmann	

#### Competence Certificate

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4 (2), 1-3 SPO) of the courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

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#### **Competence Goal**

Students

- possess advanced knowledge of relevant market research contents
- know many different qualitative and quantitative methods for measuring customer behavior, preparation of strategic decisions, making causal deductions, usage of social media data and sales forecasting
- possess the statistical skills required for working in marketing research

#### Content

This module provides in-depth knowledge of relevant quantitative and qualitative methods used in market research. Students can attend the following courses:

- The course "Market Research" provides contents of practical relevance for measuring customer attitudes and customer behavior. The participants learn using statistical methods for strategic decision-making in marketing. Students who are interested in writing their master thesis at the Marketing & Sales Research Group are required to take this course.
- The course "Marketing Analytics" is based on "Market Research" and teaches advanced statistical methods for analyzing relevant marketing and market research questions. Please note that a successful completion of "Market Research" is a prerequisite for the completion of "Marketing Analytics".

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours.

#### Recommendation

None



# 5.41 Module: Data Science: Intelligent, Adaptive, and Learning Information Services [M-WIWI-105661]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Andreas Geyer-Schulz

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	1 term	German/English	4	2

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: 9 credits)					
T-WIWI-109921	Advanced Machine Learning	4,5 CR	Geyer-Schulz, Nazemi		
T-WIWI-111219	Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems - Applications in Computer Vision	4,5 CR	Satzger		
T-WIWI-102762	Business Dynamics	4,5 CR	Geyer-Schulz, Glenn		
T-WIWI-111267	Intelligent Agent Architectures	4,5 CR	Geyer-Schulz		
T-WIWI-110915	Intelligent Agents and Decision Theory	4,5 CR	Geyer-Schulz		
T-WIWI-102847	Recommender Systems	4,5 CR	Geyer-Schulz		

#### Competence Certificate

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4(2), 1 or 2 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module seperately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### **Competence Goal**

The student

- models, analyzes and optimizes the structure and dynamics of complex economic changes.
- designs and develops intelligent, adaptive or learning agents as essential elements of information services.
- knows the essential learning methods for this and can apply them (also on modern architectures) in a targeted manner.
- develops and implements personalized services, especially in the area of recommender systems.
- develops solutions in teams.

#### Content

The Intelligent Architectures course addresses how to design modern agent-based systems. The focus here is on software architecture and design patterns relevant to learning systems. In addition, important machine learning methods that complete the intelligent system are discussed. Examples of systems presented include key-map architectures and genetic methods.

The impact of management decisions in complex systems is considered in Business Dynamics. Understanding, modeling, and simulating complex systems enables analysis, purposeful design, and optimization of markets, business processes, regulations, and entire enterprises.

Special problems of intelligent systems are covered in Personalization and Services and Recommendersystems. The content includes approaches and methods to design user-oriented services. The measurement and monitoring of service systems is discussed, the design of personalized offers is discussed and the generation of recommendations based on collected data from products and customers is shown. The importance of user modeling and recognition is addressed, as well as data security and privacy.

#### Annotation

The module replaces from summer semester 2021 M-WIWI-101470 "Data Science: Advanced CRM".

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approx. 270 hours (9 credits). The distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module. The workload for courses with 4.5 credits is approx. 135 hours.

The total number of hours per course is calculated from the time required to attend the lectures and exercises, as well as the examination times and the time required for an average student to achieve the learning objectives of the module for an average performance.

**Recommendation** None



# 5.42 Module: Database as a Service [M-INFO-105724]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Klemens Böhm **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>IrregularDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-111400	Database as a Service	5 CR	Böhm

#### **Competence Goal**

At the end of the lecture the participants shall be able to explain what is specific to database functionality in the cloud, and what the advantages and disadvantages are. They shall have understood how cloud-enabled database technology differs from conventional technology of this kind, but also where the commonalities reside. Participants shall be able to explain the core ideas and approaches that define cloud-enabled database technology and discern them from each other.

#### Content

We currently witness owners of large data sets, be they big organizations, be they startups, to rent database functionality to a significant extent, rather than providing it themselves. The total costs of ownership just happen to be much lower in many cases. This lecture features database technology that facilitates exactly this. This concerns you if you want to make use of such services at some time in the future, but is also is of interest if you will have to do with 'conventional' database technology.

According to my perspective, the following features of "cloud-enabled" database technology are key, and the lecture will cover them:

- Fully automated tuning of individual database the option to interact with a database administrator does not exist any
  more!
- Approximate query results suddenly are attractive. The monetary costs of evaluating a query are commensurate with the
  necessary effort on the other side, high fixed costs that typically occur with owner-operated databases do not incur any
  more.
- Multi-tenancy. I.e., how to ensure tenants that are completely independent from each other to have a DBMS for their applications available, not only without interfering with each other, but also with performance guarantees for each tenant individually?
- Secure storage. Administering data and evaluating queries shall take place in the cloud. At the same time, the cloud
  provider must not be allowed to see the data. Both objectives in full beauty currently are incompatible we will discuss
  possible compromises.

In this setting, conventional, established concepts like distributed transactions and distributed data management and query processing play an important role as well, and the lecture will address them equally.

#### Literature

Will be made available in the lecture. The following books cover foundations and specifics of at least some chapters of the lecture:

- Database Systems Implementation, by Hector Garcia-Molina, Jeff Ullman, and Jennifer Widom.
- Concurrency Control and Recovery in Database Systems, by Philip A. Bernstein, Vassos Hadzilacos, and Nathan Goodman.
- Principles of Distributed Database Systems Tamer Özsu, Patrick Valduriez



# 5.43 Module: Decentralized Systems: Fundamentals, Modeling, and Applications [M-INFO-105334]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Hannes Hartenstein **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>4

Mandatory			
T-INFO-110820	Decentralized Systems: Fundamentals, Modeling, and Applications	6 CR	Hartenstein

#### **Competence Goal**

#### 1. Fundamentals & Modeling

- 1. The student is able to recognize and distinguish distributed, federated, and decentralized systems.
- 2. The student understands consensus, consistency and coordination within the context of networked and decentralized systems.
- 3. The student understands the concept of Sybil attacks.
- 4. The student is familiar with decentralized algorithms for leader election and mutual exclusion for execution contexts with various guarantees.
- 5. The student understands the formally proven limits of fault tolerance and their underlying assumptions. This includes an understanding of synchronous and asynchronous network models which underpin the respective proofs. The student also understands several models for fault tolerance, notably silent and noisy crash as well as byzantine fault tolerance within the context of decentralized and distributed systems.
- 6. The student has a basic understanding of state machine replication.
- 7. The student knows various models for and levels of consistency.

#### 2. Applications

- 1. The student understands conflict-free replicated data types and their use in decentralized systems like Matrix.
- 2. The student has a fundamental understanding of blockchain-based cryptocurrencies (e.g. Bitcoin/Ethereum), Payment Channels, and decentralized communication systems like Matrix.
- 3. The student understands trust relations in distributed and decentralized systems and applications.
- 4. The student is able to understand how the previously introduced theoretical foundations relate to networked and decentralized systems in practice.
- 5. The student understands concepts of decentralized storage systems.

### Content

Decentralized Systems (like blockchain-based systems) represent distributed systems that are controlled by multiple parties who make their own independent decisions. In this course, we cover fundamental theoretical aspects as well as up-to-date decentralized systems and connect theory with current practice. We thereby address fault tolerance, security and trust, as well as performance aspects at the example of applications like Bitcoin, Ethereum, IPFS, and Matrix. As a research-oriented lecture, we may cover additional current topics like verifiable computing and/or identity and access management in decentralized settings. The lecture covers at least the following topics:

- Fundamentals
  - Peer-to-Peer Overlay Networks, Sybil and Eclipse Attacks
  - Formalization of decentralized systems, including models for their computation, communication, faults, and timing.
  - Leader election and mutual exclusion in decentralized systems based on different models for node identities and timing.
  - Byzantine consensus in synchronous and asynchronous settings, including Bracha's fundamental algorithm for reliable broadcast, Practical Byzantine Fault Tolerant consensus, and fundamental limits.
  - Consistency models and protocols including Conflict-Free Replicated Data Types.
- Applications
  - The Matrix decentralized messaging platform
  - Distributed Ledgers and Blockchains at the examples of Bitcoin and Ethereum, in particular Proof-of-Work and Proof-of-Stake consensus
  - Payment Channel Networks and Rollups
  - Decentralized storage systems, at the example of IPFS

#### Workload

1. Attendance time (Course, exercise, etc.)

Lecture: 3 SWS: 3,0h x 15 = 45h Exercise: 1 SWS: 1,0h x 15 = 15h

2. Self-study (e.g. independent review of course material, work on homework assignments)

Weekly preparation and follow-up of the lecture:  $15 \times 1h \times 3 = 45h$ Weekly preparation and follow-up of the exercise:  $15 \times 2h = 30h$ 

3. Preparation for the exam: 45 h

 $\Sigma$  = 180h = 6 ECTS

#### Recommendation

Prior knowledge in Foundations of IT-Security and Computer Networks is recommended.



## 5.44 Module: Deep Learning and Neural Networks [M-INFO-104460]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Jan Niehues

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-109124	Deep Learning and Neural Networks	6 CR	Niehues



## 5.45 Module: Deep Learning for Computer Vision I: Basics [M-INFO-105753]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Rainer Stiefelhagen **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-111491	Deep Learning for Computer Vision I: Basics	3 CR	Stiefelhagen

#### **Competence Goal**

Students should be able to grasp the underlying concepts in the field of deep learning and its various applications.

- · Understand the theoretical basis of deep learning
- Understand the Convolutional Neural Networks (CNN)
- Develop basis for the concepts and algorithms used in building and training the CNNs.
- Able to apply deep learning in different computer vision applications.

#### Content

In recent years tremendous progress has been made in analysing and understanding image and video content. The dominant approach in Computer Vision today are deep learning approaches, in particular the usage of Convolutional Neural Networks.

The lecture introduces the basics, as well as advanced aspects of deep learning methods and their application for a number of computer vision tasks. The following topics will be addressed in the lecture:

- Introduction to Deep Learning
- Convolutional Neural Networks (CNN): Background
- CNNs: basic architectures and learning algorithms
- Object Recognition with CNN
- Image Segmentation with CNN
- Recurrent Neural Networks
- Generating image descriptions (Image Captioning)
- Automatic question answering (Visual Question Answering)
- Generative Adversarial Networks (GAN) and their applications
- Deep Learning platforms and tools

#### **Annotation**

The course is partially given in German and English.



# 5.46 Module: Deep Learning for Computer Vision II: Advanced Topics [M-INFO-105755]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Rainer Stiefelhagen
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>3

Mandatory			
T-INFO-111494	Deep Learning for Computer Vision II: Advanced Topics	3 CR	Stiefelhagen



## 5.47 Module: Deployment of Database Systems [M-INFO-100780]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Klemens Böhm **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>IrregularDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101317	Deployment of Database Systems	5 CR	Böhm



## 5.48 Module: Design and Architectures of Embedded Systems (ES2) [M-INFO-100831]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jörg Henkel **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101368	Design and Architectures of Embedded Systems (ES2)	3 CR	Henkel



## 5.49 Module: Designing Interactive Information Systems [M-WIWI-104080]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Alexander Mädche

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion9Grade to a tenthEach term1 termEnglish45

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: at least 1 item)					
T-WIWI-113465	Designing Interactive Systems: Human-Al Interaction	4,5 CR	Mädche		
T-WIWI-113460	Engineering Interactive Systems: AI & Wearables	4,5 CR	Mädche		
Supplementary Cou	Supplementary Courses (Election: at most 1 item)				
T-WIWI-111109	KD <sup>2</sup> Lab Hands-On Research Course: New Ways and Tools in Experimental Economics	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		
T-WIWI-113459	Practical Seminar: Human-Centered Systems	4,5 CR	Mädche		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4 (2), 1-3 SPO) of the core course and further single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

#### **Prerequisites**

In this module, the courses "Designing Interactive Systems" or "Enineering Interactive Systems" must be compulsorily taken.

#### **Competence Goal**

The student

- has a comprehensive understanding of conceptual and theoretical foundations of interactive systems
- knows design processes for interactive systems
- is aware of the most important techniques and tools for designing interactive systems and knows how to apply them to real-world problems
- is able to apply design principles for the design of most important classes of interactive systems,
- creates new solutions of interactive systems teams

#### Content

Advanced information and communication technologies make interactive systems ever-present in the users' private and business life. They are an integral part of smartphones, devices in the smart home, mobility vehicles as well as at the working place in production and administration (e.g. in the form of dashboards).

With the continuous growing capabilities of computers, the design of the interaction between human and computer becomes even more important. This module focuses on design processes and principles for interactive systems. The contents of the module abstract from the technical implementation details and focus on foundational concepts, theories, practices and methods for the design of interactive systems. The students get the necessary knowledge to guide the successful implementation of interactive systems in business and private life.

Each lecture in the module is accompanied with a capstone project that is carried out with an industry partner.

#### **Annotation**

See http://issd.iism.kit.edu/305.php for further information.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours.



## 5.50 Module: Development of Business Information Systems [M-WIWI-101477]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Andreas Oberweis

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>7

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: between 1 and 2 items)				
T-WIWI-102661	Database Systems and XML	4,5 CR	Oberweis	
T-WIWI-102895	Software Quality Management	4,5 CR	Oberweis	
Supplementary Courses (Election: at most 1 item)				
T-WIWI-110346	Supplement Enterprise Information Systems	4,5 CR	Oberweis	
T-WIWI-112599	Management of IT-Projects	4,5 CR	Schätzle	
T-WIWI-110548	Advanced Lab Informatics (Master)	4,5 CR	Professorenschaft des Instituts AIFB	
T-WIWI-112914	Advanced Lab Realization of Innovative Services (Master)	4,5 CR	Oberweis	

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment mix of each course of this module is defined for each course separately. The final mark for the module is the average of the marks for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

The course Datenbanksysteme und XML or the course Software Quality Management must be examined.

#### **Competence Goal**

Students

- describe the structure and the components of enterprise information systems,
- explain functionality and architecture of the enterprise information system components,
- choose and apply relevant components to solve given problems in a methodic approach,
- describe roles, activities and products in the field of software engineering management,
- compare process and quality models and choose an appropriate model in a concrete situation,
- write scientific theses in the areas of enterprise information system components and software engineering management and find own solutions for given problems and research questions.

#### Content

An enterprise information system contains the complete application software to store and process data and information in an organisation including design and management of databases, workflow management and strategic information planning.

Due to global networking and geographical distribution of enterprises as well as the increasing acceptation of eCommerce the application of distributed information systems becomes particular important.

This module teaches concepts and methods for design and application of information systems.

#### Annotation

The course T-WIWI-102759 "Requirements Analysis and Requirements Management" will no longer be offered in the module as of winter semester 2018/2019.

#### Workload

See German version



## 5.51 Module: Digital Accessibility and Assistive Technologies [M-INFO-105882]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Rainer Stiefelhagen **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-111830	Digital Accessibility and Assistive Technologies	3 CR	Stiefelhagen

#### **Competence Goal**

- Die Studierenden erhalten eine Einführung in die Thematik Barrierefreiheit insbesondere die digitale Barrierefreiheit und inklusive Digitalisierung. Mit der Verdeutlichung der gesellschaftlichen Mehrwerte für alle Nutzenden.
- Die Studierenden werden befähigt, die rechtlichen Grundlagen im Bereich "Barrierefreiheit" zu verstehen und anzuwenden, um die Bedürfnisse von Menschen mit Behinderungen zu berücksichtigen.
- Die Studierenden erlangen ein fundiertes Verständnis über Sehschädigungen, einschließlich deren Ursachen und Auswirkungen, um angemessene Lösungen und Unterstützung für Betroffene bereitzustellen.
- Die Studierenden entwickeln Kompetenzen im Umgang mit existierenden Assistiven Technologien (AT) für verschiedene Anwendungsfelder, darunter AT für den Alltag, Mobilitätsunterstützung und Informationszugang. Und sie lernen die zugehörigen Feedback-Mechanismen kennen.
- Die Studierenden erlernen die Umsetzung von Richtlinien für die Entwicklung barrierefreier Webseiten und Softwareanwendungen, um sicherzustellen, dass digitale Inhalte für alle zugänglich sind.
- Die Studierenden erwerben Kenntnisse und Fertigkeiten in der barrierefreien Softwareentwicklung und Dokumentenerstellung, um inklusive Softwareprodukte und Dokumente zu gestalten.
- Die Studierenden werden mit aktuellen Forschungsansätzen im Bereich assistiver Technologien vertraut gemacht, insbesondere in Bezug auf die Nutzung von Methoden des Maschinellen Sehens (Computer Vision) zur Entwicklung innovativer AT-Lösungen.
- Die Studierenden sind in der Lage, Assistive Technologien zu evaluieren und deren Wirksamkeit und Nutzerfreundlichkeit zu bewerten, um sicherzustellen, dass sie den Bedürfnissen der Zielgruppen entsprechen.

#### Content

Digital accessibility is a topic that affects us all. Accessing information digitally, from childhood to old age. Assistive technologies, such as smartphones, tablets, smartwatches, wearables in general have become a part of our everyday life. Exactly these things should be operable and usable by all people. Regardless of any barriers.

But what are the details behind this? What are the rights and foundations for this? What all has to be done to be "barrier-free"?

This can all be best illustrated by the example of "visual impairment".

According to the World Health Organization, there are approximately 285 million people with visual impairments worldwide, including approximately 39 million people who are blind. The partial or complete loss of vision significantly restricts blind and visually impaired people in their working and social lives. It is difficult for blind and visually impaired people to orient themselves and move around in public spaces without assistance. The reasons for this are problems in perceiving obstacles and landmarks as well as the resulting fear of accidents and orientation difficulties. Other problems in everyday life are: reading texts, recognizing banknotes, food, clothes or finding objects in the household.

For support, blind and visually impaired people can already rely on a number of technical aids. For example, digitized texts can be made accessible through speech output or Braille output devices. There are also various devices made specifically for the blind. The most important aid for improving mobility is by far the cane for the blind. In recent years, some electronic aids for obstacle detection or orientation support have also been developed, but these offer only very limited functionality at a relatively high price and are therefore rather rarely in use.

The lecture gives an overview of IT-based Assistive Technologies (AT) by example and includes the following topics:

- Legal basics
- Basics of visual impairments, their causes and effects
- Existing assistive technologies for different fields of application
- AT for information access
- Accessible software development
- Accessible design of websites
- Accessible documents
- Use of machine learning methods
- Feedback systems and their basics
- Insights into current research topics around the topic of digital accessibility

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## 5.52 Module: Digital Marketing [M-WIWI-106258]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ann-Kristin Kupfer

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>2 termsLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory	Mandatory				
T-WIWI-112693	Digital Marketing	4,5 CR	Kupfer		
Supplementary Cou	rses (Election: 4,5 credits)				
T-WIWI-106981	Digital Marketing and Sales in B2B	1,5 CR	Klarmann, Konhäuser		
T-WIWI-111099	Judgement and Decision Making	4,5 CR	Scheibehenne		
T-WIWI-107720	Market Research	4,5 CR	Klarmann		
T-WIWI-112711	Media Management	4,5 CR	Kupfer		
T-WIWI-111848	Online Concepts for Karlsruhe City Retailers	3 CR	Klarmann		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams of the core course and further single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course, weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

### **Competence Goal**

Students

- have an advanced knowledge about central marketing contents
- have a fundamental understanding of the marketing instruments
- know current fundamental principles and latest trends in the field of digital marketing
- know and understand several strategic concepts and how to implement them
- are able to implement their extensive marketing knowledge in a practical context
- are able to critically discuss and question theoretical concepts and current practices in marketing
- have theoretical knowledge that is fundamental for writing a master thesis in the field of marketing
- have gained insight into scientific research that prepares them to independently write a master's thesis
- have the theoretical knowledge and skills necessary to work in or collaborate with the marketing department of a company

#### Content

The aim of this module is to deepen central marketing contents in different areas.

#### Workload

Total effort for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours.

The exact distribution is done according to the credit points of the courses of the module.



## 5.53 Module: Digital Service Systems in Industry [M-WIWI-102808]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Wolf Fichtner

Prof. Dr. Stefan Nickel

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	2 terms	German	4	8

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: 9 credits)				
T-WIWI-102872	Challenges in Supply Chain Management	4,5 CR	Mohr	
T-WIWI-112757	Digital Services: Innovation & Business Models	4,5 CR	Satzger	
T-WIWI-107043	Liberalised Power Markets	5,5 CR	Fichtner	
T-WIWI-106200	Modeling and OR-Software: Advanced Topics	4,5 CR	Nickel	
T-WIWI-106563	Practical Seminar Digital Service Systems	4,5 CR	Satzger	

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4 (2), 1-3 SPO), whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately. The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal

#### **Prerequisites**

This module can only be assigned as an elective module.

#### Competence Goal

Students

- understand the basics of the management of digital services applied on an industrial context
- gain an industry-specific insight into the importance and most relevant characteristics of information systems as key components of the digitalization of business processes, products and services
- are able to transfer and apply the models and methods introduced on practical scenarios and simulations.
- understand the control and optimization methods in the sector of service management and are able to apply them properly.

#### Content

This module aims at deepening the fundamental knowledge of digital service management in the industrial context. Various mechanisms and methods to shape and control connected digital service systems in different industries are discussed and demonstrated with real life application cases.

#### **Annotation**

This module is part of the KSRI teaching profile "Digital Service Systems". Further information on a service-specific profiling is available under www.ksri.kit.edu/teaching

From summer semester 2023, the course Service Innovation will be offered with a revised course concept and content. The focus will be on the closer integration of the topics of service innovation and digitalization. Current foundational content (e.g., on service innovation challenges or human-centered innovation methods) will remain. New content will cover topics such as digital platforms and ecosystems, IoT and smart service innovation, and business models.

#### Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours. The allocation is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.

#### Recommendation

None



## 5.54 Module: Distributed Computing [M-INFO-100761]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Achim Streit

Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

> Part of: **Informatics**

> > Credits

**Grading scale** Grade to a tenth

Recurrence Each winter term Duration 1 term

Language **English** 

Level

Version 1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101298	Distributed Computing	4 CR	Streit

#### Competence Certificate

See partial achivements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achivements (Teilleistung)

#### **Competence Goal**

Students understand the basic concepts of distributed systems, in particular Grid and Cloud Computing as well as the management and analysis of big and distributed data. They apply underlying paradigms and services to given examples. Students analyze methods and technologies of Grid and Cloud Computing as well as distributed data management, which are suitable for use in everyday and industrial application areas or which are used today by Google, Facebook, Amazon, etc. For this purpose, students will compare web/grid services, elementary grid functionalities, data lifecycles, metadata, archiving, cloud service types (IaaS, SaaS, PaaS) and public/private clouds

using real-world examples.

#### Content

The lecture introduces the world of distributed computing with a focus on fundamentals and technologies from Grid and Cloud Computing as well as the handling of Big Data. The lecture combines theory and application with the help of relevant examples from science and industry.

First, an introduction to the main characteristics of distributed systems is given. Then the topic of Grid Computing is discussed in more detail and the close relationship between Grid computing and distributed data management is illustrated using the example of the WLCG, the infrastructure for distributing, storing and analyzing data from the particle accelerator at CERN.

Subsequently, the topic of cloud computing is discussed and compared with the preceding. After the definition of basic terms and concepts, virtualization is introduced as one of the key technologies of Cloud Computing; finally, common architectures, services and components in the Cloud context are discussed using examples and in general.

Next, common methods for authorization and authentication in distributed environments will be discussed. The lecture includes the description of the basics of Authentication and Authorization Infrastructures (AAI) as well as different technologies, for example certificate- or token-based procedures.

In a further block of topics, concepts for the management and analysis of large or distributed data are presented. In this context tools and frameworks, as well as the lifecycle of data, its metadata and data storage are explained.

#### Workload

2 SWS = 120 h per semester

- 30 h in the weekly lecture during the semester
- 90 h post-processing of lectures and self-learning of the content due to its complexity



## 5.55 Module: Econometrics and Statistics I [M-WIWI-101638]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Melanie Schienle

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Statistics)

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	1 term	German/English	4	5

Mandatory					
T-WIWI-111388	Applied Econometrics	4,5 CR	Schienle		
Supplementary Cou	rses (Election: between 4,5 and 5 credits)				
T-WIWI-103064	Financial Econometrics	4,5 CR	Schienle		
T-WIWI-103126	Non- and Semiparametrics	4,5 CR	Schienle		
T-WIWI-103127	Panel Data	4,5 CR	Heller		
T-WIWI-110868	Predictive Modeling	4,5 CR	Krüger		
T-WIWI-111387	Probabilistic Time Series Forecasting Challenge	4,5 CR	Krüger		
T-WIWI-103065	Statistical Modeling of Generalized Regression Models	4,5 CR	Heller		
T-WIWI-110939	Financial Econometrics II	4,5 CR	Schienle		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4(2), 1-3 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The examinations are offered every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

The course "Applied Econometrics" [2520020] is compulsory and must be examined.

#### Competence Goal

The student shows an in depth understanding of advanced Econometric techniques suitable for different types of data.He/She is able to apply his/her theoretical knowledge to real world problems with the help of statistical software and to evaluate performance of different approaches based on statistical criteria.

#### Content

The courses of this module offer students a broad range of advanced Econometric techniques for state-of-the art data analysis.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours.



## 5.56 Module: Econometrics and Statistics II [M-WIWI-101639]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Melanie Schienle

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Statistics)

Credits 9

**Grading scale**Grade to a tenth

Recurrence Each term Duration 1 term **Language** German Level 4 **Version** 5

### **Election notes**

This module will not count towards the degree until the module "Econometrics and Statistics I" has also been successfully completed. If the module "Econometrics and Statistics I" is booked out to the additional examinations, the "Econometrics and Statistics II" module loses its curricular validity/valuation for the degree.

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: at least 1 item)					
T-WIWI-103064	Financial Econometrics	4,5 CR	Schienle		
T-WIWI-110939	Financial Econometrics II	4,5 CR	Schienle		
T-WIWI-103126	Non- and Semiparametrics	4,5 CR	Schienle		
T-WIWI-103127	Panel Data	4,5 CR	Heller		
T-WIWI-110868	Predictive Modeling	4,5 CR	Krüger		
T-WIWI-111387	Probabilistic Time Series Forecasting Challenge	4,5 CR	Krüger		
T-WIWI-103065	Statistical Modeling of Generalized Regression Models	4,5 CR	Heller		
Additional Lectures	(Election: at most 1 item)				
T-WIWI-103124	Multivariate Statistical Methods	4,5 CR	Grothe		
T-WIWI-103128	Portfolio and Asset Liability Management	4,5 CR	Safarian		
T-WIWI-103123	Advanced Statistics	4,5 CR	Grothe		
T-WIWI-103129	Stochastic Calculus and Finance	4,5 CR	Safarian		

#### Competence Certificate

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4(2), 1-3 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The examinations are offered every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

This module can only be passed if the module "Econometrics and Statistics I" has been finished successfully before.

At least one course must be chosen from the compulsory elective programme.

#### **Competence Goal**

The student shows an in depth understanding of advanced Econometric techniques suitable for different types of data. He/She is able to apply his/her theoretical knowledge to real world problems with the help of statistical software and to evaluate performance of different approaches based on statistical criteria.

#### Content

This modula builds on prerequisites acquired in Module "Econometrics and Statistics I". The courses of this module offer students a broad range of advanced Econometric techniques for state-of-the art data analysis.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours.



## 5.57 Module: Economic Theory and its Application in Finance [M-WIWI-101502]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Kay Mitusch

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Economics)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>6

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: 1 item)					
T-WIWI-102609	Advanced Topics in Economic Theory	4,5 CR	Mitusch		
T-WIWI-102861	Advanced Game Theory	4,5 CR	Ehrhart, Puppe, Reiß		
Supplementary Cou	rses (Election: )				
T-WIWI-113469	Advanced Corporate Finance	4,5 CR	Ruckes		
T-WIWI-102647	Asset Pricing	4,5 CR	Ruckes, Uhrig- Homburg		
T-WIWI-109050	Corporate Risk Management	4,5 CR	Ruckes		
T-WIWI-102623	Financial Intermediation	4,5 CR	Ruckes		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4(2), 1 or 2 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The exams are offered at the beginning of the recess period about the subject matter of the latest held lecture. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately. The overall grade for the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### Prerequisites

One of the courses T-WIWI-102861 "Advanced Game Theory" and T-WIWI-102609 "Advanced Topics in Economic Theory" is compulsary.

#### **Competence Goal**

The students

- have learnt the methods of formal economic modeling, particularly of General Equilibrium Theory and contract theory
- will be able to apply these methods to the topics in Finance, specifically the areas of financial markets and institutions and corporate finance
- have gained many useful insights into the relationship between firms and investors and the functioning of financial markets

#### Content

The mandatory course "Advanced Topics in Economic Theory" is devoted in equal parts to General Equilibrium Theory and to contract theory. The course "Asset Pricing" will apply techniques of General Equilibrium Theory to valuation of financial assets. The courses "Corporate Financial Policy" and "Finanzintermediation" will apply the techniques of contract theory to issues of corporate finance and financial institutions.

#### Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours

The exact distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.



## 5.58 Module: eEnergy: Markets, Services and Systems [M-WIWI-103720]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>3

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: at least 9 credits)					
T-WIWI-107501	Energy Market Engineering	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		
T-WIWI-107503	Energy Networks and Regulation	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		
T-WIWI-107504	Smart Grid Applications	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		
T-WIWI-113726	Special Topics in Information Systems	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4 (2), 1-3 SPO) of single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately. The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### **Competence Goal**

The student

- is aware of design options for energy and especially electricity markets and can derive implications for the market results from the market design,
- knows about current trends regarding the Smart Grid and understands affiliated modelling aproaches,
- · can evaluate business models of electricity grids according to the regulation regime
- is prepared for scientific contributions in the field of energy system analysis.

#### Content

The module conveys scientific and practical knowledge to analyse energy markets and according business models. To do so the scientific discussion on energy market designs is evaluated and analysed. Different energy market models are presented and their design implications are evaluated. Furthermore, the electricity system is analysed with regards to being a network industry and resulting regulation and business models are discussed. Besides these traditional areas of energy economics we will look at methods and models of digitalisation in the energy sector.

#### Annotation

The lecture Smart Grid Applications will be available starting in the winter term 2018/19.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approx. 270 hours (9 CP). The allocation is based on the credit points of the courses in the module. The workload for courses with 4.5 CP is approx. 135 hours.

The total number of hours per course results from the time required to attend the lectures and exercises, as well as the examination times and the time required to achieve the qualification objectives of the module for an average student for an average performance.



## 5.59 Module: Electronic Markets [M-WIWI-101409]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Andreas Geyer-Schulz

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	2 terms	German/English	4	9

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: at least 9 credits)					
T-WIWI-102762	Business Dynamics	4,5 CR	Geyer-Schulz, Glenn		
T-WIWI-112823	Platform & Market Engineering: Commerce, Media, and Digital Democracy	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		
T-WIWI-105946	Price Management	4,5 CR	Geyer-Schulz, Glenn		
T-WIWI-113147	Telecommunications and Internet – Economics and Policy	4,5 CR	Mitusch		

#### Competence Certificate

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4(2) of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module seperately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Competence Goal

The student

- knows coordination and motivation methods and analyzes them regarding their efficiency,
- classifies markets and describes the roles of the participants in a formal way,
- knows the conditions for market failure and knows and develops countermeasures,
- knows institutions and market mechanisms, their fundamental theories and empirical research results,
- knows the design criteria of market mechanisms and a systematical approach for creating new markets,
- models, analyzes and optimizes the structure and dynamics of complex business applications.

#### Content

What are the conditions that make electronic markets develop, and how can one analyze and optimize such markets?

In this module, the selection of the type of organization as an optimization of transaction costs is treated. Afterwards, the efficiency of electronic markets (price, information and allocation efficiency) as well as reasons for market failure are described. Finally, motivational issues like bounded rationality and information asymmetries (private information and moral hazard), as well as the development of incentive schemes, are presented. Regarding the market design, especially the interdependencies of market organization, market mechanisms, institutions and products are described, and theoretical foundations are lectured.

Electronic markets are dynamic systems that are characterized by feedback loops between many different variables. By means of the tools of business dynamics, such markets can be modelled. Simulations of complex systems allow the analysis and optimization of markets, business processes, policies, and organizations.

#### Topics include

- · classification, analysis, and design of markets
- simulation of markets
- auction methods and auction theory
- automated negotiations
- nonlinear pricing
- continuous double auctions
- market-maker, regulation, control

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approx. 270 hours (9 credits). The distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module. The workload for courses with 4.5 credits is approx. 135 hours.

The total number of hours per course is calculated from the time required to attend the lectures and exercises, as well as the examination times and the time required for an average student to achieve the learning objectives of the module for an average performance.

#### Recommendation

None



## 5.60 Module: Empirical Software Engineering [M-INFO-100798]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ralf Reussner

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits Grading scale
4 Grade to a tenth

**Recurrence**Each winter term

Duration 1 term **Language** German Level 4 Version 1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101335	Empirical Software Engineering	4 CR	Gerking



## 5.61 Module: Energy Economics and Energy Markets [M-WIWI-101451]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Wolf Fichtner

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion9Grade to a tenthEach term1 termGerman/English48

Mandatory					
T-WIWI-107043	Liberalised Power Markets	5,5 CR	Fichtner		
Supplementary Cou	rses (Election: )				
T-WIWI-107501	Energy Market Engineering	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		
T-WIWI-112151	Energy Trading and Risk Management	3,5 CR	N.N.		
T-WIWI-108016	Simulation Game in Energy Economics	3,5 CR	Genoese		
T-WIWI-107446	Quantitative Methods in Energy Economics	3,5 CR	Plötz		
T-WIWI-102712	Regulation Theory and Practice	4,5 CR	Mitusch		

#### Competence Certificate

The assessment is carried out as partial written exams (according to Section 4(2), 1 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The examinations take place every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module seperately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

### **Prerequisites**

The lecture Liberalised Power Markets has to be examined.

#### Competence Goal

The student

- gains detailed knowledge about the new requirements of liberalised energy markets,
- describes the planning tasks on the different energy markets,
- knows solution approaches to respective planning tasks.

#### Content

Liberalised Power Markets: The European liberalisation process, energy markets, pricing, market failure, investment incentives, market power

Energy Trade and Risk Management: trade centres, trade products, market mechanisms, position and risk management Simulation Game in Energy Economics: Simulation of the German electricity system

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approx. 270 hours (9 credits). The allocation is based on the credit points of the courses in the module. The workload for courses with 3.5 credits is approx. 105 hours, for courses with 5.5 credits approx. 165 hours.

The total number of hours per course is calculated from the time required to attend the lectures and exercises, as well as the examination times and the time required for an average student to achieve the learning objectives of the module for an average performance.

#### Recommendation

The courses are conceived in a way that they can be attended independently from each other. Therefore, it is possible to start the module in winter and summer term.



## 5.62 Module: Energy Economics and Technology [M-WIWI-101452]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Wolf Fichtner

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion9Grade to a tenthEach term1 termGerman/English45

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: at least 9 credits)					
T-WIWI-102793	Efficient Energy Systems and Electric Mobility	3,5 CR	Jochem		
T-WIWI-102650	Energy and Environment	3,5 CR	Karl		
T-WIWI-113073	Machine Learning and Optimization in Energy Systems	3,5 CR	Fichtner		
T-WIWI-107464	Smart Energy Infrastructure	5,5 CR	Ardone, Pustisek		
T-WIWI-102695	Heat Economy	3,5 CR	Fichtner		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial written exams (according to Section 4(2), 1 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The examinations take place every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module seperately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

### **Competence Goal**

The student

- gains detailed knowledge about present and future energy supply technologies (focus on final energy carriers electricity and heat),
- knows the techno-economic characteristics of plants for energy provision, for energy transport as well as for energy distribution and demand,
- is able to assess the environmental impact of these technologies.

#### Content

Heat Economy: district heating, heating technologies, reduction of heat demand, statutory provisions

Energy Systems Analysis: Interdependencies in energy economics, energy systems modelling approaches in energy economics Energy and Environment: emission factors, emission reduction measures, environmental impact

Efficient Energy Systems and Electric Mobility: concepts and current trends in energy efficiency, Overview of and economical, ecological and social impacts through electric mobility

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approx. 270 hours (9 credits). The allocation is based on the credit points of the courses in the module. The workload for courses with 3,5 credits is approx. 105 hours, and for courses with 5,5 credits approx. 165 hours.

The total number of hours per course is calculated from the time required to attend the lectures and exercises, as well as the examination times and the time required for an average student to achieve the learning objectives of the module for an average performance.



## 5.63 Module: Energy Informatics [M-INFO-106864]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Veit Hagenmeyer **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
10	Grade to a tenth	Each winter term	2 terms	German/English	3	1

Mandatory					
T-INFO-103582	Energy Informatics 1	5 CR	Hagenmeyer		
T-INFO-110356	Energy Informatics 1 - Preliminary Work	0 CR	Hagenmeyer		
T-INFO-106059	Energy Informatics 2	5 CR	Hagenmeyer		



## 5.64 Module: Engineering Self-Adaptive Systems [M-INFO-106626]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Raffaela Mirandola **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits 3

**Grading scale**Grade to a tenth

**Recurrence**Each winter term

Duration 1 term **Language** English Level 4 Version 1

Mandatory
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T-INFO-113349 Engineering Self-Adaptive Systems 3 CR Mirandola

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Competence Goal**

- Understand the motivation for self-adaptation
- Get familiar with the basic principles and conceptual model of self-adaptation
- Understand how to engineer self-adaptive software systems from a software engineering perspective
- Understand the decision-making process using formal analysis at runtime for quality assurance
- Understand the notion of uncertainty in self-adaptive systems and how to tame it with formal verification at runtime
- Understand the level of adoption of self-adaptive systems in industry.

#### Content

Self-adaptation is an important field of research and engineering that aims to address the challenging problem of how to engineer software systems that have to deal with uncertainties that can only be resolved at run time.

The course presents the basic principles of self-adaptation and introduces a conceptual feedback loop model of a self-adaptive system. It introduces quality models which can be used to estimate quality properties at runtime by a self-adaptive system to provide guarantees for the quality goals. The role played by the different types of uncertainties is then explored analyzing different possible approaches.

#### Workload

Course workload:

30h in Class (lectures)

45h self-study during the semester

15h preparation for the exam



## 5.65 Module: Entrepreneurship (EnTechnon) [M-WIWI-101488]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Orestis Terzidis

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion9Grade to a tenthEach term2 termsGerman/English414

Mandatory part (Election: 1 item)				
T-WIWI-102864	Entrepreneurship	3 CR	Terzidis	
Compulsory Elective	Courses (Election: between 1 and 2 items)			
T-WIWI-102866	Design Thinking	3 CR	Terzidis	
T-WIWI-113151	Entrepreneurship Seasonal School	3 CR	Terzidis	
T-WIWI-102865	Business Planning	3 CR	Terzidis	
T-WIWI-110985	International Business Development and Sales	6 CR	Casenave , Klarmann, Terzidis	
T-WIWI-109064	Joint Entrepreneurship Summer School	6 CR	Terzidis	
T-WIWI-111561	Startup Experience	6 CR	Terzidis	
Supplementary Cou	rses (Election: between 0 and 1 items)			
T-WIWI-102894	Entrepreneurship Research	3 CR	Terzidis	
T-MACH-112882	Innovation2Business – Innovation Strategy in the Industrial Corporate Practice	4 CR	Albers	
T-WIWI-102852	Case Studies Seminar: Innovation Management	3 CR	Weissenberger-Eibl	
T-WIWI-102893	Innovation Management: Concepts, Strategies and Methods	3 CR	Weissenberger-Eibl	
T-WIWI-102612	Managing New Technologies	3 CR	Reiß	

#### **Competence Certificate**

The module examination takes place in the form of partial examinations (according to §4, 1-3 SPO) on

- 1. the Entrepreneurship lecture (3 CP),
- 2. one of the seminars of the Chair of Entrepreneurship and Technology Management (3 CP or 6 CP) and, if applicable
- 3. another course listed in the module.

#### The seminars of the chair are

- Startup Experience
- Design Thinking
- Business planning for founders
- Entrepreneurship research (this can be credited mainly in the seminar module, but also in the entrepreneurship module)
- Joint Entrepreneurship School
- Entrepreneurship Seasonal School
- International Business Development and Sales
- Founding in the field of IT security
- Entrepreneurial Leadership & Innovation Management

The latter five seminars take place irregularly, as they are offered as part of projects.

The assessment of success is described for each course in the module. For courses with 3 CP in the compulsory elective and supplementary courses, 1/2 of the overall grade results from the entrepreneurship lecture, 1/4 from one of the chair's seminars with 3 CP and 1/4 from another course with 3 CP permitted in the module. If a course with 6 CP is selected in the compulsory elective or supplementary offer, this is included in the overall grade with a weighting of 1/2. The overall grade is cut off after the first decimal place.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Competence Goal

Students are familiar with the basics and contents of entrepreneurship and ideally are able to start a company during or after their studies. The courses are therefore structured sequentially in modules, although in principle they can also be attended in parallel. In this way, the skills are taught to generate business ideas, to develop inventions into innovations, to write business plans for startups and to successfully establish a company. In the lecture, the basics of entrepreneurship will be developed, in the seminars, individual contents will be deepened. The overall learning objective is to enable students to develop and implement business ideas.

#### Content

The lectures form the basis of the module and give an overview of the overall topic. The seminars deepen the phases of the foundation processes, in particular the identification of opportunities, the development of a value proposition (especially based on inventions and technical innovations), the design of a business model, business planning, the management of a start-up, the implementation of a vision as well as the acquisition on resources and the handling of risks. The lecture Entrepreneurship provides an overarching and connecting framework for this.

#### **Annotation**

Please note: Seminars offered by Prof. Terzidis (or the members of his research group) are not eligible for crediting in a seminar module of the WiWi degree programs. Exception: Seminar "Entrepreneurship Research".

#### Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours

The exact distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.

#### Recommendation

None



## 5.66 Module: Environmental Economics [M-WIWI-101468]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Kay Mitusch

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Economics)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>2

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: at least 9 credits)						
T-WIWI-102650	Energy and Environment	3,5 CR	Karl			
T-WIWI-100007	Transport Economics	4,5 CR	Mitusch, Szimba			
T-WIWI-102615	Environmental Economics and Sustainability	3 CR	Walz			
T-WIWI-102616	Environmental and Resource Policy	4 CR	Walz			
T-BGU-111102	Environmental Law	3 CR	Smeddinck			

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4(2), 1 or 2 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The exams are offered at the beginning of the recess period about the subject matter of the latest held lecture. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module seperately.

The overall grade for the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

### **Competence Goal**

The students

- understand the treatment of non-market resources as well as future resource shortages
- are able to model markets of energy and environmental goods
- are able to assess the results of government intervention
- know legal basics and are able to evaluate conflicts with regard to legal situation

#### Content

Environmental degradation and increasing resource use are global challenges, which have to be tackled on a worldwide level. The module addresses these challenges from the perspective of economics, and imparts the fundamental knowledge of environmental and sustainability economics, and environmental and resource policy to the students. Additional courses address environmental law, environmental pressure, and applications to the transport sector.

#### Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours

The exact distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.

#### Recommendation

Knowledge of microeconomics is a prerequisite. For this reason, successful participation in the course *Economics I (Microeconomics)* [2600012] or a comparable course is strongly recommended.



## 5.67 Module: Experimental Economics [M-WIWI-101505]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Johannes Philipp Reiß

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Economics)

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	2 terms	German/English	4	5

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: 2 items)					
T-WIWI-102614	Experimental Economics	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		
T-WIWI-105781	Incentives in Organizations	4,5 CR	Nieken		
T-WIWI-102862	Predictive Mechanism and Market Design	4,5 CR	Reiß		
T-WIWI-102863	Topics in Experimental Economics	4,5 CR	Reiß		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4 (2), 1-3 SPO) of the core course and further single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Competence Goal

Students

- are acquainted with the methods of Experimental Economics along with its strengths and weaknesses;
- understand how theory-guided research in Experimental Economics interacts with the development of theory;
- are provided with foundations in data analysis;
- design an economic experiment and analyze its outcome.

#### Content

The module Experimental Economics offers an introduction into the methods and topics of Experimental Economics. It also fosters and extends knowledge in theory-guided experimental economics and its interaction with theory development. Throughout the module, readings of selected papers are required.

#### **Annotation**

The course "Predictive Mechanism and Market Design" is offered every second winter semester, e.g. WS2013 / 14, WS2015 / 16, ...

#### Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours

The exact distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge in mathematics, statistics, and game theory is assumed.



## 5.68 Module: Explainable Artificial Intelligence [M-INFO-106302]

**Responsible:** TT-Prof. Dr. Rudolf Lioutikov **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-112774	Explainable Artificial Intelligence	3 CR	Lioutikov

#### Competence Certificate

See Partial Achievements (Teilleistung).

#### **Competence Goal**

- Students are able to understand problems and challenges of XAI
- Students can identify and differentiate different types and approaches of XAI
- Students can implement various XAI approaches
- Students understand current research questions and directions of XAI

#### Content

Recent advances in Machine Learning and Deep Learning in particular have lead to the imminent introduction of AI agents into a wide variety of applications. However, the apparent "black-box" nature of these approaches hinders their application in both critical systems and close human-robot interactions. The sub-field of eXplainable Artificial Intelligence (XAI) aims to address this shortcoming. This lecture will introduce and discuss various concepts and methods of XAI and consider them from perspective of Robot Learning and Human-Robot Interaction.

The lecture will start with a (brief) introduction into relevant deep learning approaches, before discussing interpretable scene, task and behavior representations. Afterward the lecture will consider itself with Data-Driven and Goal-Driven AI. Finally, first approaches that incorporate XAI and XAI-based human feedback directly into the learning process itself will be discussed. An exemplary list of topics is given below:

- Introduction to XAI
- Interpretable Machine Learning vs Explainable Machine Learning
- Primer / Introduction to relevant Deep Learning Concepts
- MLPs and CNNs
- Graph Neural Networks
- Transformers
- Diffusion Models
- Score Based Methods
- Interpretable Structures
- Scene Representations
- Task Representations
- Behavior Representations
- Data-Driven Explainable AI: XAI Methods for
- Shapley Values
- Saliency Maps
- Concept Activation Vectors
- Linguistic Neuron Annotation
- Goal-Driven Explainable AI: XAI Methods for
- Generative Explaining Models
- Behavior Verbalization
- Behavior Visualization
- Interactive Learning
- Integrating Human Feedback
- Explanatory Interactive Learning

#### Workload

Arbeitsaufwand = 90h = 3 ECTS

- ca 30h Vorlesungsbesuch
- ca 30h Nachbearbeitung
- ca 30h Prüfungsvorbereitung

#### Recommendation

- Experience in Machine Learning is recommended, e.g. through prior coursework.
- $\circ$  The Computer Science Department offers several great lectures e.g., "Maschinelles Lernen Grundlagen und Algorithmen" and "Deep Learning"
- A good mathematical background will be beneficial
- Python / PyTorch experience could be beneficial when we discuss practical examples/implementations.



## 5.69 Module: Finance 1 [M-WIWI-101482]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martin Ruckes

Prof. Dr. Marliese Uhrig-Homburg

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	1 term	German/English	4	1

Compulsory Elective	Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: 9 credits)					
T-WIWI-102643	Derivatives	4,5 CR	Uhrig-Homburg			
T-WIWI-102621	Valuation	4,5 CR	Ruckes			
T-WIWI-102647	Asset Pricing	4,5 CR	Ruckes, Uhrig- Homburg			

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4(2), 1 or 2 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module seperately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal

#### **Prerequisites**

None

### **Competence Goal**

The student

- has core skills in economics and methodology in the field of finance
- assesses corporate investment projects from a financial perspective
- is able to make appropriate investment decisions on financial markets

#### Content

The courses of this module equip the students with core skills in economics and methodology in the field of modern finance. Securities which are traded on financial and derivative markets are presented, and frequently applied trading strategies are discussed. A further focus of this module is on the assessment of both profits and risks in security portfolios and corporate investment projects from a financial perspective.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approx. 270 hours (9 credits). The distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module. The workload for courses with 4.5 credits is approx. 135 hours.

The total number of hours per course is calculated from the time required to attend the lectures and exercises, as well as the examination times and the time required for an average student to achieve the learning objectives of the module for an average performance.



## 5.70 Module: Finance 2 [M-WIWI-101483]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martin Ruckes

Prof. Dr. Marliese Uhrig-Homburg

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits 9

**Grading scale**Grade to a tenth

Recurrence Each term **Duration** 1 term

**Language** German/English Level 4 Version 10

#### **Election notes**

This module will not count towards the degree until the module *Finance* 1 has also been successfully completed. If the module Finance 1 is booked out to the additional examinations, the *Finance* 2 module loses its curricular validity/valuation for the degree.

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: at least 9 credits)					
T-WIWI-113469	Advanced Corporate Finance	4,5 CR	Ruckes		
T-WIWI-110513	Advanced Empirical Asset Pricing	4,5 CR	Thimme		
T-WIWI-102647	Asset Pricing	4,5 CR	Ruckes, Uhrig- Homburg		
T-WIWI-110995	Bond Markets	4,5 CR	Uhrig-Homburg		
T-WIWI-110997	Bond Markets - Models & Derivatives	3 CR	Uhrig-Homburg		
T-WIWI-110996	Bond Markets - Tools & Applications	1,5 CR	Uhrig-Homburg		
T-WIWI-109050	Corporate Risk Management	4,5 CR	Ruckes		
T-WIWI-102643	Derivatives	4,5 CR	Uhrig-Homburg		
T-WIWI-110797	eFinance: Information Systems for Securities Trading	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		
T-WIWI-102900	Financial Analysis	4,5 CR	Luedecke		
T-WIWI-102623	Financial Intermediation	4,5 CR	Ruckes		
T-WIWI-102646	International Finance	3 CR	Uhrig-Homburg		
T-WIWI-102621	Valuation	4,5 CR	Ruckes		

## Competence Certificate

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4(2), 1 or 2 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module seperately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

### **Prerequisites**

It is only possible to choose this module in combination with the module *Finance 1*. The module is passed only after the final partial exam of *Finance 1* is additionally passed.

### **Competence Goal**

The student is in a position to discuss, analyze and provide answers to advanced economic and methodological issues in the field of modern finance.

#### Content

The module Finance 2 is based on the module Finance 1. The courses of this module equip the students with advanced skills in economics and methodology in the field of modern finance on a broad basis.

#### **Annotation**

The courses eFinance: Information Engineering and Management for Securities Trading [2540454] and Financial Analysis [2530205] can be chosen from summer term 2015 on.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours. For further information see German version.



## 5.71 Module: Finance 3 [M-WIWI-101480]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martin Ruckes

Prof. Dr. Marliese Uhrig-Homburg

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits 9

**Grading scale**Grade to a tenth

Recurrence Each term Duration 1 term **Language** German/English

Level 4 Version 10

#### Flection notes

This module will not count towards the degree until the modules *Finance 1* and *Finance 2* have also been successfully completed. If the modules *Finance 1* and/or *Finance 2* are booked out to the additional examinations, the *Finance 3* module loses its curricular validity/valuation for the degree.

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: at least 9 credits)					
T-WIWI-113469	Advanced Corporate Finance	4,5 CR	Ruckes		
T-WIWI-110513	Advanced Empirical Asset Pricing	4,5 CR	Thimme		
T-WIWI-102647	Asset Pricing	4,5 CR	Ruckes, Uhrig- Homburg		
T-WIWI-110995	Bond Markets	4,5 CR	Uhrig-Homburg		
T-WIWI-110997	Bond Markets - Models & Derivatives	3 CR	Uhrig-Homburg		
T-WIWI-110996	Bond Markets - Tools & Applications	1,5 CR	Uhrig-Homburg		
T-WIWI-109050	Corporate Risk Management	4,5 CR	Ruckes		
T-WIWI-102643	Derivatives	4,5 CR	Uhrig-Homburg		
T-WIWI-110797	eFinance: Information Systems for Securities Trading	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		
T-WIWI-102900	Financial Analysis	4,5 CR	Luedecke		
T-WIWI-102623	Financial Intermediation	4,5 CR	Ruckes		
T-WIWI-102646	International Finance	3 CR	Uhrig-Homburg		
T-WIWI-102621	Valuation	4,5 CR	Ruckes		
T-WIWI-110933	Web App Programming for Finance	4,5 CR	Thimme		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4(2), 1 or 2 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module seperately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

It is only possible to choose this module in combination with the module Finance 1 and Finance 2. The module is passed only after the final partial exams of Finance 1 and Finance 2 are additionally passed.

#### **Competence Goal**

The student is in a position to discuss, analyze and provide answers to advanced economic and methodological issues in the field of modern finance.

#### Content

The courses of this module equip the students with advanced skills in economics and methodology in the field of modern finance on a broad basis.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours. For further information see German version.



## 5.72 Module: Formal Systems [M-INFO-100799]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Bernhard Beckert **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDuration6Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 term

**Duration** Language 1 term German

Level 4 Version 1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101336	Formal Systems	6 CR	Beckert



## 5.73 Module: Formal Systems II: Application [M-INFO-100744]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Bernhard Beckert

Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101281	Formal Systems II: Application	5 CR	Beckert



## 5.74 Module: Formal Systems II: Theory [M-INFO-100841]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Bernhard Beckert

Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101378	Formal Systems II: Theory	5 CR	Beckert



# 5.75 Module: Foundations for Advanced Financial -Quant and -Machine Learning Research [M-WIWI-105894]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Maxim Ulrich

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits 9

**Grading scale**Grade to a tenth

Recurrence see Annotations

Duration 1 term **Language** English Level 4

Version 1

Mandatory

T-WIWI-111846 | Fundamentals for Financial - Quant and - Machine Learning Research | 9

9 CR Ulrich

**Competence Certificate** 

Due to the professor's research sabbatical, the BSc module "Financial Data Science" and MSc module "Foundations for Advanced Financial -Quant and -Machine Learning Research" and the MSc module "Advanced Machine Learning and Data Science" along with the respective examinations will not be offered in SS2023. Bachelor and Master thesis projects are not affected and will be supervised.

The module examination is an alternative exam assessment with a maximum score of 100 points to be achieved. These points are distributed over 4 worksheets to be submitted during the semester. The worksheets cover the respective material of the module and are handed out, worked on and assessed in lecture weeks 3 (10 points), 6 (20 points), 9 (30 points) and 12 (40 points).

The module-wide exam (all 4 worksheets) must be taken in the same semester.

The worksheets are a mixture of analytical tasks and programming tasks with financial data.

# **Competence Goal**

This MSc module teaches students fundamental stats and analytics concepts, as well necessary financial economic intuition, necessary to identify, design and execute interesting research questions in quant finance and financial machine learning. Topics include: Maximum Likelihood learning of arma-garch models, expectation maximization learning applied to stochastic volatility and valuation models, Kalman filter techniques to learn latent states, estimation of affine jump diffusion models with options and higher-order moments, stochastic calculus, dynamic modeling of asset markets (bond, equity, options), equilibrium determination of risk premiums, risk premiums for higher moment risk, risk decomposition (fundamental vs idiosyncratic), option-implied return distributions, mixture-density-networks and neural nets.

# Content

Learning Objectives: Skills and understanding of how to successfully set-up, execute and interpret financial data driven research with the following methods: MLE, Kalman Filter, Expectation Maximization, Option Pricing, dynamic asset pricing theory, backward-looking historical return densities, forward-looking options-implied return densities, mixture-density-network, neural networks. Programming is not taught in this course, yet, some graded and non-graded exercises might make heavy use of software based data analysis. See the course's pre-requisites and comments in the modul handbook.

# **Annotation**

- Strongly recommended to have good knowledge in financial econometrics (MLE, OLS, GLS, ARMA-GARCH), mathematics (differential equations, difference equations and optimization), investments (CAPM, factor models), asset pricing (SDF, SDF pricing), derivatives (Black-Scholes, risk-neutral pricing), and programming of statistical concepts (Java or R or Python or Matlab or C or ...)
- Strongly recommended to have a strong interest for interdisciplinary research work in statistics, programming, applied
  math and financial economics.
- Students lacking the prior knowledge might find the resources of the Chair helpful: www.youtube.com/c/cram-kit.

# Workload

The total workload for this course is approximately 270 hours. This is for a student with the appropriate prior knowledge in financial econometrics, finance, mathematics and programming. Students without programming experience of statistical concepts will need to invest extra time. Students who have struggled in math- or programming- or finance- oriented classes, will find this course very challenging. Please check the pre-requisites and comments in the module handbook.



# 5.76 Module: Fuzzy Sets [M-INFO-100839]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Uwe Hanebeck **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101376	Fuzzy Sets	6 CR	Hanebeck



Organisation:

# $5.77\,Module: Graph\,Partitioning\,and\,Graph\,Clustering\,in\,Theory\,and\,Practice\,[M-INFO-100758]$

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

Dr. rer. nat. Torsten Ueckerdt KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
5	Grade to a tenth	Each summer term	1 term	German	4	2

Mandatory				
T-INFO-101295	Graph Partitioning and Graph Clustering in Theory and Practice	4 CR	Sanders, Ueckerdt	
T-INFO-110999	Graph Partitioning and Graph Clustering in Theory and Practice - Practical	1 CR	Sanders, Ueckerdt	



# 5.78 Module: Growth and Agglomeration [M-WIWI-101496]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ingrid Ott

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Economics)

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	1 term	German/English	4	5

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: 9 credits)				
T-WIWI-109194	Dynamic Macroeconomics	4,5 CR	Brumm	
T-WIWI-112816	Growth and Development	4,5 CR	Ott	
T-WIWI-103107	Spatial Economics	4,5 CR	Ott	

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial written exams (see the lectures descriptions).

The overall grade for the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits.

## **Prerequisites**

None

## **Competence Goal**

The student

- gains deepened knowledge of micro-based general equilibrium models
- understands how based on individual optimizing decisions aggregate phenomena like economic growth or agglomeration (cities / metropolises) result
- is able to understand and evaluate the contribution of these phenomena to the development of economic trends
- can derive policy recommendations based on theory

# Content

The module includes the contents of the lectures *Endogenous Growth Theory, Spatial Economics* and *Dynamic Macroeconomics*. While the first lecture focuses on dynamic programming in modern macroeconomics, the other two lectures are more formal and analytical.

The common underlying principle of all three lectures in this module is that, based on different theoretical models, economic policy recommendations are derived.

# Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours

The exact distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.

# Recommendation

Attendance of the course Introduction Economic Policy [2560280] is recommended.

Successful completion of the courses Economics 1: Microeconomics and Economics II: Macroeconomics is required.



# 5.79 Module: Hands-on Bioinformatics Practical [M-INFO-101573]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Alexandros Stamatakis **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthIrregular1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-103009	Hands-on Bioinformatics Practical	3 CR	Stamatakis



# 5.80 Module: Heterogeneous Parallel Computing Systems [M-INFO-100822]

 $\textbf{Responsible:} \qquad \mathsf{Prof.}\,\mathsf{Dr.}\,\mathsf{Wolfgang}\,\mathsf{Karl}$ 

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits G

**Grading scale**Grade to a tenth

Recurrence Each winter term Duration 1 term **Language** German Level 4 Version 1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101359	Heterogeneous Parallel Computing Systems	3 CR	Karl



# 5.81 Module: Human Brain and Central Nervous System: Anatomy, Information Transfer, Signal Processing, Neurophysiology and Therapy [M-INFO-100725]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Tamim Asfour
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory				
T-INFO-101262	Human Brain and Central Nervous System: Anatomy, Information Transfer, Signal Processing, Neurophysiology and Therapy	3 CR	Asfour, Spetzger	



# 5.82 Module: Human Computer Interaction [M-INFO-100729]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Michael Beigl
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory				
T-INFO-101266	Human-Machine-Interaction	6 CR	Beigl	
T-INFO-106257	Human-Machine-Interaction Pass	0 CR	Beigl	



# 5.83 Module: Human Factors in Security and Privacy [M-WIWI-104520]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Melanie Volkamer

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Informatics

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	2 terms	German	4	2

Mandatory				
T-WIWI-109270	Human Factors in Security and Privacy	4,5 CR	Volkamer	
T-WIWI-108439	Advanced Lab Security, Usability and Society	4,5 CR	Volkamer	

# **Competence Certificate**

The module examination is carried out in the form of partial examinations on the selected courses of the module, with which the minimum requirement at creditpoints is fulfilled. The learning control is described in each course. The overall score of the module is made up of the sub-scores weighted with creditpoints and is cut off after the first comma point.

# **Prerequisites**

None

# **Competence Goal**

Students...

- know why many existing security and privacy mechanisms are not usable and why many awareness/education/training approaches are not effective
- can explain for concrete examples why these are not usable / not effective including why people are likely to face problems
  with these
- can explain what mental models are, why they are important and how they can be identified
- know how to conduct a cognitive walkthrough to identify problems with existing mechanisms and approaches
- know how to conduct semi-structured interviews
- · know how user studies in the security context differ from those conducted in other contexts
- can explain the process of human centered security / privacy by design
- know the advantages and disadvantages of various graphical password schemes
- know concepts such as just in time and place security interventions

#### Content

The history of information security and privacy has taught us that it takes more than technological innovation to develop effective security and privacy mechanisms: Many aspects of information security and privacy actually depend on both technical and human factors. As a result of focusing on the technical factors, we are seeing a persistent gap between theoretical security and actual security in real world which becomes an increasing problem in the age of digitalization. The gap is mainly caused by strong and actually unrealistic assumptions regarding the users' knowledge and behavior.

Human factors in security and privacy research addresses several types of security and privacy mechanisms, e.g., authentication mechanisms including text and graphical passwords, security and privacy indicators (such as the icons in the address bar of nowadays web browsers) and security and privacy interventions like warning messages, permission dialogs and security and privacy policies as well as corresponding configuration interfaces. Besides security and privacy mechanisms, human factors in security and privacy researchers deal with security and privacy awareness, education, and training approaches.

'Human factors in security & privacy' research areas are:

- identifying users' mental models using techniques such as (semi-)structured interviews or focus groups,
- evaluating existing approaches regarding their effectiveness in supporting their users in making secure decisions / informed decisions in the context of privacy using techniques such as cognitive walkthroughs, lab user studies or even field studies
- proposing improved / new approaches and evaluating their effectiveness using the so called human-centered security / privacy by design approach.

This module discusses the various problems of existing security and privacy mechanisms and security and privacy awareness/ education/training approaches. The lecture addresses relevant psychological and sociological aspects which are important to know and to consider when developing more usable security/privacy mechanisms and more effective awareness/education/training approaches. The human centered security and privacy by design approach is introduced. Furthermore, some of the methodologies used in this area are explained and a subset of them is applied. Finally, positive examples, such as graphical passwords, are introduced and discussed. Note, the main part of the exercise is replicating an interview based study. The main focus of the lab will be to replicate a quantitative based user study.

#### Annotation

This new module can be chosen from winter term 2018/2019.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours.



# 5.84 Module: Human-Machine-Interaction in Anthropomatics: Basics [M-INFO-100824]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jürgen Beyerer **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory				
T-INFO-101361	Human-Machine-Interaction in Anthropomatics: Basics	3 CR	Beyerer, van de Camp	



# 5.85 Module: Humanoid Robotics Laboratory [M-INFO-105792]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Tamim Asfour **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>2

Mandatory			
T-INFO-111590	Humanoid Robotics Laboratory	6 CR	Asfour

# **Competence Goal**

- Students will be able to independently understand, structure, analyze, and solve a complex humanoid robotics problem using existing programming skills, alone or in a small team.
- Students can convey complex technical content in a presentation.

# Content

In this practical course, a is worked on alone or in small teams with up to 3 students. Questions of humanoid robotics are dealt with, such as semantic scene interpretation, active perception, planning of grasping and manipulation tasks, action representation with motion primitives, and programming by demonstration.

The project work (alone or in groups) is performed largely independently but supported by scientific staff of the H2T. At the end of the practical course, the work has to be documented and presented in a scientific talk.

#### Annotation

- Internship dates are always by arrangement with the supervising staff member.
- An extension work of the topic as a master thesis is possible in principle.
- The number of participants in this practical course is generally **limited** and varies with the number of available research projects at the institute.

# Workload

Practical course with 4 SWS, 6 LP.

6 LP corresponds to ca. 180 hours, thereof

ca. 10h Attendance time in project discussion meetings

ca. 10h Preparation and follow-up of the above

ca. 150h Self-study to work on the topic

ca. 10h Preparation and giving of a scientific presentation

# Recommendation

- Very good programming skills in at least one high-level programming language are strongly recommended.
- Attendance of the lectures Robotics 1, Robotics 2, Robotics 3, as well as the robotics practical course are recommended.
- Project-specific recommendations (knowledge of C++, Python, ...) will be announced in the individual project descriptions



# 5.86 Module: Incentives, Interactivity & Decisions in Organizations [M-WIWI-105923]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Petra Nieken

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion9Grade to a tenthEach term2 termsGerman/English42

Elective Offer (Election: )				
T-WIWI-105781	Incentives in Organizations	4,5 CR	Nieken	
T-WIWI-111912	Advanced Topics in Digital Management	3 CR	Nieken	
T-WIWI-111913	Advanced Topics in Human Resource Management	3 CR	Nieken	
T-WIWI-111806	Behavioral Lab Exercise	4,5 CR	Nieken, Scheibehenne	
T-WIWI-113465	Designing Interactive Systems: Human-AI Interaction	4,5 CR	Mädche	
T-WIWI-111099	Judgement and Decision Making	4,5 CR	Scheibehenne	
T-WIWI-111385	Responsible Artificial Intelligence	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	
T-WIWI-102614	Experimental Economics	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	
T-WIWI-111109	KD <sup>2</sup> Lab Hands-On Research Course: New Ways and Tools in Experimental Economics	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	

# **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams of the courses in this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course in the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

# **Prerequisites**

Please refer to the course descriptions for potential restrictions regarding an individual course.

# **Competence Goal**

The student

- understands and analyses challenges and objectives within organizations
- applies economic models and empirical methods to analyze and solve challenges with a focus on the workplace and future
  of work
- understands the impact of digitalization and new information and communication technology on the work life and management decisions
- knows how to apply scientific research methods and understands the underlying problems

# Content

The module "Incentives, Interactivity & Decisions in Organizations" offers an interdisciplinary approach to study incentive structures, the role of interactivity in information systems, and decision making in organizations. The module specifically focuses on topics related to the workplace and the future of work in organizations. The topics range from designing incentive systems and interactive systems to leadership, decision making, as well as understanding human behavior. All courses in the module foster active participation and allow students to learn state-of-the-art research methods and apply them to real-world challenges.

# Workload

Total workload for 9 credits: approx. 270 hours.

# Recommendation

Knowledge of Human Resource Management, microeconomics, game theory, and statistics is recommended.



# 5.87 Module: Industrial Production II [M-WIWI-101471]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Frank Schultmann

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion9Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 termGerman/English46

Mandatory	Mandatory					
T-WIWI-102631	Planning and Management of Industrial Plants	5,5 CR	Schultmann			
Supplementary Courses (Election: at most 1 item)						
T-WIWI-102763	Supply Chain Management with Advanced Planning Systems	3,5 CR	Bosch, Göbelt			
T-WIWI-102826	Risk Management in Industrial Supply Networks	3,5 CR	Schultmann			
T-WIWI-103134	Project Management	3,5 CR	Schultmann			
Supplementary Cou	rses (Election: at most 1 item)					
T-WIWI-102634	Emissions into the Environment	3,5 CR	Karl			
T-WIWI-112103	Global Manufacturing	3,5 CR	Sasse			
T-WIWI-113107	Life Cycle Assessment – Basics and Application Possibilities in an Industrial Context	3,5 CR	Schultmann			

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to section 4 (2), 1 SPO) of the core course *Planning and Managing of Industrial Plants* [2581952] and one further single course of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

# **Prerequisites**

The course Planning and Managing of Industrial Plants [2581952] and at least one additional activity are compulsory and must be examined.

# **Competence Goal**

- Students shall be able to describe the tasks of tactical production management with special attention drawn upon industrial plants.
- Students shall understand the relevant tasks in plant management (projection, realisation and supervising tools for industrial plants).
- Students shall be able to describe the special need of a techno-economic approach to solve problems in the field of tactical production management.
- Students shall be proficient in using selected techno-economic methods like investment and cost estimates, plant layout, capacity planning, evaluation principles of production techniques, production systems as well as methods to design and optimize production systems.
- Students shall be able to evaluate techno-economical approaches in planning tactical production management with respect
  to their efficiency, accuracy and relevance for industrial use.

# Content

• Planning and Management of Industrial Plants: Basics, circulation flow starting from projecting to techno-economic evaluation, construction and operating up to plant dismantling.

# Annotation

Apart from the core course the courses offered are recommendations and can be replaced by courses from the Module Industrial Production III.

# Workload

Total effort will account to 270 hours (9 credit points) and can be allocated according to the credit point rating. Therefore, a course with 3.5 credits requires an effort of approximately 105h and a course with 5.5 credits 165h.

The total effort for each course consists of attending lectures and tutorials, examination times and the time an average student needs to prepare himself in order to pass the exam with an average grade.



# 5.88 Module: Industrial Production III [M-WIWI-101412]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Frank Schultmann

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion9Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termGerman/English46

Mandatory						
T-WIWI-102632	Production and Logistics Management	5,5 CR	Schultmann			
Supplementary Cou	Supplementary Courses from Module Industrial Production II (Election: at most 1 item)					
T-WIWI-102634	Emissions into the Environment	3,5 CR	Karl			
T-WIWI-112103	Global Manufacturing	3,5 CR	Sasse			
T-WIWI-113107	Life Cycle Assessment – Basics and Application Possibilities in an Industrial Context	3,5 CR	Schultmann			
Supplementary Cou	rses (Election: at most 1 item)					
T-WIWI-102763	Supply Chain Management with Advanced Planning Systems	3,5 CR	Bosch, Göbelt			
T-WIWI-102826	Risk Management in Industrial Supply Networks	3,5 CR	Schultmann			
T-WIWI-103134	Project Management	3,5 CR	Schultmann			

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to section 4 (2), 1 SPO) of the core course *Production and Logistics Management* [2581954] and further single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

# **Prerequisites**

The course *Production and Logistics Management* [2581954] and at least one additional activity are compulsory and must be examined.

# **Competence Goal**

- Students describe the tasks concerning general problems of an operative production and logistics management.
- Students describe the planning tasks of supply chain management.
- Students use proficiently approaches to solve general planning problems.
- Students explain the existing interdependencies between planning tasks and applied methods.
- Students describe the mail goals and set-up of software supporting tools in production and logistics management (i.e. APS, PPS-, ERP- and SCM Systems).
- Students discuss the scope of these software tools and their general disadvantages.

# Content

- Planning tasks and exemplary methods of production planning and control in supply chain management.
- Supporting software tools in production and logistics management (APS, PPS- and ERP Systems).
- Project management in the field of production and supply chain management.

# Annotation

Apart from the core course the courses offered are recommendations and can be replaced by courses from the Module Industrial Production II.

# Workload

The total amount of work for this module is approx. 270 hours (9 credits). The allocation is made according to the credit points of the courses of the module.

The total number of hours per course results from the effort required to attend the lectures and exercises, as well as the examination times and the time required to achieve the learning objectives of the module for an average student for an average performance.



# 5.89 Module: Information Systems in Organizations [M-WIWI-104068]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Alexander Mädche

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion9Grade to a tenthEach term2 termsEnglish45

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: at least 9 credits)				
T-WIWI-105777	Business Intelligence Systems	4,5 CR	Mädche	
T-WIWI-113465	Designing Interactive Systems: Human-Al Interaction	4,5 CR	Mädche	
T-WIWI-113459	Practical Seminar: Human-Centered Systems	4,5 CR	Mädche	

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4 (2), 1-3 SPO) of the core course and further single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

# **Prerequisites**

None

#### **Competence Goal**

The student

- has a comprehensive understanding of conceptual and theoretical foundations of informations systems in organizations
- is aware of the most important classes of information systems used in organizations:. process-centric, information-centric and people-centric information systems.
- knows the most important activities required to execute in the pre-implementation, implementation and post-implementation phase of information systems in organizations in order to create business value
- has a deep understanding of key capabilities of business intelligence systems and/or interactive information systems used in organizations

# Content

During the last decades we witnessed a growing importance of Information Technology (IT) in the business world along with faster and faster innovation cycles. IT has become core for businesses from an operational company-internal and external customer perspective. Today, companies have to rethink their way of doing business, from an internal as well as an external digitalization perspective.

This module focuses on the internal digitalization perspective. The contents of the module abstract from the technical implementation details and focus on foundational concepts, theories, practices and methods for information systems in organizations. The students get the necessary knowledge to guide the successful digitalization of organizations. Each lecture in the module is accompanied with a capstone project that is carried out in cooperation with an industry partner.

# Annotation

New module starting summer term 2018.

# Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours.



# 5.90 Module: Information Systems: Analytical and Interactive Systems [M-WIWI-104814]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Klemens Böhm

Prof. Dr. Alexander Mädche

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Information Systems

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	2 terms	German	4	9

Compulsory Elective	Compulsory Elective Area (Election: )				
T-WIWI-108715	Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems	4,5 CR	Satzger		
T-WIWI-111219	Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems - Applications in Computer Vision	4,5 CR	Satzger		
T-WIWI-109863	Business Data Analytics: Application and Tools	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		
T-WIWI-105777	Business Intelligence Systems	4,5 CR	Mädche		
T-INFO-113124	Data Science	8 CR	Böhm		
T-INFO-101317	Deployment of Database Systems	5 CR	Böhm		
T-INFO-111400	Database as a Service	5 CR	Böhm		
T-WIWI-113465	Designing Interactive Systems: Human-Al Interaction	4,5 CR	Mädche		
T-WIWI-111267	Intelligent Agent Architectures	4,5 CR	Geyer-Schulz		
T-WIWI-110915	Intelligent Agents and Decision Theory	4,5 CR	Geyer-Schulz		
T-INFO-107499	Context Sensitive Systems	5 CR	Beigl		
T-WIWI-102847	Recommender Systems	4,5 CR	Geyer-Schulz		
T-INFO-101326	Ubiquitous Computing	5 CR	Beigl		

# **Competence Certificate**

The module examination takes place in the form of partial examinations in accordance with § 4 Para. 2 No. 1 - No. 3 SPO via courses of the module amounting to a total of at least 9 LP.

The overall score of the module is formed from the credit-weighted scores of the partial examinations and truncated after the first decimal place.

# **Competence Goal**

The students

- are familiar with design principles of selected classes of modern analytical and interactive information systems and associated technologies
- know modern database concepts and application scenarios of modern database systems, understand the necessity of
  concepts for data analysis and can assess and compare approaches for the administration and analysis of large databases
  with regard to their effectiveness and applicability.
- know methods and techniques for designing analytical systems in the specific area of customer relationship management
- have knowledge of the basics and advanced methods and techniques of interactive information systems, especially
  context-sensitive and ubiquitous systems.

# Content

In the module "Information Systems: Analytical and Interactive Systems" students learn about central design principles of selected classes of modern information systems and associated technologies. The module focuses on analytical and interactive information systems.

# Workload

Total effort for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours. The distribution is based on the credit points of the courses of the module (120-135h for courses with 4.5 credit points). The total number of hours per course results from the effort required to attend lectures and exercises, as well as the examination times and the time required to achieve the learning objectives of the module for an average student for an average performance.



# 5.91 Module: Information Systems: Engineering and Transformation [M-WIWI-104812]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Sebastian Abeck

Prof. Dr. Ali Sunyaev

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Information Systems

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	2 terms	German	4	5

Compulsory Elective Area (Election: )				
T-INFO-112775	Access Control Systems: Models and Technology	5 CR	Hartenstein	
T-WIWI-109863	Business Data Analytics: Application and Tools	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	
T-WIWI-109248	Critical Information Infrastructures	4,5 CR	Sunyaev	
T-WIWI-113460	Engineering Interactive Systems: AI & Wearables	4,5 CR	Mädche	
T-WIWI-109270	Human Factors in Security and Privacy	4,5 CR	Volkamer	
T-INFO-101337	Internet of Everything	4 CR	Zitterbart	
T-INFO-101323	IT-Security Management for Networked Systems	5 CR	Hartenstein	
T-INFO-101319	Network Security: Architectures and Protocols	4 CR	Zitterbart	
T-INFO-101381	Software Architecture and Quality	3 CR	Reussner	
T-WIWI-102895	Software Quality Management	4,5 CR	Oberweis	
T-INFO-101271	Web Applications and Service-Oriented Architectures (II)	4 CR	Abeck	

# **Competence Certificate**

The module examination takes place in the form of partial examinations in accordance with § 4 Para. 2 No. 1 - No. 3 SPO via courses of the module amounting to a total of at least 9 LP.

The overall score of the module is formed from the credit-weighted scores of the partial examinations and truncated after the first decimal place.

# Competence Goal

The student

- learns techniques and procedures for the systematic development of high-quality software.
- can apply software quality assessment methods, evaluate results, and compare certification models.
- can reflect the content of the key concepts and technologies required to develop service-oriented Web applications and model appropriate architectures, implement Web applications and assess their service characteristics.
- knows proven and novel concepts for the evaluation and analysis of (critical) IT infrastructures.
- knows methods and tools to successfully shape the digital transformation of companies under pursuit of a socio-technical paradigm.

# Content

The module "Information Systems: Engineering and Transformation" deals with the systematic development and management of software, information systems/infrastructures and Internet-based services.

# Workload

Total effort for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours. The distribution is based on the credit points of the courses of the module (120-135h for courses with 4.5 credit points). The total number of hours per course results from the effort required to attend lectures and exercises, as well as the examination times and the time required to achieve the learning objectives of the module for an average student for an average performance.



# 5.92 Module: Information Systems: Internet-Based Markets and Services [M-WIWI-104813]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Information Systems

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	2 terms	German	4	8

Compulsory Elective Area (Election: )				
T-WIWI-109246	Digital Health	4,5 CR	Sunyaev	
T-WIWI-112757	Digital Services: Innovation & Business Models	4,5 CR	Satzger	
T-WIWI-107501	Energy Market Engineering	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	
T-WIWI-113460	Engineering Interactive Systems: AI & Wearables	4,5 CR	Mädche	
T-WIWI-112823	Platform & Market Engineering: Commerce, Media, and Digital Democracy	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	

# Competence Certificate

The module examination takes place in the form of partial examinations in accordance with § 4 Para. 2 No. 1 - No. 3 SPO via courses of the module amounting to a total of at least 9 LP.

The overall score of the module is formed from the credit-weighted scores of the partial examinations and truncated after the first decimal place.

# Competence Goal

The student

- understands the importance and potential of digitizing products and services
- can design digital markets and services with the associated business models.
- knows methods and tools to successfully design the digital transformation of products and services.
- acquires specific competencies for the digitization of domain-specific services, including healthcare and energy.

# Content

The module "Information Systems: Internet-based Markets and Services" focuses on the design of Internet-based services and markets from an economic and technical point of view.

# Annotation

From summer semester 2023, the course Service Innovation will be offered with a revised course concept and content. The focus will be on the closer integration of the topics of service innovation and digitalization. Current foundational content (e.g., on service innovation challenges or human-centered innovation methods) will remain. New content will cover topics such as digital platforms and ecosystems, IoT and smart service innovation, and business models.

# Workload

Total effort for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours. The distribution is based on the credit points of the courses of the module (120-135h for courses with 4.5 credit points). The total number of hours per course results from the effort required to attend lectures and exercises, as well as the examination times and the time required to achieve the learning objectives of the module for an average student for an average performance.



# 5.93 Module: Innovation and Growth [M-WIWI-101478]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ingrid Ott

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Economics)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>5

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: between 9 and 10 credits)				
T-WIWI-109194	Dynamic Macroeconomics	4,5 CR	Brumm	
T-WIWI-112822	Economics of Innovation	4,5 CR	Ott	
T-WIWI-112816	Growth and Development	4,5 CR	Ott	

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial written exams (according to Section 4(2), 1 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The exams are offered at the beginning of the recess period about the subject matter of the latest held lecture. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module seperately.

The overall grade for the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

# **Prerequisites**

None

# Competence Goal

Students shall be given the ability to

- know the basic techniques for analyzing static and dynamic optimization models that are applied in the context of microand macroeconomic theories
- understand the important role of innovation to the overall economic growth and welfare
- identify the importance of alternative incentive mechanisms for the emergence and dissemination of innovations
- explain, in which situations market interventions by the state, for example taxes and subsidies, can be legitimized, and evaluate them in the light of economic welfare

# Content

The module includes courses that deal with issues of innovation and growth in the context of micro-and macroeconomic theories. The dynamic analysis makes it possible to analyze the consequences of individual decisions over time, and sheds light on the tension between static and dynamic efficiency in particular. In this context is also analyzed, which policy is appropriate to carry out corrective interventions in the market and thus increase welfare in the presence of market failure.

# Workload

Total expenditure of time for 9 credits: 270 hours

Attendance time per lecture: 3x14h

Preparation and wrap-up time per lecture: 3x14h

**Rest: Exam Preparation** 

The exact distribution is subject to the credits of the courses of the module.

# Recommendation

Basic knowledge of micro- and macroeconomics is assumed, as taught in the courses Economics I [2600012], and Economics II [2600014]. In addition, an interest in quantitative-mathematical modeling is required.



# 5.94 Module: Innovation Economics [M-WIWI-101514]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ingrid Ott

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Economics)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>2 termsLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>4

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: between 9 and 10 credits)				
T-WIWI-112822	Economics of Innovation	4,5 CR	Ott	
T-WIWI-102906	Methods in Economic Dynamics	1,5 CR	Ott	
T-WIWI-102789	Seminar in Economic Policy	3 CR	Ott	

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial written exams (according to Section 4(2), 1 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The examinations are offered every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module seperately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

# **Prerequisites**

None

# Competence Goal

Students shall be given the ability to

- understand the important role of innovation for economic growth and welfare
- understand the relevance of alternative incentive mechanisms for the emergence and dissemination of innovations
- know basic terms of product and innovation concepts
- · know fundamental concepts of innovation management
- work with fundamental theoretical innovation models and to implement them in appropriate computer algebra systems
- query appropriate data sources and to analyse and visualise them using statistical methods

# Content

The module provides students with knowledge about implications of technological and organizational changes.

Addressed economic issues are incentives for developing innovations, diffusion processes, and associated effects. In this context the module analyses appropriate policies in the presence of market failures to take corrective action on the market process and thus to increase the dynamic efficiency of economies.

Furthermore, the module offers the possibility to learn about different aspects of theoretical modelling of innovation-based growth as a part of the seminar and the methods-workshop. This includes the implementation of formal models in computer algebra systems as well as recording, processing and econometric analysis of related data from relational databases (concerning for example patents or trademarks). Moreover, methods of network theory are applied.

Finally, the module emphasises the business perspective: Issues of all stages of innovation processes will be discussed, from innovation strategies up to the market commercialisation.

# Workload

The total workload for this module is approx. 270 hours (9 credits). The allocation is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.

The total number of hours per course results from the time required to attend the lectures, as well as the examination times and the time required for an average student to achieve the learning objectives of the module for an average performance.

# Recommendation

Basic knowledge of micro- and macroeconomics is assumed, as taught in the courses Economics I [2600012] and Economics II [2600014]. Further, it is assumed that students have interest in using quantiative-mathematical methods.



# 5.95 Module: Innovation Management [M-WIWI-101507]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Marion Weissenberger-Eibl

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion9Grade to a tenthEach term1 termGerman/English412

Mandatory				
T-WIWI-102893	Innovation Management: Concepts, Strategies and Methods	3 CR	Weissenberger-Eibl	
Compulsory Elective	e Courses (Election: 1 item)			
T-WIWI-113664	Design Thinking in Practice	3 CR	Scheydt	
T-WIWI-113663	Development of Sustainable, Digital Business Models	3 CR	Duwe	
T-WIWI-111823	Successful Transformation Through Innovation	3 CR	Busch	
T-WIWI-102852	Case Studies Seminar: Innovation Management	3 CR	Weissenberger-Eibl	
T-WIWI-113849	Al Innovation Ecosystems	3 CR	Beyer, Scheydt	
T-WIWI-113716	Leadership and Innovation	3 CR	Schulz-Kamm	
T-WIWI-110263	Methods in Innovation Management	3 CR	Weissenberger-Eibl	
Supplementary Cou	rses (Election: 1 item)			
T-WIWI-102866	Design Thinking	3 CR	Terzidis	
T-WIWI-113664	Design Thinking in Practice	3 CR	Scheydt	
T-WIWI-102864	Entrepreneurship	3 CR	Terzidis	
T-WIWI-111823	Successful Transformation Through Innovation	3 CR	Busch	
T-WIWI-102852	Case Studies Seminar: Innovation Management	3 CR	Weissenberger-Eibl	
T-WIWI-113849	Al Innovation Ecosystems	3 CR	Beyer, Scheydt	
T-WIWI-113716	Leadership and Innovation	3 CR	Schulz-Kamm	
T-WIWI-110263	Methods in Innovation Management	3 CR	Weissenberger-Eibl	

# Competence Certificate

The module examination takes the form of partial examinations (according to §4(2), 1-3 SPO) on the core course and other courses of the module totaling at least 9 CP. The assessment of success is described for each course of the module.

The overall grade is based 50% on the lecture "Innovation Management: Concepts, Strategies and Methods", 25% on one of the seminars of the Chair of Innovation and Technology Management and 25% on another course permitted in the module. The overall grade is cut off after the first decimal place.

# **Prerequisites**

The lecture "Innovation Management: Concepts, Strategies and Methods" and one of the seminars of the chair for Innovation and Technology Management are compulsory. The third course can be chosen from the courses of the module.

# Competence Goal

Students develop a comprehensive understanding of the innovation process and its conditionality. There is an additional focus on the concepts and processes which are of particular relevance with regard to shaping the entire process. Various strategies and methods are then taught based on this.

After completing the module, students should have developed a systemic understanding of the innovation process and be able to shape this by developing and applying suitable methods.

# Content

The Innovation Management: Concepts, Strategies and Methods lecture course teaches concepts, strategies and methods which help students to form a systemic understanding of the innovation process and how to shape it. Building on this holistic understanding, the seminar courses then go into the subjects in greater depth and address specific processes and methods which are central to innovation management.

# **Annotation**

Seminars offered by Prof. Terzidis (or the members of his research group) are not eligible for crediting in a seminar module of the WiWi degree programs. Exception: Seminar "Entrepreneurship Research".

# Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours

The exact distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.

# Recommendation

None



# **5.96** Module: Innovative Concepts for Programming Industrial Robots [M-INFO-100791]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Björn Hein **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion4Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101328	Innovative Concepts for Programming Industrial Robots	4 CR	Hein



# 5.97 Module: Intellectual Property Law [M-INFO-101215]

Responsible: N.N.

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Law

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>2 termsLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>5

Intellectual Property Law (Election: at least 1 item as well as at least 9 credits)				
T-INFO-101308	Copyright	3 CR	N.N.	
T-INFO-101313	Trademark and Unfair Competition Law	3 CR	Matz	
T-INFO-101307	Internet Law	3 CR	N.N.	
T-INFO-108462	Selected Legal Issues of Internet Law	3 CR	N.N.	
T-INFO-101310	Patent Law	3 CR	Werner	

# **Competence Certificate**

see partial achievements

# **Prerequisites**

None

# **Competence Goal**

The student

- · has detailed knowledge of the main intellectual property rights,
- analyzes and evaluates complex issues and leads them to a legal solution,
- translates the legal principles into contracts on the use of intellectual property and solves more complex infringement cases
- knows and understands the main features of registration procedures and has a broad overview of legal issues raised by the Internet
- analyzes, assesses and evaluates relevant legal issues from a legal, information technology and legal policy perspective, economic and legal policy perspectives

# Content

The module provides knowledge in the core areas of intellectual property law and core topics of internet law. It explains the requirements and the necessary procedure for protecting inventions and industrial marks nationally and internationally. In addition, the necessary know-how is taught to use intellectual property rights and to defend intellectual property rights against attacks by third parties.

# Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours (9 credits). The allocation is based on the credits of the courses of the module. The workload for courses with 3 credits is about 90 hours. The total number of hours per course results from the effort required to attend the lectures as well as the examination times and the time required to achieve the learning objectives of the module for an average student for an average performance.



# 5.98 Module: Intelligent Systems and Services [M-WIWI-101456]

Responsible: Dr.-Ing. Tobias Käfer

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scale<br/>9Recurrence<br/>Grade to a tenthDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>8

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: between 9 and 10 credits)				
T-WIWI-102661	Database Systems and XML	4,5 CR	Oberweis	
T-WIWI-106423	Information Service Engineering	4,5 CR	Sack	
T-WIWI-112685	Modeling and Simulation	4,5 CR	Lazarova-Molnar	
T-WIWI-110548	Advanced Lab Informatics (Master)	4,5 CR	Professorenschaft des Instituts AIFB	
T-WIWI-102666	Knowledge Discovery	4,5 CR	Käfer	
T-WIWI-110848	Semantic Web Technologies	4,5 CR	Käfer	

# **Competence Certificate**

The assessment mix of each course of this module is defined for each course separately. The final mark for the module is the average of the marks for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

Algorithms for Internet Applications [T-WIWI-102658]: The examination will be offered latest until summer term 2017 (repeaters only).

# **Prerequisites**

None

# Competence Goal

Students

- know the different machine learning procedures for the supervised as well as the unsupervised learning,
- identify the pros and cons of the different learning methods,
- apply the discussed network learning methods in specific scenarios,
- compare the practicality of methods and algorithms with alternative approaches.

# Content

In the broader sense learning systems are understood as biological organisms and artificial systems which are able to change their behavior by processing outside influences. Network leaning methods based on symbolic, statistic and neuronal approaches are the focus of Computer Sciences.

In this module the most important network learning methods are introduced and their applicability is discussed with regard to different information sources such as data texts and images considering especially procedures for knowledge acquirement via data and text mining, natural analogue procedures as well as the application of organic learning procedures within the finance sector.

# **Annotation**

Detailed information on the recognition of examinations in the field of Informatics can be found at http://www.aifb.kit.edu/web/Auslandsaufenthalt.



# 5.99 Module: Interactive Computer Graphics [M-INFO-100732]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Carsten Dachsbacher **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101269	Interactive Computer Graphics	5 CR	Dachsbacher

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# 5.100 Module: Internet of Everything [M-INFO-100800]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

> Part of: Informatics

> > **Grading scale** Credits Recurrence **Duration** Language Level Version Grade to a tenth Each winter term 1 term German 4

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101337	Internet of Everything	4 CR	Zitterbart



# **5.101** Module: Introduction to Bioinformatics for Computer Scientists [M-INFO-100749]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Alexandros Stamatakis **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101286	Introduction to Bioinformatics for Computer Scientists	3 CR	Stamatakis



# 5.102 Module: Introduction to Quantum Computing (IQC) [M-INFO-106101]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Bernhard Beckert

Prof. Dr.-Ing. Ina Schaefer

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 termGerman/English41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-112344	Introduction to Quantum Computing (IQC)	3 CR	Beckert, Schaefer



# 5.103 Module: Introduction to Video Analysis [M-INFO-100736]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jürgen Beyerer **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101273	Introduction to Video Analysis	3 CR	Beyerer



# 5.104 Module: IT Security [M-INFO-106315]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade

TT-Prof. Dr. Christian Wressnegger

Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>2

Mandatory			
T-INFO-112818	IT Security	6 CR	Müller-Quade,
			Wressnegger

# **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

## **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

# **Competence Goal**

Students

- have in-depth knowledge of cryptography and IT security
- know and understands sophisticated techniques and security primitives to achieve the protection goals
- know and understand scientific evaluation and analysis methods of IT security (game-based formalization of confidentiality and integrity, security and anonymity notions)
- have a good understanding of types of data, personal data, legal and technical fundamentals of privacy protection
- know and understand the fundamentals of system security (buffer overflow, return-oriented programming, ...)
- know different mechanisms for anonymous communication (TOR, Nym, ANON) and can assess their effectivity

# Content

This advanced mandatory module deepens different topics of IT security. These include in particular:

- Elliptic curve cryptography
- Threshold cryptography
- Zero-knowledge proofs
- Secret sharing
- Secure multi-party computation and homomorphic encryption
- Methods of IT security (game-based analysis and the UC model)
- Crypto-currencies and consensus through proof-of-work/stake
- Anonymity on the Internet, anonymity with online payments
- Privacy-preserving machine learning
- Security of machine learning
- System security and exploits
- Threat modeling and quantification of IT security

# Workload

Course workload:

- 1. Attendance time: 56 h
- 2. Self-study: 56 h
- 3. Preparation for the exam: 68 h

# Recommendation

Attendance of the lecture Information Security is recommended.

# Literature

Literature:

- Katz/Lindell: Introduction to Modern Cryptography (Chapman & Hall)
- Schäfer/Roßberg: Netzsicherheit (dpunkt)
- Anderson: Security Engineering (Wiley, and online)
- Stallings/Brown: Computer Security (Pearson)
- Pfleeger, Pfleeger, Margulies: Security in Computing (Prentice Hall)



# 5.105 Module: IT-Security Management for Networked Systems [M-INFO-100786]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Hannes Hartenstein
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrence5Grade to a tenthEach winter term

DurationLanguage1 termGerman

Level 4 Version 1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101323	IT-Security Management for Networked Systems	5 CR	Hartenstein



# 5.106 Module: Lab Course Heterogeneous Computing [M-INFO-104072]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Karl

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scale<br/>6Recurrence<br/>Grade to a tenthDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-108447	Lab Course Heterogeneous Computing	6 CR	Karl

# Prerequisites

None



# 5.107 Module: Lab Project: Speech Translation [M-INFO-105997]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Jan Niehues

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory				
T-INFO-112175	Lab Project: Speech Translation	6 CR	Niehues	



# 5.108 Module: Lab: Efficient Parallel C++ [M-INFO-103506]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>IrregularDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-106992	Lab: Efficient Parallel C++	6 CR	Sanders

# **Competence Certificate**

See partial archievement.

## **Prerequisites**

See partial archievement.

# Competence Goal

The students

- can use the methods of algorithm engineering in order to

implement and evaluate given algorithmic problems and data structures in

C++.

- recognize factors that lead to inefficient code and can, if possible, replace them with more efficient constructions.
- understand how to use the presented techniques for parallelization and to generate thread-safe codes with the given means.
- know the features of the standard library and are able to use them selectively.
- can test the codes generated by them for correctness and performance, furthermore they can represent and analyze the obtained results.

# Content

In this practical course students solve multiple programming tasks in C++. The main focus is on the efficient implementation and their evaluation through extensive experiments. The programming tasks are motivated by scientific work in the field of algorithm engineering.

They cover complex algorithms as well as advanced data structures, furthermore advanced programming techniques and parallelization (thread management capabilities of the standard library).

# Workload

- ~ 10h attendance time
- ~ 10h discussion/assessment of the regular solutions (with preparation)
- ~ 15h designing the individual final assignment
- ~ 25h presentation of the individual final task
- ~ 120h working on the tasks (implementation and evaluation)



# 5.109 Module: Lab: Graph Visualization in Practice [M-INFO-103302]

**Responsible:** Dr. rer. nat. Torsten Ueckerdt **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion5Grade to a tenthIrregular1 termGerman41

Mandatory				
T-INFO-106580	Lab: Graph Visualization in Practice	5 CR	Ueckerdt	



# 5.110 Module: Lab: Internet of Things (IoT) [M-INFO-103706]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jörg Henkel **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion4Grade to a tenthEach term1 termEnglish41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-107493	Lab: Internet of Things (IoT)	4 CR	Henkel

# Prerequisites

None



# 5.111 Module: Lab: Low Power Design and Embedded Systems [M-INFO-104031]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jörg Henkel **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion4Grade to a tenthEach term1 termEnglish42

Mandatory			
T-INFO-108323	Lab: Low Power Design and Embedded Systems	4 CR	Henkel



# 5.112 Module: Laboratory Course Algorithm Engineering [M-INFO-102072]

**Responsible:** TT-Prof. Dr. Thomas Bläsius **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion6Grade to a tenthIrregular1 termGerman/English41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-104374	Laboratory Course Algorithm Engineering	6 CR	Bläsius, Ueckerdt



# 5.113 Module: Laboratory in Cryptoanalysis [M-INFO-101559]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Dennis Hofheinz

Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthEach term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-102990	Laboratory in Cryptoanalysis	3 CR	Müller-Quade



# 5.114 Module: Laboratory in Cryptography [M-INFO-101558]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-102989	Laboratory in Cryptography	3 CR	Müller-Quade

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# 5.115 Module: Laboratory in Security [M-INFO-101560]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevel4Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 termGerman4

Mandatory			
T-INFO-102991	Laboratory in Security	4 CR	Müller-Quade



# 5.116 Module: Introduction to Quantum Machine Learning [M-INFO-106742]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Achim Streit

Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-113556	Introduction to Quantum Machine Learning	3 CR	Kühn, Kühn

### Competence Certificate

see partial achievement

#### Competence Goal

Students have a systematic understanding of the issues surrounding the use of currently available quantum computers and of solution approaches from the field of hybrid quantum machine learning. They will be able to transfer these findings to other problems and, in particular, evaluate the efficiency and feasibility for different data sets in practice. In addition, they will be able to interpret and understand current research results in quantum machine learning with the knowledge you have acquired.

After successfully completing the course, students will be able to

- Explain the basic concepts, motivation and challenges of quantum computing and quantum machine learning as well as current hybrid approaches;
- Analyze problems, select suitable approaches, describe them mathematically and convert them into circuit notation and apply them;
- Design their own solutions based on the concepts learned in the lecture and evaluate their efficiency.

# Content

This module aims to familiarize students with the theoretical and practical aspects of the hybrid use of quantum circuits in classical machine learning algorithms. In the first part of the lecture, the necessary mathematical foundations of quantum systems and their representation by qubits and quantum circuits are summarized before the advantages and possibilities of quantum computing are demonstrated on the basis of known quantum algorithms. Finally, an overview of current hybrid approaches in the field of quantum machine learning (OML) and their possible applications and limitations is provided:

- Fundamentals and basic concepts
  - Theoretical and practical basics of quantum computing
  - Taxonomy of quantum machine learning
- Overview of QML algorithms, e.g.
  - Variational Quantum Eigensolver
  - Quantum Approximat Optimization Algorithm
  - Quantum Autoencoder
  - Quantum Convolutional Neural Networks
  - Quantum Generative Adversarial Neural Networks
  - Quantum Kernels
- Current challenges, e.g.
  - Noise
  - Barren Plateaus

The module focuses in particular on the applicability to today's quantum computers and the scalability of the approaches presented.

# Workload

- Lecture attendance: 23h (2 SWS x 15)
- Preparation and follow-up: 45h (2 x 2 SWS x 15)
- Exam preparation: 22h
- Total: 90h / 30 = 3 credits

# Recommendation

- Attendance of the lecture "Machine Learning 1 Basic Methods" is recommended
- Attendance of the lecture "Introduction to Quantum Computing" is recommended
- Knowledge of linear algebra is recommended
- Programming skills in Python are helpful



# 5.117 Module: Localization of Mobile Agents [M-INFO-100840]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Uwe Hanebeck **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101377	Localization of Mobile Agents	6 CR	Hanebeck



# 5.118 Module: Logical Foundations of Cyber-Physical Systems [M-INFO-106102]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. André Platzer

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits 6

**Grading scale**Grade to a tenth

**Recurrence**Each winter term

Duration 1 term **Language** English Level 4 Version 3

Mandatory			
T-INFO-112360	Logical Foundations of Cyber-Physical Systems	6 CR	Platzer

### Competence Certificate

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### Competence Goal

### In modeling and control, successful students will

- understand core principles behind CPS. A solid understanding of these principles is important for anyone who wants to integrate cyber and physical components to solve problems that no part could solve alone.
- develop models and controls. In order to understand, design, and analyze CPS, it is important to be able to develop models for the relevant aspects of a CPS design and to design controllers for the intended functionalities based on appropriate specifications, including modeling with differential equations.
- identify relevant dynamical aspects. It is important to be able to identify which types of phenomena influence a property of a system. These allow us to judge, for example, where it is important to manage adversarial effects, or where a nondeterministic model is sufficient.

# In computational thinking, successful students should be able to

- identify safety specifications and critical properties. In order to develop correct CPS designs, it is important to identify what "correctness" means, how a design may fail to be correct, and how to make it correct.
- understand abstraction in system designs. The power of abstraction is essential for the modular organization of CPS, and the ability to reason about separate parts of a system independently.
- express pre- and post-conditions and invariants for CPS models. Pre- and post-conditions allow us to capture under which circumstance it is safe to run a CPS or a part of a CPS design, and what safety entails. They allow us to achieve what abstraction and hierarchies achieve at the system level: decompose correctness of a full CPS into correctness of smaller pieces. Invariants achieve a similar decomposition by establishing which relations of variables remain true no matter how long and how often the CPS runs.
- reason rigorously about CPS models. Reasoning is required to ensure correctness and find flaws in CPS designs. Both informal and formal reasoning in a logic are important objectives for being able to establish correctness, which includes rigorous reasoning about differential equations.

# In CPS skills, successful students will be able to

- understand the semantics of a CPS model. What may be easy in a classical isolated program becomes very demanding when that program interfaces with effects in the physical world.
- develop an intuition for operational effects. Intuition for the joint operational effect of a CPS is crucial, e.g., about what the effect of a particular discrete computer control algorithm on a continuous plant will be.
- understand opportunities and challenges in CPS and verification. While the beneficial prospects of CPS for society are substantial, it is crucial to also develop an understanding of their inherent challenges and of approaches for minimizing the impact of potential safety hazards. Likewise, it is important to understand the ways in which formal verification can best help improve the safety of system designs.

#### Content

Cyber-physical systems (CPSs) combine cyber capabilities (computation and/or communication) with physical capabilities (motion or other physical processes). Cars, aircraft, and robots are prime examples, because they move physically in space in a way that is determined by discrete computerized control algorithms. Designing these algorithms to control CPSs is challenging due to their tight coupling with physical behavior. At the same time, it is vital that these algorithms be correct, since we rely on CPSs for safety-critical tasks like keeping aircraft from colliding. In this course we will strive to answer the fundamental question posed by Jeannette Wing:

"How can we provide people with cyber-physical systems they can bet their lives on?"

The cornerstone of this course design are hybrid programs (HPs), which capture relevant dynamical aspects of CPSs in a simple programming language with a simple semantics. One important aspect of HPs is that they directly allow the programmer to refer to real-valued variables representing real quantities and specify their dynamics as part of the HP.

This course will give you the required skills to formally analyze the CPSs that are all around us—from power plants to pacemakers and everything in between—so that when you contribute to the design of a CPS, you are able to understand important safety-critical aspects and feel confident designing and analyzing system models. It will provide an excellent foundation for students who seek industry positions and for students interested in pursuing research.

#### Annotation

Course web page: https://lfcps.org/course/lfcps.html

# Workload

6 ECTS from 180h of coursework consisting of

- 22.5h = 15 \* 1.5h from 3 SWS lectures
- 12h = 8 \* 1.5h from 1 SWS exercises
- 90h preparation, reading textbook, studying 40h solving exercises
- 15h exam preparation

### Recommendation

The course assumes prior exposure to basic computer programming and mathematical reasoning. This course covers the basic required mathematical and logical background of cyber-physical systems. You will be expected to follow the textbook as needed: André Platzer. Logical Foundations of Cyber-Physical Systems. Springer 2018. DOI:10.1007/978-3-319-63588-0



# 5.119 Module: Low Power Design [M-INFO-100807]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jörg Henkel **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101344	Low Power Design	3 CR	Henkel



# 5.120 Module: Machine Learning [M-WIWI-103356]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Johann Marius Zöllner

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Informatics

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	1 term	German/English	4	3

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: )				
T-WIWI-106340 Machine Learning 1 - Basic Methods 4,5 CR Zöllner				
T-WIWI-106341	Machine Learning 2 – Advanced Methods	4,5 CR	Zöllner	
T-WIWI-109985	Project Lab Cognitive Automobiles and Robots	5 CR	Zöllner	
T-WIWI-109983	Project Lab Machine Learning	5 CR	Zöllner	

#### **Competence Certificate**

The module examination is carried out in the form of partial examinations on the selected courses of the module, with which the minimum requirement at creditpoints is fulfilled. The learning control is described in each course. The overall score of the module is made up of the sub-scores weighted with creditpoints and is cut off after the first comma point.

## **Prerequisites**

None

# Competence Goal

Students

- Gain knowledge of basic methods in the field of machine learning.
- Understand advanced machine learning concepts and their possible applications.
- Can classify, formally describe and evaluate machine learning methods.
- Can apply their knowledge for the selection of suitable models and methods for selected problems in the field of machine learning.

### Content

The topic of machine learning considering real-world challenges of complex application domains is a rapidly expanding field of knowledge and the subject of numerous research and development projects. Large parts of modern AI methods are based on machine-learned models.

The Machine Learning 1 course introduces students to the rapidly evolving field of machine learning by providing a solid foundation that covers the major concepts and techniques in the field. Students will explore various methods of supervised, unsupervised, and reinforcement learning, as well as associated model types ranging from simple linear classifiers to more complex models, such as Deep Neural Networks.

The lecture "Machine Learning 2" covers advanced and modern machine learning methods. Modern learning methods like Self-Supervised-Learning and Contrastive Learning as well as model architectures like Diffusion Models, Transformers, Graph Neural Networks, are introduced.

In the practical courses, scientific tasks in the field of autonomous driving or robotics are solved with modern machine learning methods. There, the techniques of machine learning are practically oriented.

### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours.



# 5.121 Module: Machine Learning - Foundations and Algorithms [M-INFO-105778]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Gerhard Neumann **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>2

Mandatory			
T-INFO-111558	Machine Learning - Foundations and Algorithms	6 CR	Neumann

### Competence Certificate

See partial achivements (Teilleistung)

# **Prerequisites**

See partial achivements (Teilleistung)

#### **Competence Goal**

- Students acquire knowledge of the basic methods of Machine Learning
- Students acquire the mathematical knowledge to understand the theoretical foundations of Machine Learning
- Students can categorize, formally describe and evaluate methods of Machine Learning
- Students can apply their knowledge to select appropriate models and methods for selected problems in the field of Machine Learning.

#### Content

The field of Machine Learning has made enormous progress in recent years and good knowledge of Machine Learning is becoming increasingly in demand on the job market. Machine Learning describes the acquisition of knowledge by an artificial system based on experience or data. Rules or certain calculations no longer have to be manually coded but can be extracted from data by intelligent systems.

This lecture provides an overview of essential and current methods of Machine Learning. After reviewing the necessary mathematical background, the lecture primarily deals with algorithms for classification, regression, and density estimation, with a focus on the mathematical understanding of probabilistic methods and neural networks.

# Examples of topics include:

- Basics in Linear Algebra, Probability Theory, Optimization and Constraint Optimization
- Linear Regression
- Linear Classification
- Model Selection, Overfitting, and Regularization
- Support Vector Machines
- Kernel Methods
- Bayesian Learning and Gaussian Processes
- Neural Networks
- Dimensionality Reduction
- Density estimation
- Clustering
- Expectation Maximization
- Graphical Models

# Workload

180h, aufgeteilt in:

- ca 45h Vorlesungsbesuch
- ca 15h Übungsbesuch
- ca 90h Nachbearbeitung und Bearbeitung der Übungsblätter
- ca 30h Prüfungsvorbereitung

# Recommendation

See partial achivements (Teilleistung)



# 5.122 Module: Machine Learning for Natural Sciences with Exercises [M-INFO-105630]

**Responsible:** TT-Prof. Dr. Pascal Friederich **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
6	Grade to a tenth	Each summer term	1 term	English	4	3

Mandatory				
T-INFO-110822	Machine Learning for Natural Sciences	3 CR	Friederich	
T-INFO-111259	Machine Learning for Natural Sciences - Pass	3 CR	Friederich	

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achivements (Teilleistung)

### **Prerequisites**

See partial achivements (Teilleistung)

### **Competence Goal**

Qualification Objectives

- Students are able to name relevant machine learning methods, describe them, as well as develop independent proposals on how questions in the natural sciences and material sciences can be answered using machine learning methods.

  Learning Objectives
- Necessary knowledge for the selection and, if necessary, the adaptation of suitable machine learning models.
- Knowledge about data availability and, if necessary, planning of training data generation
- Knowledge of practical implementation, training, and systematic evaluation of machine learning models in python using common libraries (sklearn, TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch, etc.)
- Knowledge of ways and means to systematically analyze and interpret results.

# Content

This module covers the theoretical and practical aspects of machine learning methods and their application to problems in natural sciences, especially in materials science and chemistry. Students gain insight into machine learning fundamentals as well as current research topics of this still young interdisciplinary field. Topics covered include the application of machine learning methods for medical image analysis, sequence analysis and generation, the prediction of material and molecular properties, generative models for materials design, Bayesian methods for decision making in autonomous experiments, as well as interpretation possibilities of all methods for gaining scientific understanding.

A practical exercise based on jupyter notebooks gives students insight into the practical aspects of machine learning for natural sciences and supports the learning process.

# Workload

4 SWS: (2 SWS Lecture + 2 SWS Exercise + 1,5 x 4 SWS Preparation) x 15 + 30 h exam preparation

= 180 h

### Recommendation

- Knowledge of the basics of machine learning is helpful but not required
- Interest in natural science topics is required
- Basic knowledge of python is recommended. It has to be acquired during the semester through self-study



# 5.123 Module: Machine Learning in Climate and Environmental Sciences [M-INFO-106470]

**Responsible:** TT-Prof. Dr. Peer Nowack **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
6	Grade to a tenth	Each winter term	1 term	English	4	1

Mandatory				
T-INFO-113083	Machine Learning in Climate and Environmental Sciences	3 CR	Nowack	
T-INFO-113085	Machine Learning in Climate and Environmental Sciences - Pass	3 CR	Nowack	

### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

### **Competence Goal**

Learning objectives:

Students will be able to effectively address complex data science challenges. They can design and use robust strategies/modelling pipelines for machine learning applications in the climate and environmental sciences, which are transferable to other disciplines. Their acquired knowledge will include major classes of machine learning techniques, how to choose and differentiate among algorithms in a variety of problem settings, ways of assessing important data properties that could for example help or interfere with modelling goals, and methods to combine data-driven modelling with prior scientific system understanding to increase performance and trustworthiness of machine learning.

Students will learn how to implement these approaches in Python, using major machine learning software packages.

### Content

This module covers key concepts for real-world applications of machine learning, focusing on environmental data science. These include:

- foundations of machine learning (e.g., curse of dimensionality, cross-validation, cost functions, feature engineering)
- several widely applied regression, classification, and unsupervised learning algorithms (e.g., LASSO, random forests, Gaussian processes, neural networks, LSTMs, transformers, self-organizing maps)
- time series forecasting and causal inference.
- explainable AI (e.g., SHAP value analyses, feature permutation methods, intrinsically interpretable methods).

These concepts will be discussed in applied contexts, using current research examples from the climate and environmental sciences, including: climate change modelling, machine learning emulation of numerical models, forecasting air pollution and wildfires, understanding coupled dynamical systems such as global teleconnections in climate science, challenges in modelling non-stationary systems (e.g., predicting extreme weather events under global warming), and anomaly detection in measurement data.

The lectures are accompanied by computer exercises in which students learn how to implement and modify machine learning modelling pipelines first-hand.

### Workload

Concerning in-person events, this is a 4 SWS module: 2 SWS for lectures, 2 SWS for exercises

Overall:

(2 SWS lectures + 2 SWS exercises +  $1.5 \times 4$  SWS preparation and homework) x 15 + 30 h preparation for the exam = 180 h = 6 ECTS

### Recommendation

- Previous programming experience, e.g. in scientific contexts or in computer science, is required.
- Knowledge of fundamentals about machine learning is an advantage.
- Knowledge of the Python programming language is an advantage.
- Good knowledge of mathematical concepts such as linear algebra is an advantage.
- An interest in scientific questions important for the climate- and environmental sciences.



# 5.124 Module: Machine Translation [M-INFO-100848]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Jan Niehues

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory				
T-INFO-101385	Machine Translation	6 CR	Niehues	



# 5.125 Module: Management Accounting [M-WIWI-101498]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Marcus Wouters

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>2 termsLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>3

Mandatory				
T-WIWI-102800	Management Accounting 1	4,5 CR	Wouters	
T-WIWI-102801	Management Accounting 2	4,5 CR	Wouters	

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4 (2), 13 SPO) of the courses of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

# Competence Goal

Students

- are familiar with various management accounting methods,
- can apply these methods for cost estimation, profitability analysis, and product costing,
- are able to analyze short-term and long-decisions with these methods,
- have the capacity to devise instruments for organizational control.

### Content

The module consists of two courses "Management Accounting 1" and "Management Accounting 2". The emphasis is on structured learning of management accounting techniques.

# **Annotation**

The following courses are part of this module:

- The course Management Accounting 1, which is offered in every sommer semester
- The course Management Accounting 2, which is offered in every winter semester

### Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours

The exact distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.



# 5.126 Module: Market Engineering [M-WIWI-101446]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	1 term	German/English	4	9

Mandatory				
T-WIWI-112823	Platform & Market Engineering: Commerce, Media, and Digital Democracy	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	
Supplementary Courses (Election: 4,5 credits)				
T-WIWI-102613	Auction Theory	4,5 CR	Ehrhart	
T-WIWI-113160	Digital Democracy	4,5 CR	Fegert	
T-WIWI-110797	eFinance: Information Systems for Securities Trading	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	
T-WIWI-107501	Energy Market Engineering	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	
T-WIWI-107503	Energy Networks and Regulation	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	
T-WIWI-102614	Experimental Economics	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	
T-WIWI-111109	KD <sup>2</sup> Lab Hands-On Research Course: New Ways and Tools in Experimental Economics	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	
T-WIWI-107504	Smart Grid Applications	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4 (2), 1-3 SPO) of the core course and further single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

# Competence Goal

The students

- know the design criterias of market mechanisms and the systematic approach to create new markets,
- understand the basics of the mechanism design and auction theory,
- analyze and evaluate existing markets regarding the missing incentives and the optimal solution of a given market mechanism, respectively,
- develop solutions in teams.

### Content

This module explains the dependencies between the design von markets and their success. Markets are complex interaction of different institution and participants in a market behave strategically according to the market rules. The development and the design of markets or market mechanisms has a strong influence on the behavior of the participants. A systematic approach and a thorough analysis of existing markets is inevitable to design, create and operate a market place successfully. the approaches for a systematic analysis are explained in the mandatory course *Market Engineering* [2540460] by discussing theories about mechanism design and institutional economics. The student can deepen his knowledge about markets in a second course.

# Workload

The total workload for this module is approx. 270 hours (9 credits). The distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module. The workload for courses with 4.5 credits is approx. 135 hours for courses with 5 credits approx. 150 hours.

The total number of hours per course results from the time required to attend the lectures and exercises, as well as the examination times and the time required to achieve the learning objectives of the module for an average student for an average performance.

# Recommendation

None



# 5.127 Module: Marketing and Sales Management [M-WIWI-105312]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martin Klarmann

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each summer term	1 term	English	4	8

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: )					
T-WIWI-112693	Digital Marketing	4,5 CR	Kupfer		
T-WIWI-106981	Digital Marketing and Sales in B2B	1,5 CR	Klarmann, Konhäuser		
T-WIWI-110985	International Business Development and Sales	6 CR	Casenave , Klarmann, Terzidis		
T-WIWI-111099	Judgement and Decision Making	4,5 CR	Scheibehenne		
T-WIWI-107720	Market Research	4,5 CR	Klarmann		
T-WIWI-111848	Online Concepts for Karlsruhe City Retailers	3 CR	Klarmann		
T-WIWI-102883	Pricing	4,5 CR	Klarmann		

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4(2) of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. For passing the module exam in every singled partial exam the respective minimum requirements has to be achieved.

When every singled examination is passed, the overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

# Prerequisites

None

# Competence Goal

Students

- have an advanced knowledge about central marketing contents
- have a fundamental understanding of the marketing instruments
- know and understand several strategic concepts and how to implement them
- are able to implement their extensive marketing knowledge in a practical context
- know several qualitative and quantitative approaches to prepare decisions in Marketing
- have the theoretical knowledge to write a master thesis in Marketing
- have the theoretical knowledge to work in/together with the Marketing department

### Content

The aim of this module is to deepen central marketing contents in different areas.

# Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours.



# 5.128 Module: Mathematical Programming [M-WIWI-101473]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Stein

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Operations Research)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>8

Compulsory Elective	e Courses (Election: at most 2 items)		
T-WIWI-102719	Mixed Integer Programming I	4,5 CR	Stein
T-WIWI-102726	Global Optimization I	4,5 CR	Stein
T-WIWI-103638	Global Optimization I and II	9 CR	Stein
T-WIWI-102856	Convex Analysis	4,5 CR	Stein
T-WIWI-111587	Multicriteria Optimization	4,5 CR	Stein
T-WIWI-102724	Nonlinear Optimization I	4,5 CR	Stein
T-WIWI-103637	Nonlinear Optimization I and II	9 CR	Stein
T-WIWI-102855	Parametric Optimization	4,5 CR	Stein
Supplementary Cou	rses (Election: at most 2 items)	•	
T-WIWI-106548	Advanced Stochastic Optimization	4,5 CR	Rebennack
T-WIWI-102720	Mixed Integer Programming II	4,5 CR	Stein
T-WIWI-102727	Global Optimization II	4,5 CR	Stein
T-WIWI-102723	Graph Theory and Advanced Location Models	4,5 CR	Nickel
T-WIWI-106549	Large-scale Optimization	4,5 CR	Rebennack
T-WIWI-111247	Mathematics for High Dimensional Statistics	4,5 CR	Grothe
T-WIWI-103124	Multivariate Statistical Methods	4,5 CR	Grothe
T-WIWI-102725	Nonlinear Optimization II	4,5 CR	Stein
T-WIWI-102715	Operations Research in Supply Chain Management	4,5 CR	Nickel
T-WIWI-112109	Topics in Stochastic Optimization	4,5 CR	Rebennack

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4(2), 1 or 2 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module seperately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

# **Prerequisites**

At least one of the courses "Mixed Integer Programming I", "Multicriteria Optimization", "Convex Analysis", "Parametric Optimization", "Nonlinear Optimization I" and "Global Optimization I" has to be taken.

# **Competence Goal**

The student

- names and describes basic notions for advanced optimization methods, in particular from continuous and mixed integer programming,
- knows the indispensable methods and models for quantitative analysis,
- models and classifies optimization problems and chooses the appropriate solution methods to solve also challenging
  optimization problems independently and, if necessary, with the aid of a computer,
- validates, illustrates and interprets the obtained solutions,
- identifies drawbacks of the solution methods and, if necessary, is able to makes suggestions to adapt them to practical problems.

### Content

The modul focuses on theoretical foundations as well as solution algorithms for optimization problems with continuous and mixed integer decision variables.

# **Annotation**

The lectures are partly offered irregularly. The curriculum of the next three years is available online (www.ior.kit.edu).

For the lectures of Prof. Stein a grade of 30 % of the exercise course has to be fulfilled. The description of the particular lectures is more detailed.

# Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours.



# 5.129 Module: Meshes and Point Clouds [M-INFO-100812]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Hartmut Prautzsch
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthEach term1 termEnglish41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101349	Meshes and Point Clouds	3 CR	Prautzsch

# **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievement.

## **Prerequisites**

See partial achievement.

# Competence Goal

Students of this course will have a basic understanding about discrete surface representations and are able to handle basic geometry processing problems for shape design.

#### Content

Thanks to various imaging techniques, discrete, i.e. piecewise constant or linear, representations of surfaces and solids are commonly used to represent surfaces and solids alongside established representations of higher degree and smoothness.

In this course, methods are presented (1) to represent surfaces by point clouds, octrees, hierarchical sphere clouds, triangle fans, Delaunay meshes, and meshes of planar quadrilaterals, (2) methods to obtain triangle meshes from point clouds and distance functions, (3) to simplify or compress meshes, (4) to smooth meshes and remove noise, (5) to segment meshes according to different criteria, (6) to subdivide and refine meshes, (7) to complete shape by neuronal nets, (8) to animate and deform meshes, and others.

# Workload

90h of which about 30h for attending the lecture

30h for post-processing

30h for exam preparation



# 5.130 Module: Microeconomic Theory [M-WIWI-101500]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Clemens Puppe

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Economics)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>4

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: at least 9 credits)					
T-WIWI-102609	Advanced Topics in Economic Theory	4,5 CR	Mitusch		
T-WIWI-102861	Advanced Game Theory	4,5 CR	Ehrhart, Puppe, Reiß		
T-WIWI-102613	Auction Theory	4,5 CR	Ehrhart		
T-WIWI-105781	Incentives in Organizations	4,5 CR	Nieken		
T-WIWI-113264	Matching Theory	4,5 CR	Puppe		
T-WIWI-102859	Social Choice Theory	4,5 CR	Puppe		

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4(2), 1 or 2 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

# **Prerequisites**

None

# Competence Goal

Students

- are able to model practical microoeconomic problems mathematically and to analyze them with respect to positive and normative questions,
- understand individual incentives and social outcomes of different institutional designs.

Here is an example of a positive question: what firm decisions does a specific regulatory policy result in under imperfect competition? An example of a normative question would be: which voting rule has appealing properties?

# Content

The module teaches advanced concepts and content in microeconomic theory. Thematically, it offers a formally rigorous treatment of game theory and exemplary applications, such as strategic interaction on markets and non-/cooperative bargaining ("Advanced Game Theory"), as well as specialized courses dedicated to auctions ("Auktionstheorie") and incentive systems in organizations ("Incentives in Organizations"). Moreover, it offers the opportunity to delve deeper into the mathematical theory of voting and collective decision making, i.e. the systematic aggregation of preferences and judgments ("Social Choice Theory").

# Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours

The exact distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.

Version

1



# 5.131 Module: Mobile Communication [M-INFO-100785]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Oliver Waldhorst

Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevel4Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 termGerman4

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101322	Mobile Communication	4 CR	Waldhorst, Zitterbart



# 5.132 Module: Model-Driven Software Development [M-INFO-100741]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ralf Reussner

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

**Credits** Grading scale Grade to a tenth

**Recurrence**Each winter term

Duration 1 term **Language** German Level 4 Version 1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101278	Model Driven Software Development	3 CR	Reussner

# Prerequisites

None



# 5.133 Module: Modeling the Dynamics of Financial Markets [M-WIWI-106660]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Maxim Ulrich

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion9Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termEnglish41

Mandatory			
T-WIWI-113414	Modeling the Dynamics of Financial Markets	9 CR	Ulrich

# **Competence Certificate**

The module examination takes the form of a one-hour written comprehensive examination on the courses "Dynamic Capital Market Theory", "Essentials for Dynamic Financial Machine Learning" and "Exercises, Python, Research Frontier in Dynamic Capital Markets".

# Competence Goal

# **Dynamic Capital Market Theory:**

Professional competence:

- Understanding of the principles of Dynamic Asset Pricing Theory
- Mastery of concepts such as stochastic calculus and dynamic modeling in discrete and continuous time
- Application of dynamic programming theory to portfolio and investment decisions
- Knowledge of pricing bonds, stocks, futures and options markets.

# Interdisciplinary skills:

- Develop analytical skills for working on and solving complex problems in finance
- Ability to apply theoretical models to real financial market scenarios.

# **Essentials for Dynamic Financial Machine Learning:**

**Professional Competence:** 

- Competencies in Multivariate Time Series Modeling and Dynamic Volatility Modeling.
- Skills in dealing with big financial data.
- Knowledge in the estimation of risk premia and the application of Kalman Filtering.

# Interdisciplinary skills:

- Analytical skills in applying machine learning algorithms to dynamic financial market data.
- Development of problem-solving skills through the practical application of Python in financial data analysis.

#### Content

### **Dynamic Capital Market Theory:**

The course "Dynamic Capital Market Theory" offers an introduction to the modeling of dynamic capital markets. Portfolio holdings and asset prices move dynamically across time and states. This course teaches basic financial economic thinking to help understand why this is the case and how to optimally act in such environments.

Next to the asset pricing focus, the second focus of the course is on optimal portfolio choice (robo advisory). For that, this course develops the theory of dynamic programming in discrete and continuous time and applies it to solve portfolio choice and corporate investment decisions. These concepts are key for financial engineering and the machine learning branch of Reinforcement Learning.

Students obtain proficiency in the following topics:

- Dynamic Valuation and Optimal Dynamic Asset Allocation
- Dynamic modeling in discrete time and continuous time
- Stochastic Calculus
- · Markov Decision Processes and Dynamic Programming in discrete time and continuous time
- · Pricing of bonds, equity, futures and options

Lectures (2 SWS) develop all concepts on the whiteboard.

# **Essentials for Dynamic Financial Machine Learning:**

The course "Essentials for Dynamic Financial Machine Learning" teaches students to work with financial data, algorithms and statistical concepts.

Students are exposed to algorithms to learn key quantities of dynamic capital markets, such as time-varying risk premia, time-varying volatility and unobserved realizations of random states. The course covers the following concepts:

- Multivariate time series modeling
- Dynamic volatility modeling
- Handling big financial data
- Estimating risk premia
- Kalman Filtering

Weekly lectures (2 SWS) develop all algorithmic material on the whiteboard.

### Exercises, Python, Research Frontier in Dynamic Capital Markets:

This course provides hands-on experience in implementing concepts from dynamic capital market theory and financial machine learning using Python. Students will develop practical skills in coding and data analysis that complement the theoretical knowledge gained in the companion courses. The course covers:

- Introduction to Python for financial applications Data manipulation and visualization with pandas and matplotlib.
- Implementing dynamic portfolio optimization algorithms.
- Coding stochastic processes and simulations.
- Building and testing time series models.
- Applying machine learning techniques to financial data.
- Developing Reinforcement Learning algorithms for trading strategies.
- Implementing and backtesting option pricing models.
- · Creating interactive financial dashboards

Weekly computer lab sessions (2 SWS) will guide students through coding exercises and problem sets that directly relate to topics covered in "Dynamic Capital Market Theory" and "Essentials for Dynamic Financial Machine Learning". Students will work on individual and group projects, applying their programming skills to real-world financial problems and current research questions in dynamic capital markets.

This course forms an integral part of the module, complementing the theoretical components with practical implementation skills essential for modern quantitative finance.

### Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours. The exact distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module:

- Dynamic Capital Market Theory: 3 CP
- Essentials for Dynamic Financial Machine Learning: 3 CP
- Exercises, Python, Research Frontier in Dynamic Capital Markets: 3 CP

The total number of hours per course is determined by the amount of time spent attending the lectures and tutorials, as well as the exam times and the time required to achieve the module's learning objectives for an average student for an average performance.

# Recommendation

Recommendation: Knowledge in the fields of Advanced Statistics, Deep Learning, Financial Economics, Differential Equations, Optimization.

# Learning type

The module consists of two weekly lectures and respective tutorials:

- 1. Dynamic Capital Market Theory and
- 2. Essentials for Dynamic Financial Machine Learning.
- 3. Exercises, Python, Research Frontier in Dynamic Capital Markets



# 5.134 Module: Module Master's Thesis [M-WIWI-104833]

Responsible: Studiendekan der KIT-Fakultät für Informatik

Studiendekan des KIT-Studienganges

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Master's Thesis

Credits<br/>30Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>3Version<br/>3

Mandatory					
T-WIWI-103142	Master's Thesis	30 CR	Studiendekan der KIT- Fakultät für Informatik, Studiendekan des KIT- Studienganges		

### **Competence Certificate**

At least one of the examiners must be a member of one of the two KIT faculties of Economics or Computer Science. The examiner must be involved in the degree program. The persons involved in the degree program are those who coordinate modules and/or are responsible for courses for the degree program.

If the Master's thesis is to be completed outside the KIT departments Economics and Management or Informatics, this requires the approval of the Examination Board.

If the thesis is not passed, it may be repeated once. A new topic must be issued. The same topic may not be repeated. This also applies to comparable topics. In case of doubt, the examination board will decide. The new topic may again be supervised by the examiners of the first thesis.

This regulation also applies analogously after an official withdrawal from a registered topic.

### **Prerequisites**

Regulated in §14 of the examination regulation.

### **Competence Goal**

The student can independently handle a complex and unfamiliar subject based on scientific criteria and the current state of research.

He/she is in a position to critically analyze and structure the researched information as well as derive principles and regularities. He/she knows how to apply the thereby achieved results to solve the task at hand. Taking into account this knowledge and his/her interdisciplinary knowledge, he/she can draw own conclusions, derive improvement potentials, propose and implement science-based decisions.

This is basically also done under consideration of social and/or ethical aspects.

He/she can interpret, evaluate and if required, graphically present the obtained results.

He/she is in a position to sensibly structure a research paper, document results and clearly communicate the results in scientific form.

#### Content

- The Master's thesis should demonstrate that the candidate is able to work independently on a problem from their subject within the specified time frame using scientific methods that correspond to the current state of research.
- The Master's thesis can also be written in English.
- The Master's thesis can be assigned by any examiner (within the meaning of the SPO). If the Master's thesis is to be written outside the two participating faculties (Computer Science or Economics), this requires the approval of the Examination Board. The candidate must be given the opportunity to make suggestions for the topic.
- The Master's thesis may also be approved in the form of a group thesis if the contribution of the individual candidate to be assessed as an examination achievement is clearly distinguishable on the basis of objective criteria that enable a clear distinction to be made and fulfills the requirements for a Master's thesis.
- At the candidate's request, the Chair of the Examination Board shall, by way of exception, ensure that the candidate receives a topic for the Master's thesis from a supervisor within four weeks of submitting the request. In this case, the topic is issued by the Chair of the Examination Board.
- The topic, task and scope of the Master's thesis must be limited by the supervisor in such a way that the Master's thesis can be completed with the specified workload of 30 CPs.
- When submitting the Master's thesis, the student must declare in writing that he/she has written the thesis independently and has not used any sources and aids other than those specified by him/her, has marked the passages taken verbatim or in terms of content as such and has observed the statutes of the University of Karlsruhe (TH) to ensure good scientific practice in the currently valid version. If this declaration is not included, the thesis will not be accepted. If an untrue declaration is submitted, the Master's thesis will be assessed as "insufficient" (5.0).
- The date on which the topic of the Master's thesis is issued and the date on which the Master's thesis is submitted must be recorded with the Examination Board. The candidate may only return the topic of the Master's thesis once, and only within the first two months of the completion period. Upon justified request by the candidate, the Examination Board may extend the completion period stipulated in the SPO by a maximum of three months. If the Master's thesis is not submitted on time, it will be graded as "insufficient", unless the candidate is not responsible for this failure (e.g. maternity leave).
- The Master's thesis is assessed and evaluated by a supervisor and, as a rule, by a further examiner from the other faculty of the two participating departments (Department of Informatics, Department of Economics and Management). One of the two must be a junior professor or professor. If the two examiners do not agree in their assessment, the Examination Board will determine the grade of the Master's thesis based on the assessment of the two examiners.
- The assessment period should not exceed 8 weeks.

### Workload

A total of approx. 900 hours is expected for the preparation and presentation of the Master's thesis. In addition to writing the thesis, this figure includes all necessary activities such as literature research, familiarization with the topic, familiarization with any necessary tools, conducting studies/experiments, supervision meetings, etc.



# 5.135 Module: Natural Language Dialog Systems [M-INFO-102414]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Jan Niehues

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>IrregularDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>2

Mandatory			
T-INFO-104780	Practical Course Natural Language Dialog Systems	6 CR	Niehues



# 5.136 Module: Natural Language Processing [M-INFO-105999]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Jan Niehues

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-112177	Natural Language Processing	6 CR	Niehues



# 5.137 Module: Natural Language Processing and Software Engineering [M-INFO-100735]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Anne Koziolek **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101272	Natural Language Processing and Software Engineering	3 CR	Koziolek



# 5.138 Module: Network Economics [M-WIWI-101406]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Kay Mitusch

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Economics)

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	1 term	German/English	4	3

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: 9 credits)			
T-WIWI-100005	Competition in Networks	4,5 CR	Mitusch
T-WIWI-100007	Transport Economics	4,5 CR	Mitusch, Szimba
T-WIWI-102609	Advanced Topics in Economic Theory	4,5 CR	Mitusch
T-WIWI-102712	Regulation Theory and Practice	4,5 CR	Mitusch
T-WIWI-113147	Telecommunications and Internet – Economics and Policy	4,5 CR	Mitusch

# **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4(2), 1 or 2 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module.

The exams are offered at the beginning of the recess period about the subject matter of the latest held lecture. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade for the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

### **Prerequisites**

None

# Competence Goal

The students

- have acquired the basic knowledge for a future job in a network company or in a regulatory agency, ministry etc.
- recognize the specific characterizations of network sectors, know fundamental methods for an economic analysis of network sectors and recognize the interfaces for an interdisciplinary cooperation of economists, engineers and lawyers
- understand the interactions between infrastructures, control systems, and the users of networks, especially concerning their implications on investments, price setting and competitive behavior, and they can model or simulate exemplary applications
- can assess the necessity of regulation of natural monopolies and identify regulatory measures that are important for networks.

# Content

The module is concerned with network or infrastructure industries in the economy, e.g. telecommunication, traffic and energy sectors. These sectors are characterized by close interdependencies of operators and users of infrastructure as well as on states. States intervene in various forms, by the public and regulation authorities, due to the importance of network industries and due to limited abilities of markets to work properly in these industries. The students are supposed to develop a broad knowledge of these sectors and of the political options available.

### Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours

The exact distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.

# Recommendation

Basics of microeconomics obtained within the undergraduate programme (B.Sc) of economics are required.



## 5.139 Module: Network Security: Architectures and Protocols [M-INFO-100782]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion4Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101319	Network Security: Architectures and Protocols	4 CR	Zitterbart



## 5.140 Module: Next Generation Internet [M-INFO-100784]

**Responsible:** Dr.-Ing. Roland Bless

Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion4Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101321	Next Generation Internet	4 CR	Bless, Zitterbart



### 5.141 Module: Operations Research in Supply Chain Management [M-WIWI-102832]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Stefan Nickel

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Operations Research)

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion9Grade to a tenthEach term2 termsGerman/English49

#### **Election notes**

At least one of the courses "Operations Research in Supply Chain Management", "Graph Theory and Advanced Location Models", "Modeling and OR-Software: Advanced Topics" and "Special Topics of Stochastic Optimization (elective)" has to be taken. Students who choose the module in the field "compulsory elective modules" may select any two courses of the module.

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: between 1 and 2 items)					
T-WIWI-102723	Graph Theory and Advanced Location Models	4,5 CR	Nickel		
T-WIWI-106200	Modeling and OR-Software: Advanced Topics	4,5 CR	Nickel		
T-WIWI-102715	Operations Research in Supply Chain Management	4,5 CR	Nickel		
Supplementary Cou	Supplementary Courses (Election: at most 1 item)				
T-MACH-112213	Applied material flow simulation	4,5 CR	Baumann		
T-WIWI-106546	Introduction to Stochastic Optimization	4,5 CR	Rebennack		
T-WIWI-102718	Discrete-Event Simulation in Production and Logistics	4,5 CR	Spieckermann		
T-WIWI-102719	Mixed Integer Programming I	4,5 CR	Stein		
T-WIWI-102720	Mixed Integer Programming II	4,5 CR	Stein		
T-WIWI-106549	Large-scale Optimization	4,5 CR	Rebennack		
T-WIWI-111587	Multicriteria Optimization	4,5 CR	Stein		
T-WIWI-112109	Topics in Stochastic Optimization	4,5 CR	Rebennack		

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to § 4(2), 1 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module.

The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module seperately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

At least one of the courses "Operations Research in Supply Chain Management", "Graph Theory and Advanced Location Models", "Modeling and OR-Software: Advanced Topics" and "Special Topics of Stochastic Optimization (elective)" has to be taken.

#### **Competence Goal**

The student

- is familiar with basic concepts and terms of Supply Chain Management,
- knows the different areas of SCM and their respective optimization problems,
- is acquainted with classical location problem models (in planes, in networks and discrete) as well as fundamental methods
  for distribution and transport planning, inventory planning and management,
- is able to model practical problems mathematically and estimate their complexity as well as choose and adapt appropriate solution methods.

#### Content

Supply Chain Management is concerned with the planning and optimization of the entire, inter-company procurement, production and distribution process for several products taking place between different business partners (suppliers, logistics service providers, dealers). The main goal is to minimize the overall costs while taking into account several constraints including the satisfaction of customer demands.

This module considers several areas of SCM. On the one hand, the determination of optimal locations within a supply chain is addressed. Strategic decisions concerning the location of facilities as production plants, distribution centers or warehouses are of high importance for the rentability of Supply Chains. Thoroughly carried out, location planning tasks allow an efficient flow of materials and lead to lower costs and increased customer service. On the other hand, the planning of material transport in the context of supply chain management represents another focus of this module. By linking transport connections and different facilities, the material source (production plant) is connected with the material sink (customer). For given material flows or shipments, it is considered how to choose the optimal (in terms of minimal costs) distribution and transportation chain from the set of possible logistics chains, which asserts the compliance of delivery times and further constraints. Furthermore, this module offers the possibility to learn about different aspects of the tactical and operational planning level in Suppy Chain Mangement, including methods of scheduling as well as different approaches in procurement and distribution logistics. Finally, issues of warehousing and inventory management will be discussed.

#### Annotation

Some lectures and courses are offered irregularly.

The planned lectures and courses for the next three years are announced online.

#### Workload

Total effort for 9 credits: ca. 270 hours

• Presence time: 84 hours

Preparation/Wrap-up: 112 hours

• Examination and examination preparation: 74 hours

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge as conveyed in the module Introduction to Operations Research is assumed.



# 5.142 Module: Optimization and Synthesis of Embedded Systems (ES1) [M-INFO-100830]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jörg Henkel **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101367	Optimization and Synthesis of Embedded Systems (ES1)	3 CR	Henkel



### 5.143 Module: Parallel Algorithms [M-INFO-100796]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scale<br/>5Recurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>3

Mandatory				
T-INFO-101333	Parallel Algorithms	4 CR	Sanders	
T-INFO-111857	Parallel Algorithms Pass	1 CR	Sanders	

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievement.

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievement.

#### **Competence Goal**

The students acquire a systematic understanding for algorithmic problems and their solutions in the field of parallel algorithms, building on existing knowledge in algorithmics. Additionally, they are able to apply learned techniques to related problems and to interpret and comprehend current research topics.

After successful attendance of the course, the students are able to

- explain terms, structures, basic problem definitions and algorithms from the lecture;
- decide which algorithms and data structures are suitable for solving a given problem and, if necessary, adapt them to the requirements of a specific problem;
- execute algorithms and data structures, conduct a mathematically precise analysis, and prove their algorithmic properties;
- explain machine models from the lecture and analyze algorithms and data structures in them;
- analyze new problems from application contexts, reduce them to their algorithmic core and design an abstract model; design own solutions in this model using concepts and techniques from the lecture, analyze them and prove the algorithmic properties.

#### Content

Models and their relation to real machines:

- shared memory PRAM
- message passing BSP
- circuits

Analysis: speedup, efficiency, scalability

Basic techniques:

- SPMD
- parallel divide-and-conquer
- collective communication
- load balancing

Concrete algorithms (examples):

- collective communication (including large data volumes): broadcast,
- reduce, prefix sums, all-to-all exchange
- matrix computations
- sorting
- list ranking
- minimum spanning trees
- load balancing: master worker with adaptive problem size, random
- polling, random distribution

#### Workload

Lecture and exercise with 3 semester hours per week, 5 ECTS correspond to approx. 150 working hours, consisting of

- approx. 30 h attendance of the lecture and exercise session / block seminar
- approx. 60 h preparation and follow-up work
- approx. 30 h working on exercise sheets / preparation of seminar presentation
- approx. 30 h exam preparation

### Recommendation

The partial achievement Parallel Algorithms Exercise must be started before.



# **5.144** Module: Parallel Computer Systems and Parallel Programming [M-INFO-100808]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Achim Streit

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion4Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101345	Parallel Computer Systems and Parallel Programming	4 CR	Streit



## 5.145 Module: Pattern Recognition [M-INFO-100825]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jürgen Beyerer **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>2

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101362	Pattern Recognition	6 CR	Beyerer, Zander



## 5.146 Module: Penetration Testing Lab [M-INFO-104895]

**Responsible:** Dr.-Ing. Ingmar Baumgart

Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion4Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-109929	Penetration Testing Lab	4 CR	Baumgart, Müller- Quade



## 5.147 Module: Photorealistic Rendering [M-INFO-100731]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Carsten Dachsbacher **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>2

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101268	Photorealistic Rendering	5 CR	Dachsbacher



## 5.148 Module: Practical Course Applied Telematics [M-INFO-101889]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 termGerman42

Mandatory			
T-INFO-103585	Practical Course Applied Telematics	3 CR	Zitterbart



## 5.149 Module: Practical Course Automatic Speech Recognition [M-INFO-102411]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Alexander Waibel
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-104775	Practical Course Automatic Speech Recognition	3 CR	Waibel



# 5.150 Module: Practical Course Computer Vision for Human-Computer Interaction [M-INFO-102966]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Rainer Stiefelhagen
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>3

Mandatory			
T-INFO-105943	Practical Course Computer Vision for Human-Computer Interaction	6 CR	Stiefelhagen



# 5.151 Module: Practical Course Decentralized Systems and Network Services [M-INFO-103047]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Hannes Hartenstein
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>4Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>IrregularDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-106063	Practical Course Decentralized Systems and Network Services	4 CR	Hartenstein



### 5.152 Module: Practical Course FPGA Programming [M-INFO-102661]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Mehdi Baradaran Tahoori **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-105576	Practical Course FPGA Programming	3 CR	Tahoori

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### Competence Goal

Students will learn to design and to simulate digital circuits with FPGA.

#### Content

This lab emphasizes on the practical aspects of Field Programmable Gate Arrays (FPGAs). In the beginning, a short background introduction on FPGAs is given, followed by a tutorial on the workflow of configuring and programming an FPGA. This lab includes FPGA design using schematic layouts as well as several example of VHDL/Verilog programming to implement some sample digital circuits. Students will learn to design and to simulate digital circuits with FPGA. The design will be compiled on run a FPGA. The lab is designed around the DE2-115 prototyping board, which provides a programmer, program memory, and array of switches, buttons, LEDs, an LCD, and several I/O ports.

#### Workload

4 SWS / 3 CP = 90 h/week

### Recommendation

Knowledge of "Dependable Computing" and "Fault Tolerant Computing" and Computer Architecture is helpful.



# **5.153** Module: Practical Course Model-Driven Software Development [M-INFO-101579]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ralf Reussner

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion6Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-103029	Practical Course Model-Driven Software Development	6 CR	Reussner



## 5.154 Module: Practical Course on Network Security Research [M-INFO-105413]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthIrregular1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-110938	Practical Course on Network Security Research	3 CR	Hock, Zitterbart



## 5.155 Module: Practical Course Protocol Engineering [M-INFO-102092]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion4Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-104386	Practical Course Protocol Engineering	4 CR	Zitterbart



## 5.156 Module: Practical Course Software Defined Networking [M-INFO-101891]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-103587	Practical Course Software Defined Networking	6 CR	Zitterbart



# 5.157 Module: Practical Course: Advanced Topics in High Performance Computing, Data Management and Analytics [M-INFO-105870]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Achim Streit

Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory	Mandatory		
	Practical Course: Advanced Topics in High Performance Computing, Data Management and Analytics	6 CR	Streit

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achivements (Teilleitung)

#### Competence Goal

Students know and can apply tools and techniques in the fields of high-performance computing, data management and data analysis. They acquire the possibility to analyze complex scenarios and develop solutions for this. Besides working on the content, students improve their competences in communication and presentation.

#### Content

Participants will have the chance to deepen their knowledge of high-performance computing, data management and data analysis and to apply it in a practical way. The tasks to be worked on come from the subfields:

- HPC simulations (e.g., parallelization, MPI, performance engineering)
- HPC systems and operating environment (e.g., On Demand File Systems, Infiniband Networks, Job Scheduling)
- Machine Learning and Data Mining (e.g., RapidMiner, scikit)
- Data-Intensive Computing (e.g., Hadoop, Spark).
- HPC and data analysis with Python (e.g., Numpy, Scipy, Pandas, Dask, Parsl)
- Distributed & Parallel File Systems (e.g., glusterFS, BeeGFS)
- Object Storage (e.g., S3, CEPH)
- Data Management System (e.g., dCache, iRods)
- Databases (e.g., SQL, NoSQL)
- Workflow management systems for HPC and data analysis (e.g., FireWorks, AiiDA, SimStack)
- Opportunistic resource integration and utilization (e.g., using COBalD/TARDIS)
- Authentication and authorization infrastructure (e.g., OpenID, SAML)

Students are individually supervised by scientific staff of the Scientific Centre for Computing and can apply their skills in a practical and research-oriented way by being involved in current research tasks (e.g., Helmholtz program, BMBF and EU projects).

#### Workload

3 SWS = 150 h per semester

- 12 h in meetings during the semester (kick-off, regular meetings with the supervisor, final meeting including presentation)
- 18 h preparation of meetings
- 120 h working on the topic and preparation of the exam

### Recommendation

Knowledge in the area of databases, data management, data analytics, parallel computing is helpful.



# 5.158 Module: Practical Course: Current Topics of Quantum Computing [M-INFO-106286]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Ina Schaefer

Prof. Dr. Achim Streit

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>2

Mandatory			
T-INFO-112741	Practical Course: Current Topics of Quantum Computing	6 CR	Schaefer, Streit

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### Competence Goal

Students can understand scientifically motivated problems and process relevant literature to address the problem and possible solutions in cooperation with their supervisors. Using current quantum software frameworks, students can implement and evaluate practical solutions. Using the acquired knowledge and referring to current research results, students are able to interpret and comprehend their results. At regular meetings, progress is presented and possible obstacles are explained. Students can document the theory behind the solutions they have developed and present them in a comprehensible way.

#### Content

This practical course focuses on the theoretical analysis and practical implementation of current topics in quantum computing. The introduction covers necessary mathematical foundations of quantum systems and their representation by qubits and quantum circuits before delving into the specifics of the topics offered. Possible topics include quantum algorithms, optimization of quantum systems, quantum software engineering, or quantum machine learning.

There are fixed dates for topic assignment and lectures to introduce the topic of quantum computing. Additional face-to-face meetings to discuss individual progress are coordinated individually between the participants and supervisors. Participants work on separate tasks that are defined on the basis of current research work and thus offer realistic problems from practice and research. Assignments are graded individually, group work is possible. Prior knowledge and areas of interest of the participants are taken into account when assigning the topics.

#### Workload

- Attendance time 20h (Kick-off, introduction to theoretical aspects and topical areas, supervision meetings, closing event)
- Familiarization 20h
- Preparation of report and presentation 20h
- Independent work on the topic 120h
- Total 180h / 30 = 6 ECTS

#### Recommendation

- Knowledge of linear algebra is recommended
- Programming experience is helpful.



# **5.159** Module: Practical Course: Customized Embedded Processor Design [M-INFO-105740]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jörg Henkel **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion4Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-111457	Practical Course: Customized Embedded Processor Design	4 CR	Henkel



## 5.160 Module: Practical Course: Data Science [M-INFO-105632]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Klemens Böhm **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>pass/failRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-111262	Practical Course: Data Science	6 CR	Böhm



## 5.161 Module: Practical Course: Data Science for Scientific Data [M-INFO-106329]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Klemens Böhm **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>pass/failRecurrence<br/>IrregularDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-112844	Practical Course: Data Science for Scientific Data	6 CR	Böhm



## 5.162 Module: Practical Course: Database Systems [M-INFO-101662]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Klemens Böhm **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scale<br/>4Recurrence<br/>pass/failDuration<br/>Each winter termLanguage<br/>1 termLevel<br/>GermanVersion<br/>4

Mandatory			
T-INFO-103201	Practical Course: Database Systems	4 CR	Böhm



# 5.163 Module: Practical Course: Digital Design & Test Automation Flow [M-INFO-102570]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Mehdi Baradaran Tahoori **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-105565	Practical Course Digital Design & Test Automation Flow	3 CR	Tahoori

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### Competence Goal

The objective of this lab is to have a hands-on practice on major steps in digital design and test automation flow, from system-level specification to physical design and verification.

#### Content

Electronic Design Automation (EDA) is used to develop nearly all novel electronic systems that we use in our daily lives, such as smartphones or laptops. In order to manage the high complexity of these systems, all steps in the design and verification phases are done automatically with the help of EDA tools.

The objective of this lab is to have a hands-on practice on major steps in digital design and test automation flow, from system-level specification to physical design and verification, using industrial EDA toolsets which are predominantly used in the industry and academia.

The students will work on some sample designs and go through all major design and test steps, one by one, in different sessions of the lab. So, by the end of this lab, they become familiar with the steps and tool chain in the digital design and test automation flow. The topics include system-level specification and simulation; high-level synthesis; logic-level synthesis and simulation; design for testability; test pattern generation and fault simulation; physical design and verification; timing analysis and closure; area, delay, and power estimation and analysis.

#### Workload

4 SWS / 3 CP = 90 h/week

### Recommendation

Knowledge of "Dependable Computing" and "Fault Tolerant Computing" and Computer Architecture is helpful.



### 5.164 Module: Practical Course: Discrete Freeform Surfaces [M-INFO-101667]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Hartmut Prautzsch
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

**Credits** Grading scale
6 Grade to a tenth

**Recurrence** Each winter term

**Duration** 1 term

**Language** English

Level 4 Version 1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-103208	Practical Course: Discrete Freeform Surfaces	6 CR	Prautzsch

### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievement.

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievement.

#### **Competence Goal**

The students of this course understand selected geometry processing problems with discrete representations (meshes and point clouds) and are able to develop and implement algorithms for their solutions.

#### Content

Current techniques to design, analyze and handle shapes given by point clouds and meshes for various applications.

#### Workload

180 h



# 5.165 Module: Practical Course: General-Purpose Computation on Graphics Processing Units [M-INFO-100724]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Carsten Dachsbacher **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>2

Mandatory				
T-INFO-109914	Practical Course: General-Purpose Computation on Graphics	3 CR	Dachsbacher	
	Processing Units			



## 5.166 Module: Practical Course: Geometric Modeling [M-INFO-101666]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Hartmut Prautzsch **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-103207	Practical Course: Geometric Modeling	3 CR	Prautzsch

### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievement.

### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievement.

#### **Competence Goal**

The students of this course understand selected geometry modelling problems and are able to develop and implement algorithms for their solutions.

#### Content

Current CAD-techniques to design, represent, modify and analyze shapes given as solids or by their boundary surfaces.

#### Workload

90 h



## 5.167 Module: Practical Course: Graphics and Game Development [M-INFO-105384]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Carsten Dachsbacher **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>IrregularDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-110872	Practical Course: Graphics and Game Development	6 CR	Dachsbacher



# 5.168 Module: Practical Course: Hot Research Topics in Computer Graphics [M-INFO-104699]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Carsten Dachsbacher **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
6	Grade to a tenth	Irregular	1 term	German/English	4	1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-109577	Practical Course: Hot Research Topics in Computer Graphics	6 CR	Dachsbacher

#### **Competence Goal**

Students study scientific publications on currently hot topics of computer graphics, implement and evaluate state of the art methods, and compare them to newly developed approaches. The results of the practical course will be documented in the form of a scientific paper.

#### Content

Students in this practical course are introduced to theoretical and practical aspects of current research topics at the chair of computer graphics.



# 5.169 Module: Practical Course: Machine Learning and Intelligent Systems [M-INFO-105958]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Uwe Hanebeck **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>8Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-112104	Practical Course: Machine Learning and Intelligent Systems	8 CR	Fennel, Hanebeck



## 5.170 Module: Practical Course: Neural Network Exercises [M-INFO-103143]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Alexander Waibel
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-106259	Practical Course: Neural Network Exercises	3 CR	Waibel



## 5.171 Module: Practical Course: Programme Verification [M-INFO-101537]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Bernhard Beckert **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthIrregular1 termGerman/English41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-102953	Practical Course: Programme Verification	3 CR	Beckert



## 5.172 Module: Practical Course: Scientific Data Management [M-INFO-106312]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Klemens Böhm **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion4pass/failIrregular1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-112810	Practical Course: Scientific Data Management	4 CR	Böhm



# 5.173 Module: Practical Course: Smart Data Analytics [M-INFO-103235]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Michael Beigl
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion6Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-106426	Practical Course: Smart Data Analytics	6 CR	Beigl



# 5.174 Module: Practical Course: Smart Energy System Lab [M-INFO-105955]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Veit Hagenmeyer
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion6Grade to a tenthEach term1 termGerman/English41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-112030	Practical Course: Smart Energy System Lab	6 CR	Waczowicz



# 5.175 Module: Practical Course: Visual Computing [M-INFO-101567]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Carsten Dachsbacher **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-103000	Practical Course: Visual Computing	6 CR	Dachsbacher



# 5.176 Module: Practical Course: Web Applications and Service-Oriented Architectures (II) [M-INFO-101635]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Sebastian Abeck
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>2

Mandatory			
T-INFO-103121	Practical Course: Web Applications and Service-Oriented Architectures (II)	5 CR	Abeck



# 5.177 Module: Practical Introduction to Hardware Security [M-INFO-104357]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Mehdi Baradaran Tahoori **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-108920	Practical Introduction to Hardware Security	6 CR	Tahoori

## **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

### Competence Goal

The goal of this course, which is a combination of lectures and lab assignments, is to have a hands-on experience on basic concepts and new developments in hardware security, by combining both theory and practice in a coherent course. The theoretical concepts for each topic will be presented to the students in form of lectures, followed by a set of lab assignments on both hardware and software platforms to be performed by the students for each topic.

#### Content

- 1. Hardware security primitives (PUF, TRNG)
- 2. Hardware Implementation of encryption modules (AES)
- 3. Passive Attack with side channel (on AES)
- 4. Active fault attack (on AES)

#### Workload

4 SWS / 6 ECTS = 180h

2 SWS lecture (1,5h) + 2 SWS practical course (1,5h) / week

# Recommendation

Knowledge of Digital Design (lecture TI)

Practical Course "FPGA Programming"



Organisation:

# 5.178 Module: Practical Project Robotics and Automation I (Software) [M-INFO-102224]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Björn Hein

Prof. Dr.-Ing. Thomas Längle KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-104545	Practical Project Robotics and Automation I (Software)	6 CR	Hein, Längle



Organisation:

# 5.179 Module: Practical Project Robotics and Automation II (Hardware) [M-INFO-102230]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Björn Hein

Prof. Dr.-Ing. Thomas Längle KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-104552	Practical Project Robotics and Automation II (Hardware)	6 CR	Hein, Längle



# 5.180 Module: Practical SAT Solving [M-INFO-102825]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>IrregularDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>3

Mandatory			
T-INFO-105798	Practical SAT Solving	5 CR	Balyo, Iser, Sanders, Schreiber

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achivement.

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achivement.

#### Competence Goal

Students are able to evaluate combinatorial problems, assess their complexity, and solve them using computers.

Students learn how to solve combinatorial problems efficiently using SAT Solving. Students are able to assess the practical complexity of decision and optimization problems, encode problems as SAT problems, and implement efficient solution procedures for combinatorial problems.

Students gain insight into state-of-the-art solution methods for SAT and related problems and their implementations in SAT solvers.

#### Content

The problem of propositional satisfiability (SAT) is an outstanding problem of computer science from a theoretical as well as practical perspective. Being the first problem proven to be NP-complete, it serves as a fundamental tool for research in complexity theory. Moreover, SAT solving has been established as one of the most important fundamental methods in hardware and software verification, and is used to solve hard combinatorial problems in industrial practice as well. This module aims to provide students with the theoretical and practical aspects of SAT-Solving. Covered are:

- 1. basics, historical development
- 2. encodings, e.g. cardinality constraints
- 3. phase transitions in random problems
- 4. local search (GSAT, WalkSAT, ..., ProbSAT)
- 5. resolution, Davis-Putnam algorithm, DPLL algorithm, look-ahead algorithm
- 6. efficient implementations, data structures
- 7. heuristics in the DPLL algorithm
- 8. CDCL algorithm, clause learning, implication graphs
- 9. restarts and heuristics in the CDCL algorithm
- 10. preprocessing, inprocessing
- 11. generation of proofs and their checking
- 12. parallel SAT solving (guiding paths, portfolios, cube-and-conquer)
- 13. related problems: MaxSAT, MUS, #SAT, QBF
- 14. advanced applications: Bounded model checking, planning, satisfiability-modulo-theories

#### Workload

Lecture (2 SWS) + exercise (1 SWS)

(Preparation and follow-up: 4h/week, exercises: 2h/week, preparation for exam: 15h)

Total workload:  $(2 SWS + 1 SWS + 4 SWS + 2 SWS) \times 15 \text{ h} + 15 \text{h}$  preparation =  $9 \times 15 \text{h} + 15 \text{h} = 150 \text{h} = 5 \text{ ECTS}$ 



# 5.181 Module: Practical: Course Engineering Approaches to Software Development [M-INFO-104254]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ralf Reussner

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-108791	Practical Course Engineering Approaches to Software Development	6 CR	Reussner



# 5.182 Module: Private Business Law [M-INFO-101216]

Responsible: N.N.

Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Law

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>2 termsLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>6

Private Business Law (Election: at least 1 item as well as at least 9 credits)				
T-INFO-111405	Seminar: Commercial and Corporate Law in the IT Industry	3 CR	Nolte	
T-INFO-101288	Corporate Compliance	3 CR	Herzig	
T-INFO-102036	Computer Contract Law	3 CR	Menk	
T-INFO-111436	Employment Law	3 CR	Hoff	
T-INFO-111437	Tax Law	3 CR	Dietrich	

#### **Competence Certificate**

see partial achievements

## **Prerequisites**

None

#### **Competence Goal**

The student

- has gained in-depth knowledge of German company law, commercial law and civil law;
- is able to analyze, evaluate and solve complex legal and economic relations and problems;
- is well grounded in individual labour law, collective labour law and commercial constitutional law, evaluates and critically assesses clauses in labour contracts;
- recognizes the significance of the parties to collective labour agreements within the economic system and has
  differentiated knowledge of labour disputes law and the law governing the supply of temporary workers and of social law;
- possesses detailed knowledge of national earnings and corporate tax law and is able to deal with provisions of tax law in a scientific manner and assesses the effect of these provisions on corporate decision-making.

#### Content

The module provides the student with knowledge in special matters in business law, like employment law, tax law and business law, which are essential for managerial decisions.

## Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours (9 credits). The allocation is based on the credits of the courses of the module. The workload for courses with 3 credits is about 90 hours. The total number of hours per course results from the effort required to attend the lectures as well as the examination times and the time required to achieve the learning objectives of the module for an average student for an average performance.



# 5.183 Module: Probability and Computing [M-INFO-106469]

Responsible: TT-Prof. Dr. Thomas Bläsius

Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion5Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 termGerman/English41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-113082	Probability and Computing	5 CR	Bläsius, Katzmann, Sanders



# 5.184 Module: Project Lab Applied Machine Learning [M-WIWI-106491]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Johann Marius Zöllner

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scale<br/>5Recurrence<br/>Grade to a tenthDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

#### **Election regulations**

Elections in this module must be complete. Election is only possible until the lower bounds are reached.

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: )				
T-WIWI-109985	Project Lab Cognitive Automobiles and Robots	5 CR	Zöllner	
T-WIWI-109983	Project Lab Machine Learning	5 CR	Zöllner	

## **Competence Certificate**

The module examination takes the form of an examination on the selected project lab. The control of success is described for each project lab.

#### **Competence Goal**

Students

- Are able to solve real-world scientific problems using modern machine learning approaches.
- Are able to specify, adapt, and implement learning-based models to problems.
- Know advantages of learning-based algorithms over traditional solution strategies.

#### Content

The module is to be regarded as a practice-oriented supplement to theoretical lectures on machine learning.

In the practical course, groups of two to four students each are given scientific tasks in the field of autonomous driving or robotics to be solved using modern ML-based methods. The tasks are of applied nature and mostly additionally require an integrating of the learned methods into existing systems provided by the chair and scientific partners. Due to the application reference, additional conditions are imposed on the learned procedures.

Students analyze the task, research the current state of the art, specify, implement and evaluate their own learning-based methods and present their results in a lecture and final report.

# Annotation

The main difference of the internships within the module differ by the rotation in which they are held.

- Project Lab Cognitive Automobile every winter semester.
- Project Lab Machine Learning every summer semester.

## Workload

The workload of 5 credit points consists of attendance time at the experimental site for the practical implementation of the selected solution, as well as time for literature research and planning/specification of the selected solution. In addition, a short report and presentation of the work carried out will be prepared.

# Recommendation

Theoretical knowledge about machine learning methods is necessary. This can be acquired e.g. by lectures "Machine Learning 1: Basic Methods", or "Machine Learning 2: Advanced Methods". Also lectures of other research groups like "Machine Learning - Basics and Algorithms", "Deep Learning for Computer Vision 1/2" or "Deep Learning and Neural Networks" lay good theoretical foundations for the project lab.

First experiences with deep learning frameworks in Python like PyTorch/Jax/Tensorflow are an advantage.



# 5.185 Module: Project Lab: Image Analysis and Fusion [M-INFO-102383]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jürgen Beyerer **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory				
T-INFO-104746	Project Lab: Image Analysis and Fusion	6 CR	Beyerer	



# 5.186 Module: Public Economic and Technology Law [M-INFO-106754]

**Responsible:** TT-Prof. Dr. Frederike Zufall **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Law

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	2 terms	German/English	4	1

Public Economic and Technology Law (Election: at least 1 item as well as at least 9 credits)						
T-INFO-101309	Telecommunications Law	3 CR				
T-INFO-101312	European and International Law	3 CR	Brühann			
T-INFO-111404	Seminar: IT- Security Law	3 CR	Schallbruch			
T-INFO-113381	Public International Law	3 CR				

#### **Competence Certificate**

see partial achievement

#### **Prerequisites**

see partial achievement

# **Competence Goal**

Students

- have in-depth knowledge and understanding of selected areas of public economic and technology law
- understand international and European legal frameworks,
- can establish connections between technical and legal issues, and assess and evaluate them from a legal perspective.

## Content

The module covers a range of topics in public economic and technology law. In addition to telecommunications law and IT security law, it includes an in-depth examination of the European and international legal framework. Current regulatory topics relating to the platform economy, the EU digital single market and on regulating artificial intelligence are equally addressed.

# Workload

The total workload for this module is approx. 270 hours (9 credits). The distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module. The workload for courses with 3 credits is approx. 90 hours. The total number of work hours per course results from the time required to attend the lectures, the examination times and the time required to achieve the learning objectives of the module for an average student for an average performance.

#### Recommendation

see partial achievement



# 5.187 Module: Reinforcement Learning [M-INFO-105623]

Responsible: TT-Prof. Dr. Rudolf Lioutikov

Prof. Dr. Gerhard Neumann

Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion6Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 termEnglish42

Mandatory			
T-INFO-111255	Reinforcement Learning	6 CR	Lioutikov, Neumann

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### Competence Goal

- Students are able to understand the RL problem and challenges.
- Students can differentiate between different RL algorithm and understand their underlying theory
- Students will know the mathematical tools necessary to understand RL algorithms
- Students can implement RL algorithms for various tasks
- Students understand current research questions in RL

#### Content

Reinforcement Learning (RL) is a sub-field of machine learning in which an artificial agent has to interact with its environment and learn how to improve its behaviour by trial and error. For doing so, the agent is provided with an evaluative feedback signal, called reward, that he perceives for each action performed in its environment. RL is one of the hardest machine learning problems, as, in contrast to standard supervised learning, we do not know the targets (i.e. the optimal actions) for our inputs (i.e. the state of the environment) and we also need to consider the long-term effects of the agent's actions on the state of the environment. Due to recent successes, RL has gained a lot of popularity with applications in robotics, automation, health care, trading and finance, natural language processing, autonomous driving and computer games. This lecture will introduce the concepts and theory of RL and review current state of the art methods with a particular focus on RL applications in robotics. An exemplary list of topics is given below:

- Primer in Machine Learning and Deep Learning
- Supervised Learning of Behaviour
- Introduction in Reinforcement Learning
- Dynamic Programming
- Value Based Methods
- Policy Optimization and Trust Regions
- Episodic Reinforcement Learning and Skill Learning
- Bayesian Optimization
- Variational Inference, Max-Entropy RL and Versatility
- Model-based Reinforcement Learning
- Offline Reinforcement Learning
- Inverse Reinforcement Learning
- Hierarchical Reinforcement Learning
- Exploration and Artificial Curiosity
- Meta Reinforcement Learning

# Workload

Approximately 180 hours, divided into:

- 45 hours of lecture attendance
- 15 hours of exercise attendance
- 90 hours of post-processing and working on exercise sheets
- 30 hours of exam preparation.

# Recommendation

- $\bullet \ \, \text{Students should be familiar with the content of the "Foundations of Artificial Intelligence" lecture. } \\$
- Good Python knowledge is required.Good mathematical background knowledge is required.



# 5.188 Module: Reliable Computing I [M-INFO-100850]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Mehdi Baradaran Tahoori **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

**Credits** Grade

**Grading scale**Grade to a tenth

**Recurrence** Each winter term Duration 1 term **Language** English Level 4 Version 1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101387	Reliable Computing I	3 CR	Tahoori

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Competence Goal**

The objective of this course is to become familiar with general and state of the art techniques used in design and analysis of fault-tolerant digital systems.

#### Content

The objective of this course is to become familiar with general and state of the art techniques used in design and analysis of fault-tolerant digital systems. The students will study and investigate existing fault-tolerant systems. Both Hardware and software methods will be studied and new research topics will be investigated.

This course overviews reliable (fault-tolerant) computing and the design and evaluation of dependable systems, and provides a base for research in reliable systems. Models and methods are used in the analysis and design of fault-tolerant and highly reliable computer systems will be taught in this course. Topics include faults and their manifestations, fault/error modeling, reliability, availability and maintainability analysis, system evaluation, performance-reliability trade-offs, system level fault diagnosis, hardware and software redundancy techniques, and fault-tolerant system design methods.

# Workload

 $2 \text{ SWS} = (2 \text{ SWS} + 1.5 \text{ x} 2 \text{ SWS}) \times 15 + 15 \text{ h}$  preparation for the exam = 90 h = 3 ECTS = 2 SWS



# 5.189 Module: Research Focus Class: Blockchain & Cryptocurrencies [M-INFO-106654]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Hannes Hartenstein **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>IrregularDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>4

Mandatory					
T-INFO-113400	Research Focus Class: Blockchain & Cryptocurrencies	3 CR	Hartenstein		
T-INFO-113401	Research Focus Class: Blockchain & Cryptocurrencies - Seminar	3 CR	Hartenstein		



# 5.190 Module: Research Practical Course: Interactive Learning [M-INFO-106300]

**Responsible:** TT-Prof. Dr. Rudolf Lioutikov **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion6Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termEnglish42

Mandatory			
T-INFO-112772	Research Practical Course: Interactive Learning	6 CR	Lioutikov

## **Competence Certificate**

See Partial achivements (Teilleistung).

#### **Prerequisites**

See Partial achivements (Teilleistung).

### Competence Goal

Die Studenten lernen komplexe wissenschaftliche Themengebiete zu verstehen, zu hinterfragen und veröffentlichte Resultate zu reproduzieren und zu überprüfen. Die Studenten erlangen ein vertieftes Wissen im Bereich des Interaktive Lernens und Erfahrung mit dem Einsatz von neuartigen Lernverfahren.

#### Content

Each student will select a topic in the field of Interactive Learning and/or Explainable Artificial Intelligence. The organizers will suggest topics but the students are welcome suggest relevant topics. The students will then implement and evaluate several algorithms corresponding to the chosen topic. The experimental evaluation will be documented in a report and presented to their peers.

It is highly recommended to take this research project in combination with the "Interactive Learning" Seminar, where the students get the chance to acquire the required background on the literature.

#### Workload

Arbeitsaufwand = 180h = 6 ECTS

Präsenzzeit: 15hProjektarbeit: 135h

• Scientific Report schreiben + Päsentation vorbereiten: 30h

#### Recommendation

We highly recommend to take this research project in combination with the "Interactive Learning" seminar.

It is highly recommended to attend the "Explainable Artificial Intelligence" lecture in parallel or prior to this project.

- Experience in Machine Learning is recommended, e.g. through prior coursework.
- $\circ$  The Computer Science Department offers several great lectures e.g., "Maschinelles Lernen Grundlagen und Algorithmen" and "Deep Learning"
- A good mathematical background will be beneficial
- Python experience is recommended
- We might use the PyTorch deep learning library In the exercises. Some prior knowledge in this is helpful but not necessary.



# 5.191 Module: Research Project (Project, 1st Semester) [M-INFO-105037]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Bernhard Beckert

Prof. Dr.-Ing. Michael Beigl Prof. Dr. Ralf Reussner

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
10	Grade to a tenth	Each term	2 terms	German	4	2

Mandatory						
T-INFO-110218	Research Project (Project, 1st Semester) - Oral Exam	3 CR	Beckert			
T-INFO-110219	Research Project (Project, 1st Semester) - Presentation	3 CR	Beckert			
T-INFO-110220	Research Project (Project, 1st Semester) - Project Proposal	4 CR	Beckert			



# 5.192 Module: Research Project (Project, 2nd Semester) [M-INFO-105038]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Bernhard Beckert

Prof. Dr.-Ing. Michael Beigl Prof. Dr. Ralf Reussner

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>10Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>2 termsLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory						
T-INFO-110221	Research Project (Project, 2nd Semester) - Oral Exam	3 CR	Beckert			
T-INFO-110222	Research Project (Project, 2nd Semester) - Presentation	3 CR	Beckert			
T-INFO-110223	Research Project (Project, 2nd Semester) - Scientific Report	4 CR	Beckert			



# 5.193 Module: Research Project Autonomous Learning Robots [M-INFO-105378]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Gerhard Neumann
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory				
T-INFO-110861	Research Project Autonomous Learning Robots	6 CR	Neumann	



# 5.194 Module: Robotics - Practical Course [M-INFO-102522]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Tamim Asfour **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion6Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termEnglish43

Mandatory				
T-INFO-105107	Robotics - Practical Course	6 CR	Asfour	

## **Competence Certificate**

See partial Achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial Achievements (Teilleistung)

## Competence Goal

The student knows concrete solutions for different problems in robotics. He/she uses methods of inverse kinematics, grasp and motion planning, and visual perception. The student can implement solutions in the programming languages C++ and Python with the help of suitable software frameworks.

#### Content

The practical course is offered as an accompanying course to the lectures Robotics I-III. Every week, a small team of students will work on solving a given robotics problem. The list of topics includes robot modeling and simulation, inverse kinematics, robot programming via state charts, collision-free motion planning, grasp planning, robot vision and robot learning.

# Workload

Practical course with 4 SWS, 6 LP

6 LP corresponds to 180 hours, including

 $2\,hours\,int roductory\,event$ 

18 hours initial familiarization with the software framework

120 hours group work

40 hours attendance time

#### Recommendation

Attending the lectures Robotics I – Introduction to Robotics, Robotics II: Humanoid Robotics, Robotics III - Sensors and Perception in Robotics and Mechano-Informatics and Robotics is recommended.



# 5.195 Module: Robotics I - Introduction to Robotics [M-INFO-100893]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Tamim Asfour **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>3

Mandatory			
T-INFO-108014	Robotics I - Introduction to Robotics	6 CR	Asfour

#### Competence Certificate

See partial achivements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achivements (Teilleistung)

## Competence Goal

The students are able to apply the presented concepts to simple and realistic tasks from robotics. This includes mastering and deriving the mathematical concepts relevant for robot modeling. Furthermore, the students master the kinematic and dynamic modeling of robot systems, as well as the modeling and design of simple controllers. The students know the algorithmic basics of motion and grasp planning and can apply these algorithms to problems in robotics. They know algorithms from the field of image processing and are able to apply them to problems in robotics. They are able to model and solve tasks as a symbolic planning problem. The students have knowledge about intuitive programming procedures for robots and know procedures for programming and learning by demonstration.

#### Content

The lecture provides an overview of the fundamentals of robotics using the examples of industrial robots, service robots and autonomous humanoid robots. An insight into all relevant topics is given. This includes methods and algorithms for robot modeling, control and motion planning, image processing and robot programming. First, mathematical basics and methods for kinematic and dynamic robot modeling, trajectory planning and control as well as algorithms for collision-free motion planning and grasp planning are covered. Subsequently, basics of image processing, intuitive robot programming especially by human demonstration and symbolic planning are presented.

In the exercise, the theoretical contents of the lecture are further illustrated with examples. Students deepen their knowledge of the methods and algorithms by independently working on problems and discussing them in the exercise. In particular, students can gain practical programming experience with tools and software libraries commonly used in robotics.

## Workload

Lecture with 3 SWS + 1 SWS Tutorial, 6 LP

6 LP corresponds to 180 hours, including

15 \* 3 = 45 hours attendance time (lecture)

15 \* 1 = 15 hours attendance time (tutorial)

15 \* 6 = 90 hours self-study and exercise sheets

30 hours preparation for the exam



# 5.196 Module: Robotics II - Humanoid Robotics [M-INFO-102756]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Tamim Asfour **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termEnglish43

Mandatory			
T-INFO-105723	Robotics II - Humanoid Robotics	3 CR	Asfour

## **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

### **Competence Goal**

The students have an overview of current research topics in autonomous learning robot systems using the example of humanoid robotics. They are able to classify and evaluate current developments in the field of cognitive humanoid robotics.

The students know the essential problems of humanoid robotics and are able to develop solutions on the basis of existing research.

#### Content

The lecture presents current work in the field of humanoid robotics that deals with the implementation of complex sensorimotor and cognitive abilities. In the individual topics different methods and algorithms, their advantages and disadvantages, as well as the current state of research are discussed.

The topics addressed are: Applications and real world examples of humanoid robots; biomechanical models of the human body, biologically inspired and data-driven methods of grasping, imitation learning and programming by demonstration; semantic representations of sensorimotor experience as well as cognitive software architectures of humanoid robots.

# Workload

Lecture with 2 SWS, 3 CP. 3 LP corresponds to approx. 90 hours, thereof: approx. 15 \* 2h = 30 Std. Attendance time approx. 15 \* 2h = 30 Std. Self-study prior/after the lecture approx. 30 Std. Preparation for the exam and exam itself

# Recommendation

Having visited the lectures on Robotics I - Introduction to Robotics and Mechano-Informatics and Robotics is recommended.



# 5.197 Module: Robotics III - Sensors and Perception in Robotics [M-INFO-104897]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Tamim Asfour **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-109931	Robotics III - Sensors and Perception in Robotics	3 CR	Asfour

## **Competence Certificate**

See partial achivements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achivements (Teilleistung)

### Competence Goal

Students can name the main sensor principles used in robotics.

Students can explain the data flow from physical measurement through digitization to the use of the recorded data for feature extraction, state estimation and semantic scene understanding.

Students are able to propose and justify suitable sensor concepts for common tasks in robotics.

#### Content

The lecture supplements the lecture Robotics I with a broad overview of sensors used in robotics. The lecture focuses on visual perception, object recognition, semantic scene interpretation, and (inter-)active perception. The lecture is divided into two parts:

In the first part a comprehensive overview of current sensor technologies is given. A basic distinction is made between sensors for the perception of the environment (exteroceptive) and sensors for the perception of the internal state (proprioceptive).

The second part of the lecture concentrates on the use of exteroceptive sensors in robotics. The topics covered include tactile exploration and visual data processing, including advanced topics such as feature extraction, object localization, semantic scene interpretation, and (inter-)active perception.

## Workload

Lecture with 2 SWS, 3 LP 3 LP corresponds to 90 hours, including 15 \* 2 = 30 hours attendance time 15 \* 2 = 30 hours self-study 30 hours preparation for the exam

## Recommendation

Attending the lecture Robotics I - Introduction to Robotics is recommended.



# 5.198 Module: Scientific Methods to Design and Analyze Secure Decentralized Systems [M-INFO-105780]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Hannes Hartenstein **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-111568	Scientific Methods to Design and Analyze Secure Decentralized	5 CR	Hartenstein
	Systems		

#### Competence Certificate

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

## **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### Competence Goal

- 1. Philosophy of Science: The student understands epistemological principles like the scientific and mathematical process, within the context of networked and decentralized systems. The student knows about the current limits of scientific research, especially in regards to the security of a given decentralized system.
- 2. Empirical Methods: Observation / Monitoring: The student is able to construct setups to monitor system properties related to performance or security. The student knows how to observe a decentralized system like an overlay network without interference, i.e., without impact on the behavior to measure as well as the overall system functionality.
- 3. Combined Empirical / Formal Methods: The student has a fundamental understanding of Discrete Event Simulations, as well as stochastic modelling and random number generation. The student is able to conduct a simulation study consisting of observation, modelling, simulation, validation, and result analysis.
- 4. Formal Methods: The student knows how to apply formal methods like formal verification / model checking and model comparison / simulation-based proofs to decentralized systems. The student understands tradeoffs between empirical and formal methods, and can choose suitable methods for given research tasks.
- 5. Applications in Research: The student understands how the methods of this lecture are applied to practical examples, and knows how to apply the methods on problems of a researcher's everyday life.

# Content

Decentralized Systems (like peer-to-peer- or blockchain-based systems) are systems controlled by multiple parties who make their own independent decisions to reach a common goal. However, not knowing which parties are trustworthy and which are betrayers requires a radically different way of thinking. Based on the lecture "Decentralized Systems: Fundamentals, Modeling, and Applications", in this lecture, we cover the necessary scientific methods to analyze existing and to create new decentralized systems. We treat both, selected empirical and formal methods and their tradeoffs, as well as the overarching philosophy of science behind the research process. Together with its practical parts, this lecture provides the foundational scientific toolbox to work on the decentralized systems of the future.

#### Workload

- 1. Attendance time (Course, exercise,): 3 SWS: 15 x 3h = 45h
- 2. Self-study (e.g. independent review of course material,

work on homework assignments)

Weekly preparation and follow-up of the lecture/exercise: 15 x 3 SWS x 1,5h = 67,5hh

3. Preparation for the exam: 37,5h

 $\Sigma$  = 150h = 5 ECTS

# Recommendation

Prior knowledge on the abstract concepts as well as concrete use cases of decentralized systems is strongly recommended. The "Decentralized Systems: Fundamentals, Modeling, and Applications" lecture covers all necessary aspects, but equivalent lectures and / or self-study can also be sufficient.



# 5.199 Module: Seminar Information Systems [M-WIWI-104815]

Responsible: Studiendekan der KIT-Fakultät für Informatik

Studiendekan des KIT-Studienganges

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Seminars

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>1Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-WIWI-109827	Seminar in Information Systems (Master)	3 CR	Studiendekan der KIT- Fakultät für Informatik, Studiendekan des KIT- Studienganges

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is done by a seminar with at least 3 CP.

The assessment of the seminar (following §4(2), 3 ER) is described at the course description.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Competence Goal

- Students are able to independently deal with a defined problem in a specialized field based on scientific criteria.
- They are able to research, analyze the information, abstract and derive basic principles and regularities from unstructured information.
- They can solve the problems in a structured manner using their interdisciplinary know-how.
- They know how to validate the obtained results.
- Finally, they are able to logically and systematically present the results both orally and in written form in accordance with
  scientific guidelines (structuring, technical terminology, referencing). They can argue and defend the results professionally
  in the discussion.

#### Content

The module consists of a seminar, that is related to the research field of economic sciences. A complete list of available seminars is published in the internet.

# Annotation

The mentioned seminars in this module handbook are place holders. For each semester, a complete list of seminars are published in the Vorlesungsverzeichnis or at the web pages of the participating institutes. Often, the seminar topics for a given semester are published at the end of the preceding semester. Some seminars require an early sign-in deadline at the end of the of the preceding semester.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 90 hours.



# 5.200 Module: Seminar Laboratory: Machine Learning and Intelligent Systems [M-INFO-105959]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Uwe Hanebeck **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-112105	Seminar Laboratory: Machine Learning and Intelligent Systems	3 CR	Fennel, Hanebeck



# 5.201 Module: Seminar Module Economic Sciences [M-WIWI-102736]

Responsible: Studiendekan des KIT-Studienganges

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Seminars

CreditsGrading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>1Version<br/>1

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: 1 item)				
T-WIWI-103474	Seminar in Business Administration A (Master)	3 CR	Professorenschaft des Fachbereichs Betriebswirtschaftslehre	
T-WIWI-103478	Seminar in Economics A (Master)	3 CR	Professorenschaft des Fachbereichs Volkswirtschaftslehre	
T-WIWI-103481	Seminar in Operations Research A (Master)	3 CR	Nickel, Rebennack, Stein	
T-WIWI-103483	Seminar in Statistics A (Master)	3 CR	Grothe, Schienle	

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is done by a seminar with at least 3 CP.

The assessment of the seminar (following §4(2), 3 ER) is described at the course description.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

## **Competence Goal**

- Students are able to independently deal with a defined problem in a specialized field based on scientific criteria.
- They are able to research, analyze the information, abstract and derive basic principles and regularities from unstructured information.
- They can solve the problems in a structured manner using their interdisciplinary know-how.
- They know how to validate the obtained results.
- Finally, they are able to logically and systematically present the results both orally and in written form in accordance with
  scientific guidelines (structuring, technical terminology, referencing). They can argue and defend the results professionally
  in the discussion.
- Students are familiar with the DFG's Code of Conduct "Guidelines for Safeguarding Good Research Practice" and base their scientific work on it.

#### Content

The module consists of a seminar, that is related to the research field of economic sciences. A complete list of available seminars is published in the internet.

The teaching of the DFG Code "Guidelines for Safeguarding Good Research Practice" takes place within the online course "Good Scientific Practice" of the KIT Library, which can be completed in self-study.

#### **Annotation**

The mentioned seminars in this module handbook are place holders. For each semester, a complete list of seminars are published in the Vorlesungsverzeichnis or at the web pages of the participating institutes. Often, the seminar topics for a given semester are published at the end of the preceding semester. Some seminars require an early sign-in deadline at the end of the of the preceding semester.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 90 hours.



# 5.202 Module: Seminar Module Informatics [M-INFO-102822]

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Seminars

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthEach term1 termGerman/English12

Compulsory Elective Seminar in Informatics (Election: 1 item)				
T-INFO-104336	Seminar Informatics A	3 CR	Abeck	
T-WIWI-103480	Seminar in Informatics B (Master)	3 CR	Professorenschaft des Instituts AIFB	
T-INFO-111205	Seminar Informatics Master	3 CR		



# 5.203 Module: Seminar Module Law [M-INFO-101218]

Responsible: N.N.

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Seminars

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>1Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101997	Seminar: Legal Studies I	3 CR	N.N.



# 5.204 Module: Seminar: Interactive Learning [M-INFO-106301]

**Responsible:** TT-Prof. Dr. Rudolf Lioutikov **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termEnglish42

Mandatory			
T-INFO-112773	Seminar: Interactive Learning	3 CR	Lioutikov

#### **Prerequisites**

See Partial Achivements (Teilleistung).

## Competence Goal

Qualifikationsziel: Students are able to independently understand a complex research topic, present the content in a concise and understandable way and prepare a scientific report summarizing the topic.

Lernziele:Students are able to independently understand a complex research topic, present the content in a concise and understandable way and prepare a scientific report summarizing the topic. Students get a deeper understanding of state-of-the art learning algorithms and get to know current research challenges.

Students are familiar with the DFG Code of Conduct "Guidelines for Safeguarding Good Scientific Practice" and successfully apply these guidelines in the preparation of their scientific work.

#### Content

Each student will select several related papers in the field of Interactive Learning. The organizers will suggest several papers but the students will be encouraged to indentify and research additional relevant papers during the semester. The students will then prepare a presentation and a basic scientific research paper.

It is highly recommended to take this seminar in combination with the "Interactive Learning" Research Project (Forschungspraktikum), where the students get the chance to deepen their understanding, implement and evaluate their presented work.

# Module grade calculation

See Partial Achivements (Teilleistung).

# Workload

Arbeitsaufwand = 90 h = 3 ECTS

- Präsenzzeit: 15hrSelbststudium: 45h
- Scientific Report schreiben: 20hPräsentation vorbereiten: 10h

# Recommendation

We highly recommend to take this seminar in combination with the "Interactive Learning" research project (Forschungspraktikum). It is highly recommended to attend the "Explainable Artificial Intelligence" lecture in parallel or prior to this seminar.

- Experience in Machine Learning is recommended, e.g. through prior coursework.
- $\circ$  The Computer Science Department offers several great lectures e.g., "Maschinelles Lernen Grundlagen und Algorithmen" and "Deep Learning"
- A good mathematical background will be beneficial
- Python experience is recommended
- We might use the PyTorch deep learning library In the exercises. Some prior knowledge in this is helpful but not necessary.



# 5.205 Module: Service Analytics [M-WIWI-101506]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Gerhard Satzger

Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion9Grade to a tenthEach term2 termsEnglish410

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: 9 credits)				
T-WIWI-108715	Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems	4,5 CR	Satzger	
T-WIWI-111219	Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems - Applications in Computer Vision	4,5 CR	Satzger	
T-WIWI-105777	Business Intelligence Systems	4,5 CR	Mädche	
T-WIWI-112152	Practical Seminar: Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems	4,5 CR	Satzger	
T-WIWI-113725	Special Topics in Information Systems	4,5 CR	Weinhardt	

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4 (2), 1-3 SPO) of the core course and further single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

## **Prerequisites**

None

## Competence Goal

Students

- knows the theoretical bases and the key components of Business Intelligence systems,
- acquires the basic skills to make use of business intelligence and analytics software in the service context
- are introduced into various application scenarios of analytics in the service context
- are able to distinguish different analytics methods and apply them in context
- learn how to apply analytics software in the service context
- are trained for the structured compilation and solution of practice relevant problems with the help of commercial business intelligence software packages as well as analytics methods and tools

## Content

The importance of services in modern economies is most evident – nearly 70% of gross value added are achieved in the tertiary sector and a growing number of industrial enterprises add customer specific services to their material goods or transform their business models fundamentally. The growing availability of data "Big Data" and their intelligent processing by applying analytic methods and business intelligence systems plays a key role.

It is the goal of the module to give students a comprehensive overview on the subject Business Intelligence & Analytics focusing on service issues. Various scenarios illustrate how the methods and systems introduced help to improve existing services or create innovative data-based services.

#### **Annotation**

This module is part of the KSRI teaching profile "Digital Service Systems". Further information on a service-specific profiling is available under www.ksri.kit.edu/teaching.

## Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours.

Attendance time: 90 hours

Preparation and follow-up: 100 hours Exam and exam preparation: 80 hours

# Recommendation

The course Service Analytics A [2595501] should be taken.



# 5.206 Module: Service Design Thinking [M-WIWI-101503]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Gerhard Satzger

Prof. Dr. Orestis Terzidis

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion9Grade to a tenthEach winter term2 termsEnglish41

Mandatory			
T-WIWI-102849	Service Design Thinking	9 CR	Satzger, Terzidis

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a general exam (according to Section 4(2), 3 of the examination regulation). The overall grade of the module is the grade of the examination (according to Section 4(2), 3 of the examination regulation).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### **Competence Goal**

Students

- Gain a comprehensive understanding of the globally recognized innovation approach "Design Thinking" as introduced and promoted by the Stanford University
- Apply the learned approach in the context of a real innovation project provided by a partner organization
- Conceive new, creative solutions through extensive need finding of relevant service users
   Develop prototypes early and independently, test them and improve them iteratively to solve the challenge provided by the partner organization
- Communicate, present and network in interdisciplinary and international environments.

# Content

Course phases (roughly 4 weeks each):

**Design Space Exploration:** 

- Exploring the problem space by questioning the given innovation challenge from practice.
- Familiarization with the topic area of the respective challenge.
- Gathering first impressions of the requirements and needs of people related to the problem.

## **Critical Function Prototype:**

- Building an intensive understanding of the needs of the target group of the respective challenge.
- Deriving critical functions from the customer's perspective that could help solve the overall problem.
- Building prototypes for the critical functions and testing them in real customer situations.

## Dark Horse Prototype:

- Reversal of assumptions and experiences made so far. The goal is to develop radically new and unconventional ideas.
- Implementation of the ideas into simple prototypes and subsequent testing.

## Funky Prototype:

• Integration of the individual successfully tested functions from the critical function and dark horse phase into solution concepts. These are also tested and further developed.

## **Functional Prototype:**

Selection of successful funky prototypes and development of these towards high-resolution prototypes. The final solution
approach for the project is written down in detail and feedback is obtained.

# Final Prototype:

• Implementing the final prototype and presenting it to the practical partner as well as the SUGAR Network.

#### **Annotation**

Due to practical project work as a component of the program, access is limited. The module (as well as the module component) spans two semesters. It starts in September every year and runs until end of June in the subsequent year. Entering the program is only possible at its beginning - after prior application in May/June. For more information on the application process and the program itself are provided in the module component description and the program's website (https://sdtkarlsruhe.de/). Furthermore, the lecturers provide an information event for applicants every year in May. This module is part of the KSRI Teaching Program.

#### Workload

The workload for this module is approx. 2 days per week over a period of 9 months. The workload for this practical module is therefore comparatively high. The reason for this is that the participants work in international teams with students from other universities and partner organizations and solve real innovation challenges.

The workload of approx. 270 hours is spread over approx. 105 hours (3.5 CP) in the first semester and 165 hours (5.5 CP) in the second semester.

#### Recommendation

This course is held in English - proficiency in writing and communication is required.

Our past students recommend to take this course at the beginning of the masters program.



### 5.207 Module: Service Economics and Management [M-WIWI-102754]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Gerhard Satzger

Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion9Grade to a tenthEach term2 termsEnglish46

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: 9 credits)					
T-WIWI-112757 Digital Services: Innovation & Business Models 4,5 CR Satzger					
T-WIWI-112823	Platform & Market Engineering: Commerce, Media, and Digital Democracy	4,5 CR	Weinhardt		

#### Competence Certificate

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4 (2), 1-3 SPO), whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### **Competence Goal**

Students

- · understand the scientific basics of the management of digital services and corresponding systems
- gain a comprehensive insight in the importance and the most important features of information systems as an central component of the digitalization of business processes, products and services
- know the most relevant concepts and theories to shape the digital transformation process of service systems successfully
- understand the OR methods in the sector of service management and apply them adequately
- are able to use large amounts of available data systematically for the planning, operation and improvement of complex service offers and to design and control information systems
- are able to develop market-oriented coordination mechanisms and apply service systems.

#### Content

This module provides the foundation for the management of digital services and corresponding systems. The courses in this module cover the major concepts for a successful management of service systems and their digital transformation. Current examples from the research and practice enhance the relevance of the discussed topics.

#### **Annotation**

This module is part of the KSRI teaching profile "Digital Service Systems". Further information on a service-specific profiling is available under www.ksri.kit.edu/teaching.

From summer semester 2023, the course Service Innovation will be offered with a revised course concept and content. The focus will be on the closer integration of the topics of service innovation and digitalization. Current foundational content (e.g., on service innovation challenges or human-centered innovation methods) will remain. New content will cover topics such as digital platforms and ecosystems, IoT and smart service innovation, and business models.

#### Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours. The allocation is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.

#### Recommendation

None



### 5.208 Module: Service Innovation, Design & Engineering [M-WIWI-102806]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Alexander Mädche

Prof. Dr. Gerhard Satzger

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	2 terms	English	4	6

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: 9 credits)					
T-WIWI-112757	Digital Services: Innovation & Business Models	4,5 CR	Satzger		
T-WIWI-113460	Engineering Interactive Systems: AI & Wearables	4,5 CR	Mädche		
T-WIWI-113459	Practical Seminar: Human-Centered Systems	4,5 CR	Mädche		
T-WIWI-110887	Practical Seminar: Service Innovation	4,5 CR	Satzger		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4 (2), 1-3 SPO), whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

#### Dependencies between courses:

The course Practical Seminar Service Innovation cannot be applied in combination with the course Practical Seminar Digital Service Design.

#### Competence Goal

Students

- know about the challenges, concepts, methods and tools of service innovation management and are able to use them successfully.
- have a profound comprehension of the development and design of innovative services and are able to apply suitable methods and tools on concrete and specific issues.
- are able to embed the concepts of innovation management, development and design of services into organisations
- are aware of the strategic importance of services, are able to present value creation in the context of services systems and to strategically exploit the possibilities of their digital transformation
- elaborate concrete and problem-solving solutions for practical tasks in teams.

#### Content

This module is designed to constitute the basis for the development of successful ICT supported innovations thus including the methods and tools for innovation management, for the design and the development of digital services and the implementation of new business models. Current examples from science and practice enhance the relevance of the topics addressed.

#### **Annotation**

This module is part of the KSRI teaching profile "Digital Service Systems". Further information on a service-specific profiling is available under www.ksri.kit.edu/teaching.

From summer semester 2023, the course Service Innovation will be offered with a revised course concept and content. The focus will be on the closer integration of the topics of service innovation and digitalization. Current foundational content (e.g., on service innovation challenges or human-centered innovation methods) will remain. New content will cover topics such as digital platforms and ecosystems, IoT and smart service innovation, and business models.

#### Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours. The allocation is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.

#### Recommendation

Attending the course Practical Seminar Service Innovation [2595477] is recommended in combination with the course Service Innovation [2595468].

Attending the course Practical Seminar Digital Service Design [new] is recommended in combination with the course Digital Service Design [new].



# 5.209 Module: Service Management [M-WIWI-101448]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Gerhard Satzger

Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Business Administration)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>11

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: 9 credits)					
T-WIWI-108715 Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems 4,5 CR Satzger					
T-WIWI-111219	Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems - Applications in Computer Vision	4,5 CR	Satzger		
T-WIWI-112757	Digital Services: Innovation & Business Models	4,5 CR	Satzger		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### Competence Goal

The students

- understand the basics of developing and managing IT-based services,
- understand and apply OR methods in service management,
- systematically use vast amounts of available data for planning, operation, personalization and improvement of complex service offerings, and
- understand and analyze innovation processes in corporations.

#### Content

The module service management addresses the basics of developing and managing IT-based services. The lectures contained in this module teach the basics of developing and managing IT-based services and the application of OR methods in the field of service management. Moreover, students learn to systematically analyze vast amounts of data for planning, operation and improvement for complex service offerings. These tools enhance operational and strategic decision support and help to analyze and understand the overall innovation processes in corporations. Current examples from research and industry demonstrate the relevance of the topics discussed in this module.

#### **Annotation**

From summer semester 2023, the course Service Innovation will be offered with a revised course concept and content. The focus will be on the closer integration of the topics of service innovation and digitalization. Current foundational content (e.g., on service innovation challenges or human-centered innovation methods) will remain. New content will cover topics such as digital platforms and ecosystems, IoT and smart service innovation, and business models.

#### Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours. The allocation is based on the credit points of the courses in the module. 120-135 hours for the courses with 4.5 credits, 135-150 hours for the courses with 5 credits and 150-180 hours for the courses with 6 credits.

The total number of hours per course results from the time required to attend the lectures and exercises, as well as the examination times and the time required to achieve the learning objectives of the module for an average student for an average performance.

#### Recommendation

None



# 5.210 Module: Service Operations [M-WIWI-102805]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Stefan Nickel

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Operations Research)

Credits<br/>9Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>7

#### **Election notes**

At least one of the fourcourses Operations Research in Supply Chain Management, Operations Research in Health Care Management, Practical seminar: Health Care Management or Discrete-Event Simulation in Production and Logistics has to be assigned.

Students who choose the module in the field "compulsory elective modules" may select any two courses of the module.

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: at most 2 items)					
T-WIWI-102718	T-WIWI-102718 Discrete-Event Simulation in Production and Logistics 4,5 CR Spieckermann				
T-WIWI-102884	Operations Research in Health Care Management	4,5 CR	Nickel		
T-WIWI-102715	Operations Research in Supply Chain Management	4,5 CR	Nickel		
T-WIWI-102716 Practical Seminar: Health Care Management (with Case Studies) 4,5 CR Nickel		Nickel			
Supplementary Cour	rses (Election: at most 1 item)				
T-MACH-112213	Applied material flow simulation	4,5 CR	Baumann		
T-WIWI-102872	Challenges in Supply Chain Management	4,5 CR	Mohr		
T-WIWI-110971	Demand-Driven Supply Chain Planning	4,5 CR	Heckmann		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4 (2), 1-3 SPO), whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately. The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

At least one of the four courses "Operations Research in Supply Chain Management", "Operations Research in Health Care Management", "Practical seminar: Health Care Management" or "Discrete-Event Simulation in Production and Logistics" has to be assigned.

#### **Competence Goal**

Students

- knows the theoretical bases and the key components of Business Intelligence systems,
- acquires the basic skills to make use of business intelligence and analytics software in the service context
- are introduced into various application scenarios of analytics in the service context
- are able to distinguish different analytics methods and apply them in context
- learn how to apply analytics software in the service context
- are trained for the structured compilation and solution of practice relevant problems with the help of commercial business intelligence software packages as well as analytics methods and tools

#### Content

The importance of services in modern economies is most evident – nearly 70% of gross value added are achieved in the tertiary sector and a growing number of industrial enterprises add customer specific services to their material goods or transform their business models fundamentally. The growing availability of data "Big Data" and their intelligent processing by applying analytic methods and business intelligence systems plays a key role.

It is the goal of the module to give students a comprehensive overview on the subject Business Intelligence & Analytics focusing on service issues. Various scenarios illustrate how the methods and systems introduced help to improve existing services or create innovative data-based services.

#### Annotation

This module is part of the KSRI teaching profile "Digital Service Systems". Further information on a service-specific profiling is available under www.ksri.kit.edu/teaching.

#### Workload

Total workload for 9 credit points: approx. 270 hours. The allocation is based on the credit points of the courses in the module.

#### Recommendation

The course Practical Seminar Health Care should be combined with the course OR in Health Care Management.



# 5.211 Module: Software Architecture and Quality [M-INFO-100844]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ralf Reussner

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101381	Software Architecture and Quality	3 CR	Reussner



# 5.212 Module: Software Engineering II [M-INFO-100833]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Anne Koziolek

Prof. Dr. Ralf Reussner

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion6Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 termGerman41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101370	Software Engineering II	6 CR	Koziolek, Reussner

#### Content

Requirements engineering, software development processes, software quality, software architectures, MDD, Enterprise Software Patterns software maintainability, software security, dependability, embedded software, middleware, domain-driven design



# 5.213 Module: Software Lab Parallel Numerics [M-INFO-102998]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Karl
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>2

Mandatory			
T-INFO-105988	Software Lab Parallel Numerics	6 CR	Karl



# 5.214 Module: Software Product Line Engineering [M-INFO-105471]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Ina Schaefer **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>GermanLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-111017	Software Product Line Engineering	3 CR	Schaefer



# 5.215 Module: Software Security Engineering [M-INFO-106344]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Ralf Reussner

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion3Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termGerman/English41

Mandatory			
T-INFO-112862	Software Security Engineering	3 CR	Gerking, Reussner



# 5.216 Module: Software-Evolution [M-INFO-100719]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ralf Reussner

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101256	Software-Evolution	3 CR	Reussner

### Prerequisites

None



# 5.217 Module: Statistics and Econometrics II [M-WIWI-105414]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Melanie Schienle

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Economics)

**Economics and Management (Statistics)** 

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	1 term	German	4	5

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: )					
T-WIWI-103063	Analysis of Multivariate Data	4,5 CR	Grothe		
T-WIWI-103064	Financial Econometrics	4,5 CR	Schienle		
T-WIWI-110939	Financial Econometrics II	4,5 CR	Schienle		
T-WIWI-112153	Microeconometrics	4,5 CR	Krüger		
T-WIWI-103065	Statistical Modeling of Generalized Regression Models	4,5 CR	Heller		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### **Competence Goal**

The student

- shows an advanced understanding of Econometric techniques and statistical model building.
- is able to develop advanced Econometric models for applied problems based on available data
- is able to apply techniques and models efficiently with statistical software, to interpret results and to judge on different approaches with appropriate statistical criteria.

#### Content

The courses provide foundations of advanced Econometric and statistical techiques for regression, time series and multivariate analysis.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours.



# 5.218 Module: Stochastic Information Processing [M-INFO-100829]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Uwe Hanebeck **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits Grading scale
6 Grade to a tenth

**Recurrence** Each winter term Duration 1 term **Language** German Level 4 Version 1

Mandatory				
T-INFO-101366	Stochastic Information Processing	6 CR	Hanebeck	



### 5.219 Module: Stochastic Optimization [M-WIWI-103289]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Steffen Rebennack

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Operations Research)

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion9Grade to a tenthEach term1 termGerman/English411

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: between 1 and 2 items)						
T-WIWI-106546	Introduction to Stochastic Optimization	4,5 CR	Rebennack			
T-WIWI-106548	Advanced Stochastic Optimization	4,5 CR	Rebennack			
T-WIWI-106549	Large-scale Optimization	4,5 CR	Rebennack			
Supplementary Courses (Election: at most 1 item)						
T-WIWI-102723	Graph Theory and Advanced Location Models	4,5 CR	Nickel			
T-WIWI-102719	Mixed Integer Programming I	4,5 CR	Stein			
T-WIWI-102720	Mixed Integer Programming II	4,5 CR	Stein			
T-WIWI-111247	Mathematics for High Dimensional Statistics	4,5 CR	Grothe			
T-WIWI-111587	Multicriteria Optimization	4,5 CR	Stein			
T-WIWI-103124	Multivariate Statistical Methods	4,5 CR	Grothe			
T-WIWI-102715	Operations Research in Supply Chain Management	4,5 CR	Nickel			
T-WIWI-106545	Optimization under Uncertainty	4,5 CR	Rebennack			
T-WIWI-112109	Topics in Stochastic Optimization	4,5 CR	Rebennack			

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to § 4(2), 1 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module.

The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module seperately.

The overall grade of the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

At least one of the courses "Advanced Stochastic Optimization", "Large-scale Optimization" or "Introduction to Stochastic Optimization" has to be taken.

#### **Competence Goal**

The student

- names and describes basic notions for advanced stochastic optimization methods, in particular, ways to algorithmically exploit the special model structures,
- knows the indispensable methods and models for quantitative analysis of stochastic optimization problems,
- models and classifies stochastic optimization problems and chooses the appropriate solution methods to solve also challenging stochastic optimization problems independently and, if necessary, with the aid of a computer,
- validates, illustrates and interprets the obtained solutions,
- identifies drawbacks of the solution methods and, if necessary, is able to makes suggestions to adapt them to practical problems.

#### Content

The module focuses on the modeling as well as the imparting of theoretical principles and solution methods for optimization problems with special structure, which occur for example in the stochastic optimization.

#### Annotation

The courses are sometimes offered irregularly. The curriculum, planned for three years in advance, can be found on the Internet at http://sop.ior.kit.edu/28.php.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours (9 credits). The allocation is made according to the credit points of the courses of the module. The total number of hours per course is determined by the amount of time spent attending the lectures and exercises, as well as the exam times and the time required to achieve the module's learning objectives for an average student for an average performance.

#### Recommendation

It is recommended to listen to the lecture "Introduction to Stochastic Optimization" before the lecture "Advanced Stochastic Optimization" is visited.



# 5.220 Module: Subdivision Algorithms [M-INFO-101863]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Hartmut Prautzsch **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-103551	Subdivision Algorithms	3 CR	Prautzsch

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### Competence Goal

Students of this course are knowledgeable about subdivision algorithms and are able to analyze the smoothness of subdivision algorithms.

#### Content

Chaikin algorithm, Lane-Riesenfeld algorithm, stationary subdivision for curves, regular quadrilateral, triangular and hexagonal meshes, the subdivision symbol, stencils, difference and derivative schemes, convergence theorems, four-point scheme, box spline subdivision, half box spline subdivision, stationary subdivision of arbitrary meshes with extraordinary points, the midpoints scheme, subdivision matrix, characteristic map, differentiability at extraordinary points, the simplest subdivision scheme, Doo-Sabin algorithm, Catmull-Clark algorithm, WAVE schemes including Loop's scheme, butterfly scheme, sqrt 3 scheme, 4-8 scheme, Ck subdivision algorithms, corner cutting and similar topics.

#### Workload

90h of which about

30h for attending the lecture

30h for post-processing

30h for exam preparation



# 5.221 Module: Telematics [M-INFO-100801]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>6Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory				
T-INFO-101338	Telematics	6 CR	Zitterbart	

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievement.

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievement.

#### Competence Goal

Students

- master protocols, architectures, and methods and algorithms that are used on the Internet for routing and for establishing a reliable end-to-end connection, as well as various media allocation procedures in local networks.
- have an understanding of the systems and the problems that appear in a global, dynamic network as well as the mechanisms
  used to remedy them.
- are familiar with current developments such as SDN and data center networking.
- know methods to manage and administrate networks.

Students master the basic protocol mechanisms for establishing reliable end-to-end communication. Students have detailed knowledge of the mechanisms used in TCP for congestion and flow control and can discuss the issue of fairness with multiple parallel transport streams. Students can analytically determine the performance of transport protocols and know methods that fulfill special requirements of TCP, such as high data rates and short latencies. Students are familiar with current topics such as problems introduced by utilization of middle boxes in the Internet, the use of TCP in data centers and multipath TCP. Students can use transport protocols in practice.

Students know the functions of routers in the Internet and can reproduce and apply common routing algorithms. Students can reproduce the architecture of a router and know different approaches to buffer placement as well as their advantages and disadvantages.

Students understand the distinction of routing protocols into interior and exterior gateway protocols and have detailed knowledge of the functionality and properties of common protocols such as RIP, OSPF and BGP. The students are familiar with current topics such as SDN.

Students know the function of media allocation and can classify and analytically evaluate media allocation processes. Students have in-depth knowledge of Ethernet and are familiar with various Ethernet forms and their differences, especially current developments such as real-time Ethernet and data center Ethernet. Students can reproduce and apply the spanning tree protocol. Students can reproduce the technical characteristics of DSL. Students are familiar with the concept of label switching and can compare existing approaches such as MPLS.

#### Content

- Introduction
- End-to-end data transport
- Routing protocols and architectures
- Media allocation
- Bridges
- Data transmission
- Further selected examples
- Network management

#### Workload

180 hrs.



### 5.222 Module: Testing Digital Systems I [M-INFO-100851]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Mehdi Baradaran Tahoori **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-101388	Testing Digital Systems I	3 CR	Tahoori

#### Competence Certificate

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### Competence Goal

The course provides the basic techniques for testing digital circuits

#### Content

Testing of digital circuits plays a critical role during the design and manufacturing cycles. It also ensures the quality of parts shipped to the customers. Test generation and design for testability are integral parts of automated design flow of all electronics products. The objective of this course is to provide the foundations for developing test methods for digital systems and provides the techniques necessary to practice design for testability.

This course encompasses the theoretical and practical aspects of digital systems testing and the design of easily testable circuits. Topics include Introduction to Testing (testing definition, types of test, automatic test equipment, test economics, and quality models), Failures and Errors (definitions, failure modes, failure mechanisms, reliability defects), Faults (fault models, stuck-at faults, bridging faults, timing faults, transistor-level faults, functional-level faults, effectiveness of different fault models based on real data), Logic and Fault Simulation (fault equivalence and fault collapsing, true-value simulation, fault simulation algorithms, statistical methods), Test Generation for Combinational Circuits (algebraic methods, path-tracing (D-alg, PODEM, FAN), testability metrics, test file compression), Digital Design-For-Testability and Internal Scan Design (ad-hoc methods, scan architectures, scan-based test methodology).

#### Workload

 $2 \text{ SWS:} = (2 \text{ SWS} + 1.5 \times 2 \text{ SWS}) \times 15 + 15 \text{ h preparation for the exam} = 90 \text{ h} = 3 \text{ ECTS} = 2 \text{ SWS:} = 2 \text{ SWS:}$ 



### 5.223 Module: Testing Digital Systems II [M-INFO-102962]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Mehdi Baradaran Tahoori **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>3Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-105936	Testing Digital Systems II	3 CR	Tahoori

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Competence Goal**

The objective of this course is to provide more advanced topics on testing of digital systems and complement the foundation covered in Testing Digital Systems I.

#### Content

Testing of digital circuits plays a critical role during the design and manufacturing cycles. It also ensures the quality of parts shipped to the customers. Test generation and design for testability are integral parts of automated design flow of all electronic products. The objective of this course is to provide more advanced topics on testing of digital systems and complement the foundation covered in Testing Digital Systems I.

Topics include Functional and Structural Testing (design verification vectors, exhaustive test, pseudo-exhaustive test, pseudo-random testing), Essentials of Test Generation for Sequential Circuits (state-machine initialization, time-frame expansion method), Built-in Self Test (test economics of BIST, test pattern generation, output response analysis, BIST architectures), Boundry Scan (Boundry scan architectures, BS test methodology), Delay Testing (path delay test, hazard-free, robust, and non-robust delay tests), transition faults, delay test schemes), Current-Based Testing (motivation, test vectors for IDDQ, variations of IDDQ), Memory Test (memory test algorithm, memory BIST, memory repair), and DFT for System-on-Chip.

#### Workload

2 SWS: (2 SWS + 1,5 x 2 SWS) x 15 + 15 h Klausurvorbereitung = 90 h = 3 ECTS

#### Recommendation

Knowledge of Digital Design and Computer Architecture is helpful.



# 5.224 Module: Theoretical Foundations of Cryptography [M-INFO-105584]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDuration6Grade to a tenthEach winter term1 term

tion Language rm German Level 4 Version 1

Mandatory			
T-INFO-111199	Theoretical Foundations of Cryptography	6 CR	Müller-Quade



# 5.225 Module: Tools for Probabilistic Machine Learning [M-INFO-106870]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Uwe Hanebeck **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scale<br/>6Recurrence<br/>Grade to a tenthDuration<br/>Each winter termLanguage<br/>1 termLevel<br/>GermanVersion<br/>3

Mandatory					
T-INFO-113763	Tools for Probabilistic Machine Learning	6 CR	Hanebeck		
T-INFO-113764	Tools for Probabilistic Machine Learning - Pass	0 CR	Hanebeck		



# 5.226 Module: Transport Infrastructure Policy and Regional Development [M-WIWI-101485]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Kay Mitusch

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Economics and Management (Economics)

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	2 terms	German/English	4	2

Compulsory Elective Courses (Election: 2 items)				
T-WIWI-103107	Spatial Economics	4,5 CR	Ott	
T-WIWI-100007	Transport Economics	4,5 CR	Mitusch, Szimba	

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as partial exams (according to Section 4(2), 1 or 2 of the examination regulation) of the single courses of this module, whose sum of credits must meet the minimum requirement of credits of this module. The exams are offered at the beginning of the recess period about the subject matter of the latest held lecture. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. The assessment procedures are described for each course of the module separately. The overall grade for the module is the average of the grades for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

### **Competence Goal**

The students

- understand the economic issues related to transport and regional development with a main focus on economic policy issues generated by the relationship of transport and regional development with the public sector
- are able to compare different considerations of politics, regulation and the private sector and to analyse and assess the respective decision problems both qualitatively and by applying appropriate methods from economic theory
- are prepared for careers in the public sector, particularly for public companies, politics, regulatory agencies, related consultancies, mayor construction companies or infrastructure project corporations

#### Content

The development infrastructure (e.g. transport, energy, telecommunications) has always been one of the most relevant factors for economic development and particularly influences the development of the regional economy. From the repertoire of state actions, investments into transport infrastructure are often regarded the most important measure to foster regional economic growth. Besides the direct effects of transport policy on passenger and freight transport, a variety of individual economic activities is significantly dependent on the available or potential transport options. Decisions on the planning, financing and realization of mayor infrastructure projects require a solid and far-reaching consideration of direct and indirect growth effects with the occurring costs.

Through its combination of lectures the module reflects the complex interdependencies between infrastructure policy, transport industry and regional policy and provides its participants with a comprehensive understanding of the functionalities of one of the most important sectors of the economy and its relevance for economic policy.

#### **Annotation**

The courses Assessment of Public Policies and Projects I (winter term) and Assessment of Public Policies and Projects II (summer term) will no longer be part of this module. Student who have already had exams in this courses can integrate these exams in this module.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours. The exact distribution is based on the credit points of the courses in the module. The total number of hours per course is determined by the amount of time spent attending the lectures and tutorials, as well as the exam times and the time required to achieve the module's learning objectives for an average student for an average performance.



# 5.227 Module: Ubiquitous Computing [M-INFO-100789]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Michael Beigl
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each winter termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory				
T-INFO-101326	Ubiquitous Computing	5 CR	Beigl	



# 5.228 Module: Ubiquitous Computing [M-WIWI-101458]

Responsible: N.N.

Prof. Dr. Hartmut Schmeck

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: Informatics

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
9	Grade to a tenth	Each term	1 term	German	4	3

Mandatory							
T-INFO-101326 Ubiquitous Computing 5 CR Beigl							
Supplementary Courses (Election: between 4 and 5 credits)							
T-WIWI-102761	Advanced Lab in Ubiquitous Computing	4 CR	Beigl, Schmeck				
T-INFO-101323	IT-Security Management for Networked Systems	5 CR	Hartenstein				

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment mix of each course of this module is defined for each course separately. The final mark for the module is the average of the marks for each course weighted by the credits and truncated after the first decimal.

#### **Prerequisites**

See German version

#### Competence Goal

The student

- gets comprehensive knowledge about topics in the area of Ubiquitous Computing
- can design and evaluate ubiquitous systems in different application areas
- acquires appropriate knowledge for addressing specialized aspects in the area of ubiquitous computing

#### Content

Ubiquitous information technology (Ubiquitous Computing) addresses the ubiquitous (or pervasive) availability of information processing. The availability of these systems has the objective to facilitate the operational environment in technical scenarios or in daily life of humans and to enrich it with new capabilities. This module provides fundamentals of ubiquitous computing and further topics like network and Internet technologies, security aspects, the analysis of autonomously operating systems in Organic Computing and also the utilisation of information and communication technologies in highly decentralized energy systems.

#### Workload

The total workload for this module is approximately 270 hours. For further information see German version.



# 5.229 Module: Visualization [M-INFO-100738]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Carsten Dachsbacher **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits<br/>5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a tenthRecurrence<br/>Each summer termDuration<br/>1 termLanguage<br/>German/EnglishLevel<br/>4Version<br/>1

Mandatory					
T-INFO-101275	Visualization	5 CR	Dachsbacher		



# 5.230 Module: Wearable Robotic Technologies [M-INFO-103294]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Tamim Asfour

Prof. Dr.-Ing. Michael Beigl

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Duration	Language	Level	Version
4	Grade to a tenth	Each summer term	1 term	English	4	3

Mandatory					
T-INFO-106557	Wearable Robotic Technologies	4 CR	Asfour, Beigl		

#### **Competence Certificate**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### **Prerequisites**

See partial achievements (Teilleistung)

#### Competence Goal

The student has received fundamental knowledge about wearable robotic technologies and understands the requirements for the design, the interface to the human body and the control of wearable robots. He/she is able to describe methods for modelling the human neuromusculoskeletal system, the mechatronic design, fabrication and composition of interfaces to the human body. The student understands the symbiotic human–machine interaction as a core topic of Anthropomatics and has knowledge of state-of-the-art examples of exoskeletons, orthoses and prostheses.

#### Content

The lecture provides an overview of wearable robot technologies (exoskeletons, prostheses and ortheses) and their potentials. It starts with the basics of wearable robotics and introduces different approaches to the design of wearable robots and their related actuator and sensor technology. The lecture focuses on modeling the neuromusculoskeletal system of the human body, the interfaces of wearable robots to the human body and the physical and cognitive human-robot interaction for tightly-coupled hybrid human-robot systems. Examples of current research and various applications of lower, upper and full body exoskeletons as well as prostheses are presented.

#### Workload

Lecture with 2 SWS, 4 LP 4 LP corresponds to 120 hours, including 15 \* 2 = 30 hours attendance time 15 \* 3 = 45 self-study 45 hours preparation for the exam

#### Recommendation

Attendance of the lecture Mechano-Informatics in Robotics is recommended.



# 5.231 Module: Web Applications and Service-Oriented Architectures (II) [M-INFO-100734]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Sebastian Abeck
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: Informatics

CreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceDurationLanguageLevelVersion4Grade to a tenthEach summer term1 termGerman41

Mandatory					
T-INFO-101271	Web Applications and Service-Oriented Architectures (II)	4 CR	Abeck		

#### **Competence Certificate**

Siehe Teilleistung

#### **6 Courses**



# 6.1 Course: Access Control Systems: Models and Technology [T-INFO-112775]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Hannes Hartenstein **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106303 - Access Control Systems: Models and Technology

M-WIWI-104812 - Information Systems: Engineering and Transformation

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach summer term 1

Events						
ST 2024	2400147	Access Control Systems: Models and Technology	3 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Hartenstein, Leinweber	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500155	Access Control Systems: Models and	Access Control Systems: Models and Technology			
ST 2024	7500247	Access Control Systems: Models and Technology			Hartenstein	
WT 24/25	7500192	Access Control Systems: Models and Technology			Hartenstein	

Legend: ☐ Online, 🍪 Blended (On-Site/Online), 🗣 On-Site, 🗙 Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 1 SPO) lasting 60 minutes.

Depending on the number of participants, it will be announced six weeks before the examination (§ 6 Abs. 3 SPO) whether the examination takes place

- in the form of an oral examination lasting 20 minutes pursuant to § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO or
- in the form of a written examination lasting 60 minutes in accordance with § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 1 SPO.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Recommendation

Basics according to the lectures "IT Security Management for Networked Systems" and "Telematics" are recommended.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



Access Control Systems: Models and Technology 2400147, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ) On-Site

#### Content

#### Content:

Access control systems are everywhere and the backbone of secure services as they incorporate who is and who is not authorized: think of operating systems, information systems, banking, vehicles, robotics, cryptocurrencies, or decentralized applications as examples. The course starts with current challenges of access control in the era of hyperconnectivity, i.e., in cyber-physical or decentralized systems. Based on the derived needs for next generation access control, we first study how to specify access control and analyze strengths and weaknesses of various approaches. We then focus on up-to-date proposals, like IoT and AI access control. We look at current cryptographic access control aspects, blockchains and cryptocurrencies, and trusted execution environments. We also discuss the ethical dimension of access management. Students prepare for lecture and exercise sessions by studying previously announced literature and by preparation of exercises that are jointly discussed in the sessions.

#### **Competency Goals:**

- The student understands the challenges of access control in the era of hyperconnectivity.
- The student understands that an information security model defines access rights that express for a given system which subjects are allowed to perform which actions on which objects. The student understands that a system is said to be secure with respect to a given information security model, if it enforces the corresponding access rights.
- The student is able to derive suitable access control models from scenario requirements and is able to specify concrete access control systems. The student is able to decide which concrete architectures and protocols are technically suited for realizing a given access control model.
- The student knows access control protocols using cryptographic methods and is able to compare protocol realizations based on different cryptographic building blocks.
- The student is aware of the limits of access control models and systems with respect to their analyzability and performance and security characteristics. The student is able to identify the resulting tradeoffs.
- The student knows the state of the art with respect to current research endeavors, e.g., access control in the context of decentralized and distributed systems, Trusted Execution Environments, AI, robotics, or hash-chain based systems.

#### Workload:

1.Attendance time

Lecture: 2 SWS: 2,0h x 15 = 30h Exercises: 1 SWS: 1,0h x 15 = 15h

2.Self-study (e.g., independent review of course material, work on homework assignments)

Weeklypreparation and follow-up ofthelecture:  $15 \times 1h \times 3 = 45h$ Weeklypreparation and follow-up oftheexercise:  $15 \times 2h = 30h$ 

3. Preparation for the exam: 30h

 $\Sigma$  = 150h = 5 ECTS

### Competency certificate:

Depending on the number of participants, it will be announced six weeks before the examination (§ 6 Abs. 3 SPO) whether the examination takes place

- in the form of an oral examination lasting 20 minutes pursuant to § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO or
- in the form of a written examination lasting 60 minutes in accordance with § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 1 SPO.

#### **Recommendations:**

 $Basics\ according\ to\ the\ lectures\ "IT\ Security\ Management\ for\ Networked\ Systems"\ and\ "Telematics"\ are\ recommended.$ 

Duration: One terms



# 6.2 Course: Advanced Artificial Intelligence [T-INFO-112768]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Jan Niehues

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106299 - Advanced Artificial Intelligence

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Written examination 6 Grade to a third Each summer term 1

Events	Events							
ST 2024	2400141	Advanced Artificial Intelligence	4 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Niehues, Asfour			
Exams								
ST 2024	7500052	Advanced Artificial Intelligence			Niehues			
WT 24/25	7500092	Advanced Artificial Intelligence			Niehues, Waibel, Asfour			

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 60 minutes.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Advanced Artificial Intelligence

2400141, SS 2024, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

Al systems are increasingly integrated into our everyday lives. These are, for example, systems that can understand and generate language or analyze images and videos. In addition, Al systems are essential in robotics in order to be able to develop the next generation of intelligent robots.

Based on the knowledge of the lecture "Einführung in der KI", the students learn to understand, develop and evaluate these systems. In order to bring this knowledge closer to the students, the lecture is divided into 4 parts. First, the methods of perception using different modalities are treated. The second part deals with advanced methods of learning that go beyond supervised learning. Then methods are discussed that are required for the representation of knowledge in AI systems . Finally, methods are presented that enable AI systems to generate content.

#### Requirements:

None

#### Recommendations:

- "Einführung in der KI"
- Good basic knowledge of mathematics

#### Workload:

approx. 180 hours, of which

approx. 45 hours lecture attendance

approx. 15 hours exercise visit

approx. 90 hours post-processing and processing of the exercise sheets

approx. 30 hours exam preparation

#### Learning goals:

- The students know the relevant elements of a technical cognitive system and their tasks.
- The students understand the algorithms and methods of AI to model technically cognitive systems.
- The students are able to understand the different sub -components to develop and analyze a system.
- The students can transfer this knowledge to new applications, as well as analyze and compare different methods.

#### success control:

See the module manual!



# 6.3 Course: Advanced Bayesian Data Analysis [T-INFO-113673]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Nadja Klein

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106812 - Advanced Bayesian Data Analysis

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Version
Written examination	5	Grade to a third	1

Events					
WT 24/25	2400120	Advanced Bayesian Data Analysis	3 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Klein

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The success control takes place in the form of a written exam, usually 90 minutes in length, according to § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 1 SPO.

A bonus can be acquired through successful participation in the exercise as a success control of a different kind (§4(2), 3 SPO 2008) or study performance (§4(3) SPO 2015). The exact criteria for awarding a bonus will be announced at the beginning of the lecture. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by one grade level (0.3 or 0.4). The bonus is only valid for the main and post exams of the semester in which it was earned. After that, the grade bonus expires.

#### Recommendation

- Knowledge in R or Python
- Mathematics-heavy lecture. The basics will be reviewed, but mathematical proficiency is helpful



### 6.4 Course: Advanced Corporate Finance [T-WIWI-113469]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martin Ruckes

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101453 - Applied Strategic Decisions

M-WIWI-101480 - Finance 3 M-WIWI-101483 - Finance 2

M-WIWI-101502 - Economic Theory and its Application in Finance

Type	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4,5	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events						
ST 2024	2530214	Advanced Corporate Finance	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>⊈</b>	Ruckes	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900073	Advanced Corporate Finance			Ruckes	

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, **x** Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is a written examination (following §4(2), 1 SPO) of 60 mins.

The exam is offered each semester.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



#### **Advanced Corporate Finance**

2530214, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

The course covers the foundational principles of advanced topics of corporate finance, such as corporate governance, executive compensation, strategy & finance, mergers & acquisitions (M&A), and sustainable finance. Additionally, the course explores the respective institutional aspects within these areas of corporate finance. The approach is holistic, including both theoretical-conceptional aspects (e.g., moral hazard and the influence of asymmetric information) and empirical insights (e.g., the effects of financial decisions on firm value). Throughout, the course will emphasize both fundamental and current research findings.

#### Learning outcomes:

Upon successful completion of the course, students will possess profound knowledge and skills in advanced areas of corporate finance. These areas include topics such as corporate governance, executive compensation, strategy and finance, mergers and acquisitions (M&A), as well as key aspects of sustainable finance. Participants of this course will be able to describe and analyze the theoretical and conceptual foundations of the effects of information asymmetries and moral hazard on corporate financing behavior and assess their impact in corporate practice. Furthermore, upon completion of the course, participants will be familiar with the fundamental institutional elements in these areas and be able to discuss and solve advanced problems in corporate finance from both a theoretical and an empirical perspective. Moreover, students will acquire an advanced understanding of the central scientific findings in these topic areas, which will enable them to critically apply them in scientific and practical contexts.

#### Literature

Verschiedene Literaturquellen, u.a. Brealey/Myers/Allen/Edmans: Principles of Corporate Finance; Thomson/Conyon: Corporate Governance: Mechanisms and Systems; Larcker/Tayan: Corporate Governance Matters. Weitere Literatur wird in der Lehrveranstaltung bekannt gegeben.

Various source of literature, among others Brealey/Myers/Allen/Edmans: Principles of Corporate Finance; Thomson/Conyon: Corporate Governance: Mechanisms and Systems; Larcker/Tayan: Corporate Governance Matters. Additional reading materials will be introduced during the course.



# 6.5 Course: Advanced Data Structures [T-INFO-105687]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102731 - Advanced Data Structures

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Oral examination 4 Grade to a third Each summer term 2

Events					
ST 2024	2400164	Advanced Data Structures	3 SWS	Lecture / <b>⊈</b> ⁵	Kurpicz, Sanders
Exams					
ST 2024	7500538	Advanced Data Structures			Sanders

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an oral examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO) lasting 20 minutes.

The examination takes place in the form of an oral examination and a project/experiment as an examination of success of a different kind Weighting: 80% oral examination, 20% project/experiment.

#### **Prerequisites**

none.

#### Recommendation

The lecture builds on parts of the contents of the lectures Algorithms I and Algorithms II. Corresponding knowledge is therefore helpful.



# 6.6 Course: Advanced Data Structures Project/Experiment [T-INFO-111849]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102731 - Advanced Data Structures

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	1	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events						
ST 2024	2400164	Advanced Data Structures	3 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Kurpicz, Sanders	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500370	Advanced Data Structures Project/Experiment			Sanders	

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 120 minutes.

The examination takes place in the form of an oral examination and a project/experiment as an examination of success of a different kind Weighting: 80% oral examination, 20% project/experiment.

#### **Prerequisites**

none.

#### Recommendation

The lecture builds on parts of the contents of the lectures Algorithms I and Algorithms II. Corresponding knowledge is therefore helpful.



# 6.7 Course: Advanced Empirical Asset Pricing [T-WIWI-110513]

Responsible: TT-Prof. Dr. Julian Thimme

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101480 - Finance 3

M-WIWI-101483 - Finance 2

TypeCredits<br/>Written examinationGrading scale<br/>4,5Recurrence<br/>Each winter termVersion<br/>1

Exams					
ST 2024	7900321	Advanced Empirical Asset Pricing	Thimme		
WT 24/25	7900319	Advanced Empirical Asset Pricing	Thimme		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The success control takes place in form of a written examination (60 min) during the semester break. If the number of participants is low, an oral examination may also be offered. The examination is offered every semester and can be repeated at any regular examination date.

A bonus can be acquired by submitting exercise solutions to 80% of the assigned exercise tasks. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by up to one grade level (0.3 or 0.4). Details will be announced in the lecture.

#### Recommendation

We strongly recommend knowledge of the basic topics in investments (bachelor course), which will be necessary to be able to follow the course. In addition, prior participation in the Asset Pricing Master course is strongly recommended.

#### **Annotation**

New course from winter semester 2019/2020.



# 6.8 Course: Advanced Game Theory [T-WIWI-102861]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Karl-Martin Ehrhart

Prof. Dr. Clemens Puppe Prof. Dr. Johannes Philipp Reiß

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101453 - Applied Strategic Decisions

M-WIWI-101500 - Microeconomic Theory

M-WIWI-101502 - Economic Theory and its Application in Finance

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach winter term 1

Events							
WT 24/25	2500037	Advanced Game Theory	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Puppe, Ammann		
WT 24/25	2500038	Übung zu Advanced Game Theory	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Puppe, Ammann		
Exams							
ST 2024	7910001	Advanced Game Theory	Advanced Game Theory R				
WT 24/25	7900013	Advanced Game Theory			Puppe		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 minutes) (following §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge of mathematics and statistics is assumed.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Advanced Game Theory**

 $2500037, WS\,24/25, 2\,SWS, Language: English, Open\ in\ study\ portal$ 

Lecture (V) On-Site

The course "Advanced Game Theory" deals with the formulation and solution concepts of games. A game is defined as a formal representation of a situation in which a number of individuals interact in a setting of strategic interdependence.

The first part of the course builds upon the topics of the bachelor's course "Introduction to Game Theory". In particular, in contrast to the bachelor's lecture, the course introduces a rigorous mathematical treatment of simultaneous move and dynamic games (noncooperative games) as well as their solution concepts.

The second part of the course deals with the topics of evolutionary and cooperative game theory. Both the models as well as the solution concepts of evolutionary stable strategies, the core, and the Shapley value are introduced.

The third part of the course embeds the topic of game theory in the more general context of mechanism design and concludes with the introduction of voting games and their solution concepts.

# Learning objectives:

The student should learn

- to name and define the models and solution concepts of a variety of games in both mathematical-formal and precise verbal form
- to solve games of different types and difficulties with the appropriate solution concepts.
- to prove and reason about simple statements on games and their solution concepts.
- to model strategic interdependencies in the real world as games in a formal mathematical way.

### Workload:

Total workload for 4.5 credit points: approx. 135 hours Attendance: 30 hours Self-study: 105 hours

#### Literature

- Mas-Colell, A., Whinston, M. D. and Green, J. R. 1995. Microeconomic Theory. Oxford University Press.
- Osborne, M. J. and Rubinstein, A. 1998. A Course in Game Theory. 5. print. MIT Press.
- Myerson, R. B. 1997. Game Theory: Analysis of Conflict. Harvard University Press.



# 6.9 Course: Advanced Lab in Ubiquitous Computing [T-WIWI-102761]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Michael Beigl

Prof. Dr. Hartmut Schmeck

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101458 - Ubiquitous Computing

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 4 Grade to a third Pregular 1

#### **Competence Certificate**

See German version

# **Prerequisites**

None

#### **Annotation**

See German Version



# 6.10 Course: Advanced Lab Informatics (Master) [T-WIWI-110548]

Responsible: Professorenschaft des Instituts AIFB

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101456 - Intelligent Systems and Services

M-WIWI-101477 - Development of Business Information Systems

M-WIWI-105366 - Artificial Intelligence

M-WIWI-106803 - Advanced Topics in AI: Knowledge Graphs and the Web

M-WIWI-106804 - Advanced Topics in Al: Graph Neural Networks and Language Models

**Type** Examination of another type

Credits 4,5 **Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Each term Version 1

Events							
ST 2024	2512205	Lab Realisation of innovative services (Master)	3 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Schiefer, Schüler, Toussaint		
ST 2024	2512207	Lab Automation in Everyday Life (Master)	3 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Oberweis, Forell, Frister, Rybinski, Schiefer		
ST 2024	2512401	Advanced Lab Development of Sociotechnical Information Systems (Master)	3 SWS	Practical course / 🕄	Sunyaev, Leiser		
ST 2024	2512403	Advanced Lab Blockchain Hackathon (Master)		Practical course /	Sunyaev, Sturm, Kannengießer, Beyene		
ST 2024	2512500	Project Lab Machine Learning	3 SWS	Practical course / 🕃	Daaboul, Zöllner, Schneider		
ST 2024	2512555	Praktikum Security, Usability and Society (Master)	3 SWS	Practical course /	Volkamer, Strufe, Mayer, Berens, Mossano, Hennig, Veit, Länge		
WT 24/25	2512101	Seminar Digital Twins with Lego: Hands-on Workshop in Data-driven Simulation (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / ♣	Lazarova-Molnar, Götz, Khodadadi		
WT 24/25	2512205	Lab Realisation of innovative services (Master)	3 SWS	Practical course / 🕃	Toussaint, Schiefer, Schüler		
WT 24/25	2512314	Practical Course Linked Data and the Semantic Web (Master)	3 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Käfer, Braun		
WT 24/25	2512401	Practical Course Sociotechnical Information Systems Development (Master)	3 SWS	Practical course /	Sunyaev, Leiser		
WT 24/25	2512501	Practical Course Cognitive automobiles and robots (Master)	3 SWS	Practical course / 🕃	Zöllner, Daaboul		
WT 24/25	2512600	Project lab Information Service Engineering (Master)	3 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Sack		
Exams	•						
ST 2024	7900020	Lab Automation in Everyday Life (Ma	ister)		Oberweis		
ST 2024	7900086	Project Lab Machine Learning			Zöllner		
ST 2024	7900148	Advanced Lab Realization of innovat	ive service	es (Master)	Oberweis		
ST 2024	7900172	Lab Blockchain Hackathon (Master)			Sunyaev		
ST 2024	7900173	Advanced Lab Development of Socio (Master)	Advanced Lab Development of Sociotechnical Information Systems				
ST 2024	7900178	Practical Lab Security, Usability and	Practical Lab Security, Usability and Society (Master)				
WT 24/25	7900035	Practical Course Digital Twins with L Data-driven Simulation (Master)	Lazarova-Molnar				
WT 24/25	7900046	Advanced Lab Security (Master)			Volkamer		
WT 24/25	7900102	Advanced Lab Information Service E	ngineering	g (Master)	Sack		

WT 24/25	7900107	Advanced Lab Cognitive Automobile and Robots (Master)	Zöllner
WT 24/25	7900143	Advanced Lab Development of Sociotechnical Information Systems (Master)	Sunyaev
WT 24/25	7900218	Advanced Lab Linked Data and the Semantic Web (Master)	Käfer
WT 24/25	7900306	Advanced Lab Realization of Innovative Services (Master)	Oberweis
WT 24/25	7900307	Advanced Lab Security, Usability and Society (Master)	Volkamer

#### **Competence Certificate**

The alternative exam assessment consists of:

- a practical work
- · a presentation and
- · a written seminar thesis

Practical work, presentation and written thesis are weighted according to the course.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### **Annotation**

The title of this course is a generic one. Specific titles and the topics of offered seminars will be announced before the start of a semester in the internet at https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Lab Realisation of innovative services (Master)

2512205, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Practical course (P) On-Site

#### Content

As part of the lab, the participants should work together in small groups to realize innovative services (mainly for students).

#### Organizational issues

Informationen zu Themen und die Anmeldung erfolgt vor Praktikumsbeginn im Wiwi-Portal https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/ys



### Lab Automation in Everyday Life (Master)

2512207, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Practical course (P) On-Site

#### Content

As part of the lab, various topics on everyday automation are offered. During the lab, the participants will gain an insight into problem-solving oriented project work and work on a project together in small groups.

In case of questions, please contact fabian.rybinski@kit.edu.

### Organizational issues

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Bei Fragen bitte an fabian.rybinski@kit.edu wenden.



# Advanced Lab Development of Sociotechnical Information Systems (Master)

2512401, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P) Blended (On-Site/Online)

# Content

The aim of the lab is to get to know the development of socio-technical information systems in different application areas. In the event framework, you should develop a suitable solution strategy for your problem alone or in group work, collect requirements, and implement a software artifact based on it (for example, web platform, mobile apps, desktop application). Another focus of the lab is on the subsequent quality assurance and documentation of the implemented software artifact.

Registration information will be announced on the course page.



## **Project Lab Machine Learning**

2512500, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

The lab is intended as a practical supplement to lectures such as "Machine Learning". The theoretical basics are applied in the lab course. The aim of the lab course is that the participants work together to design, develop and evaluate a subsystem from the field of robotics and cognitive systems using one or more procedures from the field of Al/ML.

In addition to the scientific objectives involved in the investigation and application of the methods, aspects of project-specific teamwork in research (from specification to presentation of the results) are also developed in this practical course.

The individual projects require the analysis of the task at hand, selection of suitable procedures, specification and implementation and evaluation of the approach taken. Finally, the chosen solution has to be documented and presented in a short presentation.

#### Learning objectives:

- Students can practically apply knowledge from the Machine Learning lecture in a selected field of current research in robotics or cognitive automobiles.
- Students master the analysis and solution of corresponding problems in a team.
- Students can evaluate, document and present their concepts and results.

#### Recommendations:

Attendance of the lecture machine learning, C/C++ knowledge, Python knowledge

#### Workload:

The workload of 5 credit points consists of the time spent in the lab for practical implementation of the selected solution, as well as the time spent on literature research and planning/specifying the proposed solution. In addition, a short report and a presentation of the work carried out will be prepared.

#### **Organizational issues**

Anmeldung und weitere Informationen sind im Wiwi-Portal zu finden.

Registration and further information can be found in the WiWi-portal.



# Praktikum Security, Usability and Society (Master)

2512555, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
Online

The Praktikum Security, Usability and Society will cover topics both of usable security and privacy programming, and how to conduct user studies. To reserve a place, please, register on the WiWi portal and send an email with your chosen topic, plus a back-up one, to mattia.mossano@kit.edu . Topics are assigned first-come-first-served until all of them are filled. Topics in italics have been already assigned.

Application deadline 12.04.2024 Assignment 15.04.2024 Confirmation deadline 19.04.2024

#### Important dates:

Kick-off: 17.04.2024, 09:00 AM CET in Big Blue Button - Link

Report & code feedback deadline: 26.07.2024, 23:59 CET
Feedback on Report & code:
Final report + code deadline:

Presentation draft deadline:
Feedback on presentation draft:
Final presentation deadline:

Presentation day:

16.08.2024, 23:59 CET
01.09.2024, 23:59 CET
13.09.2024, 23:59 CET
17.09.2024, 23:59 CET
18.09.2024, 09:00 CET

Topics:

#### **Privacy Friendly Apps**

In this area, students complete an app (or an extension of an app) among our Privacy-Friendly Apps. Please click the following link to know more about them: https://secuso.aifb.kit.edu/english/105.php. Students are provided with a point list of goals, containing both basic features mandatory to pass the course and more advanced ones that heighten the final grade.

Title: NoPhish App

Number of students: 2 Ba/Ma

Description: The NoPhish app was one of the first measures from the NoPhish concept. The app has been around for a long time and has not been updated since then. Accordingly, the task of the project is to make the app functional for the current Android version. The app is also to be optimised so that updates, e.g. new chapters, can be added easily.

# Programming Usable Security Intervention

In this subject, students develop a part of coding, an extension, or another programming task dealing with various usable security interventions, eg as an extension. Eg TORPEDO ( https://secuso.aifb.kit.edu/english/TORPEDO.php ) or PassSec + ( https://secuso.aifb.kit.edu/english/PassSecPlus.php ). Just as before, students are provided with a point list of goals, containing both basic features mandatory to pass the course and more advanced ones that heighten the final grade.

Title: Hacking TORPEDO Number of students: 1-2 Ba/Ma

Description: TORPEDO has existed for many years both as a Thunderbird add-on and as a web extension. TORPEDO is intended to help address various forms of phishing attacks and thereby protect the user, e.g. against various manipulations of the domain or additional tooltips. However, no targeted attacks on TORPEDO have yet been found. The aim of the work is to subject TORPEDO to a stress test and also to develop attacks that specifically target the implementation of TORPEDO.

Title: Making e-mails more visible by embedding moving images

Number of students: 1 Ma

Description: In case of a security incident, it is necessary to inform the affected persons about their vulnerabilities as soon as possible. Within the context of the INSPECTION project, we are currently informing website owners via e-mail about security related vulnerabilities on their websites. Although e-mails have been shown to be the most cost-efficient means to deliver such information, they have not lead to an appropriate remediation rate. While speaking to the affected website owners we learned that they would appreciate more information, although not being delivered as more text in the e-mail. Also, we learned that most e-mails were not read because they were considered spam. Thus, we need to find a way to make e-mail notifications more effective in raising peoples' awareness. Videos have been proven effective to raise awareness in the context of IT security. The goal of the project will be, to explore ways to embed videos in an e-mail via HTML (either as gifs or as preview to a YouTube video). The challenge is to make this e-mail readable for different clients and webmail as well as getting it delivered through spam filters.

#### **Designing Security User studies**

These topics are related to how to set up and conduct user studies of various types. Online studies, interviews and lab studies are possible. At the end of the semester, the students present a report / paper and a talk in which they present their methodologies and the results of small pre-studies.

Title: Usability of Password Managers in Virtual Reality

Number of students: 2 Ma

Description: The pre-dominant form of authentication in Virtual Reality (VR) are passwords. Passwords create a burden for users in the VR environment because of special input methods and the virtual keyboard [Stephenson, S. et al (2022). SoK: Authentication in Augmented and Virtual Reality]. Password Managers (PMs) can support the user with handling this problem [Mayer, P. et al. (2022). Why Users (Don't) Use Password Managers at a Large Educational Institution]. They offer auto-filling features, store credentials in an overview or generate complex and secure passwords. Especially in the VR context, where typing a password is slow and complex, PMs can be beneficial. We want to explore the different PMs in VR and test the usability to find challenges and possible solutions.

#### **Run Usable Security Studies and Results Analysis**

These topics are related to run and analyse the results of user-studies. Online studies, interviews and lab studies are all possible, depending on the topic. At the end of the semester, the students present a report / paper with the analyses conducted and a talk in which they present the results.

Title: Visualization of Eye Gaze Patterns during Authetication Tasks

Number of students: 1 Ba/Ma

Description: In this project, students will analyze and visualize eye gaze data collected during two specific authentication tasks: the Dot Task and the Slider Task. The primary objective is to represent subjects' eye movements visually, enhancing the understanding of gaze patterns during the authentication process. \*Dot Task Visualization:\* For the Dot Task, participants were instructed to focus on a sequence of dots displayed on a screen. The dataset includes the positions of these dots and the corresponding gaze locations of the subjects. The student's task is to create a dynamic visualization that not only represents these positions accurately but also illustrates the sequence in which the dots were focused on by the subjects. \*Slider Task Visualization:\* The Slider Task involved presenting participants with a series of images, for which both the images' locations on the screen and the subjects' gaze locations are recorded. The challenge is to develop a heatmap visualization based on this data, effectively demonstrating the concentration and dispersion of gaze points across different images.

Title: How do website owners become aware that their website was hacked?

Number of student: 1 Ma

Description: We identified website owners that were affected by a hack on their website and sent them a notification. During the course of the notification process, we also identified several websites who seemingly remediated the hack before our notification. We now wanted to find out, how those website owners got aware of the hack. If they were notified by a third party, we would also like to know how and by whom they were notified and what their feelings were with respect to the notification. To answer these questions, a survey was designed and pre-tested with a sample of website owners. The study was run as an online survey using SosciSurvey. The aim of this lab topic will be to improve the survey based on the findings of the pre-study (https://publikationen.bibliothek.kit.edu/1000160718) and sent out invitations to the survey to around 100 website owners.

Title: Phishing through homographic attacks in messengers and social networks

Number of students: 1-2 Ba/Ma

Description: The task will be to test three types of attacks in messengers and social networks that work in some email clients. First is the link mismatch attack, where the link text differs from the actual link target. Second is an attack in which the actual link target is disguised by URL encoding [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/URL\_encoding], and finally homographic attacks which uses Internationalized Domain Names [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/IDN\_homograph\_attack], in which Latin characters are replaced by characters of a different alphabet in the domain name. The attacks are predefined, so no knowledge of phishing techniques is required.

Title: Usability Study of Mobile Authentication for Elderly Users with Rheumatoid Arthritis (English only)

Number of students: 1 Ba/Ma

Description: Authentication is an ever important topic, especially in the mobile context. However, it becomes even more relevant when considering accessibility to it. Nowadays, a common authentication method is using a PIN. Yet, given the low hand mobility of users affected by rheumatoid arthritis, sometimes using PINs can be difficult. In this topic, the student will conduct several sessions of an already designed lab study with various participants using arthritis simulation gloves to evaluate three PIN-pad interfaces aimed at making authentication more accessible. The study will also investigate the preferences of users regarding PIN-pad interfaces through drawings and proposals of changes. The student will then analyse the results through inferential statistics. Depending on the quality of the outcome, the results will then be published in a paper and the student will be added to the authors list.

This event counts towards the KASTEL certificate. Further information on how to obtain the certificate can be found on the SECUSO website (https://secuso.aifb.kit.edu/Studium\_und\_Lehre.php).



# Lab Realisation of innovative services (Master)

2512205, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

As part of the lab, the participants should work together in small groups to realize innovative services (mainly for students).

#### Organizational issues

Informationen zu Themen und die Anmeldung erfolgt vor Praktikumsbeginn im Wiwi-Portal https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/ys



# Practical Course Linked Data and the Semantic Web (Master)

2512314, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
On-Site

#### Content

Linked Data is a way of publishing data on the web in a machine-understandable fashion. The aim of this practical seminar is to build applications and devise algorithms that consume, provide, or analyse Linked Data.

The Linked Data principles are a set of practices for data publishing on the web. Linked Data builds on the web architecture and uses HTTP for data access, and RDF for describing data, thus aiming towards web-scale data integration. There is a vast amount of data available published according to those principles: recently, 4.5 billion facts have been counted with information about various domains, including music, movies, geography, natural sciences. Linked Data is also used to make web-pages machine-understandable, corresponding annotations are considered by the big search engine providers. On a smaller scale, devices on the Internet of Things can also be accessed using Linked Data which makes the unified processing of device data and data from the web easy.

In this practical seminar, students will build prototypical applications and devise algorithms that consume, provide, or analyse Linked Data. Those applications and algorithms can also extend existing applications ranging from databases to mobile apps.

For the seminar, programming skills or knowledge about web development tools/technologies are highly recommended. Basic knowledge of RDF and SPARQL are also recommended, but may be acquired during the seminar. Students will work in groups. Seminar meetings will take place as 'Block-Seminar'.

Topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

- Travel Security
- Geo data
- Linked News
- Social Media

The exact dates and information for registration will be announced at the event page.



### Practical Course Cognitive automobiles and robots (Master)

2512501, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

The lab is intended as a practical supplement to courses such as "Machine Learning 1/2".

Scientific topics, mostly in the area of autonomous driving and robotics, will be addressed in joint work with ML/KI methods. The goal of the internship is for participants to design, develop, and evaluate ML Software system.

In addition to the scientific goals, such as the study and application of methods, the aspects of project-specific teamwork in research (from specification to presentation of results) are also worked on in this internship.

The individual projects require the analysis of the set task, selection of appropriate methods, specification and implementation and evaluation of the solution approach. Finally, the selected solution is to be documented and presented in a short lecture.

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- Students will be able to practically apply theoretical knowledge from lectures on machine learning to a selected area of current research.
- Students will be proficient in analyzing and solving thematic problems.
- Students will be able to evaluate, document, and present their concepts and results.

#### Recommendations:

- Theoretical knowledge of machine learning and/or Al.
- Python knowledge
- Initial experience with deep learning frameworks such as PyTorch/Jax/Tensorflow may be beneficial.

#### Workload

The workload of 5 credit points consists of practical implementation of the selected solution, as well as time for literature research and planning/specification of the selected solution. In addition, a short report and presentation of the work performed will be prepared.

#### Organizational issues

Anmeldung und weitere Informationen sind im Wiwi-Portal zu finden.

Registration and further information can be found in the WiWi-portal.



# **Project lab Information Service Engineering (Master)**

2512600, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
On-Site

#### Content

The ISE project lab is based on the summer semester lecture "Information Service Engineering". Goal of the course is to work on a given research problem in small groups (3-4 students) related to the ISE lecture topics, i.e. Natural Language Processing, Knowledge Graphs, and Machine Learning. The solution of the given research problem requires the development of a software implementation.

The project will be worked on in teams of 3-4 students each, guided by a tutor from the teaching staff.

Required coursework includes:

- Mid term presentation (5-10 min)
- Final presentation (10-15 min)
- Course report (c. 16 pages)
- · Participation and contribution of the students during the course
- Software development and delivery

#### Notes:

The ISE project lab can also be credited as a seminar (if necessary).

The project will be worked on in teams of 3-4 students each, guided by a tutor from the teaching staff.

Participation will be restricted to 16 students.

Participation in the lecture "Information Service Engineering" (summer semester) is required. There are video recordings on our youtube channel.

#### **ISE Tutor Team:**

- Dr. Genet Asefa Gesese
- · Dr. Shufan Jiang
- Dr. Anna Jacysyzn
- M. Sc. Ebrahim Norouzi
- M. Sc. Sarah Rebecca Ondraszek
- B. Sc. Tabea Tietz

### WS 2024/25 Tasks List:

- Generating Competency Questionss from ontologies using LLMs
- Ontology Verbalization and Categorization via LLMs
- Towards the Automated Extraction of Patterns from Ontologies with Large Language Models
- Leveraging Large Language Models for Artwork Recognition from Historical Texts
- Identification of mathematical definitions from Scientific Papers
- The Chronicles of Culture Knowledge Graphs: Creating Data Stories with Generative AI

#### Literature

ISE video channel on youtube: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCjkkhNSNuXrJpMYZoeSBw6Q/



# 6.11 Course: Advanced Lab Realization of Innovative Services (Master) [T-WIWI-112914]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Andreas Oberweis

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101477 - Development of Business Information Systems

<b>Type</b> Examination of another type	Credits	<b>Grading scale</b>	Recurrence	Version
	4,5	Grade to a third	Each term	1

Events					
ST 2024	2512205	Lab Realisation of innovative services (Master)	3 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Schiefer, Schüler, Toussaint
WT 24/25	2512205	Lab Realisation of innovative services (Master)	3 SWS	Practical course / 😘	Toussaint, Schiefer, Schüler
Exams	•	•		•	
ST 2024	7900148	Advanced Lab Realization of inno	vative service	es (Master)	Oberweis
WT 24/25	7900218	Advanced Lab Linked Data and th	Advanced Lab Linked Data and the Semantic Web (Master)		
WT 24/25	7900306	Advanced Lab Realization of Inno	Advanced Lab Realization of Innovative Services (Master)		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The alternative exam assessment consists of:

- a practical work
- a presentation and
- a written seminar thesis

Practical work, presentation and written thesis are weighted according to the course.

#### **Annotation**

As part of the lab, the participants should work together in small groups to produce innovative services (mainly for students). Further information can be found on the ILIAS page of the lab.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Lab Realisation of innovative services (Master)

2512205, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
On-Site

#### Content

As part of the lab, the participants should work together in small groups to realize innovative services (mainly for students).

# **Organizational issues**

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# Lab Realisation of innovative services (Master)

2512205, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Practical course (P) Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

As part of the lab, the participants should work together in small groups to realize innovative services (mainly for students).

#### **Organizational issues**

Informationen zu Themen und die Anmeldung erfolgt vor Praktikumsbeginn im Wiwi-Portal https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/ys



# 6.12 Course: Advanced Lab Security, Usability and Society [T-WIWI-108439]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Melanie Volkamer

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-104520 - Human Factors in Security and Privacy

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence See Annotations 2

Events						
ST 2024	2512554	Practical lab Security, Usability and Society (Bachelor)	3 SWS	Practical course /	Volkamer, Strufe, Mayer, Berens, Mossano, Hennig, Veit, Länge	
WT 24/25	2512554	Praktikum Security, Usability and Society (Bachelor)	3 SWS	Practical course / 🕄	Volkamer, Strufe, Berens, Länge, Mossano, Hennig, Hilt, Veit	
WT 24/25	2512555	Praktikum Security, Usability and Society (Master)	3 SWS	Practical course / 🕄	Volkamer, Strufe, Berens, Länge, Mossano, Hennig, Hilt, Veit	
Exams				•		
ST 2024	7900029	Practical lab Security, Usability and S	Practical lab Security, Usability and Society (Bachelor)			
WT 24/25	7900116	Advanced Lab Security, Usability and	Advanced Lab Security, Usability and Society (Bachelor)			
WT 24/25	7900307	Advanced Lab Security, Usability and	l Society (I	Master)	Volkamer	

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

The alternative exam assessment consists of:

- a practical work
- a presentation and possibly
- a written seminar thesis

Practical work, presentation and written thesis are weighted according to the course.

## **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

Knowledge from the lecture "Information Security" is recommended.

#### **Annotation**

The course will not be offered in the summer semester 2023.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Practical lab Security, Usability and Society (Bachelor)

2512554, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
Online

The Praktikum Security, Usability and Society will cover topics both of usable security and privacy programming, and how to conduct user studies. To reserve a place, please, register on the WiWi portal and send an email with your chosen topic, plus a back-up one, to mattia.mossano@kit.edu. Topics are assigned first-come-first-served until all of them are filled. Topics in italics have already been assigned.

Application deadline 12.04.2024 Assignment 15.04.2024 Confirmation deadline 19.04.2024

#### Important dates:

Kick-off: 17.04.2024, 09:00 AM CET in Big Blue Button - Link

Report & code feedback deadline: 26.07.2024, 23:59 CET
Feedback on Report & code: 16.08.2024, 23:59 CET
Final report + code deadline: 01.09.2024, 23:59 CET

Presentation draft deadline: 06.09.2024, 23:59 CET
Feedback on presentation draft: 13.09.2024, 23:59 CET
Final presentation deadline: 17.09.2024, 23:59 CET

Presentation day: 18.09.2024, 09:00 CET

Topics:

#### **Privacy Friendly Apps**

In this area, students complete an app (or an extension of an app) among our Privacy-Friendly Apps. Please click the following link to know more about them: https://secuso.aifb.kit.edu/english/105.php. Students are provided with a point list of goals, containing both basic features mandatory to pass the course and more advanced ones that heighten the final grade.

Title: NoPhish App

Number of students: 2 Ba/Ma

Description: The NoPhish app was one of the first measures from the NoPhish concept. The app has been around for a long time and has not been updated since then. Accordingly, the task of the project is to make the app functional for the current Android version. The app is also to be optimised so that updates, e.g. new chapters, can be added easily.

#### **Programming Usable Security Intervention**

In this subject, students develop a part of coding, an extension, or another programming task dealing with various usable security interventions, e.g. as an extension like TORPEDO ( https://secuso.aifb.kit.edu/english/TORPEDO.php ) or PassSec + ( https://secuso.aifb.kit.edu/english/PassSecPlus.php ). Just as before, students are provided with a point list of goals, containing both basic features mandatory to pass the course and more advanced ones that heighten the final grade.

Title: Hacking TORPEDO Number of students: 1-2 Ba/Ma

Description: TORPEDO has existed for many years both as a Thunderbird add-on and as a web extension. TORPEDO is intended to help address various forms of phishing attacks and thereby protect the user, e.g. against various manipulations of the domain or additional tooltips. However, no targeted attacks on TORPEDO have yet been found. The aim of the work is to subject TORPEDO to a stress test and also to develop attacks that specifically target the implementation of TORPEDO.

#### Run Usable Security Studies and Results Analysis

These topics are related to run and analyse the results of user-studies. Online studies, interviews and lab studies are all possible, depending on the topic. At the end of the semester, the students present a report / paper with the analyses conducted and a talk in which they present the results.

Title: Visualization of Eye Gaze Patterns during Authetication Tasks

Number of students: 1 Ba/Ma

Description: In this project, students will analyze and visualize eye gaze data collected during two specific authentication tasks: the Dot Task and the Slider Task. The primary objective is to represent subjects' eye movements visually, enhancing the understanding of gaze patterns during the authentication process. \*Dot Task Visualization:\* For the Dot Task, participants were instructed to focus on a sequence of dots displayed on a screen. The dataset includes the positions of these dots and the corresponding gaze locations of the subjects. The student's task is to create a dynamic visualization that not only represents these positions accurately but also illustrates the sequence in which the dots were focused on by the subjects. \*Slider Task Visualization:\* The Slider Task involved presenting participants with a series of images, for which both the images' locations on the screen and the subjects' gaze locations are recorded. The challenge is to develop a heatmap visualization based on this data, effectively demonstrating the concentration and dispersion of gaze points across different images.

Title: Compare BSI Phishing Game with the NoPhish Game

Number of students: 1 Ba

Description: The NoPhish app, one of the first implementations of the NoPhish concept, is a form of serious game. The BSI has also developed a game in the field of phishing. Both "games" use different approaches to impart knowledge from the same context. The aim is to evaluate the two games in terms of similarities and differences.

Title: Phishing Advice from Organizations (English Only)

Number of students: 1 Ba

Description: Many companies distribute information on how to recognise phishing via various channels such as e-mails, e.g. Amazon or Telekom. The question arises as to how helpful these tips are in reality. Are they too specific to the context of the company or so abstractly formulated that they are of no real help to users? The aim of the work is to collect various hints and then compare them with the hints of the NoPhish concept in order to find differences and similarities between the hints and the concept.

Title: Chatbots for Literature Reviews

Number of students: 1 Ba

Description: Chatbots are becoming increasingly popular and are already being used in various areas. But in what form can these bots be used for science? The variety of chatbots also raises the question of whether there are chatbots that are better suited to a scientific context. The aim is to identify a selection of chatbots and evaluate them in terms of their effectiveness for future literature research. To this end, the results of the chatbots will be compared with the ACM database in order to check their effectiveness for finding literature for a specific period of time.

Title: Phishing through homographic attacks in messengers and social networks

Number of students: 1-2 Ba/Ma

Description: The task will be to test three types of attacks in messengers and social networks that work in some email clients. First is the link mismatch attack, where the link text differs from the actual link target. Second is an attack in which the actual link target is disguised by URL encoding [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/URL\_encoding], and finally homographic attacks which uses Internationalized Domain Names [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/IDN\_homograph\_attack], in which Latin characters are replaced by characters of a different alphabet in the domain name. The attacks are predefined, so no knowledge of phishing techniques is required.

Title: Usability Study of Mobile Authentication for Elderly Users with Rheumatoid Arthritis (English only)

Number of students: 1 Ba/Ma

Description: Authentication is an ever important topic, especially in the mobile context. However, it becomes even more relevant when considering accessibility to it. Nowadays, a common authentication method is using a PIN. Yet, given the low hand mobility of users affected by rheumatoid arthritis, sometimes using PINs can be difficult. In this topic, the student will conduct several sessions of an already designed lab study with various participants using arthritis simulation gloves to evaluate three PIN-pad interfaces aimed at making authentication more accessible. The study will also investigate the preferences of users regarding PIN-pad interfaces through drawings and proposals of changes. The student will then analyse the results through inferential statistics. Depending on the quality of the outcome, the results will then be published in a paper and the student will be added to the authors list.

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# Praktikum Security, Usability and Society (Bachelor)

2512554, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

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#### There are two rounds to apply:

Summer round closes on 16.07.2023. Assignment will be done by 17.07.2023 and confirmation must be received by 21.07.2023. Autumn round opens 11.09.2023 and closes on 08.10.2023. Assignment will be done by 09.10.2023 and confirmation must be received by 13.10.2023.

#### Important dates:

Kick-off: 05.10.2023, 09:00 AM CET in Big Blue Button - Link Report & code feedback deadline: 01.03.2024, 23:59 CET Feedback on Report & code: 08.03.2024, 23:59 CET Final report + code deadline: 15.03.2024, 23:59 CET Presentation draft deadline: 15.03.2024, 23:59 CET Feedback on presentation draft: 19.03.2024, 23:59 CET Final presentation deadline: 22.03.2024, 23:59 CET

Presentation day: 29.03.2024, 09:00 CET

Topics:

#### **Privacy Friendly apps**

In this subject, students complete an app (or an extension of an app) among our Privacy-Friendly Apps. Please click the following link to know more about them: <a href="https://secuso.aifb.kit.edu/english/105.php">https://secuso.aifb.kit.edu/english/105.php</a> . Students are provided with a point list of goals, containing both basic features mandatory to pass the course and more advanced ones that heighten the final grade.

Title: Notes 2.0

Number of students: 1 Bachelor

Description: Update und Vorbereitung zur Veröffentlichung der Notes 2.0-App.

### **Designing Security User studies**

These topics are related to how to set up and conduct user studies of various types. Online studies, interviews and lab studies are possible. At the end of the semester, the students present a report / paper and a talk in which they present their methodologies and the results of small pre-studies.

Title: Designing User Studies for Evaluating Biometric Authentication Systems

Number of students: 1 Bachelor or Master level

Description: The proposed topic focuses on designing and implementing a user study methodology to evaluate the usability and user perception of biometric authentication systems. Biometric authentication involves using unique physiological or behavioral characteristics, such as fingerprints, facial recognition, or voice patterns, to verify a user's identity. The goal of this research is to understand the factors that affect the effectiveness and acceptance of biometric authentication and provide insights for designing user-friendly and secure biometric authentication systems.

Title: How useful are security advice given by ChatGPT?

Number of students: 1-2 Bachelor level

Description: ChatGPT is nowadays used for multiple reasons. One of them is to obtain advice on security decision, asking the program how to be best defend oneself. However, what are these advice based on? And more importantly, is the quality of the advice in line with the best practices or are they misleading? The goal of this topic is to design an expert study where various advice given by ChatGPT on security topics (e.g., password policies, phishing, etc.) are compared against the advice of experts. The results then need to be analysed and classified to determine the quality of ChatGPT advice.

# Run Usable Security Studies and Results Analysis

These topics are related to run and analyse the results of user-studies. Online studies, interviews and lab studies are all possible, depending on the topic. At the end of the semester, the students present a report / paper with the analyses conducted and a talk in which they present the results.

Title: Phishing through homographic attacks in messengers and social networks

Number of students: 1-2 Bachelor or Master level

Description: The task will be to test three types of attacks in messengers and social networks that work in some email clients. First is the link mismatch attack, where the link text differs from the actual link target. Second is an attack in which the actual link target is disguised by URL encoding [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/URL\_encoding], and finally homographic attacks which uses Internationalized Domain Names [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/IDN\_homograph\_attack], in which Latin characters are replaced by characters of a different alphabet in the domain name. The attacks are predefined, so no knowledge of phishing techniques is required.

Title: Usability Study of Mobile Authentication for Elderly Users with Rheumatoid Arthritis (English only) Number of students: 1 Bachelor or Master level

Description: Authentication is an ever important topic, especially in the mobile context. However, it becomes even more relevant when considering accessibility to it. Nowadays, a common authentication method is using a PIN. Yet, given the low hand mobility of users affected by rheumatoid arthritis, sometimes using PINs can be difficult. In this topic, the student will conduct several sessions of an already designed lab study with various participants using arthritis simulation gloves to evaluate three PIN-pad interfaces aimed at making authentication more accessible. The study will also investigate the preferences of users regarding PIN-pad interfaces through drawings and proposals of changes. The student will then analyse the results through inferential statistics. Depending on the quality of the outcome, the results will then be published in a paper and the student will be added to the authors list.

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# Praktikum Security, Usability and Society (Master)

2512555, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P) Blended (On-Site/Online)

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#### There are two deadlines:

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Presentation day: 29.03.2024, 09:00 CET

Topics:

#### **Programming Usable Security Intervention**

In this subject, students develop a part of coding, an extension, or another programming task dealing with various usable security interventions, eg as an extension. Eg TORPEDO ( https://secuso.aifb.kit.edu/english/TORPEDO.php ) or PassSec + ( https://secuso.aifb.kit.edu/english/PassSecPlus.php ). Just as before, students are provided with a point list of goals, containing both basic features mandatory to pass the course and more advanced ones that heighten the final grade.

Title: Making e-mails more visible by embedding moving images

Number of students: 1 Master

Description: In case of a security incident, it is necessary to inform the affected persons about their vulnerabilities as soon as possible. Within the context of the INSPECTION project, we are currently informing website owners via e-mail about security related vulnerabilities on their websites. Although e-mails have been shown to be the most cost-efficient means to deliver such information, they have not lead to an appropriate remediation rate. While speaking to the affected website owners we learned that they would appreciate more information, although not being delivered as more text in the e-mail. Also, we learned that most e-mails were not read because they were considered spam. Thus, we need to find a way to make e-mail notifications more effective in raising peoples' awareness. Videos have been proven effective to raise awareness in the context of IT security. The goal of the project will be, to explore ways to embed videos in an e-mail via HTML (either as gifs or as preview to a YouTube video). The challenge is to make this e-mail readable for different clients and webmail as well as getting it delivered through spam filters.

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Title: Can anxiety influences security advices

Number of students: 1 Master level

Description: Nowadays ChatGPT is used for a multitude of reasons. One is to ask advice on security topics. However, previous research showed that oftentimes ChatGPT creates answers based on previous interactions with it. Therefore, is it possible that also security advice change according to the previous interaction? And if this is the case, can more anxious props lead to completely different results? The student will have to read the previous literature on ChatGPT, find expert advice on security topics and create an experiment to determine if anxiety influenced the advice given by ChatGPT.

Title: Investigating ChatGPT privacy tradeoffs and users perception of them (English only)

Number of students: 1 Master level

Description: As ChatGPT grows in popularity, it becomes increasingly vital to examine the privacy trade-offs associated with its usage. The user's willingness to accept these trade-offs is instrumental in understanding the wider implications of employing Al language models. This topic involves a two-part exploration into the privacy trade-offs of using ChatGPT. Initially, the student will analyse ChatGPT's Terms and Conditions and conduct a short literature review to identify potential privacy trade-offs. The found trade-offs need to be categorised into a set of trade-offs that will be investigated. Subsequently, the student will design an online user study, incorporating various question types and a deception study, to gauge the willingness of ChatGPT users to accept these trade-offs. Finally, the student will test the designed online user study in the course of small pre-test.

#### **Run Usable Security Studies and Results Analysis**

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# 6.13 Course: Advanced Machine Learning [T-WIWI-109921]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Andreas Geyer-Schulz

Dr. Abdolreza Nazemi

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-105661 - Data Science: Intelligent, Adaptive, and Learning Information Services

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination4,5Grade to a thirdEach summer term1

Events					
ST 2024	2540535	Advanced Machine Learning	2 SWS	Lecture	Nazemi
ST 2024	2540536	Exercise Advanced Machine Learning	1 SWS	Practice	Nazemi
Exams					
ST 2024	7900227	Advanced Machine Learning			Geyer-Schulz
WT 24/25	7900253	Advanced Machine Learning (Nachklausur SoSe 2024)			Geyer-Schulz

#### **Competence Certificate**

Written examination (60 minutes) according to §4(2), 1 SPO. The exam is considered passed if at least 50 out of a maximum of 100 possible points are achieved. The grades are graded in five steps (best grade 1.0 from 95 points). Details of the grade formation and scale will be announced in the course.

A bonus can be acquired through successful participation in the practice. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by one grade level (0.3 or 0.4). The exact criteria for awarding a bonus will be announced at the beginning of the course.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Advanced Machine Learning**

2540535, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)

In recent years, the volume, variety, velocity, veracity, and variability of available data have increased due to improvements in computational and storage power. The rise of the Internet has made available large sets of data that allow us to use and merge them for different purposes. Data science helps us to extract knowledge from the continually-increasing large datasets. This course will introduce students to a wide range of machine learning and statistical techniques such as deep learning, LASSO, and support vector machine. You will get familiar with text mining, and the tools you need to analyze the various facets of data sets in practice. Students will learn theory and concepts with real data sets from different disciplines such as marketing, finance, and business.

#### **Tentative Course Outline:**

- Introduction
- Statistical Inference
- Shrinkage Methods
- Model Assessment and Selection
- Tree-based Machine Learning Algorithms
- Dimensionality Reduction
- Neural Networks and Deep Learning
- Natural Language Processing with Deep Learning
- Support Vector Machine

#### **Time of attendance**

- Attending the lecture: 13 x 90min = 19h 30m
- Attending the exercise classes: 7 x 90min = 10h 30m

#### The student will learn

- A wide range of machine learning algorithms and their weaknesses.
- The fundamental issues and challenges: data, high-dimension, train, model selection, etc.
- How to imply machine learning algorithms for real-world applications.
- The fundamentals of deep learning, main research activities, and on-going research in this field.

#### Literature

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# 6.14 Course: Advanced Machine Learning and Data Science [T-WIWI-111305]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Maxim Ulrich

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-105659 - Advanced Machine Learning and Data Science

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	9	Grade to a third	Each term	4

Events	Events						
ST 2024	2500016	Advanced Machine Learning and Data Science	4 SWS	Project (P / 🗯	Ulrich		
Exams							
ST 2024	7900378	Advanced Machine Learning and Dat	Advanced Machine Learning and Data Science				
WT 24/25	7900291	Advanced Machine Learning and Data Science			Ulrich		

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out in form of a written thesis based on the course "Advanced Machine Learning and Data Science".

#### **Prerequisites**

The module Modeling the Dynamics of Financial Markets must be passed.

#### **Annotation**

The course is targeted to students with a major in Data Science and/or Machine Learning. It offers students the opportunity to develop hands-on knowledge on new developments in data science and machine learning. Please apply via the link: https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/forms/form/fbv-ulrich-msc-project.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Advanced Machine Learning and Data Science 2500016, SS 2024, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Project (PRO)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

### Content

The course is targeted to students with a major in Data Science and/or Machine Learning. It offers students the opportunity to develop hands-on knowledge on new developments in data science and machine learning.

#### **Organizational issues**

Während des Kick-off Meetings in der ersten Wochen werden Themen vorgestellt.

Wir bereiten Themen für Studenten der Informatik, W-Ing und Wi-Ma vor.

Themen und studentische Bearbeiter werden nach dem Kick-off gematched.

#### Literature

Literatur und Computerprogramme wird in der ersten Vorlesung bekannt gegeben.



# 6.15 Course: Advanced Management Accounting [T-WIWI-102885]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Marcus Wouters

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101510 - Cross-Functional Management Accounting

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Version
Oral examination 4,5 Grade to a third Each winter term 2

Events					
WT 24/25	2579907	Advanced Management Accounting	4 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Wouters, Dickemann, Letmathe

Legend: █ Online, ቆ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of an oral exam (30 min) (according to §4 (2), 2 of the examination regulation). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Recommendation

The course requires significant prior knowledge of Management Accounting, similar to the content of the courses MA 1 and 2, although completion of these particular courses is not a formal requirement.

#### Annotation

This course is held in English. Lectures and tutorials are integrated.

The course is compulsory and must be examined.

Students who are interested in attending this course should send an e-mail to Professor Wouters (marc.wouters  $\partial$  kit.edu).

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Advanced Management Accounting

2579907, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

This course is held in English. Students who are interested in attending this course should send an e-mail to Professor Wouters (marc.wouters@kit.edu).

#### Inhalt:

• The course addresses several topics where management accounting is strongly related to marketing, finance, or organization and strategy, such as customer value propositions, financial performance measures, managing new product development, and technology investment decisions.

#### Learning objectives:

- Students will be able to consider advanced management accounting methods in an interdisciplinary way and to apply these to managerial decision-making problems in operations and innovation.
- They will also be able to identify relevant research results on such methods.

#### **Examination:**

- The assessment consists of an oral exam (30 min) taking place in the recess period (according to § 4 (2) No. 2 of the
  examination regulation).
- The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date.

#### **Required prior Courses:**

• The course is compulsory and must be examined.

#### **Recommendations:**

• The course requires significant prior knowledge of Management Accounting, similar to the content of the courses MA 1 and 2, although completion of these particular courses is not a formal requirement.

#### Workload:

• The total workload for this course is approximately 135 hours. For further information see German version.

#### Literature

Literature is mostly made available via ILIAS.



# 6.16 Course: Advanced Statistics [T-WIWI-103123]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Grothe

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101637 - Analytics and Statistics

M-WIWI-101639 - Econometrics and Statistics II

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach winter term 1

Events							
WT 24/25	2550552	Advanced Statistics	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>⊈</b>	Grothe		
WT 24/25	2550553	Practice Advanced Statistics	2 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Kaplan		
Exams	Exams						
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#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is a written examination (60 min) according to §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation. The exam is offered every semester. Re-examinations are offered only for repeaters.

### **Prerequisites**

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Advanced Statistics**

2550552, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Literature

Skript zur Vorlesung



# 6.17 Course: Advanced Stochastic Optimization [T-WIWI-106548]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Steffen Rebennack

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming
M-WIWI-103289 - Stochastic Optimization

**Type** Oral examination

Credits 4,5 **Grading scale** Grade to a third Recurrence Irregular Version 2

Events								
WT 24/25	2500089	Advanced Stochastic Optimization	2 SWS	Lecture / 🖥	Rebennack			
WT 24/25	2550468	Übung zu Advanced Stochastic Optimization	1 SWS	Practice / 🗯	Rebennack			
Exams								
ST 2024	7900034	Advanced Stochastic Optimization	Rebennack					
WT 24/25	7900025	Advanced Stochastic Optimization	Rebennack					

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ¶ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of an oral exam (20 minutes). The exam is offered every semester.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

# Recommendation

It is recommended to attend the lecture "Introduction to Stochastic Optimization" before attending the lecture "Advanced Stochastic Optimization".

#### **Annotation**

Lectures and tutorials are offered irregularly.



# 6.18 Course: Advanced Topics in Digital Management [T-WIWI-111912]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Petra Nieken

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-105923 - Incentives, Interactivity & Decisions in Organizations

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 3 Grade to a third Each summer term 1

Events							
ST 2024	2573016	Advanced Topics in Digital Management	2 SWS	Colloquium (K / 🗣	Nieken, Mitarbeiter		

Legend: █ Online, ቆ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment. The following aspects are included:

- Regular and active participation in the course dates
- Presentation of a given research topic.

The point scheme for the assessment is determined by the lecturer of the respective course. It will be announced at the beginning of the course.

#### Recommendation

We recommend visiting the course Incentives in Organization before taking this course.

The course is strongly recommended for students interested in empirical research in the areas digital HRM, personnel economics, and leadership and those who are interest in an academic career path.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Advanced Topics in Digital Management**

2573016, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Colloquium (KOL) On-Site

The students will discuss and analyze selected research papers in the areas digital HRM, personnel economics, and leadership with a focus on digital management. The students will present research papers and discuss research methods and designs as well as content. They will develop an own research design on a predefined topic.

#### Aim

#### The student

- Looks into current research topics in the areas HRM, personnel economics, and leadership with a focus on digital
  management and AI.
- Analyzes research papers in detail and evaluates the research outcomes.
- Trains their presentation skills and discussion skills.
- Practices scientific debating.
- Learns to critically evaluate research methods and trains the scientific discussion culture.
- Gains deeper knowledge in the area of digital HRM and management.
- Learns to evaluate research designs and takes into account the ethical dimension of research.
- Learns how to develop an own research design and idea.

#### **Notes**

Due to the interactive nature of the course, the number of participants is limited. If you are interested, please contact Prof. Nieken by email.

#### Workload

The total workload for this course is approximately 90 hours.

Lecture: 30 hours
Preparation: 45 hours
Exam preparation: 15 hours

Literature

Selected research papers

### **Organizational issues**

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# 6.19 Course: Advanced Topics in Economic Theory [T-WIWI-102609]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Kay Mitusch

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101406 - Network Economics

M-WIWI-101500 - Microeconomic Theory

M-WIWI-101502 - Economic Theory and its Application in Finance

Type	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4,5	Grade to a third	Irregular	1

Events						
ST 2024	2520527	Advanced Topics in Economic Theory	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Mitusch, Brumm	
ST 2024	2520528	Übung zu Advanced Topics in Economic Theory	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Pegorari, Corbo	
Exams						
ST 2024	00227	Advanced Topics in Economic The	Advanced Topics in Economic Theory			
ST 2024	7900329	Advanced Topics in Economic The	Advanced Topics in Economic Theory			

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60min) (following §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation) at the end of the lecture period or at the beginning of the following semester.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

This course is designed for advanced Master students with a strong interest in economic theory and mathematical models. Bachelor students who would like to participate are free to do so, but should be aware that the level is much more advanced than in other courses of their curriculum.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Advanced Topics in Economic Theory**

2520527, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Literature

Die Veranstaltung wird in englischer Sprache angeboten:

The course is based on the excellent textbook "Microeconomic Theory" (Chapters 1-5, 10, 13-20) by A.Mas-Colell, M.D.Whinston, and J.R.Green.



# 6.20 Course: Advanced Topics in Human Resource Management [T-WIWI-111913]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Petra Nieken

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-105923 - Incentives, Interactivity & Decisions in Organizations

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionExamination of another type3Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events							
WT 24/25	2573014	Advanced Topics in Human Resource Management	2 SWS	Colloquium (K / 🗣	Nieken, Mitarbeiter		

Legend: █ Online, ቆ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment. The following aspects are included:

- Regular and active participation in the course dates
- Presentation of a given research topic.

The point scheme for the assessment is determined by the lecturer of the respective course. It will be announced at the beginning of the course.

#### Recommendation

We recommend visiting the course Incentives in Organization before taking this course.

The course is strongly recommended for students interested in empirical research in the areas HRM, personnel economics, and leadership and those who are interest in an academic career path.

#### **Annotation**

Teaching and learning format: Colloquium

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Advanced Topics in Human Resource Management 2573014, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Colloquium (KOL)
On-Site

The students will discuss and analyze selected research papers in the areas HRM, personnel economics, and leadership. The students will present research papers and discuss research methods and designs as well as content. They will develop an own research design on a predefined topic.

#### Aim

#### The student

- Looks into current research topics in the areas HRM, personnel economics, and leadership.
- Analyzes research papers in detail and evaluates the research outcomes.
- Trains their presentation skills and discussion skills.
- · Practices scientific debating.
- Learns to critically evaluate research methods and trains the scientific discussion culture.
- Gains deeper knowledge in the area of HRM.
- Learns to evaluate research designs and takes into account the ethical dimension of research.
- Learns how to develop an own research design and idea.

#### **Notes**

Due to the interactive nature of the course, the number of participants is limited. If you are interested, please contact Prof. Nieken by email.

#### Workload

The total workload for this course is approximately 90 hours.

Lecture: 30 hours
Preparation: 45 hours
Exam preparation: 15 hours

Literature

Selected research papers

# Organizational issues

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# 6.21 Course: Al Innovation Ecosystems [T-WIWI-113849]

Responsible: Dr. Daniela Beyer

Jennifer Scheydt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101507 - Innovation Management

M-WIWI-101507 - Innovation Management

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Irregular	1

Events					
WT 24/25	2500049	Al Innovation Ecosystems	2 SWS	Seminar / 🖥	Beyer, Weissenberger- Eibl

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Non exam assessment consisting of:

- (A) Discussion of literature on innovation ecosystems (15%)
  - Read 1 article / book chapter
  - Summarize core results in an excerpt
  - present
- (B) active participation in all 4 events
- (C) Presentation on an area of Cyber Valley or IPAI Heilbronn [in the group] (30%)
- (D) Preparation of a guided interview that can be conducted with a representative of IPAI / Cyber Valley [in the group]
  (15%)
- (E) Elaboration of the findings from C and D for an evaluation of a partial aspect of the IPAI / Cyber Valley [term paper in the semester-free period approx. 15 pages in the group based on the findings presented and the interview] (40%)

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

It is recommended that the lecture: Innovation Management: Concepts, Strategies and Methods has already been attended.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



#### **Al Innovation Ecosystems**

2500049, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)
Online

# Content

This research seminar uses the example of three innovation clusters in Baden-Württemberg to analyse innovation ecosystems and their potential special features in the field of artificial intelligence. The practical seminar benefits from expert input, but also places a clear focus on research methods and scientific work. A toolbox will be developed together, including literature reviews and interview techniques, which will later facilitate the work on the Master's thesis.

Firstly, the concept of innovation ecosystems is examined. Despite the frequently used term, the state of the art is still relatively open and an overview can be developed together. Then, using the example of the AI Health Innovation Cluster, a cluster is presented and its political history, structure and goal (achievement) are analysed. In the following two sessions, the IPAI and Cyber Valley will be analysed by experts and groups of students.

Since the students will be responsible for much of the seminar themselves, in addition to practical and methodological inputs, a preliminary meeting will take place on 31 October (6-7 pm) to allow sufficient preparation time. The seminar will take place virtually.



# 6.22 Course: Algorithm Engineering [T-INFO-101332]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100795 - Algorithm Engineering

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination4Grade to a thirdEach summer term4

#### **Competence Certificate**

There are two partial achievements Algorithm Engineering (4 ECTS) and Algorithm Engineering Exercises (1 ECTS):

Algorithm Engineering

The assessment is carried out as an oral examination lasting 20 minutes. § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO

Algorithm Engineering Exercises:

The assessment is carried out as an examination of another type.

The exercise can be evidenced by various performance records. This is determined individually during the lecture. Usually, the student prepares a seminar presentation and/or works on a practical tasks with written elaboration and evaluation (the main performance consists of the

programming, documented by the source code that is to be handed in and supplemented by a short written report).

Students may redraw from the examination during the first XXX??? weeks after they have been assigned a task.

#### **Prerequisites**

none.



# 6.23 Course: Algorithm Engineering Pass [T-INFO-111856]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100795 - Algorithm Engineering

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionExamination of another type1Grade to a thirdEach summer term1

#### **Competence Certificate**

There are two partial achievements Algorithm Engineering (4 ECTS) and Algorithm Engineering Exercises (1 ECTS):

Algorithm Engineering:

The assessment is carried out as an oral examination lasting 20 minutes.

#### **Algorithm Engineering Exercises:**

#### The assessment is carried out as an examination of another type. § 2 Abs. 2 Nr. 3

The exercise can be evidenced by various performance records. This is determined individually during the lecture. Usually, the student prepares a seminar presentation and/or works on a practical tasks with written elaboration and evaluation (the main performance consists of the

programming, documented by the source code that is to be handed in and supplemented by a short written report).

Students may redraw from the examination during the first XXX??? weeks after they have been assigned a task.

#### **Prerequisites**

none.



# 6.24 Course: Algorithmic Graph Theory [T-INFO-103588]

**Responsible:** Dr. rer. nat. Torsten Ueckerdt **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100762 - Algorithmic Graph Theory

**Type**Oral examination

Credits 5

**Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Irregular Version 1



# 6.25 Course: Algorithms for Routing [T-INFO-100002]

Responsible: TT-Prof. Dr. Thomas Bläsius
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100031 - Algorithms for Routing

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination5Grade to a thirdEach summer term2

Events							
ST 2024	2424638	Algorithmen für Routenplanung (mit Übungen)	3 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Feilhauer, Zündorf, Bläsius, Laupichler		
Exams							
ST 2024	7500019	Algorithms for Routing			Ueckerdt, Bläsius		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.26 Course: Algorithms for Visualization of Graphs [T-INFO-104390]

**Responsible:** Dr. rer. nat. Torsten Ueckerdt **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102094 - Algorithms for Visualization of Graphs

**Type** Oral examination

Credits 5

**Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Irregular Version 1



# 6.27 Course: Algorithms II [T-INFO-102020]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics
Part of: M-INFO-101173 - Algorithms II

Type	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	6	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events						
WT 24/25	24079	Algorithms II	4 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Sanders, Maas, Hermann	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500464	Algorithms II			Sanders	

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 120 minutes.

### **Prerequisites**

none.



### 6.28 Course: Analysis of Multivariate Data [T-WIWI-103063]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Grothe

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-105414 - Statistics and Econometrics II

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4,5	Grade to a third	Irregular	1

Events					
ST 2024	2550550		2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Grothe
ST 2024	2550551		2 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Grothe, Kaplan, Liu
Exams			•		
ST 2024	7900033	Analysis of Multivariate Data			Grothe
WT 24/25	7900297	Analysis of Multivariate Data			Grothe

Legend: █ Online, ເ➡ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is a written examination (60 min) according to §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation. The exam is offered every semester. Re-examinations are offered only for repeaters.

### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

Attendance of the courses Statistics 1 [2600008] and Statistics 2 [2610020] is recommended.

### Annotation

The lecture is not offered regularly. The courses planned for three years in advance can be found online.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



2550550, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

### Literature

Skript zur Vorlesung



# 6.29 Course: Application Security Lab [T-INFO-106289]

Responsible: Dr. Willi Geiselmann

Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-103166 - Application Security Lab

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events					
ST 2024	2400114	Application security lab	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Müller-Quade, Mechler, Dörre, Wressnegger, Noppel
WT 24/25	2400114	Application security lab	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Müller-Quade, Mechler, Dörre, Noppel, Wressnegger
Exams					
ST 2024	7500119	Application Security Lab			Geiselmann, Müller- Quade, Wressnegger

 $\textbf{Legend:} \ \overline{\blacksquare} \ \textbf{Online}, \ \mathbf{\textcircled{S}} \ \textbf{Blended} \ (\textbf{On-Site/Online}), \ \mathbf{\P} \cdot \textbf{On-Site}, \ \textbf{\textbf{x}} \ \textbf{Cancelled}$ 



### 6.30 Course: Applied Econometrics [T-WIWI-111388]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Melanie Schienle

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101638 - Econometrics and Statistics I

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach winter term 2

Events							
WT 24/25	2520020	Applied Econometrics	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b> ⁵	Krüger, Eberl		
WT 24/25	2520021	Tutorial in Applied Econometrics	2 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Eberl, Krüger		
Exams							
ST 2024	7900007	Applied Econometrics			Krüger		

 $\textbf{Legend:} \ \ \textbf{$\blacksquare$} \ \ \textbf{Online}, \ \ \textbf{$\clubsuit$} \ \ \textbf{Blended} \ \ (\textbf{On-Site/Online}), \ \ \textbf{$\P$} \ \ \textbf{On-Site}, \ \textbf{$\textbf{x}$} \ \ \textbf{Cancelled}$ 

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is a written examination (90 min).

### **Prerequisites**

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Applied Econometrics**

 $2520020, WS\ 24/25, 2\ SWS, Language: English, Open\ in\ study\ portal$ 

Lecture (V) On-Site

### Content

The course starts with a concise review of core econometric topics (in particular, the linear regression model). It then presents methods for causal inference: The potential outcomes approach, methods for analyzing randomized controlled trials, and methods for analyzing observational data (e.g., regression discontinuity). Empirical examples and R code are used to illustrate the methodological concepts.

### Learning goals

Students understand the properties of various econometric estimators and research designs, and can implement econometric estimators using R software.

### Workload

The total workload for this course (4.5 credit points) is approximately 135 hours.

### Literature

The following book is the main reference for the course:

Ding, P. (2024). A First Course in Causal Inference. Routledge.

Further literature will be announced in class.



### 6.31 Course: Applied material flow simulation [T-MACH-112213]

Responsible: Dr.-Ing. Marion Baumann

Organisation: KIT Department of Mechanical Engineering

Part of: M-WIWI-102805 - Service Operations

M-WIWI-102832 - Operations Research in Supply Chain Management

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination4,5Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events						
WT 24/25	2117054	Applied material flow simulation	3 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Baumann	

Legend: █ Online, ቆ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of an oral exam (20 min.) taking place in the recess period according to § 4 paragraph 2 Nr. 2 of the examination regulation.

### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

- Basic statistical knowledge and understanding
- Knowledge of a common programming language (Java, Python, ...)
- Recommended course: T-WIWI-102718 Discrete Event Simulation in Production and Logistics

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### Applied material flow simulation

2117054, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ) On-Site

#### Content

### **Learning Content:**

- Methods of modeling a simulation such as:
  - Discrete-event simulation
  - Agent based simulation
- Design of a simulation model of a material flow system
- Data exchange in simulation models
- Verification and validation of simulation models
- · Execution of simulation studies
- Statistical evaluation and parameter study

This is an application-oriented course in which the course contents are applied and deepened using the Anylogic software.

### **Learning Goals:**

Students are able to:

- select the appropriate simulation modeling method depending on a modeling objective and build a suitable simulation model for material flow systems,
- extend a simulation model in a meaningful way with data import and export,
- verify and validate a simulation model,
- · conduct a simulation study efficiently and with meaningful results, and
- design and conduct a parameter study and statistically analyze and evaluate the results.

#### Requirements:

• Basic knowledge of the Java programming language

### **Recommendations:**

- Basic statistical skills
- Recommended course: T-WIWI-102718 Discrete Event Simulation in Production and Logistics

### Workload for 4,5 ECTS (135 h):

 regular attendance: 21 hours self-study: 114 hours

### Organizational issues

- Im Wintersemester 2024/2025 ist die Veranstaltung auf maximal 30 Teilnehmer beschränkt.
- Die Anmeldung ist durch Beitritt zum ILIAS-Kurs und Ausfüllen des Anmeldungsformulars (erforderliche Felder beim Beitritt zum ILIAS-Kurs) möglich.
- Die Anmeldung ist vom 01.09.2024 bis zum 30.09.2024 möglich.

### Literature

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Gutenschwager, K. et. al. (2017): Simulation in Produktion und Logistik, Springer Vieweg, Berlin.

VDI (2014): Simulation von Logistik-, Materialfluss- und Produktionssystemen - Grundlagen. VDI Richtlinie 3633, Blatt 1, VDI-Verlag, Düsseldorf.

VDI (2016): Simulation von Logistik-, Materialfluss- und Produktionssystemen - Simulation und Optimierung. VDI Richtlinie 3633, Blatt 12, VDI-Verlag, Düsseldorf



### 6.32 Course: Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems [T-WIWI-108715]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Gerhard Satzger

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101448 - Service Management

M-WIWI-101506 - Service Analytics

M-WIWI-103117 - Data Science: Data-Driven Information Systems
M-WIWI-104814 - Information Systems: Analytical and Interactive Systems

**Type**Written examination

Credits 4,5 **Grading scale**Grade to a third

**Recurrence** Each winter term

Version 1

Events					
WT 24/25	2595650	Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems	1.5 SWS	Lecture / 🕃	Kühl, Spitzer, Holstein
WT 24/25	2595651	Übung zu Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems	1.5 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Kühl, Spitzer, Holstein
Exams	•			•	
ST 2024	7900226	Artificial Intelligence in Service Syst	Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems		
WT 24/25	7900033	Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems			Satzger

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 min). Successful completion of the exercises is a prerequisite for admission to the written exam.

### **Prerequisites**

None

### **Annotation**

The course will be offered in the form of a flipped classroom concept starting in winter semester 2022/2023. The lecture will be recorded in advance and made available online. During the exercise classes, the contents of the lecture will be discussed and applied as part of programming exercises.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems**

2595650, WS 24/25, 1.5 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

### Content

Artificial Intelligence (AI) and the application of machine learning is becoming more and more popular to solve relevant business challenges — both within isolated entities but also within co-creating systems (like value chains). However, it is not only essential to be familiar with precise algorithms but rather a general understanding of the necessary steps with a holistic view—from real-world challenges to the successful deployment of an AI-based solution. As part of this course, we teach the complete lifecycle of an AI project focusing on supervised machine learning challenges. We do so by also introducing the use of Python and the required packages like scikit-learn with exemplary data and use cases. We then take this knowledge to the more complex case of service systems with different entities (e.g., companies) who interact with each other and show possibilities on how to derive holistic insights. Apart from the technical aspects necessary when developing AI within service systems, we also shed light on the collaboration of humans and AI in such systems (e.g., with the support of XAI), topics of ethics and bias in AI, as well as AI's capabilities on being creative.

Students of this course will be able to understand and implement the complete lifecycle of a typical Artificial Intelligence use case with supervised machine learning. Furthermore, they understand the importance and the means of applying Al and Machine Learning within service systems, which allows multiple, independent entities to collaborate and derive insights. Besides technical aspects, they will gain an understanding of the broader challenges and aspects when dealing with Al. Students will be proficient with typical Python code for Al challenges.

### Organizational issues

The course will be offered in the form of a flipped classroom concept starting in winter semester 2022/2023. The lecture will be recorded in advance and made available online. During the exercise classes, the contents of the lecture will be discussed and applied as part of programming exercises.

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# 6.33 Course: Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems - Applications in Computer Vision [T-WIWI-111219]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Gerhard Satzger

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101448 - Service Management

M-WIWI-101506 - Service Analytics M-WIWI-103117 - Data Science: Data-Driven Information Systems

M-WIWI-104814 - Information Systems: Analytical and Interactive Systems

M-WIWI-105661 - Data Science: Intelligent, Adaptive, and Learning Information Services

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4,5	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events					
ST 2024	2595501	Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems - Applications in Computer Vision	3 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Satzger, Schmitz
Exams					
ST 2024	7900327	Artificial Intelligence in Service Syste Vision (Final Presentation July, 26)	Satzger		

Legend: 
☐ Online, 
☐ Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, 
X Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment.

#### Annotation

This course is admission restricted (see http://dsi.iism.kit.edu).

The course replaces "Service Analytics A" as of summer semester 2021.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems - Applications in Computer Vision

2595501, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

---We renamed this course from "Service Analytics A" to "Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems - Applications in Computer Vision ---

### Learning objectives

This course teaches students how to apply machine learning concepts to develop predictive models that form the basis of many innovative service offerings and business models today. Using a selected use case each term, students learn the foundations of selected algorithms and development frameworks and apply them to build a functioning prototype of an analytics-based service. Students will become proficient in writing code in Python to implement a data science use case over the course period.

### Description

Data-driven services have become a key differentiator for many companies. Their development is based on the increasing availability of structured and unstructured data and their analysis through methods from data science and machine learning. Examples comprise highly innovative service offerings based on technologies such as natural language processing, computer vision or reinforcement learning.

Using a selected use case, this lecture will teach students how to develop analytics-based services in an applied setting. We teach the theoretical foundations of selected machine learning algorithms (e.g., convolutional neural networks) and development concepts (e.g., developing modeling, training, inference pipelines) and teach how to apply these concepts to build a functioning prototype of an analytics-based service (e.g., inference running on a device). During the course, students will work in small groups to apply the learned concepts in the programming language Python using packages such as Keras, Tensorflow or Scikit-Learn. For more information on recent projects as part of the course, please visit the website of our lecture: https://www.aiss-cv.com.

#### Recommendations

The course is aimed at students in the Master's program with basic knowledge in statistics and applied programming in Python. Knowledge from the lecture Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems may be beneficial.

### Additional information

The lecture will be held as part of 7 blocks within the summer semester. Due to the practical group sessions in the course, the number of participants is limited. The official application period in the WiWi portal will open mid of February. Please apply here: https://go.wiwi.kit.edu/aiss-cv. The course will be held mainly online via Zoom. For interim and final presentation, we will meet in person. Further information on the dates and rooms of interim and final presentation will be announced via Ilias and mail.

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# 6.34 Course: Asset Pricing [T-WIWI-102647]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martin Ruckes

Prof. Dr. Marliese Uhrig-Homburg

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101480 - Finance 3

M-WIWI-101482 - Finance 1 M-WIWI-101483 - Finance 2

M-WIWI-101502 - Economic Theory and its Application in Finance

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4,5	Grade to a third	Each summer term	2

Events					
ST 2024	2530555	Asset Pricing	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Uhrig-Homburg, Müller
ST 2024	2530556	Asset Pricing	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Böll, Uhrig-Homburg, Müller
Exams			•	•	
ST 2024	7900110	Asset Pricing			Uhrig-Homburg, Thimme
WT 24/25	7900056	Asset Pricing			Uhrig-Homburg

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♠ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

Depending on further pandemic developments, the examination will be offered either as a 60-minute written examination or as an open-book examination (alternative exam assessment).

A bonus can be earned by correctly solving at least 50% of the posed bonus exercises. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by up to one grade level (0.3 or 0.4). Details will be announced in the lecture.

### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

We strongly recommend knowledge of the basic topics in investments (bachelor course), which will be necessary to be able to follow the course.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Asset Pricing**

2530556, SS 2024, 1 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Practice (Ü) On-Site



### 6.35 Course: Auction Theory [T-WIWI-102613]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Karl-Martin Ehrhart

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101446 - Market Engineering

M-WIWI-101453 - Applied Strategic Decisions M-WIWI-101500 - Microeconomic Theory

**Type**Written examination

Credits 4,5 **Grading scale**Grade to a third

**Recurrence** Each winter term

Version 1

Events						
WT 24/25	2520408	Auction Theory	2 SWS	Lecture	Ehrhart	
WT 24/25	2520409	Auction Theory Exercise	1 SWS	Practice	Ehrhart	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900255	Auction Theory			Ehrhart	
WT 24/25	7900028	Auction Theory			Ehrhart	

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is a written examination (following §4(2), 1 SPO) of 60 mins.

The exam is offered each semester.

### **Prerequisites**

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Auction Theory**

2520408, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)

### Literature

- Ehrhart, K.-M. und S. Seifert: Auktionstheorie, Skript zur Vorlesung, KIT, 2011
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# 6.36 Course: Automated Planning and Scheduling [T-INFO-109085]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-104447 - Automated Planning and Scheduling

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination5Grade to a thirdIrregular1



### 6.37 Course: Automated Visual Inspection and Image Processing [T-INFO-101363]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jürgen Beyerer **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100826 - Automated Visual Inspection and Image Processing

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	6	Grade to a third	Each winter term	2

Events	Events					
WT 24/25	24169	Automated Visual Inspection and Image Processing	4 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Beyerer, Zander	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500003	Automated Visual Inspection and Ima	Automated Visual Inspection and Image Processing			
WT 24/25	7500008	Automated Visual Inspection and Image Processing			Beyerer	

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, x Cancelled

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Automated Visual Inspection and Image Processing**

24169, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

### Content

### **Topics covered:**

- sensors and concepts for image acquisition
- light and colour
- image signals (system theory, Fourier transformation, stochastic processes)
- excursion to wave optics
- · pre-processing and image enhancement
- image restoration
- segmentation
- · morphological image processing
- texture analysis
- detection
- image pyramids, multi scale analysis and wavelet-transform

### **Educational objective:**

- Students have a sound knowledge regarding the basic concepts and methods of image processing (pre-processing and image enhancement, image restoration, image segmentation, morphological filtering, texture analysis, detection, image pyramids, multi-scale analysis and the wavelet transform)
- Students are in the position to work out and to evaluate solution concepts for problems of automated visual inspection
- Students have a sound knowledge of the different sensors and methods for the acquisition of image data as well as of the
  relevant optical principles
- Students know different concepts to describe image data and they know the essential system theoretical concepts and interrelations

### Organizational issues

Die Erfolgskontrolle wird in der Modulbeschreibung erläutert.

### Empfehlungen:

Grundkenntnisse der Optik und der Signalverarbeitung sind hilfreich.

### Literature

### Weiterführende Literatur

- R. C. Gonzalez und R. E. Woods, Digital Image Processing, Prentice-Hall, Englewood Cliffs, New Jersey, 2002
- B. Jähne, Digitale Bildverarbeitung, Springer, Berlin, 2002



# 6.38 Course: Automotive Software Engineering (ASE) [T-INFO-112203]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Ina Schaefer **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106019 - Automotive Software Engineering (ASE)

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events							
WT 24/25	2400082	Automotive Software Engineering	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b> ⁵	Schaefer		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7500233	Automotive Software Engineering (ASE)			Schaefer		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled



## 6.39 Course: Automotive Software Engineering (ASE) - Pass [T-INFO-112204]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Ina Schaefer **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106019 - Automotive Software Engineering (ASE)

Type Credits Grading scale Completed coursework 0 Credits pass/fail Recurrence Each winter term 1

Events					
WT 24/25	2400110	Automotive Software Engineering - Exercises	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Schaefer

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled



### 6.40 Course: Basics of German Company Tax Law and Tax Planning [T-WIWI-108711]

**Responsible:** Dr. Gerd Gutekunst

Prof. Dr. Berthold Wigger

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101511 - Advanced Topics in Public Finance

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach winter term 2

Events					
WT 24/25	2560134	Basics of German Company Tax Law and Tax Planning	3 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Wigger, Gutekunst
Exams					
ST 2024	790unbe	Basics of German Company Tax Law	Basics of German Company Tax Law and Tax Planning		
WT 24/25	790unbe	Basics of German Company Tax Law and Tax Planning			Wigger

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

Depending on the further pandemic development the assessment will consist either of an open book exam (following Art. 4, para. 2, clause 3 of the examination regulation), or of an 1.5 h written exam (following Art. 4, para. 2, clause 1 of the examination regulation).

### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Knowledge of the collection of public revenues is assumed. Therefore it is recommended to attend the course "Öffentliche Einnahmen" beforehand.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Basics of German Company Tax Law and Tax Planning 2560134, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

Content Workload:

The total workload for this course is approximately 135.0 hours. For further information see German version.



### 6.41 Course: Behavioral Lab Exercise [T-WIWI-111806]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Petra Nieken

Prof. Dr. Benjamin Scheibehenne

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-105923 - Incentives, Interactivity & Decisions in Organizations

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4,5	Grade to a third	Irregular	1

Events							
WT 24/25	2500040	Behavioral Lab Exercise	4.5 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Scheibehenne, Nieken		
Exams	Exams						
WT 24/25	7900368	Behavioral Lab Exercise			Nieken, Scheibehenne		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment.

### Recommendation

This class caters towards Master students who are interested in empirical research and in running lab experiments.

### **Annotation**

The course will be offered for the first time in the winter semester 21/22.

Due to the interactive nature of the class, the number of participants is limited. If you are interested, please contact the teachers directly via email.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Behavioral Lab Exercise**

2500040, WS 24/25, 4.5 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

### Content

In this class, students learn the core principles of psychological and economic experiments. The course covers topics ranging from design principles, to best-practices, preregistration, and analysis of the experimental data. Students will actively participate in the course by covering one selected topic in a talk. All students will discuss the topics together with the professors to develop solid knowledge about experimental design and analysis plans. In a second step, all students will develop a draft of an experimental design and analysis plan for their own topic and present it to the class. The students will get detailed feedback enabling them to improve their drafts for future research.



### 6.42 Course: Bond Markets [T-WIWI-110995]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Marliese Uhrig-Homburg

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101480 - Finance 3

M-WIWI-101483 - Finance 2

**Type**Written examination

Credits 4,5 **Grading scale**Grade to a third

**Recurrence**Each winter term

Version 1

Events					
WT 24/25	2530560	Bond Markets	3 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Uhrig-Homburg, Molnar
Exams					
ST 2024	7900280	Bond Markets			Uhrig-Homburg
WT 24/25	7900311	Bond Markets			Uhrig-Homburg

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (75min.)

A bonus can be earned by correctly solving at least 50% of the posed bonus exercises. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by up to one level (0.3 or 0.4). The examination is offered in each semester and can be repeated at any regular examination date.

Depending on further pandemic developments, the examination will be offered as an open-book examination (alternative exam assessment).

### **Annotation**

This course will be held in English.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Bond Markets**

2530560, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ) On-Site

### Conten

The lecture "Bond Markets" deals with the national and international bond markets, which are an important source of financing for companies, as well as for the public sector. After an overview of the most important bond markets, different yield definitions are discussed. Based on this, the concept of the yield curve is presented. In addition, the theoretical and empirical relationships between ratings, default probabilities and spreads are analyzed. The focus will then be on questions regarding the valuation, measurement, management and control of credit risks.

The total workload for this course is approximately 135 hours (4.5 credits).

The assessment consists of a written exam (75min.) (according to \$4(2), 1 SPO). A bonus can be earned by correctly solving at least 50% of the posed bonus exercices. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by up to one level (0.3 or 0.4). The examination is offered in each semester and can be repeated at any regular examination date.

Students deepen their knowledge of national and international bond markets. They gain knowledge of the traded instruments and their key figures for describing default risk such as ratings, default probabilities or credit spreads.

### Organizational issues

Die Veranstaltung wird freitags in der ersten Semesterhälfte am Campus B (Geb. 09.21) im Raum 124 angeboten. Die Klausur findet am 08.01.25 statt.



### 6.43 Course: Bond Markets - Models & Derivatives [T-WIWI-110997]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Marliese Uhrig-Homburg

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101480 - Finance 3

M-WIWI-101483 - Finance 2

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events					
WT 24/25	2530565	Bond Markets - Models & Derivatives	2 SWS	Block / <b>♀</b> ⁴	Grauer, Uhrig- Homburg
Exams					
ST 2024	7900313	Bond Markets - Models & Derivative	Bond Markets - Models & Derivatives		
WT 24/25	7900318	Bond Markets - Models & Derivatives			Uhrig-Homburg

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of success consists in equal parts of a written thesis and an oral exam including a discussion of one's own work. The main examination is offered once a year, re-examinations every semester.

#### Recommendation

Knowledge of "Bond Markets" and "Derivatives" courses is very helpful.

#### Annotation

This course will be held in English.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Bond Markets - Models & Derivatives**

2530565, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Block (B) On-Site

### Content

- Competence Certificate: The assessment of success consists in equal parts of a written thesis and an oral exam (according
  to §4(2), 3 SPO) including a discussion of one's own work. The main examination is offered once a year, re-examinations
  every semester.
- Competence Goal: Students deepen their knowledge of national and international bond markets. They are able to apply the
  knowledge they have gained about traded instruments and common valuation models for pricing derivative financial
  instruments.
- Prerequisites:
- Content: The lecture "Bond Markets Models & Derivatives" deepens the content of the lecture "Bond Markets". The modelling of the dynamics of yield curves and the management of credit risks forms the theoretical foundation for the valuation of interest rate and credit derivatives to be discussed. In this course, students deal intensively with selected topics and acquire the relevant knowledge on their own.
- Recommendation: Knowledge of "Bond Markets" and "Derivatives" courses is very helpful.
- Workload: The total workload for this course is approximately 90 hours (3.0 credits).

### Organizational issues

Die Veranstaltung mit Seminarcharakter und dem Ziel, ein selbstgewähltes Themenfeld in Form einer schriftlichen Ausarbeitung eigenständig zu erarbeiten, findet in der 2. Semesterhälfte statt.



### 6.44 Course: Bond Markets - Tools & Applications [T-WIWI-110996]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Marliese Uhrig-Homburg

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101480 - Finance 3

M-WIWI-101483 - Finance 2

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	1,5	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events							
WT 24/25	2530562	Bond Markets - Tools & Applications	1 SWS	Block / <b>♀</b>	Uhrig-Homburg, Grauer		
Exams	Exams						
WT 24/25	7900317	Bond Markets - Tools & Applications			Uhrig-Homburg		

Legend: ☐ Online, 🍪 Blended (On-Site/Online), 🗣 On-Site, 🗙 Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of an empirical case study with written elaboration and presentation. The main examination is offered once a year, re-examinations every semester.

### Recommendation

Knowledge of the "Bond Markets" course is very helpful.

### **Annotation**

This course will be held in English.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Bond Markets - Tools & Applications**

2530562, WS 24/25, 1 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Block (B) On-Site

### Content

- Competence Certificate: The assessment consists of an empirical case study with written elaboration and presentation (according to \$4(2), 3 SPO). The main examination is offered once a year, re-examinations every semester.
- Competence Goal: The students apply various methods in practice within the framework of a project-related case study. They are able to deal with empirical data and analyze them in a targeted manner.
- Content: The course "Bond Markets Tools & Applications" includes a hands-on project in the field of national and international bond markets. Using empirical datasets, the students have to apply practical methods in order to analyze the data in a targeted manner.
- Recommendation: Knowledge of the "Bond Markets" course is very helpful.
- Workload: The total workload for this course is approximately 45 hours (1.5 credits).

### **Organizational issues**

Die Veranstaltung findet in der ersten Semesterhälfte statt und beinhaltet eine eigenständige Projektarbeit im Umgang mit realen Bond Daten. Die Erfolgskontrolle erfolgt anhand einer schriftlichen Ausarbeitung und einer kurzen Präsentation.



### 6.45 Course: Business Data Analytics: Application and Tools [T-WIWI-109863]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-103117 - Data Science: Data-Driven Information Systems

M-WIWI-103118 - Data Science: Data-Driven User Modeling

M-WIWI-104812 - Information Systems: Engineering and Transformation M-WIWI-104814 - Information Systems: Analytical and Interactive Systems

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4,5	Grade to a third	Each summer term	2

Events					
ST 2024	2540466	Business Data Analytics: Application and Tools	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Knierim, Hariharan
ST 2024	2540467	Excercise Business Data Analytics: Application and Tools	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Grote
Exams					
ST 2024	7900183	Business Data Analytics: Application	Business Data Analytics: Application and Tools		
ST 2024	7900189	Business Data Analytics: Application	Weinhardt		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

Success is monitored through ongoing elaborations and presentations of tasks and a written exam (60 minutes) at the end of the lecture period. Successful participation in the exercises is a prerequisite for admission to the written examination. The scoring scheme for the overall evaluation will be announced at the beginning of the course.

The number of participants is limited to 50, as this is the only way to ensure conscientious support for the case study. The selection of participants is based on a short letter of motivation (max. 2000 characters including spaces) in the faculty's portal.

### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

Knowledge of (object-oriented) programming and statistics is helpful.

### **Annotation**

The lecture is read in block sessions at the beginning of the semester. The dates will be communicated in the Wiwi-Portal.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Business Data Analytics: Application and Tools**

2540466, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

### Organizational issues

als Blockveranstaltung an 3 Terminen:

- Montag, 22.04.24 08:00 17:00 Uhr,
- Dienstag, 23.04.24 08:00 17:00 Uhr,
- Mittwoch, 24.04.24 08:00 17:00 Uhr,



### 6.46 Course: Business Data Strategy [T-WIWI-106187]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

**Part of:** M-WIWI-103117 - Data Science: Data-Driven Information Systems

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination4,5Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events						
WT 24/25	2540484	Business Data Strategy	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Weinhardt, Hariharan	
WT 24/25	2540485	Übung zu Business Data Strategy	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Weinhardt, Schulz	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900267	Business data strategy			Weinhardt	

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 min.) according to § 4 paragraph 2 Nr. 1 of the examination regulation an alternative exam assessment according to § 4 paragraph 2 Nr. 3 of the examination regulation. The grade is determined by 2/3 through the written exam and by 1/3 through the alternative exam assessment (e.g., presentation).

### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Students should be familiar with basic concepts of business organisations, information systems, and programming. However, all material will be introduced, so no formal pre-conditions are applied.

### Annotation

Limited number of participants.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Business Data Strategy**

2540484, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

### Content

With new methods for capturing and using different types of data and industry's recognition that society's use of data is less than optimal, the need for comprehensive strategies is more important than ever before. Advances in cybersecurity and information sharing and the use of data in its raw form for decision making all add to the complexity of integrated processes, ownership, stewardship, and sharing. The life cycle of data in its entirety spans the infrastructure, system design, development, integration, and implementation of information-enabling solutions. This lecture focuses on teaching about these dynamics and tools to comprehend and manage them in organisation contexts. Given the increasing size and complexity of data, methods for the transformation and structured preparation are an important tool in the process of sense-making. Modern software solutions and programming languages provide frameworks for such tasks that form another part of this course ranging from conceptual systems modelling to data manipulation to automated generation of HTML reports and web-applications.

### **Organizational issues**

### Application/Registration

Attendance will be limited to 20-25 participants. Application/registration is therefore preliminary. After the application deadline has passed, positions will be allocated, based on evaluation of the previous study records. Applications are accepted only through the Wiwi-Portal: https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/ys/8327

### Anmeldung

Die Teilnehmeranzahl ist begrenzt (ca. 20-25 Plätze). Eine Anmeldung erfolgt deshalb zunächst unter Vorbehalt. Nach Ablauf der Anmeldefrist werden die Plätze zur Teilnahme, nach Einsicht der Vorleistungen im Studium vergeben. Die Anmeldung/Bewerbung erfolgt ausschließlich über das Wiwi-Portal: https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/ys/8327



### 6.47 Course: Business Dynamics [T-WIWI-102762]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Andreas Geyer-Schulz

Dr Paul Glenn

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101409 - Electronic Markets

M-WIWI-105661 - Data Science: Intelligent, Adaptive, and Learning Information Services

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach winter term 1

Events						
WT 24/25	2540531	Business Dynamics	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Geyer-Schulz, Glenn	
WT 24/25	2540532	Exercise Business Dynamics	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Geyer-Schulz, Glenn	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900065	Business Dynamics (Nachklausur WS	Business Dynamics (Nachklausur WS 2023/2024)			
WT 24/25	7979777	Business Dynamics (WS 2024/2025)			Geyer-Schulz	

### **Competence Certificate**

Written examination (60 minutes) according to §4(2), 1 SPO. The exam is considered passed if at least 50 out of a maximum of 100 possible points are achieved. The grades are graded in five steps (best grade 1.0 from 95 points). Details of the grade formation and scale will be announced in the course.

A bonus can be acquired through successful participation in the practice. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by one grade level (0.3 or 0.4). The exact criteria for awarding a bonus will be announced at the beginning of the course.

### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Business Dynamics**

2540531, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

### **Organizational issues**

Termine und Raum für die VL + Ü Business Dynamics (2540532):

Sa (26.10.2024), 09:00 bis 19:00, Geb. 05.20, Raum 1C-01

Sa (23.11.2024), 09:00 bis 19:00, Geb. 05.20, Raum 1C-01

Sa (25.01.2025), 09:00 bis 19:00, Geb. 05.20, Raum 1C-01

Sa (15.02.2025), 09:00 bis 19:00, Geb. 05.20, Raum 1C-01

### Literature

John D. Sterman. Business Dynamics: Systems Thinking and Modeling for a Complex World. McGraw-Hill, 2000.



### 6.48 Course: Business Intelligence Systems [T-WIWI-105777]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Alexander Mädche

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101506 - Service Analytics

M-WIWI-101510 - Cross-Functional Management Accounting M-WIWI-103117 - Data Science: Data-Driven Information Systems

M-WIWI-104068 - Information Systems in Organizations

M-WIWI-104814 - Information Systems: Analytical and Interactive Systems

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4,5	Grade to a third	Each winter term	2

Events						
WT 24/25	2540422	Business Intelligence Systems	3 SWS	Lecture / 💢	Mädche	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900149	Business Intelligence Systems	Business Intelligence Systems			
WT 24/25	7900224	Business Intelligence Systems			Mädche	

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment. The assessment consists of a one-hour exam and the implementation of a Capstone project. Details will be announced at the beginning of the course.

### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

Basic knowledge on database systems is helpful.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Business Intelligence Systems**

2540422, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

In most modern enterprises, Business Intelligence & Analytics (BI&A) Systems represent a core enabler of decision-making in that they are supplying up-to-date and accurate information about all relevant aspects of a company's planning and operations: from stock levels to sales volumes, from process cycle times to key indicators of corporate performance. Modern BI&A systems leverage beyond reporting and dashboards also advanced analytical functions. Thus, today they also play a major role in enabling data-driven products and services. The aim of this course is to introduce theoretical foundations, concepts, tools, and current practice of BI&A Systems from a managerial and technical perspective.

The course is complemented with an engineering capstone project, where students work in a team with real-world use cases and data in order to create running Business intelligence & Analytics system prototypes.

### Learning objectives

- Understand the theoretical foundations of key Business Intelligence & Analytics concepts supporting decision-making
- Explore key capabilities of state-of-the-art Business Intelligence & Analytics Systems
- Learn how to successfully implement and run Business Intelligence & Analytics Systems from multiple perspectives, e.g. architecture, data management, consumption, analytics
- Get hands-on experience by working with Business Intelligence & Analytics Systems with real-world use cases and data

### **Prerequisites**

This course is limited to a capacity of 50 places. The capacity limitation is due to the attractive format of the accompanying engineering capstone project. Strong analytical abilities and profound skills in SQL as wells as Python and/or R are required. Students have to apply with their CV and transcript of records. All organizational details and the underlying registration process of the lecture and the capstone project will be presented in the first lecture. The teaching language is English.

#### Literature

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- Chen, H., Chiang, R. H. L, and Storey, V. C. 2012. "Business Intelligence and Analytics: From Big Data to Big Impact," MIS Quarterly (36:4), pp. 1165-1188.
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Further literature will be made available in the lecture.



# 6.49 Course: Business Planning [T-WIWI-102865]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Orestis Terzidis

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101488 - Entrepreneurship (EnTechnon)

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Irregular	1

Events					
ST 2024	2545109	Business Planning for Founders	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Terzidis, Tittel, Rosales Bravo
WT 24/25	2500109	Business Planning for Founders - Startup CFO	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Terzidis, Tittel, Rosales Bravo
Exams					
ST 2024	7900234	Business Planning for Founders	Business Planning for Founders		
WT 24/25	7900023	Business Planning for Founders	Business Planning for Founders		

 $\textit{Legend:} \ \overline{\blacksquare} \ \textit{Online}, \ \textcircled{\$} \ \textit{Blended} \ (\textit{On-Site/Online}), \ \P \cdot \textit{On-Site}, \ \textbf{x} \ \textit{Cancelled}$ 

### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment.

### Prerequisites

None

### Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Business Planning for Founders**

 $2545109, SS\ 2024, 2\ SWS, Language: English, Open\ in\ study\ portal$ 

Seminar (S) On-Site

# Content Content

Embark on a transformative journey into the dynamic realm of startup finance with our comprehensive course designed for Master's students interested in the task of aspiring to become future Chief Financial Officers (CFOs) or Chief Executive Officers (CEOs) in the startup. Particularly, students who previously attended classes on entrepreneurship or developed their business ideas in Design Thinking Seminars will work on the financial viability and, therefore, the potential for realizing their business ideas. The three-day seminar develops the financial literacy needed to start and operate an entrepreneurial venture, including analyzing and determining the cost and revenue structure of the firm and creating a financial strategy to execute the business plan successfully. Additionally, students will learn about the sources and conditions of different investment types and develop tailored fundraising strategies. The seminar is not restricted to the financial aspects but follows the Triple Bottom Line philosophy (3BL).

Throughout the course, real-world case studies and guest lectures, professional experts will provide valuable insights into the practical application of financial concepts.By the end of this course, you will be well-equipped to take on leadership roles in startups and startup ecosystems, armed with the managerial understanding required to drive success in dynamic and competitive markets.

### **Learning Objectives**

Upon completion of this seminar, course participants will be able to

- 1. Analyze, forecast, and plan the cost structure and revenue streams of the venture project.
- 2. Reflect on the sustainability of a business based on the Triple Bottom Line theory.
- 3. Develop the essential financial statements for a startup.
- 4. Recall and reflect on investment strategies for startups.
- 5. Discover business stakeholders and prepare a tailored communication strategy.
- 6. Reflect on the role of information technology.
- 7. Apply negotiation techniques essential for securing favorable terms and agreements.
- 8. Have a brief overview of the related topic.

### Credentials:

ONLY ONE of the two options - Business Planning for founders OR Business Planning for founders in the field of IT-Security - can be taken and credited under the in CAS mentioned partial credit, as they cover similar content. Registration must take place in the CAS for the respective examination.

### **Organizational issues**

Wednesday, 05.06.2024 Wednesday, 19.06.2024 Wednesday, 17.07.2024

Registration is via the Wiwi-Portal.

In the seminar you will work on a project in teams of max. 5 persons. Team applications are welcome but not a prerequisite for participation. The seminars will be held in English.



### **Business Planning for Founders - Startup CFO**

2500109, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

### Content

#### Content

Embark on a transformative journey into the dynamic realm of startup finance with our comprehensive course designed for Master's students interested in the task of aspiring to become future Chief Financial Officers (CFOs) or Chief Executive Officers (CEOs) in the startup. Particularly, students who previously attended classes on entrepreneurship or developed their business ideas in Design Thinking Seminars will work on the financial viability and, therefore, the potential for realizing their business ideas. The three-day seminar develops the financial literacy needed to start and operate an entrepreneurial venture, including analyzing and determining the cost and revenue structure of the firm and creating a financial strategy to execute the business plan successfully. Additionally, students will learn about the sources and conditions of different investment types and develop tailored fundraising strategies. The seminar is not restricted to the financial aspects but follows the Triple Bottom Line philosophy (3BL).

Throughout the course, real-world case studies and guest lectures, professional experts will provide valuable insights into the practical application of financial concepts.By the end of this course, you will be well-equipped to take on leadership roles in startups and startup ecosystems, armed with the managerial understanding required to drive success in dynamic and competitive markets.

### **Learning Objectives**

Upon completion of this seminar, course participants will be able to

- 1. Analyze, forecast, and plan the cost structure and revenue streams of the venture project.
- 2. Reflect on the sustainability of a business based on the Triple Bottom Line theory.
- 3. Develop the essential financial statements for a startup.
- 4. Recall and reflect on investment strategies for startups.
- 5. Discover business stakeholders and prepare a tailored communication strategy.
- 6. Reflect on the role of information technology.
- 7. Apply negotiation techniques essential for securing favorable terms and agreements.
- 8. Have a brief overview of the related topic.

### Credentials:

ONLY ONE of the two options - Business Planning for founders OR Business Planning for founders in the field of IT-Security - can be taken and credited under the in CAS mentioned partial credit, as they cover similar content. Registration must take place in the CAS for the respective examination.

### Organizational issues

Registration is via the Wiwi-Portal.

In the seminar you will work on a project in teams of max. 5 persons. Team applications are welcome but not a prerequisite for participation. The seminars will be held in English.



### 6.50 Course: Case Studies Seminar: Innovation Management [T-WIWI-102852]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Marion Weissenberger-Eibl

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101488 - Entrepreneurship (EnTechnon)

M-WIWI-101507 - Innovation Management M-WIWI-101507 - Innovation Management

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 3 Grade to a third Each winter term 1

Events					
WT 24/25	2545105	Case studies seminar: Innovation	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Weissenberger-Eibl
		management			

### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessments (§4(2), 3 SPO).

### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Prior attendance of the course Innovation Management is recommended.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### Case studies seminar: Innovation management

2545105, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

### Content

The objective of the seminar is to master selected concepts and methods of innovation management and then to apply these practically. Working in groups, the students apply the described concepts and methods of innovation management to a case study from the industry to answer specific questions. Accordingly, the block seminar involves a switch from input to the application of this input. At the end, the results of the group work are presented in the form of a seminar paper and discussed by the whole course. A short introduction to presentation techniques is planned to help students prepare the seminar papers.

### Literature

Werden in der ersten Veranstaltung bekannt gegeben.



### 6.51 Course: Challenges in Supply Chain Management [T-WIWI-102872]

Responsible: Esther Mohr

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-102805 - Service Operations

M-WIWI-102808 - Digital Service Systems in Industry

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4,5	Grade to a third	Each summer term	2

Events						
ST 2024	2550494	Challenges in Supply Chain Management	3 SWS	Lecture / 🗯	Mohr	
Exams						
ST 2024	00030	Challenges in Supply Chain Management			Nickel	

Legend: ☐ Online, 🍪 Blended (On-Site/Online), 🗣 On-Site, 🗙 Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written paper and an oral exam of ca. 30-40 min.

### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

Basic knowledge as conveyed in the module "Introduction to Operations Research" is assumed.

#### **Annotation**

The number of course participants is limited to 12 participants due to joint work in BASF project teams. Due to these capacity restrictions, registration before course start is required. For further information see the webpage of the course.

The course is offered irregularly. The planned lectures and courses for the next three years are announced online.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Challenges in Supply Chain Management**

2550494, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

### Content

The course consists of case studies of BASF which cover future challenges of supply chain management. Thus, the course aims at a case-study based presentation, critical evaluation and exemplary discussion of recent questions in supply chain management. The focus lies on future challenges and trends, also with regard to their applicability in practical cases (especially in the chemical industry).

The main part of the course is working on a project together with BASF in Ludwigshafen. The students get in touch with scientific working: The in-depth work with a special scientific topic makes the students familiar with scientific literature research and argumentation methods. As a further aspect of scientific work, especially for Master students the emphasis is put on a critical discussion of the project topic.

This course will include working on cutting edge supply chain topics like Industry 4.0 / "Internet of Everything in production", supply chain analytics, risk management, procurement and production in SCM. The team essays / project reports will be linked to industry-related challenges as well as to upcoming theoretical concepts. The topics of the seminar will be announced at the beginning of the term in a preliminary meeting.

### **Organizational issues**

Bewerbung über das Wiwi-Portal möglich:

http://go.wiwi.kit.edu/ChallengesSCM

(Bewerbungszeitraum: 01.03.2024 - 18.03.2024)

### Literature

Wird in Abhängigkeit vom Thema in den Projektteams bekanntgegeben.



### 6.52 Course: Coding Theory [T-INFO-113693]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade

Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106824 - Coding Theory

Type Credits Grading scale Written examination 3 Grade to a third 1

Events							
WT 24/25	2400152	Coding Theory	2 SWS	Lecture	Müller-Quade, Benz, Hetzel		
Exams							
WT 24/25	7500090	Coding Theory			Geiselmann, Müller- Quade		

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 120 minutes.

Depending on the number of participants, it will be announced six weeks before the examination (Section 6 (3) SPO) whether the assessment will take the form of an oral examination of approx.

- in the form of an oral examination of approx. 30 minutes in accordance with § 4 Para. 2 No. 2 SPO or
- in the form of a written examination in accordance with § 4 Para. 2 No. 1 SPO takes place.

### **Prerequisites**

None.

### Recommendation

None.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Coding Theory**

2400152, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)

### Content

This lecture mainly deals with channel coding. It examines how signals can be protected against random noise affecting the transmission channel. Bounds of codes (Hamming, Gilbert-Varshamov, Singleton) are presented. In addition to the coding and decoding of classical algebraic codes (linear, Reed Solomon, Goppa and Reed Muller codes), concatenated codes and sums of codes are also covered. In addition, a connection to cryptography, in particular the McEliece encryption method, is established.



## 6.53 Course: Collective Perception in Autonomous Driving [T-WIWI-113363]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Alexey Vinel

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-106631 - Cooperative Autonomous Vehicles

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach summer term 1

Events						
ST 2024	2511456	Collective Perception in Autonomous Driving	2 SWS	Lecture / 🕃	Bied, Zhao , Vinel	
ST 2024	2511457	Exercise Collective Perception in Autonomous Driving	1 SWS	Practice / 🛱	Bied, Zhao , Lucena	
Exams						
ST 2024	79AIFB_CPAD_C3	Collective Perception in Autonomous Driving (Registration until 15 July 2024)			Vinel	
WT 24/25	79AIFB_CPAD_B3	Collective Perception in Autonomo	Vinel			

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The default assessment of this course is a written examination (60 min).

The exam takes place every semester and can be repeated at every regular examination date.

### **Prerequisites**

None.



### 6.54 Course: Competition in Networks [T-WIWI-100005]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Kay Mitusch

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101406 - Network Economics

TypeCredits<br/>Written examinationGrading scale<br/>4,5Recurrence<br/>Each winter termVersion

Events	Events						
WT 24/25	2561204	Competition in Networks	2 SWS	Lecture / 💢	Mitusch		
WT 24/25	2561205	Übung zu Wettbewerb in Netzen	1 SWS	Practice / 😘	Wisotzky, Mitusch, Corbo		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7900274	Competition in Networks	Mitusch				

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Result of success is made by a 60 minutes written examination during the semester break (according to §4(2), 1 ERSC). Examination is offered every semester and can be retried at any regular examination date.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Recommendation

Basics of microeconomics obtained within the undergraduate programme (B.Sc) of economics are required.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



#### **Competition in Networks**

2561204, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

Network or infrastructure industries like telecommunication, transport, and utilities form the backbone of modern economies. The lecture provides an overview of the economic characteristics of network industries. The planning of networks is complicated by the multitude of aspects involved (like spatial differentiation and the like). The interactions of different companies - competition or cooperation or both - are characterized by complex interdependencies within the networks: network effects, economies of scale, effects of vertical integration, switching costs, standardization, compatibility etc. appear increasingly in these sectors and even tend to appear in combination. Additionally, government interventions can often be observed, partly driven by the aims of competition policy and partly driven by the aims industrial policy. All these issues are brought up, analyzed formally (in part) and illustrated by several examples in the lecture

#### Literature

Literatur und Skripte werden in der Veranstaltung angegeben.



Organisation:

## 6.55 Course: Computational Complexity Theory, with a View Towards Cryptography [T-INFO-103014]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Dennis Hofheinz

Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101575 - Computational Complexity Theory, with a View Towards Cryptography

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Oral examination	6	Grade to a third	Irregular	1

Events							
ST 2024	2400124	Computational Complexity Theory, with a View Towards Cryptography	4 SWS	Lecture	Müller-Quade, Benz, Berger		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7500183	Computational Complexity Theory, with a View Towards Cryptography			Geiselmann, Müller- Quade		

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



Computational Complexity Theory, with a View Towards Cryptography

Lecture (V)

2400124, SS 2024, 4 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal



## 6.56 Course: Computational Geometry [T-INFO-104429]

Responsible: TT-Prof. Dr. Thomas Bläsius
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102110 - Computational Geometry

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination6Grade to a thirdIrregular3

Exams				
ST 2024	7500192	Computational Geometry	Bläsius	



## 6.57 Course: Computational Geometry - Pass [T-INFO-113718]

Responsible: TT-Prof. Dr. Thomas Bläsius
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102110 - Computational Geometry

**Type** Completed coursework

Credits 0 Grading scale pass/fail

Recurrence Irregular Version 1



### 6.58 Course: Computational Risk and Asset Management [T-WIWI-102878]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Maxim Ulrich

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-105032 - Data Science for Finance

Type Credits Grading scale Grade to a third Recurrence Irregular 5

#### **Competence Certificate**

The module examination takes the form of an alternative exam assessment.

The alternative exam assessment consists of a Python-based "Takehome Exam". At the end of the third week of January, the student is given a "Takehome Exam" which he processes and sends back independently within 4 hours using Python. Precise instructions will be announced at the beginning of the course. The alternative exam assessment can be repeated a maximum of once. A timely repeat option takes place at the end of the third week in March of the same year. More detailed instructions will be given at the beginning of the course.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge of capital markt theory.



## 6.59 Course: Computer Architecture [T-INFO-101355]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Karl
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100818 - Computer Architecture

Type	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	6	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events						
ST 2024	2424570	Computer structures	3 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Karl	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500190	Computer Architecture			Karl	

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled



### 6.60 Course: Computer Contract Law [T-INFO-102036]

Responsible: Michael Menk

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101216 - Private Business Law

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination3Grade to a thirdEach winter term2

Events								
WT 24/25	2411604	Computer Contract Law	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Menk			
Exams	Exams							
ST 2024	7500066	Computer Contract Law			Sattler			
WT 24/25	7500065	Computer Contract Law			Sattler, Matz			

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



#### Computer Contract Law

2411604, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

The course deals with contracts from the following areas:

- · Contracts of programming, licencing and maintaining software
- · Contracts in the field of IT employment law
- IT projects and IT Outsourcing
- Internet Contracts

From these areas single contracts will be chosen and discussed (e.g. software maintenance, employment contract with a software engineer). Concerning the respective contract the technical features, the economic background and the subsumption in the national law of obligation (BGB-Schuldrecht) will be discussed. As a result different contractual clauses will be developed by the students. Afterwards typical contracts and conditions will be analysed with regard to their legitimacy as standard business terms (AGB). It is the aim to show the effects of the german law of standard business terms (AGB-Recht) and to point out that contracts are a means of drafting business concepts and market appearance.

It is the aim of this course to provide students with knowledge in the area of contract formation and formulation in practice that builds upon the knowledge the students have already acquired concerning the legal protection of computer programs. Students shall understand how the legal rules depend upon, and interact with, the economic background and the technical features of the subject. The contract drafts shall be prepared by the students and will be corporately completed during the lecture. It is the aim of the course that students will be able to formulate contracts by themselves.

#### Literature

- Langenfeld, Gerrit Vertragsgestaltung Verlag C.H.Beck, III. Aufl. 2004
- Heussen, Benno Handbuch Vertragsverhandlung und Vertragsmanagement Verlag C.H.Beck, II. Aufl. 2002
- Schneider, Jochen Handbuch des EDV-Rechts Verlag Dr. Otto Schmidt KG, III. Aufl. 2002

#### Weiterführende Literatur

Ergänzende Literatur wird in den Vorlesungsfolien angegeben.



## 6.61 Course: Computer Graphics [T-INFO-101393]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Carsten Dachsbacher **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100856 - Computer Graphics

Type	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	6	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events							
WT 24/25	24081	Computergrafik	4 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Dachsbacher, Alber, Lerzer		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7500257	Computer Graphics			Dachsbacher		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled



## 6.62 Course: Computer Graphics Pass [T-INFO-104313]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Carsten Dachsbacher **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100856 - Computer Graphics

Type Cree Completed coursework

Credits 0

Grading scale pass/fail

Recurrence Each winter term Version 1

Events				
WT 24/25	24083	Übungen zu Computergrafik	Lecture / Practice (	Alber, Lerzer, Dachsbacher



## 6.63 Course: Context Sensitive Systems [T-INFO-107499]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Michael Beigl
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100728 - Context Sensitive Systems

M-WIWI-104814 - Information Systems: Analytical and Interactive Systems

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination5Grade to a thirdEach summer term1

Events					
ST 2024	2400099	Context Sensitive Systems	1 SWS	Practice / 🖥	Riedel
ST 2024	24658	Context Sensitive Systems	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Riedel
Exams					
ST 2024	7500305_25.07.24	Context Sensitive Systems			Riedel
ST 2024	7500358_05.09.2024	Context Sensitive Systems			Riedel
ST 2024	7500358_26.09.2024	Context Sensitive Systems			Riedel
WT 24/25	7500013_17.10.2024	Context Sensitive Systems			Riedel
WT 24/25	7500013_27.03.2025	Context Sensitive Systems			Riedel
WT 24/25	7500113_14.01.2025	Context Sensitive Systems			Riedel

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled



## 6.64 Course: Convex Analysis [T-WIWI-102856]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Stein

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming

**Type** Written examination

Credits 4,5 **Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Irregular Version 1

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of the lecture is a written examination (60 minutes) according to §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation. The successful completion of the exercises is required for admission to the written exam.

The examination is held in the semester of the lecture and in the following semester.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

It is strongly recommended to visit at least one lecture from the Bachelor program of this chair before attending this course.

#### Annotation

The lecture is offered irregularly. The curriculum of the next three years is available online (www.ior.kit.edu).



## 6.65 Course: Cooperative Autonomous Vehicles [T-WIWI-112690]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Alexey Vinel

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-106631 - Cooperative Autonomous Vehicles

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Written examination 4,5 Grade to a third Each summer term 1

Events					
ST 2024	2511450	Cooperative Autonomous Vehicles	2 SWS	Lecture / 💢	Vinel
ST 2024	2511451	Exercise Cooperative Autonomous Vehicles	1 SWS	Practice / 🗯	Vinel
Exams					
ST 2024	79AIFB_CAV_B5	Cooperative Autonomous Vehicles (I	Vinel		
WT 24/25	79AIFB_CAV_A3	Cooperative Autonomous Vehicles	Vinel		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The default assessment of this course is a written examination (60 min).

The exam takes place every semester and can be repeated at every regular examination date.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.



## 6.66 Course: Copyright [T-INFO-101308]

Responsible: N.N.

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101215 - Intellectual Property Law

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	3	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events						
WT 24/25	24121	Copyright	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Sattler	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500064	Copyright			Sattler	
WT 24/25	7500064	Copyright			Sattler	

 $\textit{Legend:} \ \overline{\blacksquare} \ \textit{Online}, \ \textcircled{\$} \ \textit{Blended} \ (\textit{On-Site/Online}), \ \P \cdot \textit{On-Site}, \ \textbf{x} \ \textit{Cancelled}$ 

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 60 minutes.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

### Recommendation

None.



## 6.67 Course: Corporate Compliance [T-INFO-101288]

Responsible: Andreas Herzig

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101216 - Private Business Law

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination3Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events							
WT 24/25	2400087	Corporate Compliance	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Herzig, Siddiq		
Exams							
ST 2024	7500063	Corporate Compliance			Sattler		
WT 24/25	7500063	Corporate Compliance			Sattler, Matz		

 $\textit{Legend:} \ \overline{\blacksquare} \ \textit{Online}, \ \textcircled{\$} \ \textit{Blended} \ (\textit{On-Site/Online}), \ \P \cdot \textit{On-Site}, \ \textbf{x} \ \textit{Cancelled}$ 



### 6.68 Course: Corporate Risk Management [T-WIWI-109050]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martin Ruckes

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101480 - Finance 3

M-WIWI-101483 - Finance 2

M-WIWI-101502 - Economic Theory and its Application in Finance

Type Credits
Written examination 4,5

**Grading scale**Grade to a third

**Recurrence** Each summer term Version 2

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 min.) according to § 4 paragraph 2 Nr. 1 of the examination regulation. If there are only a small number of participants registered for the exam, we reserve the right to hold an oral examination instead of a written one.

Please note that the exam is only offered in the semester of the lecture as well as in the following semester.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

#### **Annotation**

The course will be held again in the summer term 2023 at the earliest. Please pay attention to the announcements on our website.



### 6.69 Course: Critical Information Infrastructures [T-WIWI-109248]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ali Sunyaev

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-104812 - Information Systems: Engineering and Transformation

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 4,5 Grade to a third Recurrence Each winter term 4

#### **Competence Certificate**

The alternative exam assessment consists of

- the preparation of a written elaboration as well as
- an oral examination as part of a presentation of the work.

Details of the grades will be announced at the beginning of the course.

The examination is only offered to first-time students in the winter semester, but can be repeated in the following summer semester.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### **Annotation**

New lecture from winter semester 2018/2019.



## 6.70 Course: Cryptographic Voting Schemes [T-INFO-101279]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100742 - Cryptographic Voting Schemes

**Type** Oral examination

Credits 3

**Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Irregular Version 1



## 6.71 Course: Curves and Surfaces for Geometric Design II [T-INFO-102041]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Hartmut Prautzsch
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101231 - Curves and Surfaces for Geometric Design

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination5Grade to a thirdIrregular2

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an oral examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO) lasting 20 minutes. oral exam (80%) and exercises (20%)

#### **Prerequisites**

None.



## 6.72 Course: Curves and Surfaces in CAD I [T-INFO-101374]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Hartmut Prautzsch
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100837 - Curves and Surfaces in CAD I

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination5Grade to a thirdIrregular1

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an oral examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO) lasting 20 minutes. oral exam (80%) and exercises (20%)

#### **Prerequisites**

None.



## 6.73 Course: Data Privacy: From Anonymization to Access Control [T-INFO-108377]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Klemens Böhm **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-104045 - Data Privacy: From Anonymization to Access Control

TypeCredits<br/>Written examinationGrading scale<br/>3Recurrence<br/>IrregularVersion<br/>1



## 6.74 Course: Data Science [T-INFO-113124]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Klemens Böhm
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics
Part of: M-INFO-106505 - Data Science

M-WIWI-104814 - Information Systems: Analytical and Interactive Systems

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Oral examination	8	Grade to a third	Each winter term	2

Exams						
ST 2024	7500199	Data Science 1 & Data Science 2	Böhm			
ST 2024	7500285	Data Science 1 & Data Science 2	Böhm			
WT 24/25	7500289	Data Science 1 & Data Science 2	Böhm			

#### **Prerequisites**

None.



## 6.75 Course: Database as a Service [T-INFO-111400]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Klemens Böhm **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105724 - Database as a Service

M-WIWI-104814 - Information Systems: Analytical and Interactive Systems

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination5Grade to a thirdIrregular1

Exams				
ST 2024	7500056	Database as a Service	Böhm	

#### **Prerequisites**

none



### 6.76 Course: Database Systems and XML [T-WIWI-102661]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Andreas Oberweis

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101456 - Intelligent Systems and Services

M-WIWI-101477 - Development of Business Information Systems

Type<br/>Written examinationCredits<br/>4,5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a thirdRecurrence<br/>Each winter termVersion<br/>2

Events							
WT 24/25	2511202	Database Systems and XML	2 SWS	Lecture / 💢	Oberweis		
WT 24/25	2511203	Exercises Database Systems and XML	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Oberweis, Fritsch		
Exams							
ST 2024	79AIFB_DBX_A3	Database Systems and XML (Registr	Database Systems and XML (Registration until 15 July 2024)				
WT 24/25	79AIFB_DBX_A4	Database Systems and XML			Oberweis		

Legend: Online, & Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, X Cancelled

#### Competence Certificate

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 minutes) (following §4(2) of the examination regulation). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. Depending on the respective pandemic situation, the exam may be offered as an open book exam (alternative exam assessment, following §4(2), 3 of the examination regulation).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



#### **Database Systems and XML**

2511202, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

Databases are a proven technology for managing large amounts of data. The oldest database model, the hierarchical model, was replaced by different models such as the relational or the object-oriented data model. The hierarchical model became particularly more important with the emergence of the extensible Markup Language XML. XML is a data format for structured, semi-structured, and unstructured data. In order to store XML documents consistently and reliably, databases or extensions of existing data base systems are required. Among other things, this lecture covers the data model of XML, concepts of XML query languages, aspects of storage of XML documents, and XML-oriented database systems.

#### Note on the event format:

The course Database Systems and XML will be held in WS 23/24 in a "Flipped Classroom" format. Videos and supporting materials are provided for the lecture content, which students can work through independently and at their own pace. During the semester, interactive classroom sessions are held at regular intervals to practice and reinforce the lecture content.

#### Learning objectives:

#### Students

- know the basics of XML and generate XML documents,
- are able to use XML database systems and to formulate queries to XML documents,
- know to assess the use of XML in operational practice in different application contexts.

#### Workload:

- Lecture 30h
- Exercise 15h
- Preparation of lecture 24h
- Preparation of exercises 25h
- Exam preparation 40h
- Exam 1h

#### Literature

- M. Klettke, H. Meyer: XML & Datenbanken: Konzepte, Sprachen und Systeme. dpunkt.verlag 2003
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- W. Kazakos, A. Schmidt, P. Tomchyk: Datenbanken und XML. Springer-Verlag 2002
- R. Elmasri, S. B. Navathe: Grundlagen der Datenbanksysteme. 2009
- G. Vossen: Datenbankmodelle, Datenbanksprachen und Datenbankmanagementsysteme. Oldenbourg 2008

Weitere Literatur wird in der Vorlesung bekannt gegeben.



# 6.77 Course: Decentralized Systems: Fundamentals, Modeling, and Applications [T-INFO-110820]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Hannes Hartenstein **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105334 - Decentralized Systems: Fundamentals, Modeling, and Applications

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Oral examination	6	Grade to a third	Each summer term	4

Events							
ST 2024	2400089	Decentralized Systems: Fundamentals, Modeling, and Applications	4 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Stengele, Hartenstein		
Exams							
ST 2024	7500095	Decentralized Systems: Fundamenta	ls, Modeli	ng, and Applications	Hartenstein		
ST 2024	7500284	Decentralized Systems: Fundamenta	Decentralized Systems: Fundamentals, Modeling, and Applications				
ST 2024	7500377	Decentralized Systems: Fundamenta	Decentralized Systems: Fundamentals, Modeling, and Applications				
WT 24/25	7500013	Decentralized Systems: Fundamentals, Modeling, and Applications			Hartenstein		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an oral examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO) lasting 20 minutes.

Depending on the number of participants, it will be announced six weeks before the examination (§ 6 Abs. 3 SPO) whether the examination takes place

in the form of an oral examination lasting 30 minutes pursuant to § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO or

in the form of a written examination lasting 60 minutes in accordance with § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 1 SPO.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Recommendation

Prior knowledge in Foundations of IT-Security and Computer Networks is recommended.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



Decentralized Systems: Fundamentals, Modeling, and Applications 2400089, SS 2024, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ) On-Site

#### Content

#### Content:

Decentralized Systems (like blockchain-based systems) represent distributed systems that are controlled by multiple parties who make their own independent decisions. In this course, we cover fundamental theoretical aspects as well as up-to-date decentralized systems and connect theory with current practice. We thereby address fault tolerance, security and trust, as well as performance aspects at the example of applications like Bitcoin, Ethereum, IPFS, and Matrix. As a research-oriented lecture, we may cover additional current topics like verifiable computing and/or identity and access management in decentralized settings.

The lecture covers at least the following topics:

#### Fundamentals

- Peer-to-Peer Overlay Networks, Sybil and Eclipse Attacks
- Formalization of decentralized systems, including models for their computation, communication, faults, and timing.
- Leader election and mutual exclusion in decentralized systems based on different models for node identities and timing.
- Byzantine consensus in synchronous and asynchronous settings, including Bracha's fundamental algorithm for reliable broadcast, Practical Byzantine Fault Tolerant consensus, and fundamental limits.
- Consistency models and protocols including Conflict-Free Replicated Data Types.

#### Applications

- The Matrix decentralized messaging platform
- Distributed Ledgers and Blockchains at the examples of Bitcoin and Ethereum, in particular Proof-of-Work and Proof-of-Stake consensus
- Payment Channel Networks and Rollups
- Decentralized storage systems, at the example of IPFS

#### **Compentency Goals:**

- 1. Fundamentals & Modeling
  - 1. The student is able to recognize and distinguish distributed, federated, and decentralized systems.
  - 2. The student understands consensus, consistency and coordination within the context of networked and decentralized systems.
  - 3. The student understands the concept of Sybil attacks.
  - 4. The student is familiar with decentralized algorithms for leader election and mutual exclusion for execution contexts with various guarantees.
  - 5. The student understands the formally proven limits of fault tolerance and their underlying assumptions. This includes an understanding of synchronous and asynchronous network models which underpin the respective proofs. The student also understands several models for fault tolerance, notably silent and noisy crash as well as byzantine fault tolerance within the context of decentralized and distributed systems.
  - 6. The student has a basic understanding of state machine replication.
  - 7. The student knows various models for and levels of consistency.

#### 2. Applications

- 1. The student understands conflict-free replicated data types and their use in decentralized systems like Matrix.
- 2. The student has a fundamental understanding of blockchain-based systems (e.g. Bitcoin/Ethereum), Payment Channels, Rollups, and decentralized communication systems like Matrix.
- 3. The student understands trust relations in distributed and decentralized systems and applications.
- 4. The student is able to understand how theoretical foundations relate to networked and decentralized systems in practice.
- 5. The student understands concepts of decentralized storage systems.

#### Workload:

Lecture workload:

- 1. Attendance time (Course, exercise, etc.)
  - Lecture: 3 SWS: 3,0h x 15 = 45h Exercise: 1 SWS: 1,0h x 15 = 15h
- 2. Self-study (e.g. independent review of course material, work on homework assignments)

Weeklypreparation and follow-up ofthelecture:  $15 \times 1h \times 3 = 45h$ Weeklypreparation and follow-up oftheexercise:  $15 \times 2h = 30h$ 

- 3. Preparation for the exam: 45 h
- $\Sigma$  = 180h = 6 ECTS

#### Competency certificate:

Depending on the number of participants, it will be announced six weeks before the examination (§ 6 Abs. 3 SPO) whether the examination takes place

• in the form of an oral examination lasting 30 minutes pursuant to § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO or in the form of a written examination lasting 60 minutes in accordance with § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 1 SPO.



## 6.78 Course: Deep Learning and Neural Networks [T-INFO-109124]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Jan Niehues

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-104460 - Deep Learning and Neural Networks

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach summer term 1

Events	Events							
ST 2024	2400024	Deep Learning and Neural Networks	4 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Niehues			
Exams								
ST 2024	7500044	Deep Learning and Neural Networks			Niehues, Waibel			
ST 2024	7500367	Deep Learning and Neural Networks	Deep Learning and Neural Networks oral exam for Erasmus					
WT 24/25	7500259	Deep Learning and Neural Networks			Niehues			

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled



## 6.79 Course: Deep Learning for Computer Vision I: Basics [T-INFO-111491]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Rainer Stiefelhagen
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105753 - Deep Learning for Computer Vision I: Basics

Type	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	3	Grade to a third	Each summer term	2

Events						
ST 2024 2400007 Deep Learning for Computer Vision I: Basics		2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Stiefelhagen, Reiß		
Exams						
ST 2024	7500122	Deep Learning for Computer Vision I	Deep Learning for Computer Vision I: Basics			
WT 24/25	7500258	Deep Learning for Computer Vision I: Basics			Stiefelhagen	

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 120 minutes.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge of pattern recognition as taught in the module Cognitive Systems, is expected.

#### **Annotation**

The course is partially given in German and English.



## 6.80 Course: Deep Learning for Computer Vision II: Advanced Topics [T-INFO-111494]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Rainer Stiefelhagen
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105755 - Deep Learning for Computer Vision II: Advanced Topics

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	3	Grade to a third	Each winter term	2

Events	Events					
WT 24/25	2400258	Deep Learning for Computer Vision II: Advanced Topics	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Stiefelhagen, Sarfraz, Reiß	
Exams	Exams					
ST 2024	7500150	Deep Learning for Computer Vision II: Advanced Topics Stiefelhagen				
WT 24/25	7500277	Deep Learning for Computer Vision II: Advanced Topics			Stiefelhagen	

 $\textbf{Legend:} \ \overline{\blacksquare} \ \textbf{Online}, \ \mathbf{\textcircled{S}} \ \textbf{Blended} \ \textbf{(On-Site/Online)}, \ \mathbf{\P} \ \textbf{On-Site}, \ \textbf{\textbf{x}} \ \textbf{Cancelled}$ 



## 6.81 Course: Demand-Driven Supply Chain Planning [T-WIWI-110971]

Responsible: Dr. Iris Heckmann

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-102805 - Service Operations

TypeCredits<br/>Written examinationGrading scale<br/>4,5Recurrence<br/>Each winter termVersion<br/>1

Events					
WT 24/25	2550510	Demand-Driven Supply Chain Planning		Lecture / 🗣	Packowski
Exams					
WT 24/25	24/25 7900031 Demand-Driven Supply Chain Planning			Packowski	

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam.

#### Annotation

Due to capacity restrictions, registration before course start is required. For further information see the webpage of the course. The course is planned to be held every winter term. The planned lectures and courses for the next three years are announced online.



## 6.82 Course: Deployment of Database Systems [T-INFO-101317]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Klemens Böhm **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100780 - Deployment of Database Systems

M-WIWI-104814 - Information Systems: Analytical and Interactive Systems

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination5Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events						
WT 24/25	2400111	Datenbankeinsatz	3 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Böhm	
Exams	Exams					
ST 2024	7500090	Deployment of Database Systems			Böhm	
ST 2024 7500366 Deployment of Database Systems					Böhm	
WT 24/25	7500007	Deployment of Database Systems			Böhm	



## 6.83 Course: Derivatives [T-WIWI-102643]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Marliese Uhrig-Homburg

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101480 - Finance 3

M-WIWI-101482 - Finance 1 M-WIWI-101483 - Finance 2

**Type** Written examination

Credits 4,5

**Grading scale**Grade to a third

**Recurrence** Each summer term

Version 1

Events						
ST 2024	2530550	Derivatives	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Uhrig-Homburg	
ST 2024	2530551	Übung zu Derivate	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Dinger, Uhrig- Homburg	
Exams	Exams					
ST 2024	7900111	Derivatives			Uhrig-Homburg	
WT 24/25	7900051	Derivatives			Uhrig-Homburg	

#### **Competence Certificate**

Depending on further pandemic developments, the examination will be offered either as a 60-minute written examination or as an open-book examination (alternative exam assessment).

A bonus can be earned by correctly solving at least 50% of the posed bonus exercises. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by up to one grade level (0.3 or 0.4). Details will be announced in the lecture.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



#### **Derivatives**

2530550, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Literature

• Hull (2012): Options, Futures, & Other Derivatives, Prentice Hall, 8th Edition

#### Weiterführende Literatur:

Cox/Rubinstein (1985): Option Markets, Prentice Hall



### 6.84 Course: Design and Architectures of Embedded Systems (ES2) [T-INFO-101368]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jörg Henkel **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100831 - Design and Architectures of Embedded Systems (ES2)

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Oral examination	3	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events					
WT 24/25	2424106	Design and architectures of embedded systems (ES2)	2 SWS	Lecture	Khdr, Henkel
Exams					
ST 2024	7500037	VL: Design and architectures of embedded systems (ES2)			Henkel

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## Design and architectures of embedded systems (ES2)

2424106, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)

#### Content

State-of-the-art System-on-Chips (SoCs) integrate more than a billion transistors on a single chip. Embedded devices powered by these SoCs would be increasingly ubiquitous and seamlessly integrated into the environment. Therefore they will no longer be perceived as separate computing devices. Such examples can be found in Wireless Sensor Networks (WSNs), Cyber Physical Systems (CPSs), electronic textiles and many more.

However, new efficient ESL (Embedded System Level) design tools as well as novel hardware-software architectures must be developed in order to enable embedded devices to achieve their true potential. The focus of this lecture is therefore on the high-level design methods and architectures for embedded systems. Since the power consumption of embedded systems is of paramount importance, this lecture emphasizes on hardware-software co-design procedures targeting low power consumption.

Appointments for the oral exam can be requested at ces.itec.kit.edu/972.php

The student learns complex hardware-software co-design methods that can be applied to the design of embedded systems. The student assesses and selects specific hardware-software architecture most suitable for an embedded system given its function. Furthermore, the student receives an introduction to the relevant current research topics.



### 6.85 Course: Design Thinking [T-WIWI-102866]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Orestis Terzidis

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101488 - Entrepreneurship (EnTechnon)
M-WIWI-101507 - Innovation Management

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Version
Examination of another type 3 Grade to a third Irregular 1

Events					
ST 2024	2545008	Design Thinking (Track 1)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Bhargava, Jochem, Terzidis
WT 24/25	2545008	Design Thinking (Track 1)	2 SWS	Seminar / 💢	Terzidis
Exams					
ST 2024	7900053	Design Thinking (Track 1)			Terzidis
WT 24/25	7900084	Design Thinking (Track 1)			Terzidis

Legend: Online, & Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, X Cancelled

#### Competence Certificate

Alternative exam assessments (§4(2), 3 SPO).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

#### **Annotation**

The seminar content will be published on the website of the institute.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



#### **Design Thinking (Track 1)**

2545008, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content Content

Design Thinking is a user-centric innovation management method. The iterative process first analyzes the problem space and builds a sound understanding of the future users. Subsequently, ideas for the solution are generated, prototypes are created and tested by the user group. The result is a proven and validated product.

#### **Learning Objectives**

During the seminar, the students learn basic procedures for achieving user-centric innovations. These are concrete methods that start with the potential user of certain products and services. The method is problem-oriented and emphasizes the specific customer situation. After attending the seminar, the students have a clear understanding of the need to explore end-user needs and are able to independently apply the methods of Design Thinking for developing market-driven innovations at a basic level.

#### Credentials:

ATTENTION: Creditability in the seminar module: The seminar is NOT credited in the seminar module! Crediting is only possible in the EXPERT MODULE ENTREPRENEURSHIP.

#### Organizational issues

Registration is via the Wiwi-Portal.



### **Design Thinking (Track 1)**

2545008, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

#### **Course Content:**

Design Thinking is a user-centric innovation management method. The iterative process first analyzes the problem space and builds a sound understanding of the future users. Subsequently, ideas for the solution are generated, prototypes are created and tested by the user group. The result is a proven and validated product.

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#### Organizational issues

Registration is via the Wiwi portal.

In the seminar you will work on a project in teams of 4-5 persons. The groups are formed in the seminar



# 6.86 Course: Design Thinking in Practice [T-WIWI-113664]

Responsible: Jennifer Scheydt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101507 - Innovation Management

M-WIWI-101507 - Innovation Management

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Examination of another type 3 Grade to a third Each summer term 1

### **Competence Certificate**

Non exam assessment consisting of a presentation of the results and a seminar paper (written in the group).

The grade is composed of 70% of the grade for the written work and 30% of the grade for the presentation.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

Prior attendance of the course Innovation Management is recommended.



# 6.87 Course: Designing Interactive Systems: Human-Al Interaction [T-WIWI-113465]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Alexander Mädche

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-104068 - Information Systems in Organizations

M-WIWI 104980 - Designing Interactive Information Systems

M-WIWI-104814 - Information Systems: Analytical and Interactive Systems M-WIWI-105923 - Incentives, Interactivity & Decisions in Organizations

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4,5	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events						
ST 2024	2540558	Designing Interactive Systems: Human-AI Interaction	3 SWS	Lecture / 🗯	Mädche, Seitz	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900299	Designing Interactive Systems: Human-AI Interaction			Mädche	

## **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment. The assessment consists of a one-hour exam and the implementation of a Capstone project. Details will be announced at the beginning of the course.

#### Annotation

The course is held in english.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Designing Interactive Systems: Human-Al Interaction

 $2540558, SS\ 2024, 3\ SWS, Language: English, Open\ in\ study\ portal$ 

Lecture (V)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

# Content Description

Computers have evolved from batch processors towards highly interactive systems. With the rapid progress in the field of artificial intelligence, computers can now learn and adapt to their environment, simulate human intelligence processes as well as support or even take over tasks from humans. This offers great possibilities, but at the same time raises new challenges for the successful design of interactive systems.

The aim of this course is to introduce advanced concepts and theories as well as current practice of designing interactive systems. A specific focus is set on designing Al-based interactive systems for individuals and groups at work ranging from personal productivity assistants to Al-augmented virtual collaboration.

The course is complemented with hands-on exercises and a design capstone project in cooperation with an industry partner. In the project, students in a team effort apply state-of-the-art design methods & techniques and create an interactive system design prototype with a specific focus on human-Al interaction.

#### Learning objectives

- Explain what interactive systems are and how they can be conceptualized
- Describe the unique characteristics of human-Al interaction and their impact on designing interactive systems
- Understand the human-centered design process and know how to apply corresponding methods and tools
- · Understand the concepts and theoretical foundations that guide the design of interactive systems
- Know key concepts, design principles and design methods for contemporary interactive systems focusing on on human-Al
  interaction
- Get hands-on experience by applying lecture content in a design capstone project

### **Prerequisites**

No specific prerequisites are required for the lecture

### Literature

Die Vorlesung basiert zu einem großen Teil auf

 $\cdot$  Benyon, D. (2014). Designing interactive systems: A comprehensive guide to HCI, UX and interaction design (3. ed.). Harlow: Pearson.

Weiterführende Literatur wird in der Vorlesung bereitgestellt.



# 6.88 Course: Development of Sustainable, Digital Business Models [T-WIWI-113663]

Responsible: Daniel Duwe

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101507 - Innovation Management

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionExamination of another type3Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events					
WT 24/25	2500043	Development of Sustainable Digital Business Models	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Weissenberger-Eibl

Legend: ☐ Online, 🍪 Blended (On-Site/Online), 🗣 On-Site, 🗙 Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Non exam assessment. The final grade is composed 50% of the grade of the written paper (ca. 5 Pages / Person) and 50% of the presentation of the results.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Self service assignment of supplementary stdues

This course can be used for self service assignment of grade aquired from the following study providers:

· Personalentwicklung und Berufliche Ausbildung

#### Recommendation

Prior attendance of the course Innovation Management is recommended.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Development of Sustainable Digital Business Models**

2500043, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

The topic of sustainability is becoming increasingly important for companies in Europe. For example, the demand for sustainable products has risen sharply in many sectors. More and more companies are obliged by guidelines and standards to report on the sustainability of their activities. At the same time, the digital transformation is progressing and offers companies opportunities to implement or communicate their plans digitally. The seminar examines how the topic of sustainability is anchored in the digital business modelling of companies.

Students first learn about the dimensions of business models and sustainability. The seminar then discusses various concepts from the literature that take sustainability into account in business modelling. Students develop their own approach to sustainable digital business modelling and apply it to selected company examples from different sectors. The results are 1) presented and discussed in presentations and 2) recorded in seminar papers.



# 6.89 Course: Digital Accessibility and Assistive Technologies [T-INFO-111830]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Rainer Stiefelhagen
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105882 - Digital Accessibility and Assistive Technologies

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination3Grade to a thirdEach summer term1

Events	Events							
ST 2024	2400165	Digital Accessibility and Assistive Technologies	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Stiefelhagen, Schwarz			
Exams								
ST 2024	7500163	Digital Accessibility and Assistive Ted	Digital Accessibility and Assistive Technologies					
WT 24/25	7500320	Digital Accessibility and Assistive Ted	Digital Accessibility and Assistive Technologies					

Legend:  $\blacksquare$  Online,  $\maltese$  Blended (On-Site/Online),  $\P$  On-Site,  $\mathbf x$  Cancelled



# 6.90 Course: Digital Democracy [T-WIWI-113160]

Responsible: Jonas Fegert

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101410 - Business & Service Engineering

M-WIWI-101446 - Market Engineering

M-WIWI-103117 - Data Science: Data-Driven Information Systems M-WIWI-103118 - Data Science: Data-Driven User Modeling

Type Credits A,5 Grading scale Grade to a third Recurrence Each winter term 1 terms 1

Events					
WT 24/25	00053	Übung zur Digital Democracy	1 SWS	Practice / 💢	Stein
WT 24/25		Digital Democracy - Challenges and Opportunities of the Digital Society	2 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Fegert, Stein, Bezzaoui, Pekkip
WT 24/25	2600052	Digital Democracy	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗯	Fegert

### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment. The examination consists of two parts (presentation and oral exam). Details on the design of the exam will be announced at the beginning of the course.

#### **Annotation**

Limited to 25 students. Application (cover letter) via the Wiwi-portal.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Digital Democracy**

2600052, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

The "Digital Democracy" Lecture deals with opportunities and challenges of democracy and participation in a digitalized world. Social networks and other platforms have become a central place for human interaction.

These technologies open up many possibilities to connect people, promote societal discourse, and organize social movements. On the other hand, they are also used to undermine democracy by extremist forces.

One example is the spread of disinformation through social media, which can undermine trust in democratic institutions and exacerbate divisions in society. Big tech actors pursue their own economically driven interests, some of which run counter to societal ones.

So to what extent can Internet platforms help strengthen social discourse? And what measures can be taken to promote the quality and diversity of discourse in the digital world? What role do big tech players play in digital democracy and how can their interests be reconciled with democratic principles? These and many more questions will be explored in the lecture. The lecture introduces theoretical foundations and evidence-based research on digital democracy. It will address the following questions: What characterizes deliberative democracies, how do democracies change, and what can damage them? How does social polarization emerge and what drives it - off- and online. Accordingly, different platform types and phenomena of disinformation, such as clickbait, will be presented. The last part of the lecture series will deal with the search for approaches and alternatives to these problems.

The exercise session connected to this lecture is conducted in cooperation with an NGO and applies the lecture content in a practical context: The formulation of a data-based policy recommendation.

#### **Organizational issues**

Die Teilnahme am Kurs ist auf 25 Plätze beschränkt, diese erfolgt über das Wiwi-Portal: https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/ys/8373 Der Kick-off findet am Fr, 25.10.2024 um 09:00 im 11.40 Seminarraum 231 statt.



# 6.91 Course: Digital Health [T-WIWI-109246]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ali Sunyaev

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-104813 - Information Systems: Internet-Based Markets and Services

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionExamination of another type4,5Grade to a thirdEach winter term3

Events					
WT 24/25	2511402	Digital Health	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗯	Sunyaev, Thiebes, Schmidt-Kraepelin

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment (written elaboration, presentation, peer review, oral participation) according to §4(2),3 of the examination regulation. Details of the grading will be announced at the beginning of the course. The examination is only offered to first-time writers in the winter semester, but can be repeated in the following summer semester.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.



# 6.92 Course: Digital Marketing [T-WIWI-112693]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ann-Kristin Kupfer

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-105312 - Marketing and Sales Management

M-WIWI-106258 - Digital Marketing

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4,5	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events					
ST 2024	2571185	Digital Marketing	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Kupfer
ST 2024	2571186	Digital Marketing Exercise	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Daumann
Exams					
ST 2024	7900064	Digital Marketing			Kupfer
ST 2024	7900070	Digital Marketing			Kupfer

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The control of success is done by the elaboration and presentation of a group task as well as a written exam. Further details on the design of the performance review will be announced during the lecture.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Students are highly encouraged to actively participate in class.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Digital Marketing**

2571185, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

## Content

Students learn the theoretical foundations of digital marketing and its most important concepts. They develop an understanding both for the digital consumer and the digital environment. Special emphasis will be given to digital marketing strategies and practices, such as content marketing and influencer marketing. A tutorial offers the opportunity to apply the key learnings of the lecture as part of a group work.

The learning objectives are as follows:

- Getting to know the theoretical foundations of digital marketing
- Evaluating digital marketing strategies and practices (e.g., in the context of content marketing and influencer marketing)
- Fostering critical and analytical thinking skills and the application of knowledge to marketing problems
- Improving English skills

Total time required for 4.5 credit points: approx. 135 hours Attendance time: 30 hours

Self-study: 105 hours

### **Organizational issues**

Termine werden bekannt gegeben.



# 6.93 Course: Digital Marketing and Sales in B2B [T-WIWI-106981]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martin Klarmann

Anja Konhäuser

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-105312 - Marketing and Sales Management

M-WIWI-106258 - Digital Marketing

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	1,5	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events							
ST 2024	2571156	Digital Marketing and Sales in B2B	1 SWS	Others (sons / 🗣	Konhäuser		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7900297	Digital Marketing and Sales in B2B			Klarmann		

Legend: ☐ Online, 🍪 Blended (On-Site/Online), 🗣 On-Site, 🗙 Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment according to § 4 paragraph 2 Nr. 3 of the examination regulation. (team presentation of a case study with subsequent discussion totalling 30 minutes).

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Annotation

This course will not take place in the summer term 2023, but is expected to be offered again on a regular basis starting in the summer term 2024.

Participation requires an application. The application period starts at the beginning of the semester. More information can be obtained on the website of the research group Marketing and Sales (marketing.iism.kit.edu). Access to this course is restricted. Typically all students will be granted the attendance of one course with 1.5 ECTS. Nevertheless attendance can not be guaranteed. For further information please contact Marketing and Sales Research Group (marketing.iism.kit.edu). Please note that only one of the 1.5-ECTS courses can be attended in this module.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



#### Digital Marketing and Sales in B2B

2571156, SS 2024, 1 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Others (sonst.) On-Site

#### Content

Learning Sessions:

The class gives insights into digital marketing strategies as well as the effects and potential of different channels (e.g., SEO, SEA, Social Media). After an overview of possible activities and leverages in the digital marketing field, including their advantages and limits, the focus will turn to the B2B markets. There are certain requirements in digital strategy specific to the B2B market, particularly in relation to the value chain, sales management and customer support. Therefore, certain digital channels are more relevant for B2B marketing than for B2C marketing.

Once the digital marketing and tactics for the B2B markets are defined, further insights will be given regarding core elements of a digital strategy: device relevance (mobile, tablet), usability concepts, website appearance, app decision, market research and content management. A major advantage of digital marketing is the possibility of being able to track many aspects of of user reactions and user behaviour. Therefore, an overview of key performance indicators (KPIs) will be discussed and relationships between these KPIs will be explained. To measure the effectiveness of digital activities, a digital report should be set up and connected to the performance numbers of the company (e.g. product sales) – within the course the setup of the KPI dashboard and combination of digital and non-digital measures will be shown to calculate the Return on Investment (RoI).

#### **Presentation Sessions:**

After the learning sessions, the students will form groups and work on digital strategies within a case study format. The presentation of the digital strategy will be in front of the class whereas the presentation will take 20 minutes followed by 10 minutes questions and answers.

- Understand digital marketing and sales approaches for the B2B sector
- Recognise important elements and understand how-to-setup of digital strategies
- Become familiar with the effectiveness and usage of different digital marketing channels
- Understand the effect of digital sales on sales management, customer support and value chain
- Be able to measure and interpret digital KPIs
- Calculate the Return on Investment (RoI) for digital marketing by combining online data with company performance data

time of presentness = 15 hrs.

private study = 30 hrs.

#### Organizational issues

Blockveranstaltung, Raum 115, Geb. 20.21, Termine werden noch bekannt gegeben

#### Literature

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# 6.94 Course: Digital Services: Innovation & Business Models [T-WIWI-112757]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Gerhard Satzger

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101410 - Business & Service Engineering

M-WIWI-101448 - Service Management

M-WIWI-102754 - Service Economics and Management M-WIWI-102806 - Service Innovation, Design & Engineering M-WIWI-102808 - Digital Service Systems in Industry

M-WIWI-104813 - Information Systems: Internet-Based Markets and Services

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination4,5Grade to a thirdEach summer term2

Events					
ST 2024	2595468	Digital Services: Innovation & Business Models	1.5 SWS	Lecture / 🕃	Satzger, Benz, Schüritz, Heinz
ST 2024	2595469	Übung zu Digital Services: Innovation & Business Models			Satzger, Benz, Schüritz, Heinz
Exams					
ST 2024	7900222	Digital Services: Innovation & Bus	Digital Services: Innovation & Business Models		
WT 24/25	7900039	Digital Services: Innovation & Bus	Digital Services: Innovation & Business Models		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 min.).

### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

#### **Annotation**

The course "Digital Services: Innovation & Business Models" replaces the course Service Innovation, based on a revised course concept and content. The focus will be on the closer integration of the topics of service innovation and digitalization. Previous foundational content (e.g., on service innovation challenges or human-centered innovation methods) will remain. New content will cover topics such as digital platforms and ecosystems, IoT and smart service innovation, and business models.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Digital Services: Innovation & Business Models

2595468, SS 2024, 1.5 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

Leveraging data and digital technologies for business success is a key challenge for organizations as they need to

- get aware of the newly arising potential
- develop suitable digital services that are user-centric and individualized
- "servitize" their offering portfolio and business model
- transform their organizations

This course will equip students with concepts and methods to tackle this challenge along two dimensions: First, we will cover innovation as a concept as well as apply contemporary innovation methods (like Design Thinking, Open Innovation) to the services space. Second, we deal with leveraging innovation to develop new business models (including multi-partner concepts in platforms or ecosystems), to servitize existing business models (e.g., via product-service-systems), and to accordingly transform the organization.

The course links innovation and business model theories with practical examples and exercises. Students are asked to actively engage in the discussion.

#### **Organizational issues**

The course will be offered in the form of a flipped classroom concept. The lecture will be recorded in advance and made available online. During the "in presence" sessions, the contents of the lecture will be applied and expanded on.

#### Literature

- Böhmann, T./ Leimeister, J.M./ Möslein, K. (2014), Service Systems Engineering, Business & Information Systems Engineering, Vol. 6, No.2, 73-79.
- Cardoso, J., Fromm, H., Nickel, S., Satzger, G., Studer, R., & Weinhardt, C. (Eds.) (2015). Fundamentals of service systems (Vol. 12). Heidelberg: Springer.
- Chesbrough, H. (2011). Open services innovation: Rethinking your business to grow and compete in a new era. John Wiley & Sons.
- Rogers, S. (2003). Diffusion of Innovations. 5. ed. New York: Free Press.
- Satzger, G., Benz, C., Bohmann, T., Roth, A. (2022). Servitization and Digitalization as Siamese Twins Concepts and Research Agenda. Edvardsson/Tronvoll (eds.): The Palgrave Handbook of Service Management, 967-989.
- Uebernickel, F., Brenner, W., Pukall, B., Naef, T., & Schindlholzer, B. (2015). Design Thinking: Das Handbuch. Frankfurt am Main: Frankfurter Allgemeine Buch.
- Vargo, S.L., Lusch, R.F. (2017). Service-dominant logic 2025. Int. J. Res. Mark. 34, 46–67.
- Weill, P.; Woerner, S.L. (2018): "What's your Digital Business Model? Six Questions to Help you Build the Next-Generation Enterprise". Boston, Massachusetts: Harvard Business Review Press.



# Übung zu Digital Services: Innovation & Business Models

Practice (Ü) On-Site

2595469, SS 2024, 1.5 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

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# 6.95 Course: Discrete-Event Simulation in Production and Logistics [T-WIWI-102718]

Responsible: Hon.-Prof. Dr. Sven Spieckermann

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-102805 - Service Operations

M-WIWI-102832 - Operations Research in Supply Chain Management

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4,5	Grade to a third	Each summer term	2

Events							
ST 2024	2550488	Ereignisdiskrete Simulation in Produktion und Logistik	3 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Spieckermann		
Exams							
ST 2024	7900244	Discrete-Event Simulation in Production and Logistics			Spieckermann		

Legend: ☐ Online, 🍪 Blended (On-Site/Online), 🗣 On-Site, 🗙 Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written paper and an oral exam of about 30-40 min (alternative exam assessment).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge as conveyed in the module "Introduction to Operations Research" is assumed.

#### **Annotation**

Due to capacity restrictions, registration before course start is required. For further information see the webpage of the course.

The course is planned to be held every summer term.

The planned lectures and courses for the next three years are announced online.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Ereignisdiskrete Simulation in Produktion und Logistik**

2550488, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

Simulation of production and logistics systems is an interdisciplinary subject connecting expert knowledge from production management and operations research with mathematics/statistics as well as computer science and software engineering. With completion of this course, students know statistical foundations of discrete simulation, are able to classify and apply related software applications, and know the relation between simulation and optimization as well as a number of application examples. Furthermore, students are enabled to structure simulation studies and are aware of specific project scheduling issues.

#### Organizational issues

Den Bewerbungszeitraum finden Sie auf der Veranstaltungswebseite im Lehre-Bereich unter dol.ior.kit.edu

#### Literature

- Gutenschwager K., Rabe M., Spieckermann S. und S. Wenzel (2017): Simulation in Produktion und Logistik, Springer, Berlin.
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# 6.96 Course: Distributed Computing [T-INFO-101298]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Achim Streit

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100761 - Distributed Computing

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4	Grade to a third	Each winter term	2

Events							
WT 24/25	2400050	Distributed Computing	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>⊈</b> ⁵	Streit, Krauß, Schnepf		
Exams							
ST 2024	7500282	Distributed Computing			Streit		
WT 24/25	7500172	Distributed Computing			Streit		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 60 minutes. Depending on the number of participants it will be announced six weeks before the assessment (§3 Abs. 3 SPO) if the assessment is done

- as an oral examination according to § 4 Abs. 2 No. 2 SPO or
- as a written examination according to § 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO.

### **Prerequisites**

none.

#### Recommendation

Knowledge in the area of computer networks helpful.



# 6.97 Course: Dynamic Macroeconomics [T-WIWI-109194]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Johannes Brumm

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101478 - Innovation and Growth

M-WIWI-101496 - Growth and Agglomeration

**Type**Written examination

Credits G

**Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Each winter term Version 4

Events							
WT 24/25	2560402	Dynamic Macroeconomics	2 SWS	Lecture / 💢	Brumm		
WT 24/25	2560403	Übung zu Dynamic Macroeconomics	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Hußmann		
Exams							
ST 2024	7900165	Dynamic Macroeconomics			Brumm		

Legend: Online, S Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, X Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is a written exam (60 min.).

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Dynamic Macroeconomics**

2560402, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

This course addresses macroeconomic questions on an advanced level. The main focus of this course is on dynamic programming and its fundamental role in modern macroeconomics. In the first part of the course, the necessary mathematical tools are introduced as well as basic applications in labor economics, economic growth and business cycle analysis. In the second part of the course, these basic models are expanded to incorporate household heterogeneity in various forms: Models of economic inequality to analyze the distributional impact of tax policies and models of overlapping generations to analyze the impact of social security reforms or changes in government debt. Finally, advanced methods based on sparse grids or neural nets are introduced to solve high-dimensional models. The course pursues a hands-on approach so that students not only gain theoretical insights but also learn numerical tools to solve dynamic economic models using the programming language Python.

#### Literature

Literatur und Skripte werden in der Veranstaltung angegeben.

Version

1



# 6.98 Course: Economics of Innovation [T-WIWI-112822]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ingrid Ott

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101478 - Innovation and Growth

M-WIWI-101514 - Innovation Economics

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence
Written examination 4,5 Grade to a third Each summer term

Events							
ST 2024	2560236	Economics of Innovation	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Ott		
ST 2024	2560237	Exercises of Economics of Innovation	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Ott, Mirzoyan		
Exams							
ST 2024	7900107	Economics of Innovation	Economics of Innovation				
WT 24/25	7900077	Economics of Innovation			Ott		

Legend: █ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Depending on further pandemic developments, the examination will be offered either as a 60-minute written examination (written examination according to SPO § 4 Abs. 2, Pkt. 1) or as an open-book examination (alternative exam assessment according to SPO § 4 Abs. 2, Pkt. 3).

### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

Basic knowledge of micro- and macroeconomics is assumed, as taught in the courses Economics I [2600012], and Economics II [2600014]. In addition, an interest in quantitative-mathematical modeling is required.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Economics of Innovation**

2560236, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

#### Learning objectives:

Students shall be given the ability to

- identify the importance of alternative incentive mechanisms for the emergence and dissemination of innovations
- understand the relationships between market structure and the development of innovation
- explain, in which situations market interventions by the state, for example taxes and subsidies, can be legitimized, and evaluate them in the light of economic welfare

#### Course content:

#### The course covers the following topics:

- Incentives for the emergence of innovations
- Patents
- Diffusion
- · Impact of technological progress
- Innovation Policy

#### **Recommendations:**

Basic knowledge of micro- and macroeconomics is assumed, as taught in the courses Economics I [2600012], and Economics II [2600014]. In addition, an interest in quantitative-mathematical modeling is required.

#### Workload:

The total workload for this course is approximately 135.0 hours. For further information see German version.

#### **Exam description:**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 min) according to Section 4(2), 1 of the examination regulation. The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date.

Students will be given the opportunity of writing and presenting a short paper during the lecture time to achieve a bonus on the exam grade. If the mandatory credit point exam is passed, the awarded bonus points will be added to the regular exam points. A deterioration is not possible by definition, and a grade does not necessarily improve, but is very likely to (not every additional point improves the total number of points, since a grade can not become better than 1). The voluntary elaboration of such a paper can not countervail a fail in the exam.

#### Literature

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- Scotchmer, S. (2004), Incentives and Innovation, MIT Press.
- Tirole, Jean (1988), The Theory of Industrial Organization, MIT Press, Cambridge MA.



# 6.99 Course: Efficient Energy Systems and Electric Mobility [T-WIWI-102793]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Patrick Jochem

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101452 - Energy Economics and Technology

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach summer term 1

Events						
ST 2024		Efficient Energy Systems and Electric Mobility	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Jochem	
Exams						
ST 2024	7981006	Efficient Energy Systems and Electric Mobility			Fichtner	

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 minutes) (following §4(2) of the examination regulation). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. Depending on the respective pandemic situation, the exam may be offered as an open book exam (alternative exam assessment, following §4(2), 3 of the examination regulation).

### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Efficient Energy Systems and Electric Mobility**

2581006, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

This lecture series combines two of the most central topics in the field of energy economics at present, namely energy efficiency and electric mobility. The objective of the lecture is to provide an introduction and overview to these two subject areas, including theoretical as well as practical aspects, such as the technologies, political framework conditions and broader implications of these for national and international energy systems.

- Understand the concept of energy efficiency as applied to specific systems
- Obtain an overview of the current trends in energy efficiency
- Be able to determine and evaluate alternative methods of energy efficiency improvement
- Overview of technical and economical stylized facts on electric mobility
- Judging economical, ecological and social impacts through electric mobility

#### Organizational issues

s. Institutsaushang

# Literature

Wird in der Vorlesung bekanntgegeben.



# 6.100 Course: eFinance: Information Systems for Securities Trading [T-WIWI-110797]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101446 - Market Engineering

M-WIWI-101480 - Finance 3 M-WIWI-101483 - Finance 2

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4,5	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events	Events							
WT 24/25	2540454	eFinance: Information Systems for Securities Trading	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Weinhardt			
WT 24/25	2540455	Übungen zu eFinance: Information Systems for Securities Trading	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Motz, Motz			
Exams								
ST 2024	7900269	eFinance: Information Systems for Se	Weinhardt					

Legend: ☐ Online, 🍪 Blended (On-Site/Online), 🗣 On-Site, 🗙 Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

Success is monitored by means of ongoing elaborations and presentations of tasks and an examination (60 minutes) at the end of the lecture period. The scoring scheme for the overall evaluation will be announced at the beginning of the course.

#### **Annotation**

The course "eFinance: Information Systems for Securities Trading" covers different actors and their function in the securities industry in-depth, highlighting key trends in modern financial markets, such as Distributed Ledger Technology, Sustainable Finance, and Artificial Intelligence. Security prices evolve through a large number of bilateral trades, performed by market participants that have specific, well-regulated and institutionalized roles. Market microstructure is the subfield of financial economics that studies the price formation process. This process is significantly impacted by regulation and driven by technological innovation. Using the lens of theoretical economic models, this course reviews insights concerning the strategic trading behaviour of individual market participants, and models are brought market data. Analytical tools and empirical methods of market microstructure help to understand many puzzling phenomena in securities markets.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# eFinance: Information Systems for Securities Trading

2540454, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Literature

- Picot, Arnold, Christine Bortenlänger, Heiner Röhrl (1996): "Börsen im Wandel". Knapp, Frankfurt
- Harris, Larry (2003): "Trading and Exchanges Market Microstructure for Practitioners"". Oxford University Press, New York

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- Schwartz, Robert A., Reto Francioni (2004): "Equity Markets in Action The Fundamentals of Liquidity, Market Structure and Trading". Wiley, Hoboken, NJ



# 6.101 Course: Emissions into the Environment [T-WIWI-102634]

Responsible: Ute Karl

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101412 - Industrial Production III

M-WIWI-101471 - Industrial Production II

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination3,5Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events							
WT 24/25	2581962	Emissions into the Environment	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Karl		
Exams							
ST 2024	7981962	Emissions into the Environment			Schultmann		

Legend: Online, S Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, X Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of an oral (30 minutes) or written exam (60 minutes) (following §4(2) of the examination regulation). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. Depending on the respective pandemic situation, the exam may be offered as an open book exam (alternative exam assessment, following §4(2), 3 of the examination regulation).

#### Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Emissions into the Environment**

2581962, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

### Content

Emission sources/emission monitoring/emission reduction: The lecture gives an overview of relevant emissions of air pollutants and greenhouse gases, emission monitoring and pollutant abatement options together with relevant legal regulations at national and international level. In addition, the fundamentals of circular economy, waste management and recycling are explained.

### Structure:

Air pollution control

- · Introduction, terms and definitions
- Sources of air pollutants
- Legal framework of air quality control
- Technical measures to reduce air pollutant emissions

Circular economy, recycling and waste management

- Waste collection and logistics
- Dual systems for packaging waste
- Recycling
- · Thermal and biological waste treatment
- Final waste disposal

#### Literature

Wird in der Veranstaltung bekannt gegeben.



# 6.102 Course: Empirical Software Engineering [T-INFO-101335]

**Responsible:** Dr. Christopher Gerking **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100798 - Empirical Software Engineering

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination4Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Exams			
ST 2024	7500053	Empirical Software Engineering	Gerking



# 6.103 Course: Employment Law [T-INFO-111436]

Responsible: Dr. Alexander Hoff

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101216 - Private Business Law

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination3Grade to a thirdEach summer term2

Events							
ST 2024	24668	Employment Law	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Hoff		
Exams							
ST 2024	7500082	Employment Law			Sattler		
WT 24/25	7500001	Employment Law			Sattler, Matz		



# 6.104 Course: Energy and Environment [T-WIWI-102650]

Responsible: Ute Karl

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101452 - Energy Economics and Technology

M-WIWI-101468 - Environmental Economics

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination3,5Grade to a thirdEach summer term2

Events								
ST 2024	2581003	Energy and Environment	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Karl			
Exams	Exams							
ST 2024	7900294	Energy and Environment NEW			Karl			
ST 2024	7981003	Energy and Environment			Karl			

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 minutes) (following §4(2) of the examination regulation). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. Depending on the respective pandemic situation, the exam may be offered as an open book exam (alternative exam assessment, following §4(2), 3 of the examination regulation).

### **Prerequisites**

None.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Energy and Environment**

2581003, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

The lecture focuses on the environmental impacts arising from fossil fuels use and on the methods for the evaluation of such impacts. The first part of the lecture describes the environmental impacts of air pollutants and greenhouse gases as well as technical measures for emission control. The second part covers methods of impact assessment and their use in environmental communication as well as methods for the scientific support of emission control strategies.

The topics include:

- Fundamentals of energy conversion
- Formation of air pollutants during combustion
- Technical measures to control emissions from fossil-fuel combustion processes
- External effects of energy supply (life cycle analyses of selected energy systems)
- Environmental communication on energy services (e.g. electricity labelling, carbon footprint)
- Integrated Assessment Modelling to support the European Clean Air Strategy
- Cost-effectiveness analyses and cost-benefit analyses for emission control strategies
- Monetary valuation of external effects (external costs)

#### Literature

Die Literaturhinweise sind in den Vorlesungsunterlagen enthalten (vgl. ILIAS)



# 6.105 Course: Energy Informatics 1 [T-INFO-103582]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Veit Hagenmeyer **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106864 - Energy Informatics

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination5Grade to a thirdEach winter term2

Events						
WT 24/25	2400058	Energy Informatics 1	4 SWS	Lecture / Practice (	Hagenmeyer, Süß, Schmurr, Langner	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500079	Energy informatics 1			Hagenmeyer	

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Energy Informatics 1**

2400058, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ)

#### Content

This module provides an overview of the physical and technical principles of different forms of energy, their storage, their transmission and the corresponding energy conversion processes. Furthermore, this module covers the system-technical combination of different local energy systems to form an overall energy system and provides an outlook on typical information technology applications in the energy sector.

In detail, the following topics are discussed with examples:

- Energy forms, systems and storage
- Energy conversion processes in power plants
- Renewable resources
- Energy transmission (electricity/gas/heat networks)
- Electrical networks of the future, load management
- Use of information and communication technology (ICT)
- Energy Economics

#### Literature

Diese werden in der Vorlesung gegeben.



# 6.106 Course: Energy Informatics 1 - Preliminary Work [T-INFO-110356]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Veit Hagenmeyer **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106864 - Energy Informatics

**Type** Completed coursework

Credits 0 Grading scale pass/fail

Recurrence Each term Version 1

Exams	Exams				
ST 2024	7500065	Energy Informatics 1 - preliminary work	Hagenmeyer		



# 6.107 Course: Energy Informatics 2 [T-INFO-106059]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Veit Hagenmeyer **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106864 - Energy Informatics

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Oral examination	5	Grade to a third	Each summer term	2

Events							
ST 2024	2400017	Energy Informatics 2	4 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Hagenmeyer, Förderer, Bao, Elbez, Suess, Kühnapfel, Cakmak, Mikut		
Exams							
ST 2024	7500156	Energy Informatics 2			Hagenmeyer		



# 6.108 Course: Energy Market Engineering [T-WIWI-107501]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101446 - Market Engineering

M-WIWI-101451 - Energy Economics and Energy Markets M-WIWI-103720 - eEnergy: Markets, Services and Systems

M-WIWI-104813 - Information Systems: Internet-Based Markets and Services

**Type**Written examination

Credits G

**Grading scale**Grade to a third

**Recurrence**Each summer term

Version 1

Events						
ST 2024	2540464	Energy Market Engineering	2 SWS	Lecture / 😘	Weinhardt, Miskiw	
ST 2024	2540465	Übung zu Energy Market Engineering	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Semmelmann	
Exams						
ST 2024	79852	Energy Market Engineering			Weinhardt	
WT 24/25	7900127	Energy Market Engineering			Weinhardt	

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 min) (according to §4(2), 1 of the examination regulations). By successful completion of the exercises (§4 (2), 3 SPO 2007 respectively §4 (3) SPO 2015) a bonus can be obtained. If the grade of the written exam is at least 4.0 and at most 1.3, the bonus will improve it by one grade level (i.e. by 0.3 or 0.4).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

#### **Annotation**

Former course title until summer term 2017: T-WIWI-102794 "eEnergy: Markets, Services, Systems".

The lecture has also been added in the IIP Module Basics of Liberalised Energy Markets.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Energy Market Engineering**

2540464, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

The lecture "Energy Market Engineering" addresses the design and analysis of energy markets considering current developments and challenges. A particular focus is on the integration of renewable energies and the associated market mechanisms and regulations.

Specifically, the following topics are covered:

- Introduction to Market Engineering: What design elements do markets and specifically auctions have in general, and what influence does this have on participant behavior.
- Introduction to Energy Markets: Fundamentals and current trends in the energy system, including climate change and the expansion of renewable energies.
- Market Design and Products: Various pricing models such as nodal pricing, zonal pricing, and the structure of capacity
  markets
- **Grid Expansion, Distribution Networks, and Flexibility Markets**: Analysis of distribution network markets and the role of flexibility options like demand response and storage technologies.
- Intermittent Generation and Grid Stability: Challenges posed by fluctuating renewable energies and strategies to ensure
  grid stability.
- **Digitalization and Market Transparency**: The role of digitalization in improving market transparency and efficiency, including the use of smart metering systems and data-driven approaches.
- Current Research Projects and Developments: Presentation of ongoing research projects and their significance for the future design of energy markets.

#### Literature

- Erdmann G, Zweifel P. Energieökonomik, Theorie und Anwendungen. Berlin Heidelberg: Springer; 2007.
- Grimm V, Ockenfels A, Zoettl G. Strommarktdesign: Zur Ausgestaltung der Auktionsregeln an der EEX\*. Zeitschrift für Energiewirtschaft. 2008:147-161.
- Stoft S. Power System Economics: Designing Markets for Electricity. IEEE; 2002.,
- Ströbele W, Pfaffenberger W, Heuterkes M. Energiewirtschaft: Einführung in Theorie und Politik. 2nd ed. München: Oldenbourg Verlag; 2010:349.



# 6.109 Course: Energy Networks and Regulation [T-WIWI-107503]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101446 - Market Engineering

M-WIWI-103720 - eEnergy: Markets, Services and Systems

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination4,5Grade to a thirdEach winter term2

Events							
WT 24/25	2540495	Übung zu Energy Networks and Regulation	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Rogat, Miskiw		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7900272	Energy Networks and Regulation	Weinhardt				
WT 24/25	7900198	Energy Networks and Regulation	Weinhardt				

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Success is assessed in the form of an oral examination (in accordance with  $\$4(2), 1\ SPO$ ).

The examination is offered in the semester of the lecture.

### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None



# 6.110 Course: Energy Trading and Risk Management [T-WIWI-112151]

Responsible: N.N.

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101451 - Energy Economics and Energy Markets

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Written examination 3,5 Grade to a third Each summer term 2

Events						
ST 2024	2581020	Energy Trading and Risk Management	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Kraft, Fichtner, Beranek	
Exams						
ST 2024	7981020	Energy Trade and Risk Management	Fichtner			

Legend: Online, S Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, X Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The lecture "Energiehandel und Risikomanagement" will be held in English under the title "Energy Trading and Risk Management" from the summer semester 2022. The examination for the English-language lecture will be offered in English from the summer semester 2022.

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 minutes). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. Depending on the respective pandemic situation, the exam may be offered as an open book exam (alternative exam assessment).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Energy Trading and Risk Management**

2581020, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

- 1. Introduction to Markets, Mechanisms and Interaction
- 2. Electricity Trading (platforms, products, mechanisms)
- 3. Balancing Energy Markets and Congestion Management
- 4. Coal Markets (reserves, supply, demand, and transport)
- 5. Investments and Capacity Markets
- 6. Oil and Gas Markets (supply, demand, trade, and players)
- 7. Trading Game
- 8. Risk Management in Energy Trading

#### Literature

#### Weiterführende Literatur:

Burger, M., Graeber, B., Schindlmayr, G. (2007): Managing energy risk: An integrated view on power and other energy markets, Wiley&Sons, Chichester, England

EEX (2010): Einführung in den Börsenhandel an der EEX auf Xetra und Eurex, www.eex.de

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Borchert, J., Schlemm, R., Korth, S. (2006): Stromhandel: Institutionen, Marktmodelle, Pricing und Risikomanagement (Gebundene Ausgabe), Schäffer-Poeschel Verlag

www.riskglossary.com



# 6.111 Course: Engineering Interactive Systems: AI & Wearables [T-WIWI-113460]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Alexander Mädche

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-102806 - Service Innovation, Design & Engineering

M-WIWI-104080 - Designing Interactive Information Systems

M-WIWI-104812 - Information Systems: Engineering and Transformation M-WIWI-104813 - Information Systems: Internet-Based Markets and Services

**Type**Examination of another type

Credits 4,5 **Grading scale**Grade to a third

**Recurrence**Each winter term

Version 1

### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment. The assessment consists of a one-hour exam and the implementation of a Capstone project. Details will be announced at the beginning of the course.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

#### **Annotation**

The course is held in English.



# 6.112 Course: Engineering Self-Adaptive Systems [T-INFO-113349]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Raffaela Mirandola Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

> Part of: M-INFO-106626 - Engineering Self-Adaptive Systems

> > Credits Type Oral examination

**Grading scale** Grade to a third Version 1

**Events** WT 24/25 2400186 **Engineering Self-Adaptive Systems** Lecture Mirandola

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#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an oral examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO) lasting 20 minutes.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Engineering Self-Adaptive Systems**

2400186, WS 24/25, SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)

#### Content

### Learning objectives

- Understand the motivation for self-adaptation
- Get familiar with the basic principles and conceptual model of self-adaptation
- Understand how to engineer self-adaptive software systems from a software engineering perspective
- Understand the decision-making process using formal analysis at runtime for quality assurance
- Understand the notion of uncertainty in self-adaptive systems and how to tame it with formal verification at runtime
- Understand the level of adoption of self-adaptive system in industry



# 6.113 Course: Entrepreneurship [T-WIWI-102864]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Orestis Terzidis

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101488 - Entrepreneurship (EnTechnon)
M-WIWI-101507 - Innovation Management

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination3Grade to a thirdEach term1

Events						
ST 2024	2545001	Entrepreneurship	2 SWS	Lecture / 💢	Terzidis, Dang	
WT 24/25	2545001	Entrepreneurship	2 SWS	Lecture / 💢	Terzidis, Dang	
Exams	Exams					
ST 2024	7900002	Entrepreneurship			Terzidis	
ST 2024	7900192	Entrepreneurship			Terzidis	
WT 24/25	7900045	Entrepreneurship			Terzidis	

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 minutes) (following §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation).

Students are offered the opportunity to earn a grade bonus through separate assignments. If the grade of the written exam is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by a maximum of one grade level (0.3 or 0.4). The exact criteria for awarding a bonus will be announced at the beginning of the lecture.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### Entrepreneurship

2545001, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

The lecture as a compulsory part of the module "Entrepreneurship" introduces the basic concepts of entrepreneurship. Important concepts and empirical facts are introduced, which relate to the conception and implementation of newly founded companies.

The focus here is on introducing methods for generating innovative business ideas, translating patents into business concepts, and general principles of business modeling and business planning. In particular, approaches such as Lean-Startup and Effectuation as well as concepts for financing young companies are covered.

A "KIT Entrepreneurship Talk" is part of each session, in which experienced founder and entrepreneur personalities report on their experiences in the practice of the establishment of an enterprise. Dates and speakers will be announced on the EnTechnon homepage.

#### Learning objectives:

The students will be introduced to the topic of entrepreneurship. After successful attendance of the course they should have an overview of the sub-areas of entrepreneurship and be able to understand basic concepts of entrepreneurship and apply key concepts.

#### Workload:

The total effort with 3 credit points: approx. 90 hours

Presence time: 30 hours

Pre- and postprocessing of the LV: 45.0 hours Exam and exam preparation: 15.0 hours

#### **Examination:**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 minutes) (following §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation)

A grade bonus can be earned by successfully participating in a case study as part of the Entrepreneurship lecture. If the grade of the written exam is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by up to 0.3 or 0.4. The bonus only applies if you have passed the exam with at least a 4.0. More details will be provided in the lecture. Participation in the case study is voluntary.

Exam dates: tbd

#### Organizational issues

VL findet jeweils Di, 15:45 - 19:00 an folgenden Terminen statt:

16.04.2024

23.04.2024

30.04.2024

07.05.2024

14.05.2024

28.05.2024

04.06.2024

11.06.2024 (Prep Session)

17.06.2024 (Klausur)

#### Literature

Füglistaller, Urs, Müller, Christoph und Volery, Thierry (2008): Entrepreneurship

Ries, Eric (2011): The Lean Startup

Osterwalder, Alexander (2010): Business Model Generation

Aulet, Bill (2013): Disciplined Entrepreneurship. 24 Steps to a Successful Startup. Hoboken: Wiley.

R.C. Dorf, T.H. Byers: Technology Ventures - From Idea to Enterprise., (McGraw Hill 2008)

Hisrich, Robert D.; Ramadani, Veland (2017): Effective entrepreneurial management. Strategy, planning, risk management, and organization. Cham, Switzerland: Springer.



## Entrepreneurship

2545001, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

The lecture as an obligatory part of the module "Entrepreneurship" introduces the basic concepts of entrepreneurship. Important concepts and empirical facts are presented that relate to the conception and implementation of newly founded companies.

The focus here is on the introduction to methods for generating innovative business ideas, for transferring patents into business concepts and general principles of business modelling and business planning. In particular approaches such as Lean Startup and Effectuation as well as concepts for the financing of young enterprises are treated.

A "KIT Entrepreneurship Talk" is part of each session, in which experienced founder and entrepreneur personalities report on their experiences in practice of the establishment of an enterprise. Dates and speakers will be announced on the EnTechnon homepage.

#### Learning objectives:

The students are introduced to the topic Entrepreneurship. After successful attendance of the meeting they are to have an overview of the subranges of the Entrepreneurships and be able to understand basic concepts of the Entrepreneurships and apply key concepts.

#### Workload:

Total effort with 3 credit points: approx. 90 hours

Presence time: 30 hours

Pre- and postprocessing of the LV: 45.0 hours Exam and exam preparation: 15.0 hours

#### **Examination:**

The assessment of success takes place in the form of a written examination (60 min.) (according to §4(2), 1 SPO). The grade is the grade of the written exam.

A grade bonus can be earned through successful participation in a case study in the Entrepreneurship lecture. If the grade of the written exam is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by up to 0.3 or 0.4. The bonus only applies if you have passed the exam with at least a 4.0. More details will be provided in the lecture. Participation in the case study is voluntary.

Exam date: tba

#### Organizational issues

VL findet jeweils Mo, 15:45 - 19:00 an folgenden Terminen statt:

21.10.2024

28.10.2024

04.11.2024

11.11.2024

18.11.2024

25.11.2024

02.12.2024

09.12.2024 (Prep Session 13:30 - 14:30)

#### Literature

Aulet, Bill (2013): Disciplined Entrepreneurship. 24 Steps to a Successful Startup. Hoboken: Wiley.

R.C. Dorf, T.H. Byers: Technology Ventures – From Idea to Enterprise., (McGraw Hill 2008)

Füglistaller, Urs, Müller, Christoph and Volery, Thierry (2008): Entrepreneurship

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Ries, Eric (2011): The Lean Startup.

Osterwalder, Alexander (2010): Business Model Generation.



## 6.114 Course: Entrepreneurship Research [T-WIWI-102894]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Orestis Terzidis

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101488 - Entrepreneurship (EnTechnon)

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionExamination of another type3Grade to a thirdEach summer term1

Events								
ST 2024	2545002	Entrepreneurship Research	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Terzidis, Tittel, Rosales Bravo			
Exams	Exams							
ST 2024	7900052	Entrepreneurship Research			Terzidis			

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The performance review is done via a so called other methods of performance review (term paper) (alternative exam assessment). The final grade is a result from both, the grade of the term paper and its presentation, as well as active participation during the seminar.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

## Annotation

The topics will be prepared in groups. The presentation of the results is done during a a block period seminar at the end of the semester. Students have to be present all day long during the seminar.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



#### **Entrepreneurship Research**

2545002, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content Content

In this course, the students choose from various relevant and current research topics in entrepreneurship and independently develop a topic that suits them in small teams. Initially, there is an introduction to standard methods such as systematic literature review, design science, qualitative and quantitative data analysis, and more. The seminar topic must be scientifically prepared and presented in 15-20 pages as part of a written elaboration. The seminar results are presented in a block event at the end of the semester (20 min + 10 min open discussion).

#### **Learning Objectives**

The foundations of independent scholarly work (literature review, argumentation + discussion, citation of literature sources, application of qualitative, quantitative, and simulation methods) are developed as part of the written elaboration. The competencies acquired in the seminar can be utilized in preparing for a potential master's thesis. Therefore, the seminar is mainly aimed at students who intend to write their thesis at the Chair of Entrepreneurship and Technology Management and wish to gain substantial experience in entrepreneurship research.

## Organizational issues

Monday, 17.06.2024, 10.00-17.00 Thursday, 27.06.2024, 10.00-17.00 Thursday, 25.07.2024, 10.00-17.00

Registration is via the Wiwi-Portal.

## Literature

Will be announced in the seminar.



## 6.115 Course: Entrepreneurship Seasonal School [T-WIWI-113151]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Orestis Terzidis

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101488 - Entrepreneurship (EnTechnon)

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Irregular	1

Events						
WT 24/25	2500215	Entrepreneurship Seasonal School	2 SWS	Block / <b>♀</b>	Weimar	
Exams						
WT 24/25	7900146	Entrepreneurship Seasonal School			Terzidis	

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment. The grade is composed of the presentation and the written elaboration. Details on the design of the examination will be announced in the course.

#### **Prerequisites**

The Seasonal School is intended for advanced bachelor's and all master's students (all disciplines). Participation in the selection process is a prerequisite.

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge of business administration, attendance of the lecture Entrepreneurship as well as openness and interest in intercultural exchange are recommended. Solid knowledge of the English language is an advantage.

#### **Annotation**

Entrepreneurship Seasonal School

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## Entrepreneurship Seasonal School 2500215, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Block (B) On-Site

#### Content

During the Entrepreneurship Seasonal School, students develop a business model based on innovative technologies and social problems in workshops in international teams for one week.

#### **Course Content:**

The Entrepreneurship Seasonal School brings together students from different universities to spend a week strengthening their knowledge of digital entrepreneurship in healthcare. Experience the life of an entrepreneur and learn how to attain resources to realize a product vision. During one week, you will develop a range of entrepreneurial competences crucial for establishing a successful venture. Our primary focus is on digital healthcare ventures, granting you the opportunity to delve into the realm of entrepreneurship within the healthcare system. By gaining a deep understanding of healthcare needs, you will utilize creativity techniques to uncover potential business ideas that provide value for patients and doctors. Additionally, you will learn how to create viable business models, dive into health regulations, and pitch your idea to a jury.

In WS 2023/24 the one-week program is being hosted by the Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, with co-teaching support from the Eucor partners University of Basel and the University of Strasbourg.

In the seminar you will work on a project in teams of max. 5 persons.

#### Learning Objectives:

After attending the event, you will be able to...

- describe the role of entrepreneurship
- develop innovative and technology-based solutions for societal problems,
- develop a viable business model for a problem,
- present a business idea to a panel of judges,
- and be empowered to work independently in multidisciplinary and multicultural teams

#### Organizational issues

Expected date: 17.02.25 - 21.02.25, Details will be announced later. Registration via wiwi portal.



## 6.116 Course: Environmental and Resource Policy [T-WIWI-102616]

Responsible: Rainer Walz

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101468 - Environmental Economics

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination4Grade to a thirdEach summer term1

Events						
ST 2024	2560548	Environmental and Ressource Policy	2 SWS	Lecture / Practice (	Walz	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900277	Environmental and Resource Policy	′		Mitusch, Walz	

#### **Competence Certificate**

See German version

#### Recommendation

It is recommended to already have knowledge in the area of industrial organization and economic policy. This knowledge may be acquired in the courses/Introduction to Industrial Organization [2520371] and Economic Policy [2560280].

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Environmental and Ressource Policy**

2560548, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ)

#### Literature

#### Weiterführende Literatur:

Michaelis, P.: Ökonomische Instrumente in der Umweltpolitik. Eine anwendungsorientierte Einführung, Heidelberg OECD: Environmental Performance Review Germany, Paris



## 6.117 Course: Environmental Economics and Sustainability [T-WIWI-102615]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Rainer Walz

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101468 - Environmental Economics

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination3Grade to a thirdEach winter term2

Events							
WT 24/25	2521547	Umweltökonomik und Nachhaltigkeit (mit Übung)	2 SWS	Lecture / Practice (	Walz		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7900273	Environmental Economics and Sustai	nvironmental Economics and Sustainability				

#### **Competence Certificate**

See German version

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

It is recommended to already have knowledge in the area of macro- and microeconomics. This knowledge may be acquired in the courses *Economics I: Microeconomics* [2600012] and *Economics II: Macroeconomics* [2600014].



## 6.118 Course: Environmental Law [T-BGU-111102]

Responsible: Dr. Urich Smeddinck

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Civil Engineering, Geo and Environmental Sciences

Part of: M-WIWI-101468 - Environmental Economics

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceExpansionVersionWritten examination3Grade to a thirdEach winter term1 terms1

Events						
WT 24/25	6111177	Environmental Law	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Smeddinck	
Exams						
ST 2024	8262111102_2	Environmental Law			Smeddinck	
WT 24/25	8262111102_1	Environmental Law			Smeddinck	

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Written exam with 120 min

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### **Annotation**

None



## 6.119 Course: European and International Law [T-INFO-101312]

Responsible: Ulf Brühann

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106754 - Public Economic and Technology Law

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach summer term 1

Events								
ST 2024	24666	Europäisches und Internationales Recht	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Brühann			
Exams	Exams							
ST 2024	7500084	European and International Law	European and International Law					
WT 24/25	7500048	European and International Law	European and International Law					

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



#### **Europäisches und Internationales Recht**

24666, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

The course will be held in German.

The total workload for this course unit is 90 hours for 3 credit points, of which 22.5 hours are spent in attendance.

## Organizational issues

Die drei folgenden Blockveranstaltungen finden jeweils im Seminarraum Nr. 313 (Geb. 07.08) statt:

Montag, den 29.04.2024, 09:30 - 17:30 Uhr (Mittagspause wird flexibel gehalten)

Montag, den 27.05.2024, 09:30 - 17:30 Uhr (Mittagspause wird flexibel gehalten)

Montag, den 01.07.2024 09:30 - 17:00 Uhr (Mittagspause wird flexibel gehalten).

#### Literature

Literatur wird in der Vorlesung angegeben.

#### Weiterführende Literatur

Erweiterte Literaturangaben werden in der Vorlesung bekannt gegeben.



## 6.120 Course: Experimental Economics [T-WIWI-102614]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101446 - Market Engineering

M-WIWI-101453 - Applied Strategic Decisions M-WIWI-101505 - Experimental Economics

M-WIWI-103118 - Data Science: Data-Driven User Modeling

M-WIWI-105923 - Incentives, Interactivity & Decisions in Organizations

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4,5	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events							
WT 24/25	2540489	Experimental Economics	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Knierim		
WT 24/25	2540493	Übung zu Experimental Economics	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	del Puppo		
Exams							
ST 2024	7900258	Experimental Economics			Weinhardt		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 min).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Annotation

The lecture will be taught in English.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



#### **Experimental Economics**

2540489, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Literature

- Strategische Spiele; S. Berninghaus, K.-M. Ehrhart, W. Güth; Springer Verlag, 2. Aufl. 2006.
- Handbook of Experimental Economics; J. Kagel, A. Roth; Princeton University Press, 1995.
- Experiments in Economics; J.D. Hey; Blackwell Publishers, 1991.
- Experimental Economics; D.D. Davis, C.A. Holt; Princeton University Press, 1993.
- Experimental Methods: A Primer for Economists; D. Friedman, S. Sunder; Cambridge University Press, 1994.



## 6.121 Course: Explainable Artificial Intelligence [T-INFO-112774]

**Responsible:** TT-Prof. Dr. Rudolf Lioutikov **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106302 - Explainable Artificial Intelligence

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	3	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events					
ST 2024	2400128	Explainable Artificial Intelligence	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Lioutikov
Exams					
ST 2024	7500359	Explainable Artificial Intelligence			Lioutikov

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 120 minutes.

A bonus can be acquired through successful participation in the exercise as a success control of a different kind (§4(2), 3 SPO 2008) or study performance (§4(3) SPO 2015). The exact criteria for awarding a bonus will be announced at the beginning of the lecture. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by one grade level (0.3 or 0.4). The bonus is only valid for the main and post exams of the semester in which it was earned. After that, the grade bonus expires.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Recommendation

- Experience in Machine Learning is recommended, e.g. through prior coursework.
- The Computer Science Department offers several great lectures e.g., "Maschinelles Lernen Grundlagen und Algorithmen" and "Deep Learning"
- A good mathematical background will be beneficial
- Python / PyTorch experience could be beneficial when we discuss practical examples/implementations.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Explainable Artificial Intelligence**

2400128, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

Recent advances in Machine Learning and Deep Learning in particular have lead to the imminent introduction of AI agents into a wide variety of applications. However, the apparent "black-box" nature of these approaches hinders their application in both critical systems and close human-robot interactions. The sub-field of eXplainable Artificial Intelligence (XAI) aims to address this shortcoming. This lecture will introduce and discuss various concepts and methods of XAI and consider them from perspective of Robot Learning and Human-Robot Interaction.

The lecture will start with a (brief) introduction into relevant deep learning approaches, before discussing interpretable scene, task and behavior representations. Afterward the lecture will consider itself with Data-Driven and Goal-Driven AI. Finally, first approaches that incorporate XAI and XAI-based human feedback directly into the learning process itself will be discussed. An exemplary list of topics is given below:

- Introduction to XAI
- Interpretable Machine Learning vs Explainable Machine Learning
  - Primer / Introduction to relevant Deep Learning Concepts
- MLPs and CNNs
- Graph Neural Networks
- Transformers
- Diffusion Models
- Score Based Methods
  - Interpretable Structures
- Scene Representations
- Task Representations
- Behavior Representations
  - Data-Driven Explainable AI: XAI Methods for
- Shapley Values
- Saliency Maps
- Concept Activation Vectors
- Linguistic Neuron Annotation
  - Goal-Driven Explainable AI: XAI Methods for
- Generative Explaining Models
- Behavior Verbalization
- Behavior Visualization
  - Interactive Learning
- $\circ \ \ Integrating \ Human \ Feedback$
- Explanatory Interactive Learning
  - Experience in Machine Learning is recommended, e.g. through prior coursework.
    - The Computer Science Department offers several great lectures e.g., "Maschinelles Lernen Grundlagen und Algorithmen" and "Deep Learning"
  - A good mathematical background will be beneficial

Python / PyTorch experience could be beneficial when we discuss practical examples/implementations.

Arbeitsaufwand = 90h = 3 ECTS

- ca 30h Vorlesungsbesuch
- ca 30h Nachbearbeitung
- ca 30h Prüfungsvorbereitung

## Organizational issues

Als Blockvorlesung 29.07.-02.08.2024

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# 6.122 Course: Extraordinary Additional Course in the Module Cross-Functional Management Accounting [T-WIWI-108651]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Marcus Wouters

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101510 - Cross-Functional Management Accounting

Type Credits Grading scale Written examination 4,5 Grade to a third Each term

#### **Competence Certificate**

 $The \ assessment \ depends \ on \ which \ extraordinary \ course \ becomes \ part \ of \ the \ module \ "Cross-Functional \ Management \ Accounting".$ 

Version

1

**Prerequisites** 

None

#### **Annotation**

The pupose of this placeholder is to make it possible zu include an extraordinary course in the module "Cross-Functional Management Accounting". Proposals for specific courses have to be approved in advance by the module coordinator.



## 6.123 Course: Financial Analysis [T-WIWI-102900]

Responsible: Dr. Torsten Luedecke

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101480 - Finance 3

M-WIWI-101483 - Finance 2

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination4,5Grade to a thirdEach summer term1

Events					
ST 2024	2530205	Financial Analysis	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Luedecke
ST 2024	2530206	Übungen zu Financial Analysis	2 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Luedecke
Exams					
ST 2024	7900075	Financial Analysis	Financial Analysis		
WT 24/25	7900059	Financial Analysis			Ruckes, Luedecke

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

See German version.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge in corporate finance, accounting, and valuation is required.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Financial Analysis**

2530205, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Literature

- Alexander, D. and C. Nobes (2017): Financial Accounting An International Introduction, 6th ed., Pearson.
- Penman, S.H. (2013): Financial Statement Analysis and Security Valuation, 5th ed., McGraw Hill.



## 6.124 Course: Financial Econometrics [T-WIWI-103064]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Melanie Schienle

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101638 - Econometrics and Statistics I

M-WIWI-101639 - Econometrics and Statistics II M-WIWI-105414 - Statistics and Econometrics II

**Type** Written examination

Credits 4,5 **Grading scale**Grade to a third

**Recurrence** Each winter term

Version 2

Events							
WT 24/25	2520022	Financial Econometrics I	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Schienle, Buse		
WT 24/25	2520023	Übungen zu Financial Econometrics	2 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Schienle, Buse		
Exams							
ST 2024	7900223	Financial Econometrics			Schienle		
WT 24/25	7900123	Financial Econometrics II	Schienle				
WT 24/25	7900126	Financial Econometrics	Schienle				

Legend: Online, S Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, X Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (90 minutes) (following §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

## Recommendation

Knowledge of the contents covered by the course "Economics III: Introduction in Econometrics" [2520016]

#### Annotation

The next lecture will take place in the winter semester 2022/23.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Financial Econometrics I**

2520022, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

#### Learning objectives:

The student

- shows a broad knowledge of fincancial econometric estimation and testing techniques
- is able to apply his/her technical knowledge using software in order to critically assess empirical problems

#### Content:

ARMA, ARIMA, ARFIMA, (non)stationarity, causality, cointegration, ARCH/GARCH, stochastic volatility models, computer based exercises

#### Requirements:

It is recommended to attend the course Economics III: Introduction to Econometrics [2520016] prior to this course.

#### Workload:

Total workload for 4.5 CP: approx. 135 hours

Attendance: 30 hours

Preparation and follow-up: 65 hours

Exam preparation: 40 hours

#### Literature

Taylor, S. J. (2005): "Asset Price Dynamics, Volatility, and Prediction", Princeton University Press.

Tsay, R. S. (2005): "Analysis of Financial Time Series: Financial Econometrics", Wiley, 2nd edition.

Cochrane, J. H. (2005): "Asset Pricing", revised edition, Princeton University Press.

Campbell, J. Y., A. W. Lo, and A. C. MacKinlay (1997): "The Econometrics of Financial Markets", Princeton University Press.

Hamilton, J. D. (1994): "Time Series Analysis", Princeton University Press.

Additional literature will be discussed in the lecture.



## 6.125 Course: Financial Econometrics II [T-WIWI-110939]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Melanie Schienle

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101638 - Econometrics and Statistics I

M-WIWI-101639 - Econometrics and Statistics II M-WIWI-105414 - Statistics and Econometrics II

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach summer term 3

Events						
ST 2024	2521302	Financial Econometrics II	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Schienle, Buse	
ST 2024	2521303	Übung zu Financial Econometrics II	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Buse, Schienle	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900081	Financial Econometrics II			Schienle	

#### **Competence Certificate**

Written examination (90 minutes). If the number of participants is low, an oral examination will be held instead.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Knowledge of the contents covered by the course "Financial Econometrics"

#### Annotation

Course language is English

The next lecture will take place in the summer semester of 2023.



## 6.126 Course: Financial Intermediation [T-WIWI-102623]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martin Ruckes

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101453 - Applied Strategic Decisions

M-WIWI-101480 - Finance 3 M-WIWI-101483 - Finance 2

M-WIWI-101502 - Economic Theory and its Application in Finance

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4,5	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events						
WT 24/25	2530232	Financial Intermediation	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Ruckes	
WT 24/25	2530233	Übung zu Finanzintermediation	1 SWS	Practice	Ruckes, Benz	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900078	Financial Intermediation	Financial Intermediation			
WT 24/25	7900063	Financial Intermediation			Ruckes	

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is a written examination (following §4(2), 1 SPO) of 60 mins.

The exam is offered each semester.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Financial Intermediation**

2530232, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

## Organizational issues

Terminankündigungen des Instituts beachten

#### Literature

#### Weiterführende Literatur:

- Hartmann-Wendels/Pfingsten/Weber (2014): Bankbetriebslehre, 6. Auflage, Springer Verlag.
- Freixas/Rochet (2008): Microeconomics of Banking, 2. Auflage, MIT Press.



# 6.127 Course: Formal Systems [T-INFO-101336]

Responsible:Prof. Dr. Bernhard BeckertOrganisation:KIT Department of InformaticsPart of:M-INFO-100799 - Formal Systems

Type Credits Grading scale Written examination 6 Grade to a third Each winter term 1

Events						
WT 24/25	24086	Formale Systeme	4 SWS	Lecture / Practice (	Beckert, Ulbrich, Weigl	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500009	Formal Systems			Beckert	
WT 24/25	7500036	Formal Systems			Beckert	



# 6.128 Course: Formal Systems II: Application [T-INFO-101281]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Bernhard Beckert **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100744 - Formal Systems II: Application

**Type**Oral examination

Credits 5

**Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Each summer term Version 1



# 6.129 Course: Formal Systems II: Theory [T-INFO-101378]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Bernhard Beckert **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100841 - Formal Systems II: Theory

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination5Grade to a thirdEach summer term1

Events							
ST 2024	24608	Formale Systeme II - Theorie	3 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Beckert, Ulbrich		
Exams							
ST 2024	7500129	Formal Systems II: Theory			Beckert		



# 6.130 Course: Fundamentals for Financial -Quant and -Machine Learning Research [T-WIWI-111846]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Maxim Ulrich

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-105894 - Foundations for Advanced Financial -Quant and -Machine Learning Research

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence See Annotations 1

#### **Competence Certificate**

The module examination is an alternative exam assessment with a maximum score of 100 points to be achieved. These points are distributed over 4 worksheets to be submitted during the semester. The worksheets cover the respective material of the module and are handed out, worked on and assessed in lecture weeks 3 (10 points), 6 (20 points), 9 (30 points) and 12 (40 points).

The module-wide exam (all 4 worksheets) must be taken in the same semester.

The worksheets are a mixture of analytical tasks and programming tasks with financial data.

#### Recommendation

- Strongly recommended to have good knowledge in financial econometrics (MLE, OLS, GLS, ARMA-GARCH), mathematics (differential equations, difference equations and optimization), investments (CAPM, factor models), asset pricing (SDF, SDF pricing), derivatives (Black-Scholes, risk-neutral pricing), and programming of statistical concepts (Java or R or Python or Matlab or C or ...)
- Strongly recommended to have a strong interest for interdisciplinary research work in statistics, programming, applied
  math and financial economics.
- Students lacking the prior knowledge might find the resources of the Chair helpful: www.youtube.com/c/cram-kit.

#### **Annotation**

Teaching and learning format: Lecture and exercise.

The course is offered every second year.



# 6.131 Course: Fundamentals of National and International Group Taxation [T-WIWI-111304]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Berthold Wigger

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101511 - Advanced Topics in Public Finance

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach summer term 1

Events						
ST 2024	2560133	Fundamentals of National and International Group Taxation	3 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Wigger, Gutekunst	
Exams						
ST 2024	790kobe	Fundamentals of National and Intern	ational Gro	oup Taxation	Wigger	
WT 24/25	790kobe	Fundamentals of National and International Group Taxation			Wigger	

Legend: 
☐ Online, 
☐ Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, 
X Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Depending on the further pandemic development the assessment will consist either of an open book exam (following Art. 4, para. 2, clause 3 of the examination regulation), or of an 1.5h written exam (following Art. 4, para. 2, clause 1 of the examination regulation).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

It is recommended to attend the course "Basics of German Company Tax Law and Tax Planning" beforehand.



# 6.132 Course: Fuzzy Sets [T-INFO-101376]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Uwe Hanebeck
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics
Part of: M-INFO-100839 - Fuzzy Sets

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Version
Oral examination 6 Grade to a third Each summer term 1

Exams					
ST 2024	7500001	Fuzzy Sets	Pfaff		
WT 24/25	7500011	Fuzzy Sets	Hanebeck		



## 6.133 Course: Global Manufacturing [T-WIWI-112103]

Responsible: Dr. Henning Sasse

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101412 - Industrial Production III

M-WIWI-101471 - Industrial Production II

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination3,5Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events							
WT 24/25	2581956	Global Manufacturing	2 SWS	Lecture / 💢	Sasse		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7981956	Global Manufacturing			Schultmann		

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of an oral (30 minutes) or written exam (60 minutes) (following §4(2) of the examination regulation). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. Depending on the respective pandemic situation, the exam may be offered as an open book exam (alternative exam assessment, following §4(2), 3 of the examination regulation).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

## **Annotation**

The lecture will be held for the first time in the winter semester 2022/23.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Global Manufacturing**

2581956, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

- Fundamentals of international business
- Forms of international cooperation and value creation
- Site selection
- Cost driven internationalization and site selection
- Sales and customer driven internationalization and site selection
- Challenges, risks and risk mitigation
- Management of international production sites
- Types and case studies of international production

#### **Organizational issues**

Blockveranstaltung, siehe Homepage

#### Literature

Wird in der Veranstaltung bekannt gegeben.



## 6.134 Course: Global Optimization I [T-WIWI-102726]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Stein

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Factorism Written examination 4,5 Grade to a third Each summer term 1

Events							
ST 2024	2550134	Global Optimization I	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Stein		
Exams							
ST 2024	7900205_SS2024_HK	Global Optimization I			Stein		
WT 24/25	7900004_WS2425_NK	Global Optimization I			Stein		

Legend: █ Online, ቆ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Success is in the form of a written examination (60 min.) (according to § 4(2), 1 SPO). The successful completion of the exercises is required for admission to the written exam.

The exam is offered in the lecture of semester and the following semester.

The success check can be done also with the success control for "Global optimization II". In this case, the duration of the written exam is 120 min.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

## Recommendation

None

#### **Annotation**

Part I and II of the lecture are held consecutively in the **same** semester.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## Global Optimization I

2550134, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

In many optimization problems from economics, engineering and natural sciences, solution algorithms are only able to efficiently identify *local* optimizers, while it is much harder to find *globally* optimal points. This corresponds to the fact that by local search it is easy to find the summit of the closest mountain, but that the search for the summit of Mount Everest is rather elaborate.

The lecture treats methods for global optimization of convex functions under convex constraints. It is structured as follows:

- Introduction, examples, and terminology
- Existence results for optimal points
- Optimality in convex optimization
- Duality, bounds, and constraint qualifications
- Algorithms (Kelley's cutting plane method, Frank-Wolfe method, primal-dual interior point methods)

The lecture is accompanied by exercises which, amongst others, offers the opportunity to implement and to test some of the methods on practically relevant examples.

#### Remark

The treatment of *nonconvex* optimization problems forms the contents of the lecture "Global Optimization II". The lectures "Global Optimization II" and "Global Optimization II" are held consecutively *in the same semester*.

#### Learning objectives:

The student

- knows and understands the fundamentals of deterministic global optimization in the convex case,
- is able to choose, design and apply modern techniques of deterministic global optimization in the convex case in practice.

#### Literature

O. Stein, Grundzüge der Globalen Optimierung, SpringerSpektrum, 2018.

#### Weiterführende Literatur:

- W. Alt, Numerische Verfahren der konvexen, nichtglatten Optimierung, Teubner, 2004
- C.A. Floudas, Deterministic Global Optimization, Kluwer, 2000
- R. Horst, H. Tuy, Global Optimization, Springer, 1996
- A. Neumaier, Interval Methods for Systems of Equations, Cambridge University Press, 1990



## 6.135 Course: Global Optimization I and II [T-WIWI-103638]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Stein

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	9	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events							
ST 2024	2550134	Global Optimization I	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b> ⁵	Stein		
ST 2024	2550135	Exercise to Global Optimization I and II	2 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Stein, Beck		
ST 2024	2550136	Global Optimization II	Global Optimization II 2 SWS L		Stein		
Exams							
ST 2024	7900207_SS2024_HK	Global Optimization I and II			Stein		
WT 24/25	7900006_WS2425_NK	Global Optimization I and II			Stein		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of the lecture is a written examination (120 minutes) according to §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation. The successful completion of the exercises is required for admission to the written exam.

The examination is held in the semester of the lecture and in the following semester.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

## Annotation

Part I and II of the lecture are held consecutively in the **same** semester.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## Global Optimization I

2550134, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

In many optimization problems from economics, engineering and natural sciences, solution algorithms are only able to efficiently identify *local* optimizers, while it is much harder to find *globally* optimal points. This corresponds to the fact that by local search it is easy to find the summit of the closest mountain, but that the search for the summit of Mount Everest is rather elaborate.

The lecture treats methods for global optimization of convex functions under convex constraints. It is structured as follows:

- · Introduction, examples, and terminology
- Existence results for optimal points
- Optimality in convex optimization
- Duality, bounds, and constraint qualifications
- Algorithms (Kelley's cutting plane method, Frank-Wolfe method, primal-dual interior point methods)

The lecture is accompanied by exercises which, amongst others, offers the opportunity to implement and to test some of the methods on practically relevant examples.

#### Remark

The treatment of *nonconvex* optimization problems forms the contents of the lecture "Global Optimization II". The lectures "Global Optimization II" and "Global Optimization II" are held consecutively *in the same semester*.

#### Learning objectives:

The student

- knows and understands the fundamentals of deterministic global optimization in the convex case,
- is able to choose, design and apply modern techniques of deterministic global optimization in the convex case in practice.

#### Literature

O. Stein, Grundzüge der Globalen Optimierung, SpringerSpektrum, 2018.

#### Weiterführende Literatur:

- W. Alt, Numerische Verfahren der konvexen, nichtglatten Optimierung, Teubner, 2004
- C.A. Floudas, Deterministic Global Optimization, Kluwer, 2000
- R. Horst, H. Tuy, Global Optimization, Springer, 1996
- A. Neumaier, Interval Methods for Systems of Equations, Cambridge University Press, 1990



### Global Optimization II

2550136, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

In many optimization problems from economics, engineering and natural sciences, solution algorithms are only able to efficiently identify *local* optimizers, while it is much harder to find *globally* optimal points. This corresponds to the fact that by local search it is easy to find the summit of the closest mountain, but that the search for the summit of Mount Everest is rather elaborate.

The lecture treats methods for global optimization of nonconvex functions under nonconvex constraints. It is structured as follows:

- Introduction and examples
- Convex relaxation
- Interval arithmetic
- Convex relaxation via alphaBB method
- Branch-and-bound methods
- Lipschitz optimization

The lecture is accompanied by exercises which, amongst others, offers the opportunity to implement and to test some of the methods on practically relevant examples.

#### Remark:

The treatment of *convex* optimization problems forms the contents of the lecture "Global Optimization I". The lectures "Global Optimization I" and "Global Optimization II" are held consecutively *in the same semester*.

#### Learning objectives:

The student

- knows and understands the fundamentals of deterministic global optimization in the nonconvex case,
- is able to choose, design and apply modern techniques of deterministic global optimization in the nonconvex case in practice.

#### Literature

O. Stein, Grundzüge der Globalen Optimierung, SpringerSpektrum, 2018.

#### Weiterführende Literatur:

- W. Alt, Numerische Verfahren der konvexen, nichtglatten Optimierung, Teubner, 2004
- C.A. Floudas, Deterministic Global Optimization, Kluwer, 2000
- R. Horst, H. Tuy, Global Optimization, Springer, 1996
- A. Neumaier, Interval Methods for Systems of Equations, Cambridge University Press, 1990



## 6.136 Course: Global Optimization II [T-WIWI-102727]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Stein

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4,5	Grade to a third	Each summer term	2

Events						
ST 2024	2550136	Global Optimization II	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Stein	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900206_SS2024_HK	Global Optimization II			Stein	
WT 24/25	7900005_WS2425_NK	Global Optimization II			Stein	

Legend: █ Online, ቆ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of the lecture is a written examination (60 minutes) according to §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation. The successful completion of the exercises is required for admission to the written exam.

The examination is held in the semester of the lecture and in the following semester.

The examination can also be combined with the examination of "Global optimization I". In this case, the duration of the written examination takes 120 minutes.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### **Annotation**

Part I and II of the lecture are held consecutively in the **same** semester.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## Global Optimization II

2550136, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

In many optimization problems from economics, engineering and natural sciences, solution algorithms are only able to efficiently identify *local* optimizers, while it is much harder to find *globally* optimal points. This corresponds to the fact that by local search it is easy to find the summit of the closest mountain, but that the search for the summit of Mount Everest is rather elaborate.

The lecture treats methods for global optimization of nonconvex functions under nonconvex constraints. It is structured as follows:

- Introduction and examples
- Convex relaxation
- Interval arithmetic
- Convex relaxation via alphaBB method
- Branch-and-bound methods
- Lipschitz optimization

The lecture is accompanied by exercises which, amongst others, offers the opportunity to implement and to test some of the methods on practically relevant examples.

#### Remark:

The treatment of *convex* optimization problems forms the contents of the lecture "Global Optimization I". The lectures "Global Optimization I" and "Global Optimization II" are held consecutively *in the same semester*.

#### Learning objectives:

The student

- knows and understands the fundamentals of deterministic global optimization in the nonconvex case,
- is able to choose, design and apply modern techniques of deterministic global optimization in the nonconvex case in practice.

#### Literature

O. Stein, Grundzüge der Globalen Optimierung, SpringerSpektrum, 2018.

## Weiterführende Literatur:

- W. Alt, Numerische Verfahren der konvexen, nichtglatten Optimierung, Teubner, 2004
- C.A. Floudas, Deterministic Global Optimization, Kluwer, 2000
- R. Horst, H. Tuy, Global Optimization, Springer, 1996
- A. Neumaier, Interval Methods for Systems of Equations, Cambridge University Press, 1990



Organisation:

# 6.137 Course: Graph Partitioning and Graph Clustering in Theory and Practice [T-INFO-101295]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

Dr. rer. nat. Torsten Ueckerdt KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100758 - Graph Partitioning and Graph Clustering in Theory and Practice

**Type**Oral examination

Credits 4 **Grading scale**Grade to a third

**Recurrence** Each summer term

Version 2



Organisation:

# 6.138 Course: Graph Partitioning and Graph Clustering in Theory and Practice - Practical [T-INFO-110999]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

Dr. rer. nat. Torsten Ueckerdt KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100758 - Graph Partitioning and Graph Clustering in Theory and Practice

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	1	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1



## 6.139 Course: Graph Theory and Advanced Location Models [T-WIWI-102723]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Stefan Nickel

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming

M-WIWI-102832 - Operations Research in Supply Chain Management

M-WIWI-103289 - Stochastic Optimization

**Type**Written examination

Credits 4,5 **Grading scale** Grade to a third

Recurrence Irregular Version 2

Exams				
ST 2024	7900283	Graph Theory and Advanced Location Models	Nickel	

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is a 60 minutes written examination (according to \$4(2), 1 of the examination regulation).

The examination is held in the term of the lecture and the following lecture.

#### Prerequisites

None

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge as conveyed in the module "Introduction to Operations Research" is assumed.

#### **Annotation**

The course is offered irregularly. Planned lectures for the next three years can be found in the internet at http://dol.ior.kit.edu/english/Courses.php.



# 6.140 Course: Growth and Development [T-WIWI-112816]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ingrid Ott

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101478 - Innovation and Growth

M-WIWI-101496 - Growth and Agglomeration

**Type**Written examination

Credits 4,5 **Grading scale**Grade to a third

**Recurrence**Each winter term

Version 1

Events					
WT 24/25	2561503	Growth and Development	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Ott
WT 24/25	2561504	Exercise for Growth and Development	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Ott, Ghoniem
Exams					
ST 2024	7900105	Growth and Development			Ott
WT 24/25	7900078	Growth and Development			Ott

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Depending on further pandemic developments, the examination will be offered either as an open-book examination or as a 60-minute written examination.

## **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge of micro- and macroeconomics is assumed, as taught in the courses Economics I [2600012], and Economics II [2600014]. In addition, an interest in quantitative-mathematical modeling is required.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Growth and Development**

2561503, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

This course is intended as an introduction to the field of advanced macroeconomics with a special focus on economic growth. Lectures aim to deal with the theoretical foundations of exogenous and endogenous growth models. The importance of growth for nations and discussion of some (well-known) growth theories together with the role of innovation, human capital and environment will therefore be primary focuses of this course.

#### Learning objective:

Students shall be given the ability to understand, analyze and evaluate selected models of endogenous growth theory.

#### **Course content:**

- Intertemporal consumption decision
- Growth models with exogenous saving rates: Solow
- Growth models with endogenous saving rates: Ramsey
- Growth and environmental resources
- Basic models of endogenous growth
- Human capital and economic growth
- Modelling of technological progress
- Diversity Models
- Schumpeterian growth
- Directional technological progress
- Diffusion of technologies

#### Recommendations:

Basic knowledge of micro- and macroeconomics is assumed, as taught in the courses Economics I [2600012], and Economics II [2600014]. In addition, an interest in quantitative-mathematical modeling is required.

#### Workload:

The total workload for this course is approximately 135.0 hours. For further information see German version.

## **Exam description:**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 min) according to Section 4(2), 1 of the examination regulation. The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date.

Students will be given the opportunity of writing and presenting a short paper during the lecture time to achieve a bonus on the exam grade. If the mandatory credit point exam is passed, the awarded bonus points will be added to the regular exam points. A deterioration is not possible by definition, and a grade does not necessarily improve, but is very likely to (not every additional point improves the total number of points, since a grade can not become better than 1). The voluntary elaboration of such a paper can not countervail a fail in the exam.

#### Literature

# Auszug:

- Acemoglu, D. (2009): Introduction to modern economic growth. Princeton University Press, New Jersey.
- Aghion, P., Howitt, P. (2009): Economics of growth, MIT-Press, Cambridge/MA.
- Barro, R.J., Sala-I-Martin, X. (2003): Economic Growth. MIT-Press, Cambridge/MA.
- Sydsaeter, K., Hammond, P. (2008): Essential mathematics for economic analysis. Prentice Hall International, Harlow.
- Sydsæter, K., Hammond, P., Seierstad, A., Strom, A., (2008): Further Mathematics for Economic Analysis, Second Edition, Pearson Education Limited, Essex.



# 6.141 Course: Hands-on Bioinformatics Practical [T-INFO-103009]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Alexandros Stamatakis **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101573 - Hands-on Bioinformatics Practical

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Irregular	3

Version

2



# 6.142 Course: Heat Economy [T-WIWI-102695]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Wolf Fichtner

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management Part of:

M-WIWI-101452 - Energy Economics and Technology

Credits **Grading scale** Type Recurrence Written examination 3,5 Grade to a third Each summer term

Events						
ST 2024	2581001	Heat Economy	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Fichtner	
Exams						
ST 2024	7981001	Heat Economy			Fichtner	

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

# **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written (60 minutes) or oral exam (30 minutes) (following §4(2) of the examination regulation). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date.

## **Prerequisites**

None.

# Recommendation

None

### Annotation

See German version.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Heat Economy**

2581001, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

# **Organizational issues**

Block, Seminarraum Standort West - siehe Institutsaushang



# 6.143 Course: Heterogeneous Parallel Computing Systems [T-INFO-101359]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Karl
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100822 - Heterogeneous Parallel Computing Systems

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Oral examination	3	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events						
WT 24/25	2424117	Heterogene parallele Rechensysteme	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Karl	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500216	Heterogeneous Parallel Computing Systems			Karl	

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled



Organisation:

# 6.144 Course: Human Brain and Central Nervous System: Anatomy, Information Transfer, Signal Processing, Neurophysiology and Therapy [T-INFO-101262]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Tamim Asfour

Hon.-Prof. Dr. Uwe Spetzger KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100725 - Human Brain and Central Nervous System: Anatomy, Information Transfer, Signal

Processing, Neurophysiology and Therapy

TypeCredits<br/>Written examinationGrading scale<br/>3Recurrence<br/>Fach termVersion<br/>2

Events							
ST 2024	24678	Human Brain and Central Nervous System: Anatomy, Information Transfer, Signal Processing, Neurophysiology and Therapy	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Spetzger		
WT 24/25	24139	Human Brain and Central Nervous System: Anatomy, Information Transfer, Signal Processing, Neurophysiology and Therapy	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Spetzger		
Exams							
ST 2024	7500145		Human Brain and Central Nervous System: Anatomy, Information Transfer, Signal Processing, Neurophysiology and Therapy				
WT 24/25	7500118		Human Brain and Central Nervous System: Snatomy, Information Transfer, Signal Processing, Neurophysiology and Therapy				

 $\textbf{Legend:} \ \overline{\blacksquare} \ \textbf{Online}, \ \mathbf{\textcircled{S}} \ \textbf{Blended} \ (\textbf{On-Site/Online}), \ \mathbf{\P} \cdot \textbf{On-Site}, \ \textbf{\textbf{x}} \ \textbf{Cancelled}$ 



# 6.145 Course: Human Factors in Autonomous Driving [T-WIWI-113059]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Alexey Vinel

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-106631 - Cooperative Autonomous Vehicles

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach winter term 1

Events					
WT 24/25	2511452	Human Factors in Autonomous Driving	2 SWS	Lecture / 🕃	Vinel, Bied, Schrapel
WT 24/25	2511453	Exercises Human Factors in Autonomous Driving	1 SWS	Practice / 🗯	Vinel, Bied, Schrapel
Exams					
ST 2024	7900360	Human Factors in Autonomous Driving			Vinel
WT 24/25	79AIFB_HFAD_C6	Human Factors in Autonomous Driving			Vinel

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is a written examination (60 min) or an oral exam (20 min).

The exam takes place every semester and can be repeated at every regular examination date.



# 6.146 Course: Human Factors in Security and Privacy [T-WIWI-109270]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Melanie Volkamer

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-104520 - Human Factors in Security and Privacy

M-WIWI-104812 - Information Systems: Engineering and Transformation

TypeCredits<br/>Written examinationGrading scale<br/>4,5Recurrence<br/>IrregularVersion<br/>3

Exams			
WT 24/25	79AIFB_HFSP_A1	Human Factors in Security and Privacy	Volkamer

# **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is a written examination (60 min) according to §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation or an oral exam (30 min) following §4, Abs. 2, 2 of the examination regulation. Only those who have successfully participated in the exercises and the lecture will be admitted to the examination.

#### **Prerequisites**

Both need to be done:

- Pass Quiz on Paper for Graphical Passwords
- Presentation of Results Exercise 2
- + 9 of the following 11 need to be done:
  - Submit ILIAS certificate until Oct 24
  - Pass Quiz on InfoSec Lecture
  - Active participation exercise 1 Part 1 Evaluation and analyses methods
  - Pass Quiz Paper Discussion 1 User Behaviour and motivation theories
  - Active participation exercise 1 Part 2
  - Pass Quiz Paper Discussion 2 User Behaviour and motivation theories
  - Pass Quiz Paper Discussion 3 Security Awareness
  - Active participation exercise 1 Part 3
  - Pass Quiz Paper Discussion 4 Graphical Authentication
  - Pass Quiz Paper Discussion 5 Shoulder Surfing Authentication
  - Active participation exercise 2

#### Recommendation

The prior attendance of the lecture "Information Security" is strongly recommended.

# Annotation

The lecture will not be offered in winter semester 2020/21.

Some lectures are in English, some in German.



# 6.147 Course: Human-Machine-Interaction [T-INFO-101266]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Michael Beigl
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100729 - Human Computer Interaction

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Each summer term 3

Events							
ST 2024	24659	Human-Computer-Interaction	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗯	Beigl, Lee		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7500048	Human-Machine-Interaction			Beigl		
WT 24/25	7500076	Human-Machine-Interaction			Beigl		



Organisation:

# **6.148** Course: Human-Machine-Interaction in Anthropomatics: Basics [T-INFO-101361]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jürgen Beyerer

Dr.-Ing. Florian van de Camp KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100824 - Human-Machine-Interaction in Anthropomatics: Basics

Type Credits Grading scale Grade to a third Recurrence Each winter term 2

Events							
WT 24/25	24100	Human-Machine-Interaction in Anthropomatics: Basics	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗯	van de Camp		
Exams	Exams						
WT 24/25	7500017	Human-Machine-Interaction in Anth	Beyerer, van de Camp				

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.149 Course: Human-Machine-Interaction Pass [T-INFO-106257]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Michael Beigl
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100729 - Human Computer Interaction

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Completed coursework	0	pass/fail	Each summer term	1

Events						
ST 2024	2400095	Human-Computer-Interaction	1 SWS	Practice / 💢	Beigl, Lee	
ST 2024	24659	Human-Computer-Interaction	2 SWS	Lecture / 💢	Beigl, Lee	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500121	Human-Machine-Interaction			Beigl	

 $\textit{Legend:} \ \overline{\blacksquare} \ \textit{Online}, \ \textcircled{\$} \ \textit{Blended} \ (\textit{On-Site/Online}), \ \P \cdot \textit{On-Site}, \ \textbf{x} \ \textit{Cancelled}$ 



# 6.150 Course: Humanoid Robotics Laboratory [T-INFO-111590]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Tamim Asfour **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105792 - Humanoid Robotics Laboratory

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Each winter term	3

Events						
WT 24/25	24890	Humanoid Robotics Laboratory	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Asfour	
Exams						
WT 24/25	7500149	Humanoid Robotics Laboratory			Asfour	

Legend: Online, S Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, X Cancelled

#### Recommendation

- Very good programming skills in at least one high-level programming language are strongly recommended.
- Attendance of the lectures Robotics 1, Robotics 2, Robotics 3, as well as the robotics practical course are recommended.
- Project-specific recommendations (knowledge of C++, Python, ...) will be announced in the individual project descriptions

#### **Annotation**

- Internship dates are always by arrangement with the supervising staff member.
- An extension work of the topic as a master thesis is possible in principle.
- The number of participants in this practical course is generally **limited** and varies with the number of available research projects at the institute.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Humanoid Robotics Laboratory**

24890, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
On-Site

# Content

In this practical course, a is worked on alone or in small teams with up to 3 students. Questions of humanoid robotics are dealt with, such as semantic scene interpretation, active perception, planning of grasping and manipulation tasks, action representation with motion primitives, and programming by demonstration.

The project work (alone or in groups) is performed largely independently but supported by scientific staff of the H2T. At the end of the practical course, the work has to be documented and presented in a scientific talk.

## **Learning Objectives:**

- Students will be able to independently understand, structure, analyze, and solve a complex humanoid robotics problem using existing programming skills, alone or in a small team.
- Students can convey complex technical content in a presentation.

# **Recommendation:**

- Very good programming skills in at least one high-level programming language are strongly recommended.
- Attendance of the lectures Robotics 1, Robotics 2, Robotics 3, as well as the robotics practical course are recommended.
- Project-specific recommendations (knowledge of C++, Python, ...) will be announced in the individual project descriptions

# **Organizational issues**

Die Erfolgskontrolle erfolgt in Form einer mündlichen Prüfung nach § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO.

Die Modulnote ist die Note der mündlichen Prüfung.

Zielgruppe: Das Praktikum richtet sich an Studierende der Informatik, Elektrotechnik, Maschinenbau, Mechatronik im Masterstudium sowie alle Interessenten an der Robotik.

# Arbeitsaufwand:

6 LP entspricht ca. 180h, davon

- 1. 10h Präsenzzeit in Praktikumsbesprechungen
- 2. 10h Vor- und Nachbereitung derselben
- 3. 150h Selbststudium zur Bearbeitung des Themas
- ca. 10h Vorbereitung und Halten eines wissenschaftlichen Vortrags



# 6.151 Course: Incentives in Organizations [T-WIWI-105781]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Petra Nieken

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101453 - Applied Strategic Decisions

M-WIWI-101500 - Microeconomic Theory M-WIWI-101505 - Experimental Economics

M-WIWI-101510 - Cross-Functional Management Accounting

M-WIWI-105923 - Incentives, Interactivity & Decisions in Organizations

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Version
Written examination 4,5 Grade to a third Each summer term 1

Events					
ST 2024	2573003	Incentives in Organizations	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Nieken
ST 2024	2573004	Übung zu Incentives in Organizations	2 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Nieken, Mitarbeiter, Walther, Gorny
Exams					
ST 2024	7900132	Incentives in Organizations	Incentives in Organizations		Nieken
WT 24/25	7900201	Incentives in Organizations	ncentives in Organizations		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is a written examination (60 min). The exam takesplace in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. In case of a small number of registrations, we might offer an oral exam instead of a written exam.

# **Prerequisites**

None

# Recommendation

Knowledge of microeconomics, game theory, and statistics is assumed.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Incentives in Organizations**

2573003, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

The students acquire profound knowledge about the design and the impact of different incentive and compensation systems. Topics covered are, for instance, performance based compensation, team work, intrinsic motivation, multitasking, and subjective performance evaluations. We will use microeconomic or behavioral models as well as empirical data to analyze incentive systems. We will investigate several widely used compensation schemes and their relationship with corporate strategy. Students will learn to develop practical implications which are based on the acquired knowledge of this course.

#### Aim

## The student

- develops a strategic understanding about incentives systems and how they work.
- analyzes models from personnel economics.
- understands how econometric methods can be used to analyze performance and compensation data.
- knows incentive schemes that are used in companies and is able to evaluate them critically.
- can develop practical implications which are based on theoretical models and empirical data from companies.
- understands the challenges of managing incentive and compensation systems and their relationship with corporate strategy.

#### Workload

The total workload for this course is: approximately 135 hours.

Lecture: 32 hours

Preparation of lecture: 52 hours Exam preparation: 51 hours

#### Literature

Slides, Additional case studies and research papers will be announced in the lecture.

Literature (complementary):

Managerial Economics and Organizantional Architecture, Brickley / Smith / Zimmerman, McGraw-Hill Education, 2015

Behavioral Game Theory, Camerer, Russel Sage Foundation, 2003

Personnel Economics in Practice, Lazear / Gibbs, Wiley, 2014

Introduction to Econometrics, Wooldridge, Andover, 2014

Econometric Analysis of Cross Section and Panel Data, Wooldridge, MIT Press, 2010



# 6.152 Course: Information Service Engineering [T-WIWI-106423]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Harald Sack

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101456 - Intelligent Systems and Services

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Version
Written examination 4,5 Grade to a third Each summer term 2

Events					
ST 2024	2511606	Information Service Engineering	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Sack
ST 2024	2511607	Exercises to Information Service Engineering	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Sack
Exams					
ST 2024	79AIFB_ISE_B3	Information Service Engineering (Re	gistration (	ıntil 15 July 2024)	Sack
WT 24/25	79AIFB_ISE_B2	Information Service Engineering	nformation Service Engineering		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is a written examination (60 min) according to §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation or an oral exam (20 min) following §4, Abs. 2, 2 of the examination regulation.

The exam takes place every semester and can be repeated at every regular examination date.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Information Service Engineering**

2511606, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

- The Art of Understanding
  - From Numbers to Insights
  - Data, Information, and Knowledge
  - Natural Language
  - What is Successful Communication?
  - The Art of Understanding
- Natural Language Processing
  - NLP and Basic Linguistic Knowledge
  - NLP Applications, Techniques and Challenges
  - How to evaluate an NLP Experiment?
  - Tokenization and Word Normalisation
  - Statistical Language Models (N-Gram Model)
  - Naive Bayes Text Classification
  - Distributional Semantics and Word Vectors
- Knowledge Graphs
  - Knowledge Representations and Ontologies
  - Resource Description Framework (RDF)
  - Modeling with RDFS
  - Querying RDF(S) with SPARQL
  - Popular Knowledge Graphs Wikidata and DBpedia
  - Ontologies with the Web Ontology Language (OWL)
  - · Linked Data Quality Assurance with SHACL
  - From Linked Data to Knowledge Graphs
- Basic Machine Learning
  - Machine Learning Fundamentals
  - Evaluation and Generalization Problems
  - Linear Regression
  - Decision Trees
  - Unsupervised Learning
  - Neural Networks and Deep Learning
  - Word Embeddings
  - Knowledge Graph Embeddings
- ISE Applications
  - Knowledge Graph Completion
  - Knowledge Graphs and Large Language Models
  - Semantic and Exploratory Search
  - Semantic Recommender Systems

# Learning objectives:

- The students know the fundamentals and measures of information theory and are able to apply those in the context of Information Service Engineering.
- The students have basic skills of natural language processing and are enabled to apply natural language processing technology to solve and evaluate simple text analysis tasks.
- The students have fundamental skills of knowledge representation with ontologies as well as basic knowledge of Semantic Web and Linked Data technologies. The students are able to apply these skills for simple representation and analysis tasks.
- The students have fundamental skills of information retrieval and are enabled to conduct and to evaluate simple information retrieval tasks.
- The students apply their skills of natural language processing, Linked Data engineering, and Information Retrieval to conduct and evaluate simple knowledge mining tasks.
- The students know the fundamentals of recommender systems as well as of semantic and exploratory search.

# Literature

- D. Jurafsky, J.H. Martin, Speech and Language Processing, 2nd ed. Pearson Int., 2009.
- A. Hogan, The Web of Data, Springer, 2020.
- G. Rebala, A. Ravi, S. Churiwala, An Introduction to Machine Learning, Springer, 2019.



# 6.153 Course: Innovation Management: Concepts, Strategies and Methods [T-WIWI-102893]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Marion Weissenberger-Eibl

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101488 - Entrepreneurship (EnTechnon)

M-WIWI-101507 - Innovation Management

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination3Grade to a thirdEach summer term1

Events	Events						
ST 2024	2545100	Innovation Management: Concepts, Strategies and Methods	2 SWS	Lecture / 🕃	Weissenberger-Eibl		
Exams							
ST 2024	7900144	Innovation Management: Concepts, S	nnovation Management: Concepts, Strategies and Methods				
WT 24/25	7900145	Innovation Management: Concepts, S	Strategies a	and Methods	Weissenberger-Eibl		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 minutes). The exam takes place in every summer semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Innovation Management: Concepts, Strategies and Methods**

2545100, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

# Content

The course 'Innovation Management: Concepts, Strategies and Methods' offers scientific concepts which facilitate the understanding of the different phases of the innovation process and resulting strategies and appropriate methodologies suitable for application. The concepts refer to the entire innovation process so that an integrated perspective is made possible. This is the basis for the teaching of strategies and methods which fulfil the diverse demands of the complex innovation process. The course focuses particularly on the creation of interfaces between departments and between various actors in a company's environment and the organisation of a company's internal procedures. In this context a basic understanding of knowledge and communication is taught in addition to the specific characteristics of the respective actors. Subsequently methods are shown which are suitable for the profitable and innovation-led implementation of integrated knowledge.

Aim: Students develop a differentiated understanding of the different phases and concepts of the innovation process, different strategies and methods in innovation management.

# **Organizational issues**

Wichtig! Bitte treten Sie dem ILIAS-Kurs zur Vorlesung bei, damit wir Ihnen weitere Informationen mitteilen können.

#### Literature

Eine ausführliche Literaturliste wird mit den Vorlesungsunterlagen zur Verfügung gestellt.

Eine Einführung bei: Vahs, D./Brem, A. (2013): Innovationsmanagement. Von der Idee zur erfolgreichen Vermarktung, 4. Auflage, Stuttgart 2013.



# 6.154 Course: Innovation2Business – Innovation Strategy in the Industrial Corporate Practice [T-MACH-112882]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Albert Albers

Organisation: KIT Department of Mechanical Engineering

Part of: M-WIWI-101488 - Entrepreneurship (EnTechnon)

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Expansion	Version
Written examination	4	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1 terms	1

Events	Events						
WT 24/25	2145182	Innovation2Business – Innovation Strategy in the Industrial Corporate Practice	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Albers		
Exams							
WT 24/25	76-T-MACH-112882	Innovation2Business – innovation strategy in the industrial corporate practice			Albers		

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Written exam based on the lecture handout and materials, duration 90 minutes

### **Prerequisites**

none

#### Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Innovation2Business - Innovation Strategy in the Industrial Corporate Practice

Lecture (V) On-Site

2145182, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

# Content

lecture block at the Bühl & Herzogenaurach locations with plant tours & fireside evenings + exam-preparatory Q&A.

Exam: written, limited to 30 seats (recommended for: Master's degree; mechanical engineering, industrial engineering, electrical engineering, computer science) → see module manual for details.

In this lecture series, use Schaeffler as an example to learn how global companies continuously transform themselves to grow sustainably and become

maintain a leading position in the global market in the long term through business-oriented innovation.

Together we will go through the most important elements of the innovation and development process and learn about the successes and learnings based on

vivid examples from practice.

Join the fireside evenings with the speakers to discuss the lecture content and beyond in a relaxed atmosphere.

The event is limited to 30 students and is free for you (meals, bus transfers & accommodations).

# Organizational issues

Vorlesung findet an Schaeffler-Standorten (Herzogenaurach und Bühl) statt.

Sprache: Unterlagen Englisch, Vortragssprache Deutsch



# **6.155** Course: Innovative Concepts for Programming Industrial Robots [T-INFO-101328]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Björn Hein **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100791 - Innovative Concepts for Programming Industrial Robots

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination4Grade to a thirdEach summer term1

Events							
ST 2024	24179	Innovative Concepts for Programming Industrial Robots	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Hein		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	750001	Innovative Concepts for programmin	novative Concepts for programming Industrial Robots				

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.156 Course: Intelligent Agent Architectures [T-WIWI-111267]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Andreas Geyer-Schulz

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-104814 - Information Systems: Analytical and Interactive Systems

M-WIWI-105661 - Data Science: Intelligent, Adaptive, and Learning Information Services

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination4,5Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events	Events						
WT 24/25	2540525	Intelligent Agent Architectures	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Geyer-Schulz		
WT 24/25	2540526	Übung zu Intelligent Agent Architectures	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Geyer-Schulz, Bell		
Exams							
ST 2024	7900069	Intelligent Agent Architectures (Nac	Intelligent Agent Architectures (Nachklausur WS 2023/2024)				
WT 24/25	79011480	Intelligent Agent Architectures (WS	ntelligent Agent Architectures (WS 2024/2025)				

Legend: █ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Written examination (60 minutes) according to §4(2), 1 SPO. The exam is considered passed if at least 50 out of a maximum of 100 possible points are achieved. The grades are graded in five steps (best grade 1.0 from 95 points). Details of the grade formation and scale will be announced in the course.

A bonus can be acquired through successful participation in the practice. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by one grade level (0.3 or 0.4). The exact criteria for awarding a bonus will be announced at the beginning of the course.

# **Prerequisites**

None

# Recommendation

It is recommended to additionally review the Bachelor-level lecture "Customer Relationship Management" from the module "CRM and Servicemanagement".

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Intelligent Agent Architectures**

2540525, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

#### Course content:

The lecture is structured in three parts:

In the first part the methods used for architecture design are introduced (system analysis, UML, formal specification of interfaces, software and analysis patterns, and the separation in conceptual and IT-architectures. The second part is dedicated to learning architectures and machine learning methods. The third part presents examples of learning CRM-Architectures.

#### Workload:

The total workload for this course is approximately 135 hours (4.5 credits):

Time of attendance

- Attending the lecture: 15 x 90min = 22h 30m
- Attending the exercise classes: 7 x 90min = 10h 30m
- Examination: 1h 00m

#### Self-study

- Preparation and wrap-up of the lecture: 15 x 180min = 45h 00m
- Preparing the exercises: 25h 00m
- Preparation of the examination: 31h 00m

# Sum: 135h 00m Learning Goals:

Students have special knowledge of software architectures and of the methods which are used in their development (Systems analysis, formal methods for the specification of interfaces and algebraic semantic, UML, and, last but not least, the mapping of conceptual architectures to IT architectures.

Students know important architectural patterns and they can – based on their CRM knowledge – combine these patterns for innovative CRM applications.

#### Assessment:

The assessment consists of a written exam of 1-hour length following §4 (2), 1 of the examination regulation and by submitting written papers as part of the exercise following §4 (2), 3 of the examination regulation.

The course is considered successfully taken if at least 50 out of 100 points are acquired in the written exam. In this case, all additional points (up to 10) from exercise work will be added.

# **Grade: Minimum points**

- 1,0:95
- 1,3:90
- 1,7:85
- 2,0:802,3:75
- 2,7:70
- 3,0:65
- 3,3:60
- 3,7:554,0:50
- 5,0:0

## Literature

- P. Clements u. a., Documenting Software Architectures. Views and Beyond. Upper Saddle River: Addison-Wesley, 2011.
- Fowler, Patterns of Enterprise Application Architecture. Amsterdam: Addison-Wesley Longman, 2002.
- S. Russell und P. Norvig, Artificial Intelligence: A Modern Approach, 3. Aufl. Harlow Essex England: Pearson New International Edition, 2014.
- V. N. Vapnik, The Nature of Statistical Learning Theory. New York: Springer, 1995.



# 6.157 Course: Intelligent Agents and Decision Theory [T-WIWI-110915]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Andreas Geyer-Schulz

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

**Part of:** M-WIWI-104814 - Information Systems: Analytical and Interactive Systems

M-WIWI-105661 - Data Science: Intelligent, Adaptive, and Learning Information Services

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach summer term 1

Events					
ST 2024	2540537	Intelligent Agents and Decision Theory	2 SWS	Lecture	Geyer-Schulz
ST 2024	2540538	Übung zu Intelligent Agents and Decision Theory	1 SWS	Practice	Schweizer
Exams					
ST 2024	7900306	Intelligent Agents and Decision The	Intelligent Agents and Decision Theory		
WT 24/25	7900294	Intelligent Agents and Decision The	ntelligent Agents and Decision Theory (Nachklausur SoSe 2024)		

#### **Competence Certificate**

Written examination (60 minutes). The exam is held in each semester and can be repeated at any regular examination date. Details of the grading system and any exam bonus that may be achieved from the practice are announced in the course.

# **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

We assume knowledge in statistics, operations research and microeconomics as taught in the Bachelor program (VWL I, Operations Research I + II, Statistics I + II) and a familiarity with preferably the Python programming language.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Intelligent Agents and Decision Theory**

2540537, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)

#### Content

The key assumption of this lecture is that the concept of artificial intelligence is inseparably linked to the economic concept of rationality of agents. We consider different classes of decision problems - decisions under certainty, risk and uncertainty - from an economic, managerial and Al-engineering perspective:

From an economic point of view, we analyze how to act rationally in these situations based on classic utility theory. In this regard, the course also introduces the relevant parts of decision theory for dealing with

- multiple conflicting objectives,
- incomplete, risky and uncertain information about the world,
- assessing utility functions, and
- quantifying the value of information ...

From an engineering perspective, we discuss how to develop practical solutions for these decision problems, using appropriate AI components. We introduce

• a general, agent-based design framework for AI systems,

as well as AI methods from the fields of

- search (for decisions under certainty),
- inference (for decions under risk) and
- learning (for decisions under uncertainty).

Where applicable, the course highlights the theoretical ties of these methods with decision theory.

We conclude with a discussion of ethical and philosophical issues concerning the development and use of AI.

## Learning objectives

Students are able to design, analyze, implement, and evaluate intelligent agents.

#### **Lecture Outline**

- 1. Introduction: Artificial intelligence and the economic concept of rationality
- 2. Intelligent Agents: A general, agent-based design framework for AI systems
- 3. Decision under certainty: Assessing utility functions for decisions with multiple objectives
- 4. Search: Linear programming for decisions under certainty
- 5. Decisions under risk: The expected utility principle
- 6. Information systems: Improving economic decisions under risk
- 7. Inference: Bayesian networks for decisions under risk
- 8. Learning: Bayesian Networks (Basics)
- 9. Learning: Bayesian Networks (Algorithms I)
- 10. Learning: Bayesian Networks (Algorithms II)

Note: This rough outline may be subject to change.

## Literature

Bamberg, Coenenberg & Krapp (2019). Betriebswirtschaftliche Entscheidungslehre (16th ed.). Verlag Franz Vahlen GmbH.

Fishburn (1988). Nonlinear preference and utility theory. Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press.

Keeney & Raiffa (1993). Decisions with multiple objectives: preferences and value trade-offs. Cambridge University Press.

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Sutton & Barto (2018). Reinforcement learning: An introduction. Cambridge: MIT press.



# 6.158 Course: Interactive Computer Graphics [T-INFO-101269]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Carsten Dachsbacher **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100732 - Interactive Computer Graphics

TypeCredits<br/>Oral examinationGrading scale<br/>5Recurrence<br/>Each summer termVersion<br/>1

Events						
ST 2024	24679	Interaktive Computergrafik	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Schudeiske, Dachsbacher	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500123	Interactive Computer Graphics		_	Dachsbacher	

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.159 Course: International Business Development and Sales [T-WIWI-110985]

Responsible: Erice Casenave

Prof. Dr. Martin Klarmann Prof. Dr. Orestis Terzidis

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101488 - Entrepreneurship (EnTechnon)

M-WIWI-105312 - Marketing and Sales Management

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	see Annotations	1

Events						
WT 24/25	2572189	International Business	4 SWS	Block / <b>♀</b>	Klarmann, Terzidis,	
		Development and Sales			Schmitt	

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

Non exam assessment. The grade is based on the presentation, the subsequent discussion and the written elaboration.

#### **Annotation**

Please contact the Marketing and Sales Research Group for further information.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **International Business Development and Sales**

2572189, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Block (B) On-Site

#### Content

This course is offered as part of the EUCOR programme in cooperation with EM Strasbourg. Max. 10 students of KIT and max. 10 students of EM Strasbourg will develop a sales presentation in tandems (teams of 2). This is based on the value proposition of a business model.

An application is required to participate in this event. The application phase usually takes place at the beginning of the
lecture period. Further information on the application process can be found on the website of the Marketing and Sales
Research Group (marketing.iism.kit.edu) shortly before the start of the lecture period.

Total workload for 6 ECTS: about 180 hours.



# 6.160 Course: International Finance [T-WIWI-102646]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Marliese Uhrig-Homburg

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101480 - Finance 3 M-WIWI-101483 - Finance 2

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	3	Grade to a third	see Annotations	1

Events						
ST 2024	2530570	International Finance	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Walter, Uhrig- Homburg	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900097	International Finance			Uhrig-Homburg	
WT 24/25	7900052	International Finance			Uhrig-Homburg	

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The success control takes place in form of a written examination (60 min). If the number of participants is low, an oral examination may also be offered. The examination is offered every semester and can be repeated at any regular examination date.

# **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

# Annotation

The course is offered as a 14-day or block course.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **International Finance**

2530570, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

# **Organizational issues**

Kickoff am Mittwoch, 24.04.24, 15:45 - 19:00 Uhr im Raum 320 im Geb. 09.21 (Blücherstr. 17). Die Veranstaltung wird samstags als Blockveranstaltung angeboten, nach dem Kickoff nach Absprache.

# Literature

## Weiterführende Literatur:

- Eiteman, D. et al., Multinational Business Finance, 13. Auflage, 2012.
- Solnik, B. und D. McLeavey, Global Investments, 6. Auflage, 2008.



# 6.161 Course: Internet Law [T-INFO-101307]

Responsible: N.N.

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101215 - Intellectual Property Law

Type	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	3	Grade to a third	Each winter term	2

Events							
WT 24/25	24354	Internet Law	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗯	Sattler		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7500057	Internet Law			Sattler		
WT 24/25	7500060	Internet Law			Sattler		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 120 minutes.

## **Prerequisites**

The course Ausgewählte Rechtsfragen des Internetrechts T-INFO-108462 may not have started.

# Recommendation

None.

#### Annotation

Lecture (with written exam) Internet Law T-INFO-101307 is offered in the winter semester.

Colloquium (other type of examination) Selected Legal Issues in Internet Law \$T\$-INFO-108462 is offered in the summer semester.



# 6.162 Course: Internet of Everything [T-INFO-101337]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100800 - Internet of Everything

M-WIWI-104812 - Information Systems: Engineering and Transformation

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination4Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events	Events						
WT 24/25	24104	Internet of Everything	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Zitterbart, Mahrt, Neumeister, Hildenbrand		
Exams							
ST 2024	7500071	Internet of Everything			Zitterbart		
WT 24/25	7500009	Internet of Everything			Zitterbart		



# 6.163 Course: Introduction to Bayesian Statistics for Analyzing Data [T-WIWI-110918]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Benjamin Scheibehenne

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-103117 - Data Science: Data-Driven Information Systems

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 4,5 Grade to a third Each term 2

Exams			
ST 2024	7900251	Introduction to Bayesian Statistics for Analyzing Data	Scheibehenne

## **Competence Certificate**

Grades will be based on active participation (50%) and homework assignments (50%). The points system for the assessment is determined by the lecturer of the course. It will be announced at the beginning of the course.

## **Prerequisites**

Participants should already have a basic knowledge of R and standard frequentist statistical tests. Please bring your own Laptop with you as we will be using R for several hands-on examples and exercises during the class. We will mainly work with the book "Statistical Rethinking. A Bayesian Course with Examples in R and Stan" by Richard McElrath. Students are advised to obtain the book before the class starts.

#### **Annotation**

Due to its interactive nature, the number of participants will be limited.



# 6.164 Course: Introduction to Bioinformatics for Computer Scientists [T-INFO-101286]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Alexandros Stamatakis **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100749 - Introduction to Bioinformatics for Computer Scientists

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Oral examination	3	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events						
WT 24/25	2400055	Introduction to Bioinformatics for Computer Scientists	2 SWS	Lecture / 🕃	Stamatakis	
Exams	Exams					
WT 24/25	7500057	Introduction to Bioinformatics for Computer Scientists			Stamatakis	

## Recommendation

Grundlegende Kenntnisse in den Bereichen der theoretischen Informatik (Algorithmen, Datenstrukturen) und der technischen Informatik (sequentielle Optimierung in C oder C++, Rechnerarchitekturen, parallele Programmierung, Vektorprozessoren) werden vorausgesetzt.



# 6.165 Course: Introduction to Quantum Computing (IQC) [T-INFO-112344]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Bernhard Beckert

Prof. Dr.-Ing. Ina Schaefer

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106101 - Introduction to Quantum Computing (IQC)

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Written examination 3 Grade to a third Each winter term 1

Exams			
ST 2024	7500342	Introduction to Quantum Computing (IQC)	Schaefer, Beckert



# 6.166 Course: Introduction to Stochastic Optimization [T-WIWI-106546]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Steffen Rebennack

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-102832 - Operations Research in Supply Chain Management

M-WIWI-103289 - Stochastic Optimization

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach summer term 3

Events	Events						
ST 2024	2550470	Introduction to Stochastic Optimization	2 SWS	Lecture /	Rebennack		
ST 2024	2550471	Übung zur Einführung in die Stochastische Optimierung	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Rebennack, Kandora		
ST 2024	2550474	Rechnerübung zur Einführung in die Stochastische Optimierung	2 SWS	Others (sons	Rebennack, Kandora		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7900311	Introduction to Stochastic Optimization			Rebennack		
WT 24/25	7900242	Introduction to Stochastic Optimizat	Rebennack				

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 minutes). The exam takes place in every semester.

# **Prerequisites**

None.



# 6.167 Course: Introduction to Video Analysis [T-INFO-101273]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jürgen Beyerer **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100736 - Introduction to Video Analysis

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination3Grade to a thirdEach summer term1

Events						
ST 2024	24684	Introduction to Video Analysis	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Arens	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500031	Introduction to Video Analysis			Beyerer, Arens	
WT 24/25	7500099	Introduction to Video Analysis			Beyerer, Arens	

 $\textit{Legend:} \ \overline{\blacksquare} \ \textit{Online}, \ \textcircled{\$} \ \textit{Blended} \ (\textit{On-Site/Online}), \ \P \cdot \textit{On-Site}, \ \textbf{x} \ \textit{Cancelled}$ 



# 6.168 Course: IT Security [T-INFO-112818]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade

TT-Prof. Dr. Christian Wressnegger

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106315 - IT Security

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	6	Grade to a third	Each winter term	2

Events								
WT 24/25	2400010	IT Security	4 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Müller-Quade, Wressnegger, Martin, Tiepelt			
Exams								
ST 2024	7500024	IT Security			Wressnegger, Müller- Quade, Strufe, Hartenstein			

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 90 minutes.

## **Prerequisites**

None.

# Recommendation

Students should be familiar with the content of the compulsory lecture "Informationssicherheit".



# 6.169 Course: IT-Security Management for Networked Systems [T-INFO-101323]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Hannes Hartenstein **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100786 - IT-Security Management for Networked Systems

M-WIWI-101458 - Ubiquitous Computing

M-WIWI-104812 - Information Systems: Engineering and Transformation

Type Oral examination Credits Grading scale Grade to a third Recurrence Each winter term 1

Events								
WT 24/25	24149	IT-Security Management for Networked Systems	3 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Hartenstein, Droll, Grundmann			
Exams								
ST 2024	7500599	IT-Security Management for Networked Systems			Hartenstein			
WT 24/25	7500599	IT-Security Management for Networked Systems			Hartenstein			



## 6.170 Course: Joint Entrepreneurship Summer School [T-WIWI-109064]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Orestis Terzidis

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101488 - Entrepreneurship (EnTechnon)

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Irregular	1

Events					
ST 2024	2500037	Joint Entrepreneurship School Egypt	4 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Terzidis, Mohammadi
ST 2024	2545021	Joint Entrepreneurship School China	4 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Kleinn, Terzidis, Mohammadi
Exams					
ST 2024	7900328	Joint Entrepreneurship Summer S	Joint Entrepreneurship Summer School (Egypt)		
ST 2024	7900346	Joint Entrepreneurship Summer S	Joint Entrepreneurship Summer School (China)		

Legend: Online, & Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The learning control of the program (Summer School) consists of two parts:

#### A) Investor Pitch:

Based on a presentation (investor pitch) in front of a jury, the insights gained and developed during the course of the event are presented and the business idea presented. Among other things, the presentation performance of the team, the structured content and the logical consistency of the business idea are evaluated. The exact evaluation criteria will be announced in the course.

### B) Written elaboration:

The second part of the assessment is a written report. The iterative knowledge gain of the entire event is systematically logged and can be further supplemented by the contents of the presentation. The report documents key action steps, applied methods, findings, market analyzes and interviews and prepares them in writing. The exact structure and requirements will be announced in the course.

The grade consists of 50% presentation performance and 50% written preparation. The points system for the assessment is determined by the lecturer of the course. It will be announced at the beginning of the course.

### Prerequisites

The Summer School is aimed at master students of KIT. Prerequisite is the participation in the selection process.

#### Recommendation

We recommend basic business knowledge, the lecture Entrepreneurship as well as openness and interest in intercultural exchange. Solid knowledge of the English language is an advantage.

#### Annotation

The working language during the Summer School is English. A one-week stay in China is part of the Summer School.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## Joint Entrepreneurship School Egypt

2500037, SS 2024, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

During the Summer School in Egypt and Karlsruhe, students develop a business model of technologies and patents developed at KIT in workshops in German-Egypt tandems over the period of two weeks.

### **Organizational issues**

· Briefing: April / May

• Karlsruhe: Presumably: 29/7 to 2/8 - 2024

• Cairo: Presumably: 1/9 -5/9 - 2024

Deliverables: October 2024



## Joint Entrepreneurship School China

2545021, SS 2024, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

During the Summer School in Shanghai and Karlsruhe, students develop a business model of technologies and patents developed at KIT in workshops in German-Chinese tandems over the period of two weeks.

Click on our website for detailed information and a video: https://etm.entechnon.kit.edu/english/1095.php

## Organizational issues

Dates:

• Briefing: April / May

Karlsruhe: Presumably: August 05-09.2024Shanghai: Presumably: September 23-27.2024

• Deliverables: November 2024



## 6.171 Course: Judgement and Decision Making [T-WIWI-111099]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Benjamin Scheibehenne

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-105312 - Marketing and Sales Management

M-WIWI-105923 - Incentives, Interactivity & Decisions in Organizations

M-WIWI-106258 - Digital Marketing

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Expansion	Version
Examination of another type	4,5	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1 terms	2

Events						
WT 24/25	2500041	Exercise Judgment and Decision Making	2 SWS	Practice / 😘	Scheibehenne	
WT 24/25	2540440	Judgment and Decision Making	3 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Scheibehenne	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900001	Judgement and Decision Making			Scheibehenne	

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment. The grading includes the following aspects:

- a written exam (60 minutes)
- a presentation during the exercise.

The scoring system for the grading will be announced at the beginning of the course.

#### **Prerequisites**

Registration via the CAMPUS Portal is required

for participation in the Übung. The Übung is a prerequisite for the exam.

#### Annotation

The judgments and decisions that we make can have long ranging and important consequences for our (financial) well-being and individual health. Hence, the goal of this lecture is to gain a better understanding of how people make judgments and decisions and the factors that influences their behavior. We will look into simple heuristics and mental shortcuts that decision makers use to navigate their environment, in particular so in an economic context. Following this the lecture will provide an overview into social and emotional influences on decision making. In the second half of the semester we will look into some more specific topics including self-control, nudging, and food choice. The last part of the lecture will focus on risk communication and risk perception. We will address these questions from an interdisciplinary perspective at the intersection of Psychology, Behavioral Economics, Marketing, Cognitive Science, and Biology. Across all topics covered in class, we will engage with basic theoretical work as well as with groundbreaking empirical research and current scientific debates.

The workload of the class is 4.5 ECTS. This consists of 3 ETCS for the lecture and 1.5 ETCS for the Übung. Details about the Übung will be communicated at the first day of the class.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Judgment and Decision Making**

2540440, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

In this lecture, students will be introduced to fundamental theories and key insights on human judgment and decision making. Topics include decision making under uncertainty, choice biases, simple heuristics, risk perception and -communication, as well as social and emotional influences on decision making, to name but a few. In the Wintersemester 20/21 this class will be held online. The lecture videos will be available for download and there will be regular online meetings to discuss the topics. The lecture will be held in English.

### **Organizational issues**

**Eine Anmeldung zur Übung ist erforderlich.** (2500041 – Übung zur Vorlesung Judgment and Decision Making (WS 24/25)). Die Übung zur Vorlesung ist eine notwendige Voraussetzung, um die Klausur zu schreiben. Die Plätze sind begrenzt.

Die Vorlesung findet Montags von 11:30 Uhr bis 13 Uhr in Raum 221 statt.

Registration for the *Übung* is required in order to attend the lecture and take the exam (2500041 – *Übung* for the lecture Judgment and Decision Making (Winter Semester 24/25)). Participation is limited.

The lecture takes place on Mondays from 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM in Room 221.



# 6.172 Course: KD<sup>2</sup>Lab Hands-On Research Course: New Ways and Tools in Experimental Economics [T-WIWI-111109]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101446 - Market Engineering

M-WIWI-103118 - Data Science: Data-Driven User Modeling M-WIWI-104080 - Designing Interactive Information Systems

M-WIWI-105923 - Incentives, Interactivity & Decisions in Organizations

**Type**Examination of another type

Credits 4,5 **Grading scale** Grade to a third Recurrence Irregular

Expansion 1 terms

Version 1

### **Competence Certificate**

Non exam assessment. Grading will be based on a continuous basis throughout the semester. The assessment consists of:

- · A written paper, and
- a group presentation with subsequent discussion and question and answer session of 30 minutes.

For particularly active and constructive participation in the discussions of other papers during the final presentation, a bonus of one grade level (0.3 or 0.4) can be achieved on the passed exam. Details on the grading will be announced at the beginning of the event.

#### **Annotation**

The number of participants is limited due to laboratory capacity and to ensure optimal supervision of the project groups. Places are allocated on the basis of preferences and suitability for the topics. Previous knowledge in the field of experimental economic research is particularly important.

The course cannot be offered in the summer semester 2024.



## 6.173 Course: Knowledge Discovery [T-WIWI-102666]

Responsible: Dr.-Ing. Tobias Käfer

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101456 - Intelligent Systems and Services

M-WIWI-106804 - Advanced Topics in AI: Graph Neural Networks and Language Models

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence See Annotations 3

Events						
WT 24/25		Knowledge Discovery, Graph Neural Networks, and Language Models	3 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Käfer, Shao	

## **Competence Certificate**

The examination will be offered for the last time in the winter semester 2024/2025. The last examination opportunity (only for repeaters) will take place in the summer semester 2025.

Instead of a final written exam, the record of achievement will be measured via project work, exercise assignments, and presentations. Specifically, the students will collaborate in groups of 3-4 to complete a comprehensive project which included a project proposal, mid-term report, and final report, cumulatively contributing 50% to their overall grade. Additionally, students will showcase their understanding of course material through the timely submission of three short assignments (totaling 25% of their grade). During the course, students will showcase their proficiency in public speaking and critical analysis by delivering engaging class presentations and discussions (25% of the grade).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Annotation

The course will no longer be offered from winter semester 2024/2025.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



 $Knowledge\ Discovery,\ Graph\ Neural\ Networks,\ and\ Language\ Models$ 

2511303, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ) Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

The lecture provides a comprehensive overview of various approaches in machine learning and data mining for knowledge extraction. It explores multiple fields, including machine learning, natural language processing, and knowledge representation. The main focus is on discovering patterns and regularities in extensive data sets, particularly unstructured text found in news articles, publications, and social media. This process is known as knowledge discovery. The lecture delves into specific techniques, methods, challenges, as well as current and future research topics within this field.

One part of the lecture is dedicated to understanding large language models (LLMs), such as ChatGPT, by exploring their underlying principles, training methods, and applications. Additionally, the lecture dives into graph representation learning, which involves extracting meaningful representations from graph data. It covers the mathematical foundations of graph and geometric deep learning, highlighting the latest applications in areas like explainable recommender systems.

Moreover, the lecture highlights the integration of knowledge graphs with large language models, known as neurosymbolic AI. This integration aims to combine structured and unstructured data to enhance knowledge extraction and representation.

The content of the lecture encompasses the entire machine learning and data mining process. It covers topics on supervised and unsupervised learning techniques, as well as empirical evaluation. Various learning methods are explored, ranging from classical approaches like decision trees, support vector machines, and neural networks to more recent advancements such as graph neural networks.

#### Learning obectives:

#### Students

- know fundamentals of Machine Learning, Data Mining and Knowledge Discovery.
- are able to design, train and evaluate adaptive systems.
- conduct Knowledge Discovery projects in regards to algorithms, representations and applications.

#### Workload:

- The total workload for this course is approximately 135 hours
- Time of presentness: 45 hours
- Time of preperation and postprocessing: 60 hours
- Exam and exam preperation: 30 hours

#### Literature

- T. Hastie, R. Tibshirani, J. Friedman. The Elements of Statistical Learning: Data Mining, Inference, and Prediction (http://www-stat.stanford.edu/~tibs/ElemStatLearn/)
- T. Mitchell. Machine Learning. 1997
- M. Berhold, D. Hand (eds). Intelligent Data Analysis An Introduction. 2003
- P. Tan, M. Steinbach, V. Kumar: Introduction to Data Mining, 2005, Addison Wesley



## 6.174 Course: Lab Course Heterogeneous Computing [T-INFO-108447]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Karl
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-104072 - Lab Course Heterogeneous Computing

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionExamination of another type6Grade to a thirdIrregular1



## 6.175 Course: Lab Project: Speech Translation [T-INFO-112175]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Jan Niehues

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105997 - Lab Project: Speech Translation

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionExamination of another type6Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

 Events

 WT 24/25
 2400150
 Praktikum Speech Translation
 4 SWS
 Practical course / ● Niehues, Dinh

Legend: █ Online, ເ➡ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Praktikum Speech Translation**

2400150, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
On-Site

#### Content

Through the use of deep learning technologies, the quality of machine translation of text and speech has improved significantly in recent years. In this internship, the students develop a language translation system for a new language pair using state-of-the-art methods.

In the first part of the internship, the students are introduced step-by-step to the development of a translation system and its evaluation. For this, the different subtasks have to be solved. In the second part of the internship, the students should investigate different improvements of the system independently.

## **Organizational issues**

Findet im Raum 223 an unserem Institut statt:

Mittwochs, 11:30 - 13:00 Uhr



## 6.176 Course: Lab: Efficient Parallel C++ [T-INFO-106992]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-103506 - Lab: Efficient Parallel C++

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Irregular	1

Events				
WT 24/25	2400195	Efficient parallel C++	4 SWS	 Sanders, Witt, Schimek, Williams

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an examination of another type (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 3 SPO).

#### Recommendation

At least basic knowledge of the C++ language is necessary for participation in the course. Students should be able to implement given algorithms.



## 6.177 Course: Lab: Graph Visualization in Practice [T-INFO-106580]

**Responsible:** Dr. rer. nat. Torsten Ueckerdt **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-103302 - Lab: Graph Visualization in Practice

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	5	Grade to a third	Irregular	1



## 6.178 Course: Lab: Internet of Things (IoT) [T-INFO-107493]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jörg Henkel **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-103706 - Lab: Internet of Things (IoT)

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4	Grade to a third	Each term	1

Events					
ST 2024	2424304	Internet of Things (IoT) Lab	4 SWS	Practical course /	Henkel, Balaskas, Siddhu
WT 24/25	2424304	Internet of Things (IoT) Lab	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Siddhu, Mentzos, Henkel
Exams					
ST 2024	7500187	Lab: Internet of Things (IoT)	Lab: Internet of Things (IoT)		
WT 24/25	7500183	Lab: Internet of Things (IoT)			Henkel

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## Internet of Things (IoT) Lab

2424304, SS 2024, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
Online

#### Content

#### For registration please use ILIAS too, in order to follow the course!

Welcome to the Internet of Things (IoT) world, where millions of connected devices are now involved almost in our everyday life, including our homes, offices, transportation, and our healthcare, from home appliances, vehicles, smartphones to wearable devices like smartwatches. IoT is growing very fast and spreads very quickly.

Overview: This lab aims at providing the student with the practical concept of IoT systems design.

- It provides an overview of the IoT systems' aspects including embedded intelligence, connectivity, interaction with the
  physical world, etc.
- It covers the main design and implementation issues for IoT devices and their applications. These issues challenge the students to tailor smart techniques to optimize the embedded software on IoT devices to meet the constrained resources.
- The students gain in-depth practical experiences in embedded system design with a focus on IoT applications as well as communication in connected devices.

#### Lab's Goals:

- The students will understand the main concept of IoT systems including the design objectives, application domains, and their requirements, design challenges, etc.
- The students will gain the ability to develop software programs for the IoT embedded devices, implement the code on the hardware, conduct the tests, find the bugs and errors, and debug the software code on the hardware.
- The students shall be able to implement and apply the concepts that are critical in the IoT domain, e.g. low power design, security, etc.
- The students will be able to develop, integrate and evaluate a small IoT system with its main components: sensors to get data from the physical world, the embedded processor for control the device and process the data, wireless radio to transmit the data from the device to the Internet, storage (on the Internet or on a Smart Phone) to keep the data for further analysis.

#### **Target Audience:**

This lab is also suitable for electrical engineering students and those who have an interest in embedded systems design.

#### Prerequisites:

- The ability to develop software programs in C or C++ is recommended.
- Basic knowledge about other programming languages can be helpful (e.g., Java or Python)

#### **Details:**

- The lab manuals and exercises are available in English.
- The lab is split into weekly sessions throughout the semester. Each session is approximate ~4hours per week. At the end of the semester, there would be a final project.
- The state-of-the-art low-power IoT boards and the corresponding development software, are used in the lab. Currently, Texas Instrument (TI) CC1350 microcontroller, and the latest version of Code Composer Studio is the base platform.
- The exercises in the lab are based on the TI repository. But for the final projects, the students have the flexibility to design their desired systems.



### Internet of Things (IoT) Lab

2424304, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
On-Site

#### Content

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  analysis.

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 This lab is also suitable for electrical engineering and informatics' students and those who have an interest in embedded systems design.

#### **Prerequisites:**

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- Basic knowledge about other programming languages can be helpful (e.g., Java or Python)

#### **Details:**

- The lab manuals and exercises are conducted only in English.
- The lab is split into weekly sessions throughout the semester. Each session is approximately 3-4 hours per week. At the end of the semester, there would be a final project.
- The state-of-the-art low-power IoT boards and the corresponding development software, are used in the lab. Currently, Texas Instrument (TI) CC1350 microcontroller, and the latest version of Code Composer Studio is the base platform.
- The exercises in the lab are based on the TI repository. But for the final projects, the students have the flexibility to design their desired systems.



## 6.179 Course: Lab: Low Power Design and Embedded Systems [T-INFO-108323]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jörg Henkel **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-104031 - Lab: Low Power Design and Embedded Systems

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4	Grade to a third	Each term	2

Events						
ST 2024	2424811	Low Power Design and Embedded Systems	4 SWS	Practical course / 😘	Henkel, Gonzalez, Khdr	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500158	Lab: Low Power Design and Embedded Systems			Henkel	

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Low Power Design and Embedded Systems**

2424811, SS 2024, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content Lab Description

Nowadays, power and energy consumption are two of the most important criteria in the design of on-chip applications. Other design constraints, such as performance, were dominant in the past, but now it is imperative to optimize for low power, since on-chip temperature and battery life are limiting design factors on modern multi/many core systems.

This lab explores different software and hardware approaches for power and energy reduction on modern embedded systems, considering other relevant metrics and constraints (eg, temperature, performance, chip area).

## First part: software effects on power and performance

The first part of the lab consists of an exploration and analysis of the effect of different resource management techniques on a many-core platform, to optimize for a specific metric (e.g. energy, power, temperature) under predefined application constraints (e.g. performance).

#### Second part: hardware / software co-design

The second part of the lab consists of a Hardware/Software Co-design exploration using the High-Level Synthesis (HLS) technique. This technique takes a C/C++ code implementation and produces a hardware accelerator module from a function, which is then synthesized for a Field Programable Gate Array (FPGA) device.

This part explores the trade-off between performance, speed, power and area usage in the design of HW/SW systems.

### Third Part: Demo in Thermal Lab

As part of the course, there will be access to the CES thermal lab, in which an experiment will be carried out to analyze the effect of power and temperature on a real board setup, using a thermal camera.

Preliminary discussion appointment: it will be announced via email to all registrants.

Note: The lab is given as a full week block the week after the end of the lecture period.



## 6.180 Course: Laboratory Course Algorithm Engineering [T-INFO-104374]

Responsible: TT-Prof. Dr. Thomas Bläsius

Dr. rer. nat. Torsten Ueckerdt

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102072 - Laboratory Course Algorithm Engineering

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Irregular	1

Events					
WT 24/25	2424305	Practical Course in Algorithm Design	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Feilhauer, Bläsius, Zündorf

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Practical Course in Algorithm Design**

2424305, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
On-Site

#### Content

In the practical course Algorithm Engineering the students are given miscallaneous questions from algorithmics, which they have to implement independently in small working groups. The main focus lies on object oriented programming with Java or C++. Linear programming may also occur.

**Prerequisites:** Knowledge of the lecture Algorithms II is recommended.

#### Learning Goals:

The purpose of the practical course in algorithm design is to make learned knowledge work. The students are given varying topics from algorithmics, which they have to implement in small working groups. Possible Topics are, for exmaple, algorithms for flow problems, shortest path problems, or clustering techniques. In this way students learn to write efficient code.

**Workload:** Praktikum mit 4SWS, 6 LP 6 LP entspricht ca. 180 Arbeitsstunden

#### **Organizational issues**

Anmeldeverfahren siehe Veranstaltungswebsite



## 6.181 Course: Laboratory in Cryptoanalysis [T-INFO-102990]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101559 - Laboratory in Cryptoanalysis

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Each term	1

Events					
ST 2024	24881	Laboratory: Cryptanalysis	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Müller-Quade, Geiselmann, Berger, Bayreuther
Exams					
ST 2024	7500111	Laboratory in Cryptanalysis			Geiselmann, Müller- Quade

Legend: 
☐ Online, 
☐ Blended (On-Site/Online), 
☐ On-Site, 
☐ Cancelled



## 6.182 Course: Laboratory in Cryptography [T-INFO-102989]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101558 - Laboratory in Cryptography

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events					
WT 24/25	24301	Laboratory Cryptography and Security	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Bayreuther, Berger, Müller-Quade

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Laboratory Cryptography and Security**

24301, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
On-Site

#### Content

The lab covers different areas of computer security and cryptography. The topics are presented theoretically and are implemented afterwards. Covered topics are:

- Historical encryption
- EC-card PINs
- Block ciphers
- Efficient long number arithmetic
- ElGamal encryption / signature



## 6.183 Course: Laboratory in Security [T-INFO-102991]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101560 - Laboratory in Security

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionExamination of another type4Grade to a thirdEach winter term1



## 6.184 Course: Large-scale Optimization [T-WIWI-106549]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Steffen Rebennack

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming

M-WIWI-102832 - Operations Research in Supply Chain Management

M-WIWI-103289 - Stochastic Optimization

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach summer term 3

Events							
ST 2024	2550475	Large-Scale Optimization 2 SWS Lecture /		Lecture /	Rebennack		
ST 2024	2550476	Übung zu Large-Scale Optimization	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Bijiga, Rebennack		
ST 2024	2550477	Rechnerübung zu Large-scale Optimization	2 SWS	Others (sons	Rebennack, Bijiga		
Exams							
ST 2024	7900291	Large-scale Optimization			Rebennack		
WT 24/25	7900244	Large-scale Optimization			Rebennack		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 minutes). The exam takes place in every semester.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.



## 6.185 Course: Leadership and Innovation [T-WIWI-113716]

Responsible: Eva Schulz-Kamm

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101507 - Innovation Management M-WIWI-101507 - Innovation Management

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**Type** Examination of another type

Credits 3 **Grading scale**Grade to a third

**Recurrence** Each summer term

Version 1

#### **Competence Certificate**

Non exam assessment consisting of a presentation of the results and a seminar paper (written in the group).

The grade is composed of 70% of the grade for the written work and 30% of the grade for the presentation.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

Prior attendance of the course Innovation Management is recommended.



## 6.186 Course: Liberalised Power Markets [T-WIWI-107043]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Wolf Fichtner

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101451 - Energy Economics and Energy Markets

M-WIWI-102808 - Digital Service Systems in Industry

TypeCredits<br/>Written examinationGrading scale<br/>5,5Recurrence<br/>Each winter termVersion<br/>2

Events							
WT 24/25	2581998	Liberalised Power Markets	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Fichtner		
WT 24/25	2581999	Übungen zu Liberalised Power Markets	2 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Signer, Fichtner, Beranek		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7900205	Liberalised Power Markets NEW			Fichtner		
ST 2024	7900253	Liberalised Power Markets			Fichtner		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 minutes) (following §4(2) of the examination regulation). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. Depending on the respective pandemic situation, the exam may be offered as an open book exam (alternative exam assessment, following §4(2), 3 of the examination regulation).

#### Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Liberalised Power Markets**

2581998, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

#### 1. Power markets in the past, now and in future

#### 2. Designing liberalised power markets

- 2.1. Unbundling Dimensions of liberalised power markets
- 2.2. Central dispatch versus markets without central dispatch
- 2.3. The short-term market model
- 2.4. The long-term market model
- 2.5. Market flaws and market failure
- 2.6. Regulation in liberalised markets

#### 3. The power (sub)markets

- 3.1 Day-ahead market
- 3.2 Intraday market
- 3.3 (Long-term) Forwards and futures markets
- 3.4 Emission rights market
- 3.5 Market for ancillary services
- 3.6 The "market" for renewable energies
- 3.7 Future market segments

#### 4. Grid operation and congestion management

- 4.1. Grid operation
- 4.2. Congestion management

### 5. Market power

- 5.1. Defining market power
- 5.2. Indicators of market power
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### Literature

## Weiterführende Literatur:

Power System Economics; Steven Stoft, IEEE Press/Wiley-Interscience Press, 0-471-15040-1



## 6.187 Course: Life Cycle Assessment - Basics and Application Possibilities in an Industrial Context [T-WIWI-113107]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Frank Schultmann

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management Part of: M-WIWI-101412 - Industrial Production III

M-WIWI-101471 - Industrial Production II

Credits **Grading scale** Recurrence Type Version 3,5 Grade to a third Each winter term Written examination 1

Events	Events						
WT 24/25	24/25 2581995 Life Cycle Assessment - Basics and Application Possibilities in an Industrial Context		2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Treml, Schultmann, Schneider		
Exams							
ST 2024	7981995	Life Cycle Assessment - Basics and Application Possibilities in an Industrial Context			Schultmann		

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of an oral (approx. 30 minutes) or written exam (60 minutes) (following §4(2) of the examination regulation). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. Depending on the respective pandemic situation, the exam may be offered as an open book exam (alternative exam assessment, following §4(2), 3 of the examination regulation).

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

## Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## Life Cycle Assessment - Basics and Application Possibilities in an Industrial Context

2581995, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

## Content

The lecture focuses on the analysis of the environmental impacts of products and processes using Life Cycle Assessment (short: LCA). Structure and steps are conveyed in detail and selected further developments are shown. In order to record the methodology and classify potential environmental impacts, the practical development of what has been learned is also focused on using LCA software and interactive formats.

#### Topics include:

- Significance and areas of application
- Calculation models
- Attributional/Consequential LCA
- Life Cycle Sustainability Assessment, Social LCA and Life Cycle Costing
- Limitations
- Development of a Case Study

#### Literature

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## 6.188 Course: Introduction to Quantum Machine Learning [T-INFO-113556]

**Responsible:** Dr. Eileen Kühn

Dr. Max Kühn

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106742 - Introduction to Quantum Machine Learning

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	3	Grade to a third	Each summer term	2

Events						
ST 2024	024 2400158 Einführung ins Quantum Machine Learning		2 SWS	Lecture / 🖥	Kühn, Kühn	
Exams	Exams					
ST 2024	7500364	ntroduction to Quantum Machine Learning			Kühn, Kühn	

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment takes the form of a written examination (usually 60 minutes) in accordance with Section 4 (2) No. 1 SPO.

Depending on the number of participants, it will be announced six weeks before the examination (§ 6 Para. 3 SPO) whether the assessment will take place

- in the form of an oral examination in accordance with § 4 Para. 2 No. 2 SPO or
- in the form of a written examination in accordance with § 4 Para. 2 No. 1 SPO.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.



## 6.189 Course: Localization of Mobile Agents [T-INFO-101377]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Uwe Hanebeck **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100840 - Localization of Mobile Agents

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Oral examination	6	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events							
ST 2024	24613	Localization of Mobile Agents	3 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Hanebeck, Frisch		
Exams							
ST 2024	7500004	Localization of Mobile Agents			Hanebeck		
WT 24/25	7500020	Localization of Mobile Agents			Hanebeck		

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Localization of Mobile Agents**

24613, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

This module provides a systematic introduction into the topic of localization methods. In order to facilitate understanding, the module is divided into four main topics. Dead reckoning treats the instantaneous determination of a vehicle's position based on dynamic parameters like velocity or steering angle. Localization with the help of measurements of known landmarks is part of static localization. In addition to the closed-form solutions for particular measurements (distances and angles), the least squares method for fusion arbitrary measurements is also introduced. Dynamic localization treats the combination of dead reckoning and static localization. The central part of the lecture is the derivation of the Kalman filter, which has been successfully applied in several practical applications. Finally, simultaneous localization and mapping (SLAM) is introduced, which allows localization in case of (partly) unknown landmark positions.

#### Organizational issues

Prüfungsterminvorschläge und das Verfahren dazu sind auf der Webseite der Vorlesung zu finden.

#### Literature

Grundlegende Kenntnisse der linearen Algebra und Stochastik sind hilfreich.



## 6.190 Course: Logical Foundations of Cyber-Physical Systems [T-INFO-112360]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. André Platzer

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106102 - Logical Foundations of Cyber-Physical Systems

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	6	Grade to a third	Each winter term	3

Events						
WT 24/25	2400161	Logical Foundations of Cyber- Physical Systems	4 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Platzer	

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is usually carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 120 minutes.

A bonus can be earned by successful participation in the exercises. In order to receive a bonus, you must earn 50% of the points for solving the exercises in the first half and 50% of the points in the second half. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by one grade level (0.3 or 0.4).

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Recommendation

The course assumes prior exposure to basic computer programming and mathematical reasoning. This course covers the basic required mathematical and logical background of cyber-physical systems. You will be expected to follow the textbook as needed: André Platzer. Logical Foundations of Cyber-Physical Systems. Springer 2018. DOI:10.1007/978-3-319-63588-0

#### Annotation

Course web page: https://lfcps.org/course/lfcps.html



## 6.191 Course: Low Power Design [T-INFO-101344]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jörg Henkel **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100807 - Low Power Design

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination3Grade to a thirdEach summer term1

Events							
ST 2024	2424672	Low Power Design	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Henkel, Khdr, Siddhu, Pfeiffer		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7500200	VL: Low Power Design			Henkel		

Legend: ☐ Online, 🍪 Blended (On-Site/Online), 🗣 On-Site, x Cancelled

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Low Power Design**

2424672, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

Smart embedded devices driven by advances in fields as diverse as automotive smart home, to high-tech like lithography or battery technology for IoT devices are now omnipresent in our lives. Today's consumers have very high expectations from the embedded devices they own. Many emerging technologies such as virtual reality, robotics and artificial intelligence are limited in scope only by the performance of the underlying embedded devices. Unfortunately, performance of embedded devices is inherently constrained both by their limited cost, size as well as heat dissipating capacity and their limited on-board battery. The fact that all contemporary smartphones have multi-core chips running at low frequencies instead of single-core chips running at high frequencies can be attributed directly to the power consumption constraints imposed on them.

The constraints mandate highly optimized hardware-software co-design techniques for embedded devices that allows extraction of maximum performance with minimal power consumption. A good low power design requires all three building blocks of an embedded device – hardware, software and operating system – to work together synergistically. The lectures cover all the three aspects alongside their interactions from a low power design perspective in depth.

The lecture provides an overview of design methods, synthesis tools, estimation models, software techniques, operating system strategies, scheduling algorithms, etc., with the aim of minimizing the power consumption of embedded devices without compromising their performance. Both the research-relevant and industry-prevalent topics at different level of abstractions (from circuit to system) are discussed in this lecture.

Recommendations: Module "Entwurf und Architekturen für eingebettete Systeme". Basic knowledge from the module "Optimierung und Synthese Eingebetteter Systeme" is helpful but not essential for understanding of this lecture. The lecture is equally suitable for students from both computer science as well as electrical engineering department.

Students are made aware of various low power design optimizations employed in state-of-the-art embedded devices. At the end of the lecture, the students will be able to recognize the challenges involved in crafting efficient low power designs and how to tackle them.



## 6.192 Course: Machine Learning - Foundations and Algorithms [T-INFO-111558]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Gerhard Neumann **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105778 - Machine Learning - Foundations and Algorithms

Type	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	6	Grade to a third	Each summer term	2

Events	Events						
ST 2024	2400018	Machine Learning – Foundations and Algorithms	Neumann				
Exams							
ST 2024	7500215	Machine Learning - Foundations and	Machine Learning - Foundations and Algorithms				
WT 24/25	7500292	Machine Learning - Foundations and	Machine Learning - Foundations and Algorithms				

Legend: ☐ Online, 🍪 Blended (On-Site/Online), 🗣 On-Site, 🗙 Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The success control takes place in the form of a written exam, usually 90 minutes in length, according to § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 1 SPO.

A bonus can be acquired through successful participation in the exercise as a success control of a different kind (§4(2), 3 SPO 2008) or study performance (§4(3) SPO 2015). The exact criteria for awarding a bonus will be announced at the beginning of the lecture. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by one grade level (0.3 or 0.4). The bonus is only valid for the main and post exams of the semester in which it was earned. After that, the grade bonus expires.

#### **Prerequisites**

none.

### Recommendation

- Attendance of the lecture "Foundations of Artificial Intelligence" ("Grundlagen der Künstlichen Intelligence")
- Knowledge in python
- Mathematics-heavy lecture. The basics will be reviewed, but mathematical proficiency is helpful



## 6.193 Course: Machine Learning 1 - Basic Methods [T-WIWI-106340]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Johann Marius Zöllner

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-103356 - Machine Learning

TypeCredits<br/>Written examinationGrading scale<br/>4,5Recurrence<br/>Each winter termVersion<br/>4

Events					
WT 24/25	2511500	Machine Learning 1 - Fundamental Methods	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Zöllner
WT 24/25	2511501	Exercises to Machine Learning 1 - 1 SWS Practice / \$\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\		Zöllner, Polley, Fechner, Daaboul	
Exams					
ST 2024	79AIFB_ML1_C4	Machine Learning 1 - Basic Methods	Machine Learning 1 - Basic Methods (Registration until 15 July 2024)		
WT 24/25	79AIFB_ML1_C5	Machine Learning 1 - Basic Methods			Zöllner

#### Competence Certificate

Depending on further pandemic developments, the exam will be offered either as an open-book exam, or as a written exam (60 min):

The exam takes place every semester and can be repeated at every regular examination date.

A grade bonus can be earned by successfully completing practice exercises. If the grade of the written exam is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by up to one grade level (0.3 or 0.4). Details will be announced in the lecture.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## Machine Learning 1 - Fundamental Methods 2511500, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

The course prepares students for the rapidly evolving field of machine learning by providing a solid foundation, covering core concepts and techniques to get started in the field. Students delve into different methods in supervised, unsupervised, and reinforcement learning, as well as various model types, ranging from basic linear classifiers to more complex methods, such as deep neural networks. Topics include general learning theory, support vector machines, decision trees, neural network fundamentals, convolutional neural networks, recurrent neural networks, unsupervised learning, reinforcement learning, and Bayesian learning.

The course is accompanied by a corresponding exercise, where students gain hands-on experience by implementing and experimenting with different machine learning algorithms, helping them to apply machine learning algorithms on real world problems.

By the end of the course, students will have acquired a solid foundation in machine learning, enabling them to apply state-of-the-art algorithms to solve complex problems, contribute to research efforts, and explore advanced topics in the field.

#### Learning obectives:

- Students acquire knowledge of the fundamental methods in the field of machine learning.
- Students can classify, formally describe and evaluate methods of machine learning.
- Students can use their knowledge to select suitable models and methods for selected problems in the field of of machine learning.

#### Literature

Die Foliensätze sind als PDF verfügbar

### Weiterführende Literatur

- Machine Learning Tom Mitchell
- Deep Learning Ian Goodfellow, Yoshua Bengio, Aaron Courville
- Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning Christopher M. Bishop Artificial Intelligence: A Modern Approach Peter Norvig and Stuart J. Russell
- Reinforcement Learning: An Introduction Richard S. Sutton and Andrew G. Barto

Weitere (spezifische) Literatur zu einzelnen Themen wird in der Vorlesung angegeben.



## 6.194 Course: Machine Learning 2 - Advanced Methods [T-WIWI-106341]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Johann Marius Zöllner

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101637 - Analytics and Statistics

M-WIWI-103356 - Machine Learning

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4,5	Grade to a third	Each summer term	4

Events						
ST 2024	2511502	Machine Learning 2 - Advanced methods	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Zöllner, Fechner, Polley	
ST 2024	2511503	Exercises for Machine Learning 2 - Advanced Methods  Practice /   Prac		Zöllner, Fechner, Polley		
Exams					•	
ST 2024	79AIFB_ML2_B1	Machine Learning 2 – Advanced Methods (Registration until 15 July 2024)			Zöllner	
WT 24/25	79AIFB_ML2_B8	Machine Learning 2 – Advanced Met	Machine Learning 2 – Advanced Methods			

#### Competence Certificate

Depending on further pandemic developments, the exam will be offered either as an open-book exam, or as a written exam (60 min).

The exam takes place every semester and can be repeated at every regular examination date.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## Machine Learning 2 - Advanced methods

2511502, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

The subject area of machine intelligence and, in particular, machine learning, taking into account real challenges of complex application domains, is a rapidly expanding field of knowledge and the subject of numerous research and development projects.

The lecture "Machine Learning 2" deals with modern advanced methods of machine learning such as semi-supervised, self-supervised and active learning, deep neural networks (deep learning, CNNs, GANs, diffusion models, transformer, adversarial attacks) and hierarchical approaches, e.g. reinforcement learning. Another focus is the embedding and application of machine learning methods in real systems.

The lecture introduces the latest basic principles as well as extended basic structures and elucidates previously developed algorithms. The structure and the mode of operation of the methods and methods are presented and explained by means of some application scenarios, especially in the field of technical (sub) autonomous systems (vehicles, robotics, neurorobotics, image processing, etc.).

## Learning objectives:

- Students understand extended concepts of machine learning and their possible applications.
- Students can classify, formally describe and evaluate methods of machine learning.
- In detail, methods of machine learning can be embedded and applied in complex decision and inference systems.
- Students can use their knowledge to select suitable models and methods of machine learning for existing problems in the field of machine intelligence.

### Recommendations:

Attending the lecture Machine Learning 1 or a comparable lecture is very helpful in understanding this lecture.

#### Literature

Die Foliensätze sind als PDF verfügbar

### Weiterführende Literatur

- Deep Learning Ian Goodfellow
- Artificial Intelligence: A Modern Approach Peter Norvig and Stuart J. Russell
- Machine Learning Tom Mitchell
- Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning Christopher M. Bishop
- Reinforcement Learning: An Introduction Richard S. Sutton and Andrew G. Barto
- Deep Learning Ian Goodfellow, Yoshua Bengio, Aaron Courville

Weitere (spezifische) Literatur zu einzelnen Themen wird in der Vorlesung angegeben.



# 6.195 Course: Machine Learning and Optimization in Energy Systems [T-WIWI-113073]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Wolf Fichtner

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101452 - Energy Economics and Technology

Type Credits Grading scale Written examination 3,5 Grade to a third Recurrence Each winter term 4

Events							
WT 24/25	2581050	Machine Learning and Optimization in Energy Systems	3 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Dengiz, Yilmaz		
Exams							
ST 2024	7900207	Machine Learning and Optimization in Energy Systems			Fichtner		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is a written examination (60 min) or an oral exam (30 min) depending on the number of participants. A bonus can be acquired through successful participation in the computer exercise. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by one grade level (0.3 or 0.4). The exact criteria for awarding a bonus will be announced at the beginning of the exercises.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Machine Learning and Optimization in Energy Systems 2581050, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ)
On-Site

## Content

Goals:

Participants should know about the most common optimization and machine learning approaches for the application in energy systems. They should understand the basic principles of the methods and should be able to apply them for solving important problems of future energy systems with high shares of renewable energy sources.

#### Content:

In the beginning, the essential transition of the energy system into a smart grid and the need for methods from the field of optimization and machine learning are explained. The course can be subdivided into an optimization part and a larger machine learning part. In the optimization part, the basics of optimization approaches that are used in energy systems are shown. Further, heuristic methods and approaches from the field of multiobjective optimization are introduced. In the machine learning part, the most important methods from the field of unsupervised learning, supervised learning and reinforcement learning are introduced and their application in future energy systems are investigated.

Amongst the considered applications are power plant dispatch, intelligent heating with heat pumps, charging strategies for electric vehicles, clustering of energy data for energy system models and electricity demand and renewable generation forecasting.

We also offer a voluntary computer exercise that deepens the understanding of the methods and applications covered in the lecture. The students will have the opportunity to solve problems from the energy domain by using optimization and machine learning approaches implemented in the programming language Python.

The course's general focus is on the application of the methods in the energy field and not on the mathematical details of the different approaches.

The total workload for this course is approximately 105 hours:

Attendance: 30 hoursSelf-study: 30 hours

Exam preparation: 45 hours



## 6.196 Course: Machine Learning for Natural Sciences [T-INFO-110822]

**Responsible:** TT-Prof. Dr. Pascal Friederich **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105630 - Machine Learning for Natural Sciences with Exercises

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Oral examination	3	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events						
ST 2024	2400008	Machine Learning for the Natural 2 SWS Lecture / 🕃			Friederich	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500211	Machine Learning for Natural Science	Machine Learning for Natural Sciences			
ST 2024	7500379	Machine Learning for Natural Sciences			Friederich	

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Lecture: The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 90 minutes.

Exercise: The assessment is carried out in form of course work (German Studienleistung, § 4 Abs. 3 SPO). Students must regularly submit exercise sheets. The number of exercise sheets and the scale for passing will be announced at the beginning of the course. The assessment an only be repeated once.

#### **Prerequisites**

none.

#### Recommendation

- Knowledge of the basics of machine learning is helpful but not required
- Interest in natural science topics is required
- Basic knowledge of python is recommended. It has to be acquired during the semester through self-study



# 6.197 Course: Machine Learning for Natural Sciences - Pass [T-INFO-111259]

**Responsible:** TT-Prof. Dr. Pascal Friederich **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105630 - Machine Learning for Natural Sciences with Exercises

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events								
ST 2024	2400034	Übung zu Maschinelles Lernen für die Naturwissenschaften	2 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Friederich, Reiser, Zhou, Torresi, Neubert, Eberhard, Schlöder			
Exams	Exams							
ST 2024	7500149	Exercise for Machine Learning for the	e Natural S	ciences	Friederich			

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

Lecture: The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 90 minutes.

Exercise: The assessment is carried out in form of course work (German Studienleistung, § 4 Abs. 3 SPO). Students must regularly submit exercise sheets. The number of exercise sheets and the scale for passing will be announced at the beginning of the course. The assessment an only be repeated once.

### **Prerequisites**

none.

### Recommendation

- Knowledge of the basics of machine learning is helpful but not required
- Interest in natural science topics is required
- Basic knowledge of python is recommended. It has to be acquired during the semester through self-study



# 6.198 Course: Machine Learning in Climate and Environmental Sciences [T-INFO-113083]

**Responsible:** TT-Prof. Dr. Peer Nowack **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106470 - Machine Learning in Climate and Environmental Sciences

Type Credits Grading scale Grade to a third Recurrence Each winter term 1

Events						
WT 24/25	2400151	Machine Learning in Climate and Environmental Sciences	4 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Nowack	

Legend: Online, S Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, X Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of the lectures is likely carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 60-120 minutes (exact duration to be confirmed).

Depending on the class size, this might be changed to an oral examination (lasting around 20 minutes, § 4 Abs. 2 No. 2 SPO). The exact type of assessment will be confirmed at least six weeks prior to the assessment.

### **Prerequisites**

No strict prerequisites but several strong recommendations (see below).

#### Recommendation

- Previous programming experience, e.g. in scientific contexts or in computer science, is required.
- Knowledge of fundamentals about machine learning is an advantage.
- Knowledge of the Python programming language is an advantage.
- Good knowledge of mathematical concepts such as linear algebra is an advantage.
- An interest in scientific questions important for the climate- and environmental sciences.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



Machine Learning in Climate and Environmental Sciences 2400151, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ)
On-Site

#### Content:

This module covers key concepts for real-world applications of machine learning, focusing on environmental data science. These include:

- foundations of machine learning (e.g., curse of dimensionality, cross-validation, cost functions, feature engineering)
- several widely applied regression, classification, and unsupervised learning algorithms (e.g., LASSO, random forests, Gaussian processes, neural networks, LSTMs, transformers, self-organizing maps)
- time series forecasting and causal inference.
- explainable AI (e.g., SHAP value analyses, feature permutation methods, intrinsically interpretable methods).

These concepts will be discussed in applied contexts, using current research examples from the climate and environmental sciences, including: climate change modelling, machine learning emulation of numerical models, forecasting air pollution and wildfires, understanding coupled dynamical systems such as global teleconnections in climate science, challenges in modelling non-stationary systems (e.g., predicting extreme weather events under global warming), and anomaly detection in measurement data.

The lectures are accompanied by computer exercises in which students learn how to implement and modify machine learning modelling pipelines first-hand.

#### Workload:

Concerning in-person events, this is a 4 SWS module: 2 SWS for lectures, 2 SWS for exercises

Overall:

(2 SWS lectures + 2 SWS exercises +  $1.5 \times 4$  SWS preparation and homework) x 15 + 30 h preparation for the exam = 180 h = 6 ECTS

### Competency/Goals:

### Learning objectives:

Students will be able to effectively address complex data science challenges. They can design and use robust strategies/modelling pipelines for machine learning applications in the climate and environmental sciences, which are transferable to other disciplines.

Their acquired knowledge will include major classes of machine learning techniques, how to choose and differentiate among algorithms in a variety of problem settings, ways of assessing important data properties that could for example help or interfere with modelling goals, and methods to combine data-driven modelling with prior scientific system understanding to increase performance and trustworthiness of machine learning.

Students will learn how to implement these approaches in Python, using major machine learning software packages.



# 6.199 Course: Machine Learning in Climate and Environmental Sciences - Pass [T-INFO-113085]

**Responsible:** TT-Prof. Dr. Peer Nowack **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106470 - Machine Learning in Climate and Environmental Sciences

Type Credits Grading scale Completed coursework 3 Grading scale pass/fail Recurrence Each winter term 1

Events					
WT 24/25	2400151	Machine Learning in Climate and Environmental Sciences	4 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Nowack

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out in form of course work (German Studienleistung, § 4 Abs. 3 SPO). Students must regularly submit exercise sheets. The number of exercise sheets and the scale for passing will be announced at the beginning of the course. The assessment an only be repeated once.

#### **Prerequisites**

No strict prerequisites but several strong recommendations (see below).

### Recommendation

- Previous programming experience, e.g. in scientific contexts or in computer science, is required.
- Knowledge of fundamentals about machine learning is an advantage.
- Knowledge of the Python programming language is an advantage.
- Good knowledge of mathematical concepts such as linear algebra is an advantage.
- An interest in scientific questions important for the climate- and environmental sciences.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Machine Learning in Climate and Environmental Sciences

2400151, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ) On-Site

#### Content:

This module covers key concepts for real-world applications of machine learning, focusing on environmental data science. These include:

- foundations of machine learning (e.g., curse of dimensionality, cross-validation, cost functions, feature engineering)
- several widely applied regression, classification, and unsupervised learning algorithms (e.g., LASSO, random forests, Gaussian processes, neural networks, LSTMs, transformers, self-organizing maps)
- time series forecasting and causal inference.
- explainable AI (e.g., SHAP value analyses, feature permutation methods, intrinsically interpretable methods).

These concepts will be discussed in applied contexts, using current research examples from the climate and environmental sciences, including: climate change modelling, machine learning emulation of numerical models, forecasting air pollution and wildfires, understanding coupled dynamical systems such as global teleconnections in climate science, challenges in modelling non-stationary systems (e.g., predicting extreme weather events under global warming), and anomaly detection in measurement data.

The lectures are accompanied by computer exercises in which students learn how to implement and modify machine learning modelling pipelines first-hand.

#### Workload:

Concerning in-person events, this is a 4 SWS module: 2 SWS for lectures, 2 SWS for exercises

Overall:

(2 SWS lectures + 2 SWS exercises +  $1.5 \times 4$  SWS preparation and homework) x 15 + 30 h preparation for the exam = 180 h = 6 ECTS

### Competency/Goals:

### Learning objectives:

Students will be able to effectively address complex data science challenges. They can design and use robust strategies/modelling pipelines for machine learning applications in the climate and environmental sciences, which are transferable to other disciplines.

Their acquired knowledge will include major classes of machine learning techniques, how to choose and differentiate among algorithms in a variety of problem settings, ways of assessing important data properties that could for example help or interfere with modelling goals, and methods to combine data-driven modelling with prior scientific system understanding to increase performance and trustworthiness of machine learning.

Students will learn how to implement these approaches in Python, using major machine learning software packages.



# 6.200 Course: Machine Translation [T-INFO-101385]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Jan Niehues

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100848 - Machine Translation

**Type** Oral examination

Credits 6

**Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Each summer term Version 1



# 6.201 Course: Management Accounting 1 [T-WIWI-102800]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Marcus Wouters

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101498 - Management Accounting

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Version
Written examination 4,5 Grade to a third Each summer term 2

Events	Events							
ST 2024	2579900	Management Accounting 1	2 SWS	Lecture / 🖥	Wouters			
ST 2024	2579901	Tutorial Management Accounting 1 (Bachelor)	2 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Dickemann			
ST 2024	2579902	Tutorial Management Accounting 1 (Master)	2 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Dickemann			
Exams								
ST 2024	79-2579900-B	Management Accounting 1 (Bachelor)			Wouters			
ST 2024	79-2579900-M	Management Accounting 1 (Masterv	Management Accounting 1 (Mastervorzug und Master)					

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (120 min.) according to § 4 paragraph 2 Nr. 1 of the examination regulation.

### Recommendation

We recommend that you take part in our exercise for the lecture.

### Annotation

The exercise is offered separately for Bachelor's students as well as for students in the Master's transfer and Master's program. Note for exam registration:

- Bachelor students: 79-2579900-B Management Accounting 1 (Bachelor)
- Students in the Master's transfer and Master's program: 79-2579900-M Management Accounting 1 (Master's transfer and Master)

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### Management Accounting 1

2579900, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) Online

The course covers topics in management accounting in a decision-making framework. Some of these topics in the course MA1 are: short-term planning, investment decisions, budgeting and activity-based costing.

We will use international material written in English.

We will approach these topics primarily from the perspective of the users of financial information (not so much from the controller who prepares the information).

The course builds on an introductory level of understanding of accounting concepts from Business Administration courses in the core program. The course is intended for students in Industrial Engineering.

### Learning objectives:

- Students have an understanding of theory and applications of management accounting topics.
- They can use financial information for various purposes in organizations.

### **Examination:**

• The assessment consists of a written exam (120 minutes) at the end of each semester (following § 4 (2) No. 1 of the examination regulation).

#### Workload:

• The total workload for this course is approximately 135.0 hours. For further information see German version.

#### Literature

- Marc Wouters, Frank H. Selto, Ronald W. Hilton, Michael W. Maher: Cost Management Strategies for Business Decisions, 2012, Publisher: McGraw-Hill Higher Education (ISBN-13 9780077132392 / ISBN-10 0077132394)
- In addition, several papers that will be available on ILIAS.



# **Tutorial Management Accounting 1 (Bachelor)**

Practice (Ü) On-Site

2579901, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

#### Content

see Module Handbook



### Tutorial Management Accounting 1 (Master)

2579902, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Practice (Ü) On-Site

### Content

see Module Handbook



### 6.202 Course: Management Accounting 2 [T-WIWI-102801]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Marcus Wouters

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101498 - Management Accounting

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4,5	Grade to a third	Each winter term	2

Events	Events							
WT 24/25	2579903	Management Accounting 2	2 SWS	Lecture / 🖥	Wouters			
WT 24/25	2579904	Tutorial Management Accounting 2 (Bachelor)	2 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Letmathe			
WT 24/25	2579905	Tutorial Management Accounting 2 (Master)	2 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Letmathe			
Exams					•			
ST 2024	79-2579903-B	Management Accounting 2 (Bac	chelor)		Wouters			
ST 2024	79-2579903-M	Management Accounting 2 (Mastervorzug und Master)			Wouters			
ST 2024	79-2579903-M-mdlPr	Management Accounting 2 (Ma	Management Accounting 2 (Master)					

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (120 min.) according to § 4 paragraph 2 Nr. 1 of the examination regulation.

### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

It is recommended:

- to take part in the course "Management Accounting1" before this course
- participation in the exercise for the lecture "Management Accounting 2"

### **Annotation**

The exercise for the lecture is offered separately for Bachelor's students as well as for students in the Master's transfer and Master's program.

Note for exam registration: Bachelor students:

- 79-2579903-B Management Accounting 2 (Bachelor)
- Students in the Master's transfer and Master's program: 79-2579903-M Management Accounting 2 (Master's transfer and Master)

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Management Accounting 2

2579903, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)
Online

The course covers topics in management accounting in a decision-making framework. Some of these topics in the course MA2 are: cost estimation, product costing and cost allocation, financial performance measures, transfer pricing, strategic performance measurement systems.

We will use international material written in English.

We will approach these topics primarily from the perspective of the users of financial information (not so much from the controller who prepares the information).

The course builds on an introductory level of understanding of accounting concepts from Business Administration courses in the core program. The course is intended for students in Industrial Engineering.

### Learning objectives:

• Students have an understanding of theory and applications of management accounting topics. They can use financial information for various purposes in organizations.

### **Recommendations:**

• It is recommended to take part in the course "Management Accounting 1" before this course.

#### **Examination:**

• The assessment consists of a written exam (120 min) at the end of each semester (following § 4 (2) No. 1 of the examination regulation).

#### Workload:

• The total workload for this course is approximately 135.0 hours. For further information see German version.

### Literature

- Marc Wouters, Frank H. Selto, Ronald W. Hilton, Michael W. Maher: Cost Management Strategies for Business Decisions, 2012, Verlag: McGraw-Hill Higher Education (ISBN-13 9780077132392 / ISBN-10 0077132394)
- Zusätzlich werden Artikel auf ILIAS zur Vergügung gestellt.



### **Tutorial Management Accounting 2 (Bachelor)**

2579904, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Practice (Ü) On-Site

# Content see ILIAS



### Tutorial Management Accounting 2 (Master)

2579905, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Practice (Ü) On-Site

# Content see ILIAS



# 6.203 Course: Management of IT-Projects [T-WIWI-112599]

Responsible: Dr. Roland Schätzle

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101477 - Development of Business Information Systems

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4,5	Grade to a third	see Annotations	1

Events					
ST 2024	2511214	Management of IT-Projects	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Schätzle
ST 2024	2511215	Übungen zu Management von IT- Projekten	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Schätzle
Exams					
ST 2024	79AIFB_MvIP_A1	Management of IT-Projects (Registra	ation until	15 July 2024)	Oberweis
WT 24/25	79AIFB_MvIP_C3	Management of IT-Projects	Management of IT-Projects		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The examination will be offered for the last time in the summer semester 2024 for first-time writers. A repeat examination (only for repeaters) is possible for the last time in the winter semester 2024/2025.

Success is assessed in the form of a written examination (written exam) lasting 60 minutes.

### **Prerequisites**

Prerequisite for the participation in the examination is the successful participation in the exercise, which takes place in the summer semester, starting from summer semester 2020. The number of participants in the exercise is limited.

### **Annotation**

The lecture will be held for the last time in the summer semester 2024.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### Management of IT-Projects

2511214, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

The lecture deals with the general framework, impact factors and methods for planning, handling, and controlling of IT projects. Especially following topics are addressed:

- project environment
- project organisation
- project planning including the following items:
  - plan of the project structure
  - flow chart
  - project schedule
  - plan of resources
- · effort estimation
- · project infrastructur
- project controlling
- risk management
- feasibility studies
- decision processes, conduct of negotiations, time management.

### Learning objectives:

### Students

- explain the terminology of IT project management and typical used methods for planning, handling and controlling,
- apply methods appropiate to current project phases and project contexts,
- consider organisational and social impact factors.

### Recommendations:

Knowledge from the lecture Software Engineering is helpful.

### Workload:

- Lecture 30h
- Exercise 15h
- Preparation of lecture 24h
- Preparation of exercises 25h
- Exam preparation 40h
- Exam 1h

### Literature

- B. Hindel, K. Hörmann, M. Müller, J. Schmied. Basiswissen Software-Projektmanagement. dpunkt.verlag 2004
- Project Management Institute Standards Committee. A Guide to the Project Management Body of Knowledge (PMBoK guide). Project Management Institute. Four Campus Boulevard. Newton Square. PA 190733299. U.S.A.



### Übungen zu Management von IT-Projekten

2511215, SS 2024, 1 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Practice (Ü) On-Site

### Content

The general conditions, influencing factors and methods in the planning, execution and control of IT projects are dealt with. In particular, the following topics will be dealt with: Project environment, project organization, project structure plan, effort estimation, project infrastructure, project control, decision-making processes, negotiation, time management. The lecture is accompanied by exercises in the form of tutorials. The date of the exercise will be announced later.



### 6.204 Course: Managing New Technologies [T-WIWI-102612]

Responsible: Dr. Thomas Reiß

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101488 - Entrepreneurship (EnTechnon)

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence See Annotations 2

Events								
ST 2024	2545003	Managing New Technologies	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Reiß			
Exams	Exams							
ST 2024	7900169	Managing New Technologies			Reiß			

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

Success is assessed in the form of a written examination (60 minutes).

### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

None

### **Annotation**

The course is expected to be offered for the last time in the summer semester 2024.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### Managing New Technologies

2545003, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

### Content

This lecture provides an overview of new technologies in the research areas of biotechnology, nanotechnology and neuroscience as well as basic concepts of technology management. Students should be able to present problems of technology assessment and early recognition of new technologies in a structured way and apply formal approaches to technology management issues in an appropriate manner.

### Organizational issues

Bitte melden Sie sich für die Prüfung Nr. 7900169 an, das ist die Prüfungs-Nr. für die schriftliche Prüfung.

(Die Prüfungs-Nr. 7900235 ist eine mündliche Prüfung, zu der sich Studierende nur nach Aufforderung durch das EnTechnon Sekretariat anmelden sollen, wenn Studierende eine mündliche Prüfung haben.)

### Literature

- Hausschildt/Salomo: Innovationsmanagement;
- Borchert et al.: Innovations- und Technologiemanagement;
- Specht/Möhrle: Gabler Lexikon Technologiemanagement

Die relevanten Auszüge und zusätzlichen Quellen werden in der Veranstaltung bekannt gegeben.



# 6.205 Course: Market Research [T-WIWI-107720]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martin Klarmann

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101510 - Cross-Functional Management Accounting

M-WIWI-101647 - Data Science: Evidence-based Marketing M-WIWI-105312 - Marketing and Sales Management

M-WIWI-106258 - Digital Marketing

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach summer term 3

Events								
ST 2024	2571150	Market Research	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Klarmann			
ST 2024	2571151	Market Research Tutorial	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Klarmann			
Exams	Exams							
ST 2024	7900015	Market Research			Klarmann			

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of success takes place through a written exam (70 minutes) with additional aids in the sense of an open book exam. Further details will be announced during the lecture.

### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

None

### **Annotation**

Please note that this course has to be completed successfully by students interested in master thesis positions at the Marketing & Sales Research Group.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Market Research**

2571150, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

Within the lecture, essential statistical methods for measuring customer attitudes (e.g. satisfaction measurement), understanding customer behavior and making strategic decisions will be discussed. The practical use as well as the correct handling of different survey methods will be taught, such as experiments and surveys. To analyze the collected data, various analysis methods are presented, including hypothesis tests, factor analyses, cluster analyses, variance and regression analyses. Building on this, the interpretation of the results will be discussed.

Topics addressed in this course are for example:

- Theoretical foundations of market research
- Statistical foundations of market research
- Measuring customer attitudes
- Understanding customer reactions
- Strategical decision making

The aim of this lecture is to give an overview of essential statistical methods. In the lecture students learn the practical use as well as the correct handling of different statistical survey methods and analysis procedures. In addition, emphasis is put on the interpretation of the results after the application of an empirical survey. The derivation of strategic options is an important competence that is required in many companies in order to react optimally to customer needs.

The assessment is carried out (according to §4(2), 3 SPO) in the form of a written open book exam.

The total workload for this course is approximately 135.0 hours.

Presence time: 30 hours

Preparation and wrap-up of the course: 45.0 hours

Exam and exam preparation: 60.0 hours

Please note that this course has to be completed successfully by students interested in master thesis positions at the chair of marketing.

#### Literature

Homburg, Christian (2016), Marketingmanagement, 6. Aufl., Wiesbaden.



### 6.206 Course: Marketing Analytics [T-WIWI-103139]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martin Klarmann

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101647 - Data Science: Evidence-based Marketing

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionExamination of another type4,5Grade to a thirdEach winter term5

Events						
WT 24/25	2572170	Marketing Analytics	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Klarmann	
WT 24/25	2572171		1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Martin	

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative (according to §4(2), 3 of the examination regulation) exam assessment (working on tasks in groups during the lecture).

#### **Prerequisites**

The prerequisite for taking the course is the successful completion of the course "Market Research".

#### Recommendation

It is strongly recommended to complete the course "Market Research" prior to taking the "Marketing Analytics" course.

#### Annotation

"Marketing Analytics" is offered as a block course with an alternative exam assessment.

Starting in the winter semester 22/23, the course will be scheduled to be completed after two thirds of the semester. For further information, please contact the Marketing and Sales Research Group (marketing.iism.kit.edu). Exchange students can bypass the requirement of passing Market Research if they can prove that they possess sufficient statistical knowledge based on courses attended at their home institution. This will be examined individually by the Marketing and Sales Research Group.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### Marketing Analytics

2572170, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

### Content

In this course various relevant market research questions are addressed, as for example measuring and understanding customer attitudes, preparing strategic decisions and sales forecasting. In order to analyze these questions, students learn to handle social media data, panel data, nested observations and experimental design. To analyze the data, advanced methods, as for example multilevel modeling and return on marketing models are taught. Also, problems of causality are addressed in-depth. The lecture is accompanied by a computer-based exercise, in the course of which the methods are applied practically.

### Students

- · receive based on the course market research an overview of advanced empirical methods
- learn in the course of the lecture to handle advanced data collection and data analysis methods
- are based on the acquired knowledge able to interpret results and derive strategic implications

Total workload for 4.5 ECTS: ca. 135 hours.

In order to attend Marketing Analytics, students are required to have passed the course Market Research.

Exchange students can bypass the requirement of passing Market Research if they can prove that they possess sufficient statistical knowledge based on courses attended at their home institution. This will be examined individually by the Marketing & Sales Research Group.

For further information please contact the Marketing and Sales Research Group (marketing.iism.kit.edu).

### Literature

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- Cameron, A. Colin, Trivedi, Pravin K. (2005), Microeconometrics: methods and applications, New York.
- Chapman, Christopher, Feit, Elea M. (2015), R for Marketing Research and Analytics, Cham.
- Ledolter, Johannes (2013), Data mining and business analytics with R, New York.



2572171, WS 24/25, 1 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Practice (Ü) On-Site

### Content

Tasks parallel to the lecture to work on in a group of students.

### **Organizational issues**

Blockveranstaltung: genaue Uhrzeiten und Raum werden noch bekannt gegeben



### 6.207 Course: Marketing Strategy Business Game [T-WIWI-102835]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martin Klarmann

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101510 - Cross-Functional Management Accounting

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 1,5 Grade to a third Pregular 1

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment (alternative exam assessment) consists of a group presentation and a subsequent round of questions totalling 20 minutes.

### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

### **Annotation**

Please note that only one of the courses from the election block can be chosen in the module.

Please note: The number of participants for this course is limited. The Marketing and Sales Research Group typically provides the possibility to attend a course with 1.5 ECTS points in the respective module to all students. Participation in a specific course cannot be guaranteed.

In order to participate in this course, you need to apply. Applications are usually accepted at the start of the lecture period in summer term. Detailed information on the application process is usually provided on the website of the Marketing and Sales Research Group (marketing.iism.kit.edu) shortly before the lecture period in summer term starts.



# 6.208 Course: Master's Thesis [T-WIWI-103142]

Responsible: Studiendekan der KIT-Fakultät für Informatik

Studiendekan des KIT-Studienganges

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-104833 - Module Master's Thesis

**Type** Final Thesis

Credits 30

**Grading scale** Grade to a third Version 1

### **Competence Certificate**

see module description

### Prerequisites

see module description

### **Final Thesis**

This course represents a final thesis. The following periods have been supplied:

Submission deadline 6 months

Maximum extension period 3 months

Correction period 8 weeks



### 6.209 Course: Matching Theory [T-WIWI-113264]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Clemens Puppe

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101500 - Microeconomic Theory

TypeCredits<br/>Written examinationGrading scale<br/>4,5Recurrence<br/>Each winter termVersion<br/>1

Events						
WT 24/25	2500042	Matching Theory	3 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Okulicz	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900260	Matching Theory			Puppe	

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

Written examination (90 minutes)

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Matching Theory**

2500042, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ) On-Site

#### Content

How should we organize recruitment of students to schools? Could we improve the placement of doctors to hospitals? Why there always seems to be a better roommate to the one you currently have? Matching Theory answers all these questions and more. During the course we will formally study mathematical systems of allocating goods and people, and see their many real life applications from organizing kidney exchange to improving dating apps. The course will cover three main topics in Matching Theory and Market Design: (1) assignment problems (e.g., allocation of social housing), (2) two-sided matching (e.g., allocation of children to schools), (3) transferable-utility matching (e.g., labor market).

The students are expected to:

- 1. Understand the mathematical properties of allocations and commonly used mechanism
- 2. Understand the connection between Matching Theory and real-life allocation systems
- 3. Be able to use their knowledge to propose solutions for novel real-life problems



# 6.210 Course: Mathematics for High Dimensional Statistics [T-WIWI-111247]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Grothe

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming

M-WIWI-101637 - Analytics and Statistics M-WIWI-103289 - Stochastic Optimization

**Type** Oral examination

**Credits** Grading scale 4,5 Grade to a third

Recurrence Irregular Version 1

Exams				
ST 2024	7900362	Mathematics for High Dimensional Statistics	Grothe	

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of an oral exam (approx. 30 min.) taking place in the recess period.

### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

Basic knowledge of mathematics and statistics is assumed.

Knowledge in multivariate statistics is an advantage, but not necessary for the course.

### **Annotation**

Teaching and learning format: Lecture and exercise



## 6.211 Course: Media Management [T-WIWI-112711]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ann-Kristin Kupfer

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-106258 - Digital Marketing

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Examination of another type 4,5 Grade to a third Each winter term 1

Events					
WT 24/25	2572192	Media Management	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Kupfer
WT 24/25	2572193	Media Management Exercise	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Mitarbeiter

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The control of success is done by the elaboration and presentation of a group task as well as a written exam. Further details on the design of the performance review will be announced during the lecture.

### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Students are highly encouraged to actively participate in class.

### **Annotation**

The course will take place in the winter term 23/24 for the first time.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### Media Management

2572192, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

### Content

Students learn the theoretical foundations of media management and its most important concepts. They learn both about the key characteristics of both media products and media markets. They further get to know essential business models of media markets. Special emphasis will be given to understanding media consumers and the marketing mix of media products. A tutorial offers the opportunity to apply the key learnings of the lecture.

The learning objectives are as follows:

- Getting to know the theoretical foundations of media management
- Evaluating strategies for media products and services as media-specific marketing mix instruments
- Fostering critical and analytical thinking skills and the application of knowledge to marketing problems
- Improvement of skills and competences in the area of project management within the framework of group work
- Improvement of foreign language skills (business English)

Total time required for 4.5 credit points: approx. 135 hours

Attendance time: 30 hours Self-study: 105 hours

### **Organizational** issues

Appointments to be announced.



# 6.212 Course: Meshes and Point Clouds [T-INFO-101349]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Hartmut Prautzsch
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100812 - Meshes and Point Clouds

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination3Grade to a thirdEach term1

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an oral examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO) lasting 20 minutes.

### **Prerequisites**

None.



### 6.213 Course: Methods in Economic Dynamics [T-WIWI-102906]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ingrid Ott

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101514 - Innovation Economics

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionExamination of another type1,5Grade to a thirdEach summer term2

Events						
ST 2024	2560240	Methods in Economic Dynamics	1 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Ott	
Exams	Exams					
ST 2024	7900108	Methods in Economic Dynamics			Ott	

Legend: Online, S Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, X Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment.

### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

Basic knowledge of micro- and macroeconomics is assumed, as taught in the courses Economics I [2600012] and Economics II [2600014]. Further, it is assumed that students have interest in using quantiative-mathematical methods.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### Methods in Economic Dynamics

2560240, SS 2024, 1 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

### Content

The economic exploitation of inventions is an important part of innovation economics. Intellectual property rights such as patents or trademarks play a central role. Within this workshop, the recording, processing and analysis of such intellectual property rights will be deepened, e.g. considering specific technologies. Students will learn how to work with relational databases, the econometric evaluation of recorded data, and methods for visualising them.

### Learning objectives:

The student

- learns to query data sources.
- is able to analyse data with statistical methods.
- visualises and interprets data evaluations (e.g. using dashboards or methods of network analysis).

### **Recommendations:**

An interest in working with data, basic knowledge on databases as well as basic knowledge in economics and statistics are advantageous.

### Workload:

The total workload for this course is approximately 45 hours.

- Classes: ca. 5 h
- Self-study: ca. 40 h

### Assessment:

Non exam assessment according to § 4 paragraph 3 of the examination regulation (SPO 2015).

### **Organizational issues**

The course is structured along two assignments, the first of which is an individual assignment, whereas the second assignment is a group project. Assignment 1 will be completed within one month's time, whereas assignment 2 will take place on a different date.

Assignment 1 will take place on 24.04.2024 in Building 01.87, B5.25. Assignment 2 will take place on 10.07.2024 in Building 01.87, B5.25. The exact time will be announced later.

Students are offered the opportunity to participate in this course jointly with the course "Seminar in Economic Policy", within the module "Economics of Innovation". The work in both courses will be strongly related to each other, as students will work on the same topic from two different perspectives. Students in the course "Seminar in Economic Policy" will be provided with the opportunity to write a paper that addresses the results found by the students in the course "Methods in Economic Dynamics". Taking both courses together will enable the students to earn 4.5 ECTS.

### Literature

Relevante Literatur wird in der Vorlesung bekanntgegeben. (Relevant literature will be announced in the lecture.)



### 6.214 Course: Methods in Innovation Management [T-WIWI-110263]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Marion Weissenberger-Eibl

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101507 - Innovation Management M-WIWI-101507 - Innovation Management

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Version
Examination of another type 3 Grade to a third Irregular 1

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is an alternative exam assessment consisting of a presentation (25%) and a written paper (75%). The points system for the assessment is determined by the lecturer of the course. It will be announced at the beginning of the course.

### **Prerequisites**

None.

### Recommendation

Prior attendance of the course "Innovation Management: Concepts, Strategies and Methods" is recommended.

### Annotation

Teaching and learning format: Seminar



### 6.215 Course: Microeconometrics [T-WIWI-112153]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Fabian Krüger

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-105414 - Statistics and Econometrics II

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination4,5Grade to a thirdsee Annotations1

Events	Events						
ST 2024	2500012	Tutorial in Microeconometrics	2 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Krüger, Eberl		
ST 2024	2500032	Microeconometrics	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Krüger, Eberl		
Exams							
ST 2024	7700082	Microeconometrics			Krüger		
WT 24/25	7700004	Microeconometrics			Krüger		

Legend: █ Online, ቆ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written examination (60 minutes). A bonus can be acquired by successful completion of an assignment (written report + short in-class presentation) during the semester. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by one grade level (0.3 or 0.4).

### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

Students are expected to have a good working knowledge of the linear regression model (e.g. by having attended the course 'Volkswirtschaftslehre III: Einführung in die Ökonometrie', or attending it in the same semester as 'Microeconometrics').

### **Annotation**

The course will be offered in the summer semester 2024.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### Microeconometrics

2500032, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

### Content

Microeconometrics is concerned with modeling data from an individual ('micro') unit like a person, household or firm. The response variables of interest are often discrete. For example, a person's type of employment may be coded as a binary variable (e.g. working in IT sector versus not working in IT sector), and a person's choice of transportation mode can be cast as a multinomial variable (e.g. bike, train, car, or other). These examples differ from the basic econometric setting of a continuous response variable, and require nonlinear regression modeling.

The course first introduces maximum likelihood estimation which is particularly useful in microeconometrics. We then discuss econometric models for various types of response variables (binary, ordered, multinomial, censored), as well as methods for estimation and model evaluation. Throughout the course, implementation via R software plays an important role.

Prerequisites: Course participants are expected to have a good working knowledge of the linear regression model (e.g. by having attended the course 'Volkswirtschaftslehre III: Einführung in die Ökonometrie', or attending it in the same semester as 'Microeconometrics').

### Literature

Winkelmann, R., Boes, S. (2006): Analysis of Microdata. Springer.



# 6.216 Course: Mixed Integer Programming I [T-WIWI-102719]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Stein

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming

M-WIWI-102832 - Operations Research in Supply Chain Management

M-WIWI-103289 - Stochastic Optimization

Type Credits Grading scale
Written examination 4,5 Grade to a third

Recurrence Version 1

Events					
ST 2024	2550140	Mixed-integer Programming II	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Stein
Exams					
ST 2024	7900014_SS2024_NK	Mixed Integer Programming I			Stein

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of the lecture is a written examination (60 minutes) according to §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation. The successful completion of the exercises is required for admission to the written exam.

The examination is held in the semester of the lecture and in the following semester.

The examination can also be combined with the examination of *Mixed Integer Programming II* [25140]. In this case, the duration of the written examination takes 120 minutes.

### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

It is strongly recommended to visit at least one lecture from the Bachelor program of this chair before attending this course.

### **Annotation**

The lecture is offered irregularly. The curriculum of the next three years is available online (kop.ior.kit.edu).

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Mixed-integer Programming II**

2550140, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

Many optimization problems from economics, engineering and natural sciences are modeled with continuous as well as with discrete variables. Examples are the energy minimal design of a chemical process in which several reactors may be switched on or off, portfolio optimization with limitations on the number of securities, the choice of locations to serve customers at minimum cost, and the optimal design of vote allocations in election procedures. For the algorithmic identification of optimal points of such problems an interaction of ideas from discrete as well as continuous optimization is necessary.

The lecture focusses on mixed-integer nonlinear optimization problems and is structured as follows:

- Continuous relaxation and error bounds for roundings
- Branch-and-Bound for convex and nonconvex problems
- Generalized Benders decomposition
- Outer approximation methods
- Lagrange relaxation
- Dantzig-Wolfe decomposition
- Heuristics

The lecture is accompanied by exercises which, amongst others, offers the opportunity to implement and to test some of the methods on practically relevant examples.

#### Remark:

The treatment of mixed-integer linear optimization problems forms the contents of the lecture "Mixed-integer Programming I".

### Learning objectives:

The student

- knows and understands the fundamentals of nonlinear mixed integer programming,
- is able to choose, design and apply modern techniques of nonlinear mixed integer programming in practice.

### Literature

- C.A. Floudas, Nonlinear and Mixed-Integer Optimization: Fundamentals and Applications, Oxford University Press, 1995
- J. Kallrath: Gemischt-ganzzahlige Optimierung, Vieweg, 2002
- D. Li, X. Sun: Nonlinear Integer Programming, Springer, 2006
- G.L. Nemhauser, L.A. Wolsey, Integer and Combinatorial Optimization, Wiley, 1988
- M. Tawarmalani, N.V. Sahinidis, Convexification and Global Optimization in Continuous and Mixed-Integer Nonlinear Programming, Kluwer, 2002.



### 6.217 Course: Mixed Integer Programming II [T-WIWI-102720]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Stein

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming

M-WIWI-102832 - Operations Research in Supply Chain Management

M-WIWI-103289 - Stochastic Optimization

TypeCredits<br/>4,5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a thirdRecurrence<br/>IrregularVersion<br/>1

Events						
ST 2024	2550140	Mixed-integer Programming II	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Stein	
ST 2024	2550141	Exercise to Mixed-integer Programming II	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Stein, Schwarze	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900009_SS2024_HK	Mixed Integer Programming II			Stein	

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of the lecture is a written examination (60 minutes) according to §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation. The successful completion of the exercises is required for admission to the written exam.

The examination is held in the semester of the lecture and in the following semester.

The examination can also be combined with the examination of *Mixed Integer Programming I* [2550138]. In this case, the duration of the written examination takes 120 minutes.

### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

It is strongly recommended to visit at least one lecture from the Bachelor program of this chair before attending this course.

### **Annotation**

The lecture is offered irregularly. The curriculum of the next three years is available online (kop.ior.kit.edu).

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### Mixed-integer Programming II

2550140, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

Many optimization problems from economics, engineering and natural sciences are modeled with continuous as well as with discrete variables. Examples are the energy minimal design of a chemical process in which several reactors may be switched on or off, portfolio optimization with limitations on the number of securities, the choice of locations to serve customers at minimum cost, and the optimal design of vote allocations in election procedures. For the algorithmic identification of optimal points of such problems an interaction of ideas from discrete as well as continuous optimization is necessary.

The lecture focusses on mixed-integer nonlinear optimization problems and is structured as follows:

- Continuous relaxation and error bounds for roundings
- Branch-and-Bound for convex and nonconvex problems
- Generalized Benders decomposition
- Outer approximation methods
- Lagrange relaxation
- Dantzig-Wolfe decomposition
- Heuristics

The lecture is accompanied by exercises which, amongst others, offers the opportunity to implement and to test some of the methods on practically relevant examples.

#### Remark:

The treatment of mixed-integer linear optimization problems forms the contents of the lecture "Mixed-integer Programming I".

### Learning objectives:

The student

- knows and understands the fundamentals of nonlinear mixed integer programming,
- is able to choose, design and apply modern techniques of nonlinear mixed integer programming in practice.

### Literature

- C.A. Floudas, Nonlinear and Mixed-Integer Optimization: Fundamentals and Applications, Oxford University Press, 1995
- J. Kallrath: Gemischt-ganzzahlige Optimierung, Vieweg, 2002
- D. Li, X. Sun: Nonlinear Integer Programming, Springer, 2006
- G.L. Nemhauser, L.A. Wolsey, Integer and Combinatorial Optimization, Wiley, 1988
- M. Tawarmalani, N.V. Sahinidis, Convexification and Global Optimization in Continuous and Mixed-Integer Nonlinear Programming, Kluwer, 2002.



# 6.218 Course: Mobile Communication [T-INFO-101322]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Oliver Waldhorst

Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100785 - Mobile Communication

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Oral examination 4 Grade to a third Each winter term 1

Events					
WT 24/25	24643	Mobile Communications	2 SWS	Lecture	Waldhorst, Mahrt
Exams				•	
ST 2024	7500073	Mobile Communication			Waldhorst, Zitterbart
WT 24/25	7500015	Mobile Communication			Waldhorst, Zitterbart



# 6.219 Course: Model Driven Software Development [T-INFO-101278]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Ralf Reussner

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100741 - Model-Driven Software Development

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination3Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events						
WT 24/25	24657	Model-Driven Software Development	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Burger	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500016	Model Driven Software Developmen	Model Driven Software Development			
WT 24/25	7500086	Model Driven Software Development			Reussner	

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled



### 6.220 Course: Modeling and OR-Software: Advanced Topics [T-WIWI-106200]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Stefan Nickel

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-102808 - Digital Service Systems in Industry

M-WIWI-102832 - Operations Research in Supply Chain Management

Type<br/>Written examinationCredits<br/>4,5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a thirdRecurrence<br/>Each winter termVersion<br/>4

Events						
WT 24/25	2550490	Modellieren und OR-Software: Fortgeschrittene Themen	3 SWS	Practical course / 😘	Pomes, Linner, Nickel	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900188	Modeling and OR-Software: Advanced Topics			Nickel	
WT 24/25	7900071	Modeling and OR-Software: Advanced Topics			Nickel	

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is a written examination. The examination is held in every semester. The prerequisite can only be obtained in semesters in which the course exercises are offered.

### **Prerequisites**

Prerequisite for admission to the exam is the successful participation in the exercises. This includes the processing and presentation of exercises.

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge as conveyed in the module Introduction to Operations Research is assumed.

Successful completion of the course Modeling and OR-Software: Introduction.

### **Annotation**

Due to the limited number of participants, please register in advance. Further information can be found on the website of the course. Registration in WS 24/25 takes place via the Wiwi-Portal: https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/ys/8209.

The course is offered every semester. The range of courses planned for three academic years in advance can be found on the Internet.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# ${\bf Model lieren\ und\ OR\text{-}Software:\ Fortgeschrittene\ Themen}$

2550490, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

### Content

The advanced course is designated for Master students that already attended the introductory course or gained equivalent experience elsewhere, e.g. during a seminar or bachelor thesis. We will work on advanced topics and methods in OR, among others cutting planes, column generation and constraint programming. The Software used for the exercises is IBM ILOG CPLEX Optimization Studio. The associated modelling programming languages are OPL and ILOG Script.

### **Organizational issues**

Link zur Bewerbung:

http://go.wiwi.kit.edu/OR\_Bewerbung

Bewerberzeitraum:

01.09.2023 00:00 - 12.10.2023 23:55



# 6.221 Course: Modeling and Simulation [T-WIWI-112685]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Sanja Lazarova-Molnar

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101456 - Intelligent Systems and Services

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Factorism Written examination 4,5 Grade to a third Each summer term 1

Events						
ST 2024	2511100	Modeling and Simulation	2 SWS	Lecture	Lazarova-Molnar	
ST 2024	2511101	Exercises Modeling and Simulation	1 SWS	Practice	Lazarova-Molnar	
Exams				•		
ST 2024	79AIFB_MaS_C6	Modeling and Simulation (Registration until 15 July 2024)			Lazarova-Molnar	
WT 24/25	79AIFB_MaS_A6	Modeling and Simulation			Lazarova-Molnar	

### **Competence Certificate**

Depending on the number of participants in the course, the exam will be offered either as an oral exam (20 min), or as a written exam (60 min).

The exam takes place every semester and can be repeated at every regular examination date.

### **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

Some experience in programming and knowledge of basic mathematics and statistics.

### **Annotation**

Instruction is in the form of lectures and exercises. A detailed course schedule will be published before the start of the semester.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Modeling and Simulation**

2511100, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)

Modeling and Simulation is the most widely used operations research / systems engineering technique for designing new systems and optimizing the performance of existing systems. In one way or another, just about every engineering or scientific field uses simulation as an exploration, modeling, or analysis technique. The course is designed to provide students with basic knowledge of modeling and simulation approaches and to provide them with first experience of using a simulation package. The course will focus on modeling and simulation of real-world discrete event systems. Examples of discrete events are customer arrivals at a queue of a service desk, machine failures in manufacturing systems, telephone calls in a call center, etc. Moreover, continuous and hybrid models will be also discussed. Topics include Discrete-Event Simulation, Input Modeling, Output Analysis, Random Number Generation, Verification and Validation, Stochastic Petri Nets and Markov Chains.

### **Competence Certificate**

Depending on the number of participants in the course, the exam will be offered either as an oral exam (20 min), or as a written exam (60 min).

The exam takes place every semester and can be repeated at every regular examination date.

### **Learning Objectives**

### Knowledge:

- Demonstrate knowledge about general and specific theories, challenges, algorithms, methods, technologies, and tools
  related to modelling and simulation
- Demonstrate knowledge of two important classes of simulation:
  - Discrete-event Monte-Carlo simulation,
  - Continuous simulation with ODEs
- Demonstrate knowledge of algorithms necessary to build a simulator

### Skills:

- Analyse suitability of an approach/tool for a given modelling problem
- Understand simulation models of various types
- Demonstrate methods and techniques to overcome common challenges in modelling and simulation
- Model simulation input data
- Analyse and model discrete stochastic systems
- Analyse and interpret simulation results

### Competences:

- Use different methods to conduct simulation-based analysis of real-world data
- Build and simulate stochastic models
- Use simulation software

### **Prerequisites**

Some experience in programming and knowledge of basic mathematics and statistics

### Form of instruction

Lectures and exercises. A detailed course plan will be published before the semester start.

### Literature

Discrete-Event System Simulation, 5th Edition

Jerry Banks, John S. Carson, II, Barry L. Nelson and David M. Nicol



# 6.222 Course: Modeling the Dynamics of Financial Markets [T-WIWI-113414]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Maxim Ulrich

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-106660 - Modeling the Dynamics of Financial Markets

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach summer term 1

Events					
ST 2024	2600004	Essentials for Dynamic Financial Machine Learning	Lecture / Practice ( /	Ulrich	
ST 2024	2600257	Dynamic Capital Market Theory	Lecture / Practice ( /	Ulrich	
Exams					
ST 2024	7900332	Modeling the Dynamics of Financial Mar	Modeling the Dynamics of Financial Markets		
WT 24/25	7900024	Modeling the Dynamics of Financial Mar	Modeling the Dynamics of Financial Markets		

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The examination takes the form of a one-hour written comprehensive examination on the courses "Dynamic Capital Marke Theory", "Essentials for Dynamic Financial Machine Learning" and "Exercises, Python, Resesearch Frontier in Dynamic Capital Markets".

#### Recommendation

Recommendation: Knowledge in the fields of Advanced Statistics, Deep Learning, Financial Economics, Differential Equations, Optimization.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Essentials for Dynamic Financial Machine Learning**

2600004, SS 2024, SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ) Blended (On-Site/Online)

### Content

This course teaches students to work with financial data. Students learn algorithms that are used to learn key quantities of dynamic capital markets, such as time-varying risk premia, volatility and unobserved state variables. The course covers the following concepts:

- \* Multivariate time series modeling
- \* Dynamic volatility modeling
- \* Handling big financial data
- \* Estimating risk premia
- \* Kalman Filtering

Lectures develop all material on the whiteboard. Tutoriums solve and discuss python solutions to selected problems.



# **Dynamic Capital Market Theory**

2600257, SS 2024, SWS, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

This course offers an introduction to the dynamics of capital markets. Portfolios and asset prices move dynamically across time. This course teaches state-of-the-art models to help understand why this is the case. Describing and managing dynamic systems in engineering is done via dynamic programming and optimal control. This course develops the theory of dynamic programming in continuous time and applies it to solve portfolio choice and corporate investment decisions. These concepts are key for financial engineering and model-based refinforcement learning.

Students obtain proficiency in the following topics:

- \* Dynamic Asset Pricing and Portfolio Choice Theory
- \* Dynamic modeling in discrete and continuous time
- \* Stochastic Calculus
- \* Theory of Dynamic Programming
- \* Pricing of bond, equity, futures and option markets

Lectures develop all concepts on the whiteboard, while exercises are solved during weekly tutorials.



# 6.223 Course: Multicriteria Optimization [T-WIWI-111587]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Stein

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming

M-WIWI-102832 - Operations Research in Supply Chain Management

M-WIWI-103289 - Stochastic Optimization

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence See Annotations 1

Events							
WT 24/25	2550155	Multicriteria Optimization	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Stein		
WT 24/25	2550156	Exercises Multicriteria Optimization		Practice / 🗣	Stein, Beck		
Exams	Exams						
WT 24/25	7900009_WS2425_HK	Stein					

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of the lecture is a written examination (60 minutes) according to §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation. The successful completion of the exercises is required for admission to the written exam.

The examination is held in the semester of the lecture and in the following semester.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

# Recommendation

It is strongly recommended to visit at least one lecture from the Bachelor program of this chair before attending this course.

### **Annotation**

The course is offered every second winter semester (starting WiSe 22/23). The curriculum of the next three years is available online (www.ior.kit.edu).

#### Contents:

Multicriteria optimization deals with optimization problems with multiple objective functions. In practice, the minimization or maximization of several objectives often conflict with each other, such as weight and stability of mechanical components, return and risk of stock portfolios, or cost and duration of transports. Various scalarization approaches allow one to formulate single-objective problems that can be solved using nonlinear or global optimization techniques, and whose optimal points have a reasonable interpretation for the underlying multicriteria problem.

However, some seemingly obvious scalarization approaches suffer from various drawbacks, so that regardless of scalarization approaches, it is necessary to clarify what is meant by the solution of a multicriteria optimization problem in the first place. For such Pareto-optimal points, optimality conditions and solution procedures based on them can be formulated. From the usually non-unique Pareto set, decision makers finally choose an alternative based on their subjective preferences.

The lecture gives a mathematically sound introduction to multicriteria optimization and is structured as follows:

- Introductory examples and terminology
- Solution concepts
- Methods for the determination of the Pareto set
- Selection of Pareto-optimal points under subjective preferences

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Multicriteria Optimization**

2550155, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

Multicriteria optimization deals with optimization problems with multiple objective functions. In practice, the minimization or maximization of several objectives often conflict with each other, such as weight and stability of mechanical components, return and risk of stock portfolios, or cost and duration of transports. Various scalarization approaches allow one to formulate single-objective problems that can be solved using nonlinear or global optimization techniques, and whose optimal points have a reasonable interpretation for the underlying multicriteria problem.

However, some seemingly obvious scalarization approaches suffer from various drawbacks, so that regardless of scalarization approaches, it is necessary to clarify what is meant by the solution of a multicriteria optimization problem in the first place. For such Pareto-optimal points, optimality conditions and solution procedures based on them can be formulated. From the usually non-unique Pareto set, decision makers finally choose an alternative based on their subjective preferences.

The lecture gives a mathematically sound introduction to multicriteria optimization and is structured as follows:

- · Introductory examples and terminology
- Solution concepts
- Methods for the determination of the Pareto set
- Selection of Pareto-optimal points under subjective preferences

## Learning objectives:

The student

- knows and understands the fundamentals of multicriteria optimization,
- is able to choose, design and apply modern techniques of multicriteria optimization in practice.

#### Literature

- M. Ehrgott, Multicriteria Optimization, Second Edition, Springer, Berlin, 2005
- J. Jahn, Vector Optimization, Second Edition, Springer, Berlin, 2011
- K. Miettinen, Nonlinear Multiobjective Optimization, Springer, New York, 2004
- Y. Sawaragi, H. Nakayama, T. Tanino, Theory of Multiobjective Optimization, Academic Press, Orlando, FL, 1985



# 6.224 Course: Multivariate Statistical Methods [T-WIWI-103124]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Grothe

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming

M-WIWI-101637 - Analytics and Statistics M-WIWI-101639 - Econometrics and Statistics II M-WIWI-103289 - Stochastic Optimization

Type Credits
Written examination 4,5

**Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Irregular Version 1

Events						
WT 24/25	2550554	Multivariate Verfahren	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Grothe	
WT 24/25	2550555	Practice Multivariate Statistical Methods	2 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Liu	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900351	Multivariate Statistical Methods	Multivariate Statistical Methods			
WT 24/25	7900217	Multivariate Statistical Methods			Grothe	

#### **Competence Certificate**

Witten examination lasting 60 minutes.

The examination is offered during the examination period of the lecture semester. Only repeaters (and not first-time writers) are admitted to the repeat examination in the examination period of the following semester.

## **Prerequisites**

None

## Recommendation

The course covers highly advanced statistical methods with a quantitative focus. Hence, participants are necessarily expected to have advanced statistical knowledge, e.g. acquired in the course "Advanced Statistics". Without this, participation in the course is not advised.

Previous attendance of the course Analysis of Multivariate Data is recommended. Alternatively, the script can be provided to interested students.

# Annotation

The course (lecture and exercise) is offered irregularly. Detailed information can be found on the chair's website.



# 6.225 Course: Natural Language Processing [T-INFO-112177]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Jan Niehues

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105999 - Natural Language Processing

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	6	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events							
WT 24/25	2400147	Natural Language Processing	4 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b> ⁵	Niehues, Liu, Züfle		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7500223	Natural Language Processing			Niehues		
WT 24/25	7500286	Natural Language Processing			Niehues		

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Natural Language Processing

2400147, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

Summarize today's lecture? When were neural networks invented? An artificial intelligence that can answer these questions is a long dream of mankind. With the help of machine learning and in particular large language models m(LLMs), we are seeing the first programs today that can solve these problems. This lecture provides the skills and knowledge to develop solutions to these natural language processing problems using state-of-the-art methods.

After an introduction to the challenges of natural language processing, the different tasks in natural language processing are discussed. A focus of the course is on methods from the field of deep learning and the new possibilities through large language models (ChatGPT). First, sequence classification tasks such as sentiment analysis are dealt with. Then methods of sequence labeling are discussed, such as those used to recognize proper names or determine part-of-speech tags. Afterwards the lecture will discuss sequence-to-sequence methods. These models are used in many natural language processing tasks, such as machine translation, automatic summarization, and automatic question answering.

In this course, the important challenges in the development of systems are covered: the representation of words, neural architectures to model language, methods to train complex models and finding the most likely output.



# **6.226** Course: Natural Language Processing and Software Engineering [T-INFO-101272]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Anne Koziolek **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100735 - Natural Language Processing and Software Engineering

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination3Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events						
WT 24/25	24187	Natural Language Processing and Software Engineering	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Hey, Koziolek	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500185	Natural Language Processing and Sot	tware Eng	ineering	Koziolek	
WT 24/25	7543231	Natural Language Processing and Sof	Koziolek			

 $\textbf{Legend:} \ \overline{\blacksquare} \ \textbf{Online}, \ \mathbf{\textcircled{S}} \ \textbf{Blended} \ (\textbf{On-Site/Online}), \ \mathbf{\P} \cdot \textbf{On-Site}, \ \textbf{\textbf{x}} \ \textbf{Cancelled}$ 



# 6.227 Course: Network Security: Architectures and Protocols [T-INFO-101319]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100782 - Network Security: Architectures and Protocols

M-WIWI-104812 - Information Systems: Engineering and Transformation

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination4Grade to a thirdEach summer term1

Events							
ST 2024	24601	Netzsicherheit: Architekturen und Protokolle	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Baumgart, Bless, Zitterbart		
Exams							
ST 2024	7500072	Network Security: Architectures and	Network Security: Architectures and Protocols		Zitterbart, Bless, Baumgart		
WT 24/25	7500014	Network Security: Architectures and Protocols			Zitterbart		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ¶ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.228 Course: Next Generation Internet [T-INFO-101321]

**Responsible:** Dr.-Ing. Roland Bless

Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart

Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100784 - Next Generation Internet

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Oral examination	4	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events							
ST 2024	24674	Next Generation Internet	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Bless		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7500074	Next Generation Internet			Bless, Zitterbart		
WT 24/25	7500016	Next Generation Internet			Bless, Zitterbart		

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Next Generation Internet**

24674, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

The lecture focuses on current developments in Internet-based network technologies. First, architectural principles of today's Internet are presented and discussed, subsequently nowadays and future challenges are motivated. Methods for quality-of-service support and transport of multi-media stream as well as newer transport protocols and group communication support are presented. Deployment of the presented technologies in IP-based networks are discussed. The lecture presents advanced approaches such as programmable networks and network virtualization as well as newer approaches and protocols for routing, satellite networking, and peer-to-peer networks.

#### Literature

James F. Kurose, and Keith W. Ross *Computer Networking* 6th edition, Addison-Wesley/Pearson, 2013, ISBN 978-0-273-76896-8, Chapters 1, 2.6 (P2P), 4 (Network Layer), 7.5 (Scheduling, IntServ, DiffServ, RSVP)

## Weiterführende Literatur

wird in der Vorlesung bekanntgegeben.



# 6.229 Course: Non- and Semiparametrics [T-WIWI-103126]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Melanie Schienle

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management Part of: M-WIWI-101638 - Econometrics and Statistics I

M-WIWI-101639 - Econometrics and Statistics II

**Type**Written examination

Credits 4,5 **Grading scale** Grade to a third

Recurrence Irregular Version 1

# **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (90 minutes) (following §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation).

# Prerequisites

None

## Recommendation

Knowledge of the contents covered by the course "Applied Econometrics" [2520020]

#### Annotation

The course takes place every second winter semester: 2018/19 then 2020/21



# 6.230 Course: Nonlinear Optimization I [T-WIWI-102724]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Stein

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach winter term 4

Credits Grade to a third Each winter term 4

Events							
WT 24/25	2550111	Nonlinear Optimization I	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Stein		
WT 24/25	2550112	Exercises Nonlinear Optimization I + II		Practice / 🗣	Stein, Schwarze		
Exams							
ST 2024	7900202_SS2024_NK	Nonlinear Optimization I			Stein		
WT 24/25	7900001_WS2425_HK	Nonlinear Optimization I			Stein		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 minutes) according to Section 4(2), 1 of the examination regulation. The successful completion of the exercises is required for admission to the written exam. The exam takes place in the semester of the lecture and in the following semester.

The examination can also be combined with the examination of Nonlinear Optimization II [2550113]. In this case, the duration of the written examination takes 120 minutes.

### **Prerequisites**

The module component exam T-WIWI-103637 "Nonlinear Optimization I and II" may not be selected.

#### Annotation

Part I and II of the lecture are held consecutively in the same semester.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Nonlinear Optimization I

2550111, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

The lecture treats the minimization of smooth nonlinear functions without constraints. For such problems, which occur very often in economics, engineering, and natural sciences, optimality conditions are derived and, based on them, solution algorithms are developed. The lecture is structured as follows:

- Introduction, examples, and terminology
- Existence results for optimal points
- First and second order optimality condtions
- Algorithms (line search, steepest descent method, variable metric methods, Newton method, Quasi Newton methods, CG
  method, trust region method)

The lecture is accompanied by exercises which, amongst others, offers the opportunity to implement and to test some of the methods on practically relevant examples.

# Remark:

The treatment of optimization problems with constraints forms the contents of the lecture "Nonlinear Optimization II". The lectures "Nonlinear Optimization II" and "Nonlinear Optimization II" are held consecutively in the same semester.

# Learning objectives:

The student

- knows and understands fundamentals of unconstrained nonlinear optimization,
- is able to choose, design and apply modern techniques of unconstrained nonlinear optimization in practice.

# Literature

O. Stein, Grundzüge der Nichtlinearen Optimierung, 2. Aufl., SpringerSpektrum, 2021

# Weiterführende Literatur:

- W. Alt, Nichtlineare Optimierung, Vieweg, 2002
- M.S. Bazaraa, H.D. Sherali, C.M. Shetty, Nonlinear Programming, Wiley, 1993
- O. Güler, Foundations of Optimization, Springer, 2010
- H.Th. Jongen, K. Meer, E. Triesch, Optimization Theory, Kluwer, 2004
- J. Nocedal, S. Wright, Numerical Optimization, Springer, 2000



# 6.231 Course: Nonlinear Optimization I and II [T-WIWI-103637]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Stein

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	9	Grade to a third	Each winter term	6

Events							
WT 24/25	2550111	Nonlinear Optimization I	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Stein		
WT 24/25	2550112	Exercises Nonlinear Optimization I + II		Practice / 🗣	Stein, Schwarze		
WT 24/25	2550113	Nonlinear Optimization II	Nonlinear Optimization II 2 SWS Lect		Stein		
Exams							
ST 2024	7900204_SS2024_NK	Nonlinear Optimization I and II			Stein		
WT 24/25	7900003_WS2425_HK	Nonlinear Optimization I and II	Stein				

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consits of a written exam (120 minutes) according to Section 4(2), 1 of the examination regulation. The successful completion of the exercises is required for admission to the written exam.

The exam takes place in the semester of the lecture and in the following semester.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

### Annotation

Part I and II of the lecture are held consecutively in the same semester.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Nonlinear Optimization I**

2550111, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

### Content

The lecture treats the minimization of smooth nonlinear functions without constraints. For such problems, which occur very often in economics, engineering, and natural sciences, optimality conditions are derived and, based on them, solution algorithms are developed. The lecture is structured as follows:

- Introduction, examples, and terminology
- · Existence results for optimal points
- First and second order optimality condtions
- Algorithms (line search, steepest descent method, variable metric methods, Newton method, Quasi Newton methods, CG method, trust region method)

The lecture is accompanied by exercises which, amongst others, offers the opportunity to implement and to test some of the methods on practically relevant examples.

### Remark:

The treatment of optimization problems with constraints forms the contents of the lecture "Nonlinear Optimization II". The lectures "Nonlinear Optimization II" and "Nonlinear Optimization II" are held consecutively in the same semester.

# Learning objectives:

The student

- knows and understands fundamentals of unconstrained nonlinear optimization,
- is able to choose, design and apply modern techniques of unconstrained nonlinear optimization in practice.

#### Literature

O. Stein, Grundzüge der Nichtlinearen Optimierung, 2. Aufl., SpringerSpektrum, 2021

#### Weiterführende Literatur:

- W. Alt, Nichtlineare Optimierung, Vieweg, 2002
- M.S. Bazaraa, H.D. Sherali, C.M. Shetty, Nonlinear Programming, Wiley, 1993
- O. Güler, Foundations of Optimization, Springer, 2010
- H.Th. Jongen, K. Meer, E. Triesch, Optimization Theory, Kluwer, 2004
- J. Nocedal, S. Wright, Numerical Optimization, Springer, 2000



# **Nonlinear Optimization II**

2550113, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

The lecture treats the minimization of smooth nonlinear functions under nonlinear constraints. For such problems, which occur very often in economics, engineering, and natural sciences, optimality conditions are derived and, based on them, solution algorithms are developed. The lecture is structured as follows:

- Topology and first order approximations of the feasible set
- Theorems of the alternative, first and second order optimality conditions
- Algorithms (penalty method, multiplier method, barrier method, interior point method, SQP method, quadratic
  optimization)

The lecture is accompanied by exercises which, amongst others, offers the opportunity to implement and to test some of the methods on practically relevant examples.

#### Remark:

The treatment of optimization problems without constraints forms the contents of the lecture "Nonlinear Optimization I". The lectures "Nonlinear Optimization I" and "Nonlinear Optimization II" are held consecutively in the same semester.

### Learning objectives:

The student

- knows and understands fundamentals of constrained nonlinear optimization,
- is able to choose, design and apply modern techniques of constrained nonlinear optimization in practice.

### Literature

O. Stein, Grundzüge der Nichtlinearen Optimierung, 2. Aufl., SpringerSpektrum, 2021

# Weiterführende Literatur:

- W. Alt, Nichtlineare Optimierung, Vieweg, 2002
- M.S. Bazaraa, H.D. Sherali, C.M. Shetty, Nonlinear Programming, Wiley, 1993
- O. Güler, Foundations of Optimization, Springer, 2010
- H.Th. Jongen, K. Meer, E. Triesch, Optimization Theory, Kluwer, 2004
- J. Nocedal, S. Wright, Numerical Optimization, Springer, 2000



# 6.232 Course: Nonlinear Optimization II [T-WIWI-102725]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Stein

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4,5	Grade to a third	Each winter term	3

Events					
WT 24/25	2550112	Exercises Nonlinear Optimization I + II		Practice / 🗣	Stein, Schwarze
WT 24/25	2550113	Nonlinear Optimization II	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Stein
Exams					
ST 2024	7900203_SS2024_NK	Nonlinear Optimization II			Stein
WT 24/25	7900002_WS2425_HK	Nonlinear Optimization II			Stein

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### Competence Certificate

The assessment consits of a written exam (60 minutes) according to Section 4(2), 1 of the examination regulation. The successful completion of the exercises is required for admission to the written exam.

The exam takes place in the semester of the lecture and in the following semester.

The exam can also be combined with the examination of *Nonlinear Optimization I* [2550111]. In this case, the duration of the written exam takes 120 minutes.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### **Annotation**

Part I and II of the lecture are held consecutively in the same semester.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Nonlinear Optimization II**

2550113, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

# Content

The lecture treats the minimization of smooth nonlinear functions under nonlinear constraints. For such problems, which occur very often in economics, engineering, and natural sciences, optimality conditions are derived and, based on them, solution algorithms are developed. The lecture is structured as follows:

- Topology and first order approximations of the feasible set
- Theorems of the alternative, first and second order optimality conditions
- Algorithms (penalty method, multiplier method, barrier method, interior point method, SQP method, quadratic optimization)

The lecture is accompanied by exercises which, amongst others, offers the opportunity to implement and to test some of the methods on practically relevant examples.

### Remark:

The treatment of optimization problems without constraints forms the contents of the lecture "Nonlinear Optimization I". The lectures "Nonlinear Optimization I" and "Nonlinear Optimization II" are held consecutively in the same semester.

# Learning objectives:

The student

- knows and understands fundamentals of constrained nonlinear optimization,
- is able to choose, design and apply modern techniques of constrained nonlinear optimization in practice.

# Literature

O. Stein, Grundzüge der Nichtlinearen Optimierung, 2. Aufl., SpringerSpektrum, 2021

# Weiterführende Literatur:

- W. Alt, Nichtlineare Optimierung, Vieweg, 2002
- M.S. Bazaraa, H.D. Sherali, C.M. Shetty, Nonlinear Programming, Wiley, 1993
- O. Güler, Foundations of Optimization, Springer, 2010
- H.Th. Jongen, K. Meer, E. Triesch, Optimization Theory, Kluwer, 2004
- J. Nocedal, S. Wright, Numerical Optimization, Springer, 2000



# 6.233 Course: Online Concepts for Karlsruhe City Retailers [T-WIWI-111848]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martin Klarmann

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101510 - Cross-Functional Management Accounting

M-WIWI-105312 - Marketing and Sales Management

M-WIWI-106258 - Digital Marketing

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Each summer term	2

Events						
ST 2024	2571184	Online concepts for Karlsruhe city retailers	2 SWS	Others (sons / 🗣	Kupfer	
Exams	Exams					
ST 2024	7900221	Online Concepts for Karlsruhe City Retailers			Klarmann	

Legend: Online, S Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, X Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment:

- presentations in teams (in each case to the extent of approx. 15 minutes per team with subsequent discussio)
- delivery of a written elaboration per team.

## **Annotation**

Please note that an application is required to participate in this workshop. The application phase usually takes place at the beginning of the lecture period in the summer semester. More information on the application process is usually available on the Marketing and Sales Research Group website (marketing.iism.kit.edu) shortly before the start of the lecture period in the summer semester.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Online concepts for Karlsruhe city retailers

2571184, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Others (sonst.) On-Site

# Content Content

As part of a practical project in cooperation with the city marketing department of KME Karlsruhe Marketing und Event GmbH, students will have the opportunity to directly interact with retailers in Karlsruhe. Challenges of the digitalization of brick-and-mortar retailing will be analyzed and solutions will be developed and implemented.

In a theoretical part at the beginning of the event, students will gain an insight into the theoretical foundations of specific online marketing instruments. In cooperation with Karlsruhe City Marketing, students are taught application-oriented skills in online marketing tools, such as content management systems, social media platforms, search engine optimization or Google Ads campaigns.

In the practical part of the course, student teams cooperate with a real retailer in Karlsruhe's city center and learn how to analyze and optimize online presences and digital solutions based on key performance indicators. Possible use cases range from social media communication and website optimization to the introduction of innovative pricing and payment methods. In this way, students are given the tools for developing, maintaining and optimizing individual websites and digital solutions in stationary retailing.

Learning objectives result accordingly as follows:

- Learning of theoretical basics of central, application-oriented tools of online marketing
- Application and practical deep-dive of the acquired knowledge in a real case
- Concise and structured presentation of results

Total time required for 3 credit points: approx. 90.0 hours

Attendance time: 12 hours

Preparation and wrap-up of the course: 58 hours

Exam and exam preparation: 20 hours



# 6.234 Course: Operations Research in Health Care Management [T-WIWI-102884]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Stefan Nickel

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-102805 - Service Operations

TypeCredits<br/>Written examinationGrading scale<br/>4,5Recurrence<br/>Each termVersion

Events	Events						
ST 2024	2550495	Operations Research in Health Care Management	2 SWS	Lecture /	Graß		
ST 2024	2550496	Übungen zu OR im Health Care Management	1 SWS	Practice /	Graß		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7900229	Operations Research in Health Care	Operations Research in Health Care Management				
WT 24/25	7900010	Operations Research in Health Care Management			Graß		
WT 24/25	7900032	Operations Research in Health Care Management			Graß		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

# **Competence Certificate**

Success is assessed in the form of a 60-minute written examination (in accordance with §4(2), 1 SPO).

The examination is offered every semester.

# **Prerequisites**

None

# Recommendation

Basic knowledge as conveyed in the module "Introduction to Operations Research" is assumed.

### Annotation

The course is offered irregularly. Planned lectures for the next three years can be found in the internet at http://dol.ior.kit.edu/english/Courses.php.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Operations Research in Health Care Management

2550495, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) Online

# Literature

## Weiterführende Literatur:

- Fleßa: Grundzüge der Krankenhausbetriebslehre, Oldenbourg, 2007
- Fleßa: Grundzüge der Krankenhaussteuerung, Oldenbourg, 2008
- Hall: Patient flow: reducing delay in healthcare delivery, Springer, 2006



# 6.235 Course: Operations Research in Supply Chain Management [T-WIWI-102715]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Stefan Nickel

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming

M-WIWI-102805 - Service Operations

M-WIWI-102832 - Operations Research in Supply Chain Management

M-WIWI-103289 - Stochastic Optimization

Type Credits Grading scale
Written examination 4,5 Grade to a third

Recurrence Irregular Version 2

Exams			
ST 2024	7900249	Operations Research in Supply Chain Management	Nickel

# **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is a 60 minutes written examination (according to §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation).

The examination is held in the term of the lecture and the following lecture.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

# Recommendation

Basic knowledge as conveyed in the module Introduction to Operations Research and in the lectures Facility Location and Strategic SCM, Tactical and operational SCM assumed.

### **Annotation**

The course is offered irregularly. Planned lectures for the next three years can be found in the internet at http://dol.ior.kit.edu/english/Courses.php.



# 6.236 Course: Optimization and Synthesis of Embedded Systems (ES1) [T-INFO-101367]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jörg Henkel **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100830 - Optimization and Synthesis of Embedded Systems (ES1)

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination3Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events						
WT 24/25	2424143	Optimisation and synthesis of embedded systems (ES1)	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Siddhu, Henkel	
Exams	Exams					
ST 2024	7500038	/L: Optimization and synthesis of embedded systems (ES1)			Henkel	

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.237 Course: Optimization under Uncertainty [T-WIWI-106545]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Steffen Rebennack

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-103289 - Stochastic Optimization

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4,5	Grade to a third	Each winter term	3

Events							
WT 24/25	2550464	Optimization Under Uncertainty	2 SWS	Lecture / 😘	Rebennack		
WT 24/25	2550465	Übungen zu Optimierungsansätze unter Unsicherheit	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Rebennack		
WT 24/25	2550466		2 SWS	Others (sons	Rebennack		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7900309	Optimization under Uncertainty	Rebennack				
WT 24/25	7900240	Optimization under Uncertainty	Rebennack				

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

# **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 minutes) according to Section 4(2), 1 of the examination regulation. The exam takes place in every the semester.

## **Prerequisites**

None.



# 6.238 Course: Panel Data [T-WIWI-103127]

Responsible: apl. Prof. Dr. Wolf-Dieter Heller

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101638 - Econometrics and Statistics I
M-WIWI-101639 - Econometrics and Statistics II

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Examination of another type 4,5 Grade to a third Each summer term 2

Events						
ST 2024	2520320	Panel Data	2 SWS	Lecture	Heller	
ST 2024	2520321	Übungen zu Paneldaten	2 SWS	Practice	Heller	
Exams	Exams					
ST 2024	7900115	Panel Data			Heller	

## **Competence Certificate**

The performance assessment is an alternative exam assessment in the form of a one-hour examination comprising a written and an oral part. The examination takes place as an individual examination or in groups of two.

## **Prerequisites**

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Panel Data**

2520320, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)

# Content

# Content:

Fixed-Effects-Models, Random-Effects-Models, Time-Demeaning

# Workload:

Total workload for 4.5 CP: approx. 135 hours

Attendance: 30 hours

Preparation and follow-up: 65 hours

Exam preparation: 40 hours Exam preparation: 40 hours

# Literature

Wooldridge, J. M. (2002). Econometric analysis of cross section and panel data. Cambridge and London: MIT Press.

Wooldridge, J. M. (2009). Introductory Econometrics: A Modern Approach (5th ed.). Mason, Ohio: South-Western Cengage Learning.



# 6.239 Course: Parallel Algorithms [T-INFO-101333]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100796 - Parallel Algorithms

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination4Grade to a thirdEach winter term3

Events				
WT 24/25	2400053	Parallel Algorithms	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Sanders, Hübner, Uhl

Legend: 
☐ Online, 
☐ Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, 
X Cancelled

# **Competence Certificate**

The lecture consists of two partial achievements:

- an oral examination lasting 20 minutes.
- an exercise carried out as an examination of another type.

Final grade: 80% oral examination, 20% exercise

# Recommendation

Knowledge from lectures such as Algorithms I/II is recommended.



# 6.240 Course: Parallel Algorithms Pass [T-INFO-111857]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100796 - Parallel Algorithms

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionExamination of another type1Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

## **Competence Certificate**

The lecture consists of two partial achievements:

- an oral examination lasting 20 minutes.
- an exercise carried out as an examination of another type .

Final grade: 80% oral examination, 20% exercise

# Recommendation

Knowledge from lectures such as Algorithms I/II is recommended.



# 6.241 Course: Parallel Computer Systems and Parallel Programming [T-INFO-101345]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Achim Streit

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100808 - Parallel Computer Systems and Parallel Programming

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach summer term 1

Events							
ST 2024	24617	Parallel computer systems and parallel programming	2 SWS	Lecture	Streit, Raffeiner, Barthel		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7500141	Parallel computer systems and parallel programming			Streit		
WT 24/25	7500241	Parallel computer systems and parallel programming			Streit		



# 6.242 Course: Parametric Optimization [T-WIWI-102855]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Stein

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming

**Type** Written examination

Credits 4,5 **Grading scale** Grade to a third

Recurrence Irregular Version 1

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of the lecture is a written examination (60 minutes) according to §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation. The successful completion of the exercises is required for admission to the written exam.

The examination is held in the semester of the lecture and in the following semester.

## **Prerequisites**

None

## Recommendation

It is strongly recommended to visit at least one lecture from the Bachelor program of this chair before attending this course.

#### Annotation

The lecture is offered irregularly. The curriculum of the next three years is available online (www.ior.kit.edu).



# 6.243 Course: Patent Law [T-INFO-101310]

Responsible: Patric Werner

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101215 - Intellectual Property Law

Type	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	3	Grade to a third	Each summer term	3

Events						
ST 2024	24656	Patent Law	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Werner	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500109	Patent Law			Sattler	
WT 24/25	7500006	Patent Law			Sattler, Matz	

 $\textit{Legend:} \ \overline{\blacksquare} \ \textit{Online}, \ \textcircled{\$} \ \textit{Blended} \ (\textit{On-Site/Online}), \ \P \cdot \textit{On-Site}, \ \textbf{x} \ \textit{Cancelled}$ 

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 60 minutes.

# **Prerequisites**

None.

# Recommendation

None.



# 6.244 Course: Pattern Recognition [T-INFO-101362]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jürgen Beyerer

Tim Zander

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100825 - Pattern Recognition

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	6	Grade to a third	Each summer term	2

Events						
ST 2024	24675	Pattern Recognition	4 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Beyerer	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500032	Pattern Recognition			Beyerer	
WT 24/25	7500111	Pattern Recognition			Beyerer	

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Pattern Recognition**

24675, SS 2024, 4 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ) On-Site

#### **Organizational issues**

Vorlesung: montags 15:45 bis 16:30 Uhr und mittwochs 14:00 bis 15:30 Uhr

Übung: montags 16:30 bis 17:15 Uhr

### Literature

# Weiterführende Literatur

- Richard O. Duda, Peter E. Hart, Stork G. David. Pattern Classification. Wiley-Interscience, second edition, 2001
- K. Fukunaga. Introduction to Statistical Pattern Recognition. Academic Press, second edition, 1997
- R. Hoffman. Signalanalyse und -erkennung. Springer, 1998
- H. Niemann. Pattern analysis and understanding. Springer, second edition, 1990
- J. Schürmann. Pattern classification. Wiley & Sons, 1996
- S. Theodoridis, K. Koutroumbas. Pattern recognition. London: Academic, 2003
- V. N. Vapnik. The nature of statistical learning theory. Springer, second edition, 2000



# 6.245 Course: Penetration Testing Lab [T-INFO-109929]

Responsible: Dr.-Ing. Ingmar Baumgart

Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-104895 - Penetration Testing Lab

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events							
ST 2024	2400058	Penetration Testing Lab	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Baumgart, Müller, Dukek		
WT 24/25	2400115	Penetration Testing Lab	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Baumgart, Müller, Dukek		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7500275	Penetration Testing Lab			Baumgart		



# 6.246 Course: Photorealistic Rendering [T-INFO-101268]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Carsten Dachsbacher **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100731 - Photorealistic Rendering

TypeCredits<br/>Oral examinationGrading scale<br/>5Recurrence<br/>Each summer termVersion<br/>1

Events	Events						
WT 24/25	2400180	Fotorealistische Bildsynthese	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Schudeiske, Dachsbacher		
WT 24/25	2400185	Übung Fotorealistische Bildsynthese	2 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Grauer, Schudeiske, Dachsbacher		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7500124	Photorealistic Rendering			Dachsbacher		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.247 Course: Planning and Management of Industrial Plants [T-WIWI-102631]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Frank Schultmann

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101471 - Industrial Production II

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Scach winter term 1

Events							
WT 24/25	2581952	Design and Operation of Industrial Plants and Processes	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Schultmann, Rudi		
WT 24/25	2581953	Übungen Anlagenwirtschaft/Design and Operation of Industrial Plants and Processes	2 SWS	Practice / <b>●</b> <sup>€</sup>	Temnov, Schneider		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7981952	Planning and Management of Industr	Schultmann				

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (90 minutes) (following §4(2) of the examination regulation). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. Depending on the respective pandemic situation, the exam may be offered as an open book exam (alternative exam assessment, following §4(2), 3 of the examination regulation).

### **Prerequisites**

None

# Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Design and Operation of Industrial Plants and Processes

2581952, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

Industrial plant management incorporates a complex set of tasks along the entire life cycle of an industrial plant, starting with the initiation and erection up to operating and dismantling.

During this course students will get to know special characteristics of industrial plant management. Students will learn important methods to plan, realize and supervise the supply, start-up, maintenance, optimisation and shut-down of industrial plants. Alongside, students will have to handle the inherent question of choosing between technologies and evaluating each of them. This course pays special attention to the specific characteristics of plant engineering, commissioning and investment.

# Literature

Wird in der Veranstaltung bekannt gegeben.



# 6.248 Course: Platform & Market Engineering: Commerce, Media, and Digital Democracy [T-WIWI-112823]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101409 - Electronic Markets

M-WIWI-101446 - Market Engineering M-WIWI-101453 - Applied Strategic Decisions

M-WIWI-102754 - Service Economics and Management

M-WIWI-104813 - Information Systems: Internet-Based Markets and Services

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4,5	Grade to a third	Each summer term	2

Events					
ST 2024	2540460	Platform & Market Engineering: Commerce, Media, and Digital Democracy	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Weinhardt, Fegert
ST 2024	2540461	Übungen zu Platform & Market Engineering: Commerce, Media, and Digital Democracy	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Fegert, Stano
Exams				•	
ST 2024	7979235	Platform & Market Engineering: Com Democracy	Platform & Market Engineering: Commerce, Media, and Digital Democracy		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 min) (according to \$4(2), 1 of the examination regulations). By successful completion of the exercises (\$4(2), 3 SPO 2007 respectively \$4(3) SPO 2015) up to 6 bonus points can be obtained. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by max. one grade level (0.3 or 0.4).

# **Prerequisites**

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Platform & Market Engineering: Commerce, Media, and Digital Democracy

2540460, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

# Organizational issues

ehemals: "Market Engineering: Information in Institutions"

### Literature

- Roth, A., The Economist as Engineer: Game Theory, Experimental Economics and Computation as Tools for Design Economics. Econometrica 70(4): 1341-1378, 2002.
- Weinhardt, C., Holtmann, C., Neumann, D., Market Engineering. Wirtschaftsinformatik, 2003.
- Wolfstetter, E., Topics in Microeconomics Industrial Organization, Auctions, and Incentives. Cambridge, Cambridge University Press, 1999.
- Smith, V. "Theory, Experiments and Economics", The Journal of Economic Perspectives, Vol. 3, No. 1, 151-69 1989



# 6.249 Course: Portfolio and Asset Liability Management [T-WIWI-103128]

Responsible: Dr. Mher Safarian

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101639 - Econometrics and Statistics II

TypeCredits<br/>Written examinationGrading scale<br/>4,5Recurrence<br/>Each summer termVersion<br/>1

Events						
ST 2024	2520357	Portfolio and Asset Liability Management	2 SWS	Lecture	Safarian	
ST 2024	2520358	Übungen zu Portfolio and Asset Liability Management	2 SWS	Practice	Safarian	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900357	Portfolio and Asset Liability Manage	Safarian			

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course consists of a written examination (following §4(2), 1 SPOs, 180 min.).

### **Prerequisites**

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Portfolio and Asset Liability Management

2520357, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)

# Content

# Learning objectives:

Knowledge of various portfolio management techniques in the financial industry.

#### Content:

Portfolio theory: principles of investment, Markowitz- portfolio analysis, Modigliani-Miller theorems and absence of arbitrage, efficient markets, capital asset pricing model (CAPM), multi factorial CAPM, arbitragepricing theory (APT), arbitrage and hedging, multi factorial models, equity-portfolio management, passive strategies, active investment

Asset liability: statistical portfolio analysis in stock allocation, measures of success, dynamic multi seasonal models, models in building scenarios, stochastic programming in bond and liability management, optimal investment strategies, integrated asset liability management

### Workload:

Total workload for 4.5 CP: approx. 135 hours

Attendance: 30 hours

Preparation and follow-up: 65 hours

Exam preparation: 40 hours Exam preparation: 40 hours

### **Organizational** issues

Blockveranstaltung, Termine werden über Ilias bekanntgegeben

#### Literature

To be announced in the lecture



# 6.250 Course: Practical Course Applied Telematics [T-INFO-103585]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101889 - Practical Course Applied Telematics

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Examination of another type 3 Grade to a third Each winter term 3

Events					
WT 24/25	24316	Telematic Labs	1 SWS	Practical course	König, Mahrt, Zitterbart



# 6.251 Course: Practical Course Automatic Speech Recognition [T-INFO-104775]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Alexander Waibel **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102411 - Practical Course Automatic Speech Recognition

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1



# **6.252** Course: Practical Course Computer Vision for Human-Computer Interaction [T-INFO-105943]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Rainer Stiefelhagen **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102966 - Practical Course Computer Vision for Human-Computer Interaction

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Each summer term	3

Events							
ST 2024		Practical Course Computer Vision for Human-Computer Interaction	2 SWS	Practical course /	Stiefelhagen		
Exams							
ST 2024	7500279	Practical Course Computer Vision for Human-Computer Interaction			Stiefelhagen		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Modeled Conditions**

The following conditions have to be fulfilled:

1. The course T-INFO-110325 - Practical Course Computer Vision for Human-Computer Interaction incl. Scientific Report must not have been started.



# **6.253** Course: Practical Course Decentralized Systems and Network Services [T-INFO-106063]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Hannes Hartenstein **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-103047 - Practical Course Decentralized Systems and Network Services

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4	Grade to a third	Irregular	1



# 6.254 Course: Practical Course Digital Design & Test Automation Flow [T-INFO-105565]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Mehdi Baradaran Tahoori
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102570 - Practical Course: Digital Design & Test Automation Flow

Events						
WT 24/25	24318	Digital Design & Test Automation Flow	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Tahoori	
Exams	Exams					
ST 2024	7500089	Practical Course Digital Design & Tes	Practical Course Digital Design & Test Automation Flow			
WT 24/25	7500084	Practical Course Digital Design & Test Automation Flow			Tahoori	

Legend: █ Online, ቆ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out in form of course work (German Studienleistung, § 4 Abs. 3 SPO). Students must give a presentation.

### **Prerequisites**

None.

### Recommendation

Knowledge of "Dependable Computing" and "Fault Tolerant Computing" and Computer Architecture is helpful.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Digital Design & Test Automation Flow

24318, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P) On-Site

### Content

Electronic Design Automation (EDA) is used to develop nearly all novel electronic systems that we use in our daily lives, such as smartphones or laptops. In order to manage the high complexity of these systems, all steps in the design and verification phases are done automatically with the help of EDA tools.

The objective of this lab is to have a hands-on practice on major steps in digital design and test automation flow, from system-level specification to physical design and verification, using industrial EDA toolsets which are predominantly used in the industry and academia. The students will work on some sample designs and go through all major design and test steps, one by one, in different sessions of the lab. So, by the end of this lab, they become familiar with the steps and tool chain in the digital design and test automation flow. The topics include system-level specification and simulation; high-level synthesis; logic-level synthesis and simulation; design for testability; test pattern generation and fault simulation; physical design and verification; timing analysis and closure; area, delay, and power estimation and analysis.

### **Organizational issues**

Ab 29.10.2024, alle 2 Wochen dienstags 14:00-15:30, Geb. 07.21, Gebäudeteil B, 2.OG, Praktikumsraum B.312.4

There are limited slots and the registration is handled in a first-come, first-served manner. So make sure you sign-up as early as possible. We can only consider registrations with the correct documents or from the online system (https://campus.studium.kit.edu/exams/index.php)



# 6.255 Course: Practical Course Engineering Approaches to Software Development [T-INFO-108791]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ralf Reussner
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-104254 - Practical: Course Engineering Approaches to Software Development

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 6 Grade to a third Recurrence Each term 1

Events						
WT 24/25	2400093	Practical Course Engineering Approaches to Software Development	4 SWS	Practical course	Reussner	
Exams	Exams					
ST 2024	7500184	Practical Course Engineering Approaches to Software Development			Burger, Reussner	
WT 24/25	7500234	Practical Course Engineering Approaches to Software Development			Reussner	



# 6.256 Course: Practical Course FPGA Programming [T-INFO-105576]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Mehdi Baradaran Tahoori **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102661 - Practical Course FPGA Programming

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Each term	1

Events							
ST 2024	2400106	FPGA Programming	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Tahoori		
WT 24/25	2400106	FPGA Programming	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Tahoori		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7500087	Practical Course FPGA Programming			Tahoori		
WT 24/25	7500083	Practical Course FPGA Programming			Tahoori		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out in form of course work (German Studienleistung, § 4 Abs. 3 SPO). Students must give a presentation.

#### Prerequisites

None.

#### Recommendation

Knowledge of "Dependable Computing" and "Fault Tolerant Computing" and Computer Architecture is helpful.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **FPGA Programming**

2400106, SS 2024, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
On-Site

### Content

This lab emphasizes on the practical aspects of Field Programmable Gate Arrays (FPGAs). In the beginning, a short background discussion of FPGAs is given, followed by a tutorial on the workflow of configuring and programming an FPGA. This lab includes FPGA design using schematic layouts as well as several example of VHDL/Verilog programming to implement some sample digital circuits. Students will be exposed to the processes used to design and simulate FPGAs as well as compile their design and see it run on an actual FPGA. The lab is designed around the DE2-115 prototyping board, which provides a programmer, program memory, and array of switches, buttons, LEDs, an LCD, and several I/O ports.

## **Organizational issues**

ab 17.04.2024, alle 2 Wochen mittwochs 14:00-17:15, Geb. 07.21, Gebäudeteil B, 2.OG, Praktikumsraum B.312.4

Since the number of seats is limited, a registration for this laboratory in the campus system is necessary.



## **FPGA Programming**

2400106, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P) On-Site

## Content

This lab emphasizes on the practical aspects of Field Programmable Gate Arrays (FPGAs). In the beginning, a short background discussion of FPGAs is given, followed by a tutorial on the workflow of configuring and programming an FPGA. This lab includes FPGA design using schematic layouts as well as several example of VHDL/Verilog programming to implement some sample digital circuits. Students will be exposed to the processes used to design and simulate FPGAs as well as compile their design and see it run on an actual FPGA.

## **Organizational issues**

Ab 23.10.2024, alle 2 Wochen mittwochs 14:00-17:15, Geb. 07.21, **Gebäudeteil B, 2.OG**, Praktikumsraum B.312.4, Anwesenheitspflicht

Since the number of seats is limited, a registration for this laboratory in the campussystem is necessary, attendance is mandatory



# 6.257 Course: Practical Course Model-Driven Software Development [T-INFO-103029]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ralf Reussner
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101579 - Practical Course Model-Driven Software Development

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events						
ST 2024	2400091	Practical Course Model-Driven Software Development	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Burger	
Exams	Exams					
ST 2024	7500017	Practical Course Model-Driven Software Development			Reussner	

 $\textit{Legend:} \ \overline{\blacksquare} \ \textit{Online}, \ \textcircled{\$} \ \textit{Blended} \ (\textit{On-Site/Online}), \ \P \cdot \textit{On-Site}, \ \textbf{x} \ \textit{Cancelled}$ 



# 6.258 Course: Practical Course Natural Language Dialog Systems [T-INFO-104780]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Jan Niehues

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102414 - Natural Language Dialog Systems

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Irregular	2

Events						
ST 2024	2400187	Natürlichsprachliche Dialogmodellierung	2 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Niehues	
Exams	Exams					
ST 2024	7500371	Practical Course Natural Language Dialog Systems			Niehues	

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.259 Course: Practical Course on Network Security Research [T-INFO-110938]

Responsible: Mario Hock

Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105413 - Practical Course on Network Security Research

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Irregular	1



# 6.260 Course: Practical Course Protocol Engineering [T-INFO-104386]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102092 - Practical Course Protocol Engineering

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Examination of another type 4 Grade to a third Each winter term 1

Events					
WT 24/25	2400086	Protocol Engineering	4 SWS	Practical course	König, Mahrt, Zitterbart



# 6.261 Course: Practical Course Software Defined Networking [T-INFO-103587]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101891 - Practical Course Software Defined Networking

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events						
ST 2024	2424899	Projektpraktikum: Software Defined Networking	4 SWS	Practical course / 🕃	König, Seehofer, Zitterbart	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500167	Practical Course: Software Defined Networking			Zitterbart	

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Projektpraktikum: Software Defined Networking**

2424899, SS 2024, 4 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

### Content

Software-defined networking (SDN) is an emerging approach for controlling and managing network infrastructures. All control functionality (such as routing) is implemented in software and executed with the help of a centralized controller. As part of this practical course, we now want to find out how such SDN applications can be developed



# 6.262 Course: Practical Course: Advanced Topics in High Performance Computing, Data Management and Analytics [T-INFO-111803]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Achim Streit

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105870 - Practical Course: Advanced Topics in High Performance Computing, Data Management

and Analytics

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 6 Grade to a third Each term 1

Events						
WT 24/25	2400043	Advanced Topics in High Performance Computing, Data Management and Analytics	3 SWS	Practical course	Farhadi, Streit	

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an examination of another type (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 3 SPO). The examination can consist of experiments or projects, each with a concluding presentation. Students may redraw from the assigned topic during the first two weeks after the topic has been communicated.

## **Prerequisites**

none.

## Recommendation

Knowledge in the area of databases, data management, data analytics, parallel computing is helpful.



# 6.263 Course: Practical Course: Current Topics of Quantum Computing [T-INFO-112741]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Ina Schaefer

Prof. Dr. Achim Streit

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106286 - Practical Course: Current Topics of Quantum Computing

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events						
ST 2024	2400203	Current Topics of Quantum Computing	3 SWS	Practical course	Kühn, Schaefer, Streit	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500362	Practical Course: Current Topics of Quantum Computing			Kühn, Schaefer, Streit	

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an examination of another type (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 3 SPO).

The overall impression is evaluated. The grading is based on a term paper and a presentation. Students may redraw from the examination during the first two weeks after the topic has been communicated.

#### Recommendation

- Knowledge of linear algebra is recommended
- Programming experience is helpful.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Current Topics of Quantum Computing**

 $2400203, SS\ 2024, 3\ SWS, Language: German/English, Open\ in\ study\ portal$ 

Practical course (P)

## Content

This practical course focuses on the theoretical analysis and practical implementation of current topics in quantum computing. The introduction covers necessary mathematical foundations of quantum systems and their representation by qubits and quantum circuits before delving into the specifics of the topics offered. Possible topics include quantum algorithms, optimization of quantum systems, quantum software engineering, or quantum machine learning.

There are fixed dates for topic assignment and lectures to introduce the topic of quantum computing. Additional face-to-face meetings to discuss individual progress are coordinated individually between the participants and supervisors. Participants work on separate tasks that are defined on the basis of current research work and thus offer realistic problems from practice and research. Assignments are graded individually, group work is possible. Prior knowledge and areas of interest of the participants are taken into account when assigning the topics.

## **Organizational issues**

Die Themenvergabe findet in der Auftaktveranstaltung statt:

• 18.04., 14:00-15:30 Uhr, Gebäude 20.21 (SCC), Raum 314

Falls Themen nicht vergeben wurden und Sie nicht an der Auftaktveranstaltung teilnehmen konnten, treten Sie gern direkt mit uns in Kontakt.

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Available topics are assigned during our kick off meeting:

• 18.04., 14:00-15:30, Building 20.21 (SCC), Room 314

In case not all topics are assigned, and you did not manage to join the kick off meeting, please get in contact directly.



# **6.264 Course: Practical Course: Customized Embedded Processor Design [T-INFO-111457]**

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jörg Henkel **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105740 - Practical Course: Customized Embedded Processor Design

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 4 Grade to a third Each winter term 2



# 6.265 Course: Practical Course: Data Science [T-INFO-111262]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Klemens Böhm **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105632 - Practical Course: Data Science

Type Credits Grading scale Pass/fail Recurrence Each summer term 1

Exams			
ST 2024	7500091	Data Science - Laboratory Course	Böhm, Nowack



# 6.266 Course: Practical Course: Data Science for Scientific Data [T-INFO-112844]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Klemens Böhm **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106329 - Practical Course: Data Science for Scientific Data

Type Credits Grading scale pass/fail Recurrence Irregular 1

Events						
ST 2024	242424	Data Science for Scientific Data	2 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Böhm, Cribeiro Ramallo, Schäfer	
Exams						
ST 2024	75751	Practical Course: Data Science for Scientific Data			Böhm, Schäfer	

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.267 Course: Practical Course: Database Systems [T-INFO-103201]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Klemens Böhm **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101662 - Practical Course: Database Systems

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionCompleted coursework4pass/failEach winter term4

Events					
WT 24/25	24286	Datenbankpraktikum	2 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Böhm, Richter

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.268 Course: Practical Course: Discrete Freeform Surfaces [T-INFO-103208]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Hartmut Prautzsch **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101667 - Practical Course: Discrete Freeform Surfaces

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events					
ST 2024	24876	Praktikum Diskrete Freiformflächen	4 SWS	Practical course / 🕃	Hoffmann, Prautzsch
WT 24/25	2400059	Discrete freeform surfaces		Practical course / 🗯	Hoffmann, Prautzsch

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an examination of another type (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 3 SPO).

The overall impression is evaluated. Solutions to assignments and their presentations will be included in the grading. Implementations and their presentation

## **Prerequisites**

None.



# 6.269 Course: Practical Course: General-Purpose Computation on Graphics Processing Units [T-INFO-109914]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Carsten Dachsbacher **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100724 - Practical Course: General-Purpose Computation on Graphics Processing Units

Examination of another type 3 Grade to a third Each term 1	<b>Type</b> Examination of another type	Credits 3	<b>Grading scale</b> Grade to a third	Recurrence Each term	Version 1
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Events							
ST 2024	24911	Praktikum General-Purpose Computation on Graphics Processing Units	2 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Lerzer, Dereviannykh, Klepikov, Dachsbacher		
WT 24/25	24297	Praktikum General-Purpose Computation on Graphics Processing Units	2 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Dereviannykh, Klepikov, Dittebrandt, Dachsbacher		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7500134	Practical Course: General-Purpose Processing Units	Dachsbacher				

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.270 Course: Practical Course: Geometric Modeling [T-INFO-103207]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Hartmut Prautzsch
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101666 - Practical Course: Geometric Modeling

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events						
ST 2024	2400107	Praktikum Geometrisches Modellieren	2 SWS	Practical course / 🛱	Prautzsch, Hoffmann	
WT 24/25	2400024	Geometric Modelling		Practical course / 🗯	Hoffmann, Prautzsch	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500212	Practical course: Geometric Modeling			Prautzsch	

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an examination of another type (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 3 SPO).

The overall impression is evaluated. Solutions to assignments and their presentations will be included in the grading.



# 6.271 Course: Practical Course: Graphics and Game Development [T-INFO-110872]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Carsten Dachsbacher **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105384 - Practical Course: Graphics and Game Development

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 6 Grade to a third Recurrence Irregular 1

### Recommendation

Knowledge of basics or algorithms of computer graphics are recommended.



# **6.272** Course: Practical Course: Hot Research Topics in Computer Graphics [T-INFO-109577]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Carsten Dachsbacher **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-104699 - Practical Course: Hot Research Topics in Computer Graphics

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 6 Grade to a third Recurrence Irregular 1



Organisation:

# 6.273 Course: Practical Course: Machine Learning and Intelligent Systems [T-INFO-112104]

Responsible: Michael Fennel

Prof. Dr.-Ing. Uwe Hanebeck KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105958 - Practical Course: Machine Learning and Intelligent Systems

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	8	Grade to a third	Each term	1

Events					
ST 2024	24871	Practical Course Machine Learning and Intelligent Systems	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Hanebeck, Prossel
Exams					
ST 2024	7500050	Practical Course Machine Learning a	Practical Course Machine Learning and Intelligent Systems		
WT 24/25	7500103	Practical Course Machine Learning a	Hanebeck		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.274 Course: Practical Course: Neural Network Exercises [T-INFO-106259]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Alexander Waibel
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-103143 - Practical Course: Neural Network Exercises

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 3 Grade to a third Each winter term 1

Events				
WT 24/25	2400218	Praktikum Neuronale Netze	Practical course	Waibel, Akti



# 6.275 Course: Practical Course: Programme Verification [T-INFO-102953]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Bernhard Beckert **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

**Part of:** M-INFO-101537 - Practical Course: Programme Verification

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 3 Grade to a third Recurrence Irregular 1

Exams					
ST 2024	7500281	Practical Course: Programme Verification	Beckert		
WT 24/25	7500260	Practical Course: Programme Verification	Beckert		



# 6.276 Course: Practical Course: Scientific Data Management [T-INFO-112810]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Klemens Böhm **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106312 - Practical Course: Scientific Data Management

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Completed coursework	4	pass/fail	Irregular	1

Events						
ST 2024	2400212	Practical Course Scientific Data Management	2 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Böhm, Betsche	
WT 24/25	2400212	Practical Course Scientific Data Management	2 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Böhm, Betsche	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500039	Practical Course: Scientific Data M	Practical Course: Scientific Data Management			
ST 2024	7500368	Practical Course: Scientific Data M	Practical Course: Scientific Data Management			

 $\textit{Legend:} \ \overline{\blacksquare} \ \textit{Online}, \ \textcircled{\$} \ \textit{Blended} \ (\textit{On-Site/Online}), \ \P \cdot \textit{On-Site}, \ \textbf{x} \ \textit{Cancelled}$ 

## **Modeled Conditions**

The following conditions have to be fulfilled:

1. The course T-INFO-112689 - Practical Course: Graph Databases must not have been started.



# 6.277 Course: Practical Course: Smart Data Analytics [T-INFO-106426]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Michael Beigl
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-103235 - Practical Course: Smart Data Analytics

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events						
ST 2024	24895	Practical Course: Smart Data Analytics	4 SWS	Practical course / 🕃	Huang, Zhou, Riedel, Beigl	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500088	Practical Course: Smart Data Analytics			Beigl, Riedel	

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.278 Course: Practical Course: Smart Energy System Lab [T-INFO-112030]

Responsible: Dr.-Ing. Simon Waczowicz
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105955 - Practical Course: Smart Energy System Lab

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Each term	1

Events						
ST 2024	2400082	Laboratory: Smart Energy System Lab	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Hagenmeyer, Waczowicz, Süß	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500318	Practical Course: Smart Energy System Lab			Hagenmeyer	

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.279 Course: Practical Course: Visual Computing [T-INFO-103000]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Carsten Dachsbacher **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101567 - Practical Course: Visual Computing

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Each term	4

Events					
ST 2024	24909	Praktikum GPU-Computing	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Lerzer, Dereviannykh, Klepikov, Dachsbacher
WT 24/25	24283	Praktikum GPU-Computing	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Dereviannykh, Klepikov, Dittebrandt, Dachsbacher
Exams					
ST 2024	7500125	Practical Course GPU-Computing			Dachsbacher



# 6.280 Course: Practical Course: Web Applications and Service-Oriented Architectures (II) [T-INFO-103121]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Sebastian Abeck
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101635 - Practical Course: Web Applications and Service-Oriented Architectures (II)

<b>Type</b> Examination of another type	Credits 5	<b>Grading scale</b> Grade to a third	Recurrence Each summer term	Version 3

Events					
ST 2024	24873	Practical Course: Microservice2Go (II)	2 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Abeck, Schneider, Sänger, Throner
Exams					
ST 2024	7500139	Practical Course: Web Applications and Service-Oriented Architectures (II)			Abeck

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.281 Course: Practical Introduction to Hardware Security [T-INFO-108920]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Mehdi Baradaran Tahoori **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-104357 - Practical Introduction to Hardware Security

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Each term	1

Events					
ST 2024	2400009	Practical Introduction in Hardware Security	4 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Tahoori, Gnad
WT 24/25	2400033	Practical Introduction in Hardware Security	4 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Gnad, Tahoori
Exams					
ST 2024	7500224	Practical Introduction to Hardware Security			Tahoori
WT 24/25	7500226	Practical Introduction to Hardware Security			Tahoori

Legend: Online, & Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an examination of another type (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 3 SPO). 4 topics will be covered in this lecture. After each topic the student will receive an assignment. The quality of his tasks will be evaluated afterwards of its correctness.

## **Prerequisites**

None.

## Recommendation

Knowledge of Digital Design (lecture TI) Practical Course "FPGA Programming"

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Practical Introduction in Hardware Security**

2400009, SS 2024, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ) On-Site

### Content

4 SWS / 6 ECTS = 180h

- 1. Hardware security primitives (PUF, TRNG)
- 2. Hardware Implementation of encryption modules (AES)
- 3. Passive Attack with side channel (on AES)
- 4. Active fault attack (on simple circuits, if feasible also on AES)

Security is a major concern for a variety of domains like embedded and cyber-physical systems in which threats in hardware and software components may pose catastrophic consequences. Software security has been studied extensively, since the majority of security attacks were typically at the software level. However, currently hardware becomes the Achilles heel for on-chip system security as recent events show. There is evidence of hardware security breaches and hence, there is a growing emphasize in hardware security from academic, industry, and government sectors. In this regard, physical attacks, side-channel analysis and fault-injection attacks for security-enabled application domains is becoming a real-world challenge.

# **Organizational issues**

Ab **18.04.2024** - 1x wöchentlich donnerstags: Vorlesung von 14:00-15:30, im Anschluß Übung von 15:45-17:15, Geb. 07.21, Gebäudeteil B, 2.OG, Seminarraum B316.4

There are limited slots and the registration is handled in a first-come, first-served manner. So make sure you sign-up as early as possible. We can only consider registrations with the correct documents or from the online system (https://campus.studium.kit.edu/exams/index.php)



# **Practical Introduction in Hardware Security**

2400033, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ) On-Site

## Content

4 SWS / 6 ECTS = 180h

## Organizational issues

Ab 24.10.2024 - 1x wöchentlich donnerstags: Vorlesung von 14:00-15:30, im Anschluß Übung von 15:30-17:15, Geb. 07.21, Gebäudeteil B, 2.OG, Seminarraum B316.4, Anwesenheitspflicht

There are limited slots and the registration is handled in a first-come, first-served manner. So make sure you sign-up as early as possible. We can only consider registrations with the correct documents or from the online system (https://campus.studium.kit.edu/exams/index.php), attendance is mandatory



Organisation:

# 6.282 Course: Practical Project Robotics and Automation I (Software) [T-INFO-104545]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Björn Hein

Prof. Dr.-Ing. Thomas Längle KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102224 - Practical Project Robotics and Automation I (Software)

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Each term	1

Events					
ST 2024	24282	Robotics and Automation I (Software)	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Hein, Längle

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Robotics and Automation I (Software)**

24282, SS 2024, 4 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Practical course (P) On-Site

Organizational issues Information zur Prüfungsanmeldung - später im ILIAS-Portal

# 6.282.1

### Literature

Nach Themenstellung.



Organisation:

# 6.283 Course: Practical Project Robotics and Automation II (Hardware) [T-INFO-104552]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Björn Hein

Prof. Dr.-Ing. Thomas Längle KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102230 - Practical Project Robotics and Automation II (Hardware)

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 6 Grade to a third Each term 1

Events					
ST 2024	24290	Robotics and Automation II (Hardware)	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Hein, Längle



# 6.284 Course: Practical SAT Solving [T-INFO-105798]

Responsible: Dr. Tomas Balyo

Dr. Markus Iser Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders Dr. Dominik Schreiber

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102825 - Practical SAT Solving

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination5Grade to a thirdIrregular3

Events						
ST 2024	2400115	Practical SAT Solving	3 SWS	Lecture / Practice (	Sanders, Iser, Schreiber	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500374	Practical SAT Solving			Sanders	
WT 24/25	7500041	Practical SAT Solving			Sanders	

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an oral examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO) usually lasting 30 minutes.

# Prerequisites

none.

## Recommendation

Relevant literature will be announced in the lecture.



# 6.285 Course: Practical Seminar Digital Service Systems [T-WIWI-106563]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Gerhard Satzger

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-102808 - Digital Service Systems in Industry

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 4,5 Grade to a third Pregular 1

Exams				
ST 2024	7900262	Practical Seminar: Human-Centered Systems	Mädche	
ST 2024	7900307	Service Design Thinking	Satzger	
ST 2024	7900312	Practical Seminar Service Innovation	Satzger	
WT 24/25	7900341	Practical Seminar: Human-Centered Systems	Mädche	

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a seminar paper, a presentation of the results and the contribution to the discussion (according to §4(2), 3 of the examination regulation). The final grade is based on the evaluation of each component (seminar paper, oral presentation, and active participation).

## **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

None

## **Annotation**

New course title starting summer term 2017: "Practical Seminar Digital Service Systems".

The current range of seminar topics is announced on the KSRI website www.ksri.kit.edu.



# 6.286 Course: Practical Seminar: Advanced Analytics [T-WIWI-108765]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-103118 - Data Science: Data-Driven User Modeling

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 4,5 Grade to a third Packet Each term 1

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of practical work in the field of advanced analytics, a seminar paper, a presentation of the results and the contribution to the discussion (according to §4(2), 3 of the examination regulation). The final grade is based on the evaluation of each component (seminar paper, oral presentation, and active participation).

## **Prerequisites**

None

### Recommendation

At least one module offered by the institute should have been chosen before attending this seminar.

#### Annotation

The course is held in English. The course is not offered regularly.



# 6.287 Course: Practical Seminar: Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems [T-WIWI-112152]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Gerhard Satzger

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101506 - Service Analytics

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 4,5 Grade to a third Recurrence Irregular 1

Exams				
ST 2024	7900312	Practical Seminar Service Innovation	Satzger	

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is in form of a written documentation, a presentation of the outcome of the conducted practical components and an active participation in class.

Please take into account that, beside the written documentation, also a practical component (such as a survey or an implementation of an application) is part of the course. Please examine the course description for the particular tasks.

The final mark is based on the graded and weighted attainments (such as the written documentation, presentation, practical work and an active participation in class).

## **Prerequisites**

None.

### Recommendation

Knowledge in the field of Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems is assumed. Therefore, it is recommended to attend the course Artificial Intelligence in Service Systems [2595650] beforehand.



# 6.288 Course: Practical Seminar: Data-Driven Information Systems [T-WIWI-106207]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Gerhard Satzger

Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-103117 - Data Science: Data-Driven Information Systems

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 4,5 Grade to a third Pregular 1

Exams				
ST 2024	7900322	Practical Seminar: Data Science for Industrial Applications	Satzger	

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a seminar paper, a presentation of the results and the contribution to the discussion (according to §4(2), 3 of the examination regulation). The final grade is based on the evaluation of each component (seminar paper, oral presentation, and active participation).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

At least one module offered by the institute should have been chosen before attending this seminar.

#### **Annotation**

The course is held in english. The course is not offered regularly.



# 6.289 Course: Practical Seminar: Health Care Management (with Case Studies) [T-WIWI-102716]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Stefan Nickel

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-102805 - Service Operations

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4,5	Grade to a third	Each term	2

Events					
ST 2024	2550498	Practical seminar: Health Care Management	3 SWS	Seminar / 🕃	Nickel, Mitarbeiter
WT 24/25	2500008	Practical seminar: Health Care Management	3 SWS	Others (sons / 🗣	Nickel, Mitarbeiter
Exams	•			•	·
ST 2024	7900361	Practical Seminar: Health Care Ma	Practical Seminar: Health Care Management (with Case Studies)		
WT 24/25	7900105	Practical Seminar: Health Care Ma	Practical Seminar: Health Care Management (with Case Studies)		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists in a case study, the writing of a corresponding paper, and an oral exam (according to §4(2), 2 of the examination regulation).

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

## Recommendation

Basic knowledge as conveyed in the module Introduction to Operations Research is assumed.

#### **Annotation**

The credits have been reduced to 4,5 starting summer term 2016.

The lecture is offered every term.

The planned lectures and courses for the next three years are announced online.



# 6.290 Course: Practical Seminar: Human-Centered Systems [T-WIWI-113459]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Alexander Mädche

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-102806 - Service Innovation, Design & Engineering

M-WIWI-103117 - Data Science: Data-Driven Information Systems

M-WIWI-104068 - Information Systems in Organizations M-WIWI-104080 - Designing Interactive Information Systems

**Type** Examination of another type

Credits 4,5 **Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Each term Version 1

Events					
ST 2024	2540554	Practical Seminar: Human- Centered Systems	3 SWS	Lecture / 🕃	Mädche
WT 24/25	2540554	Practical Seminar: Human- Centered Systems	3 SWS	Lecture / 🕃	Mädche
Exams					
ST 2024	7900262	Practical Seminar: Human-Cent	Practical Seminar: Human-Centered Systems		
WT 24/25	7900341	Practical Seminar: Human-Cent	Practical Seminar: Human-Centered Systems		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is in the form of a different type of examination. The assessment is carried out by a practical component, preparing written documentation and actively participating in the discussions. A total of 60 points can be achieved, of which:

- a maximum of 25 points for the written documentation
- a maximum of 25 points for the practical component
- a maximum of 10 points for active participation in the discussions

At least 30 points must be achieved to pass the performance assessment. Please note that a practical component such as conducting a survey or implementing an application is also part of the regular scope of the course in addition to the written documentation. The respective tasks can be found in the announcement on the institute's website <a href="https://h-lab.iism.kit.edu">https://h-lab.iism.kit.edu</a>.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Practical Seminar: Human-Centered Systems**

2540554, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

In this practical seminar, students get an individual assignment and develop a running software prototype. Beside the software prototype, the students also deliver a written documentation.

Please find the current open offerings on our website: https://h-lab.iism.kit.edu/thesis.php

## **Prerequisites**

Profound skills in software development are required

## Literature

Further literature will be made available in the seminar.



## **Practical Seminar: Human-Centered Systems**

2540554, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)
Blended (On-Site/Online)



# 6.291 Course: Practical Seminar: Service Innovation [T-WIWI-110887]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Gerhard Satzger

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101410 - Business & Service Engineering

M-WIWI-102806 - Service Innovation, Design & Engineering

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4,5	Grade to a third	Irregular	1

Exams				
ST 2024	7900307	Service Design Thinking	Satzger	
ST 2024	7900312	Practical Seminar Service Innovation	Satzger	

#### **Competence Certificate**

Success is assessed through the preparation of written documentation, a presentation of the results of the practical components carried out and active participation in the discussions (in accordance with §4(2), 3 SPO).

Please note that a practical component such as conducting a survey or implementing an application is also part of the regular scope of the course in addition to the written documentation. Please refer to the course description for the respective tasks.

The overall grade is made up of the weighted components (e.g. documentation, oral presentation, practical work and active participation). The weighting of these components for the grade will be announced at the beginning of the course.

#### Recommendation

Knowledge of Service Innovation Methods is assumed. Therefore it is recommended (but not mandatory) to attend the course Service Innovation [2540468] beforehand.

#### Annotation

Due to the project work, the number of participants is limited and participation requires knowledge about models, concepts and approaches that are taught in the Service Innovation lecture. Having taken the Service Innovation lecture or demonstrating equivalent knowledge is a prerequisite for participating in this Practical Seminar. Details for registration will be announced on the web pages for this course.

The seminar is not offered regularly.



# 6.292 Course: Predictive Mechanism and Market Design [T-WIWI-102862]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Johannes Philipp Reiß

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101453 - Applied Strategic Decisions
M-WIWI-101505 - Experimental Economics

TypeCredits<br/>Written examinationGrading scale<br/>4,5Recurrence<br/>IrregularVersion<br/>1

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 minutes) (following §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### **Annotation**

The course is given every second fall term, e.g., WS2017/18, WS2019/20, ...

The retake exam is given in the summer term subsequent to the fall term where the course (lecture and final exam) is given.



# 6.293 Course: Predictive Modeling [T-WIWI-110868]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Fabian Krüger

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101638 - Econometrics and Statistics I
M-WIWI-101639 - Econometrics and Statistics II

**Type** Written examination Credits 4,5 **Grading scale** Grade to a third

Recurrence Irregular Version 2

Events					
ST 2024	2521311	Predictive Modeling	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Krüger, Koster
ST 2024	2521312	Predictive Modeling (Tutorial)	2 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Koster, Krüger
Exams					·
ST 2024	7900298	Predictive Modeling			Krüger
WT 24/25	7900014	Predictive Modeling			Krüger

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### Competence Certificate

The assessment of this course is a written examination (90 minutes) according to \$4(2), 1 of the examination regulation. A bonus can be acquired by successful completion of an assignment (written report + short in-class presentation) during the semester. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by one grade level (0.3 or 0.4).

## **Prerequisites**

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Predictive Modeling**

2521311, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

# Content Contents

This course presents methods for making and evaluating statistical predictions based on data. We consider various types of predictions (mean, probability, quantile, and full distribution), all of which are practically relevant. In each case, we discuss selected modeling approaches and their implementation using R software. We consider various economic case studies. Furthermore, we present methods for absolute evaluation (assessing whether a given model is compatible with the data) and relative evaluation (comparing the predictive performance of alternative models).

## Learning objectives

Students have a good conceptual understanding of statistical prediction methods. They are able to implement these methods using statistical software, and can assess which method is suitable in a given situation.

#### Prerequisites

Students should know econometrics on the level of the course 'Applied Econometrics' [2520020]

#### Literature

- Elliott, G., und A. Timmermann (Hrsg.): "Handbook of Economic Forecasting", vol. 2A und 2B, 2013.
- Gneiting, T., und M. Katzfuss: "Probabilistic Forecasting", Annual Review of Statistics and Its Application 1, 125-151, 2014.
- Hastie, T., Tibshirani, R., and J. Friedman: "The Elements of Statistical Learning", 2. Ausgabe, Springer, 2009.
- Weitere Literatur wird in der Vorlesung bekanntgegeben.



## Predictive Modeling (Tutorial)

2521312, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Practice (Ü)
On-Site



# 6.294 Course: Price Management [T-WIWI-105946]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Andreas Geyer-Schulz

Dr Paul Glenn

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101409 - Electronic Markets

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4,5	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events						
ST 2024	2540529	Price Management	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Glenn	
ST 2024	2540530	Exercise Price Management	Exercise Price Management 1 SWS Practice / ¶		Glenn	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900139	Price Management	Price Management			
WT 24/25	7900170	Price Management (Nachklausur	Price Management (Nachklausur SoSe 2024)			

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Lecture and exam will not be offered in summer semester 2019. The next examination is in the summer semester 2020.

Written examination (60 minutes) according to \$4(2), 1 SPO. The exam is considered passed if at least 50 out of a maximum of 100 possible points are achieved. The grades are graded in five steps (best grade 1.0 from 95 points). Details of the grade formation and scale will be announced in the course.

A bonus can be acquired through successful participation in the practice. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by one grade level (0.3 or 0.4). The exact criteria for awarding a bonus will be announced at the beginning of the course.

# Prerequisites

None

# Recommendation

None

#### Annotation

The lecture is offered for the first time in summer term 2016.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Price Management**

2540529, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### **Organizational issues**

Termine:

Samstags von 9:00 - 19:00 Uhr

18.05.2024 => Termin 1

08.06.2024 => Termin 2

29.06.2024 => Termin 3

20.07.2024 => Termin 4

#### Literature

- H. Simon and M. Fassnacht, Preismanagement, vol. 4. Wiesbaden: Springer Gabler, 2016.
- T. T. Nagle, J. E. Hogan, und J. Zalee, *The Strategy and Tactics of Pricing: A guide to growing more profitably*. New Jersey: Prentice Hall, 2010.



# 6.295 Course: Pricing [T-WIWI-102883]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martin Klarmann

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-105312 - Marketing and Sales Management

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionExamination of another type4,5Grade to a thirdEach winter term3

Events					
WT 24/25	2572199	Pricing	3 SWS	Block / <b>●</b>	Bill, Klarmann, Schröder

Legend: ☐ Online, 🍪 Blended (On-Site/Online), 🗣 On-Site, 🗙 Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment. The examination (and thus the grade) is composed of three parts:

- 1. The design and execution of your own small experimental study around the topic of behavioral pricing (as group work).
- 2. The processing and presentation of a case study on pricing (as group work).
- 3. The execution of a simulated price negotiation based on a systematic preparation (usually in teams of two).

## **Prerequisites**

Since the earlier course (a) "Pricing Excellence" and (b) "Price Negotiations and Sales Presentations" become parts of the Pricing course, Pricing cannot be taken if (a) and/or (b) have already been completed.

#### Recommendation

Students are highly encouraged to actively participate in class.

#### Annotation

A small application is required for participation in this class. The application phase usually takes place at the beginning of the lecture period in the winter semester. More information on the application process will be made available on the Marketing and Sales Research Group website (marketing.iism.kit.edu) shortly before the start of the winter semester lecture period. This course is limited to 24 participants.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Pricing

2572199, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Block (B) On-Site

#### Content

At the Pricing lecture, students learn about current research and best practices in price management. Delivered in workshop format, the lecture has three key elements:

- 1. "Behavioral Pricing" workshop
  - In this part of the course, central concepts and findings from behavioral pricing research (e.g. price information processing, reference prices, price fairness and mental accounting) are presented and discussed on the basis of important behavioral theories (e.g. prospect theory and information economics). After a brief introduction to experimental research, participants will then conduct their own small experimental study in the form of group work on a hypothesis they have developed on pricing behavior, analyze the data, and present it.
- 2. "Pricing Excellence" workshop

In a theory section at the beginning of the course, students are taught theoretical principles of pricing. This includes an introduction to (1) pricing of product prices as well as (2) pricing of net customer prices (development of discount systems). Furthermore, theoretical basics of price enforcement and price monitoring are discussed. This will be followed by a practical application of what has been learned by working on a case study in small groups with a concluding presentation.

3. "Price Negotiation" workshop

After an introduction to key theories and concepts of negotiation, students prepare and then conduct a simulated price negotiation in small groups with guidance.

#### **Learning Objectives:**

#### Students...

- are familiar with central theories explaining behavioral phenomena regarding consumers dealing with prices
- are able to describe and explain central phenomena of behavioral science with regard to price behavior and derive implications from them
- can formulate their own hypotheses on price behavior and design, conduct and evaluate a suitable experimental study for this purpose
- learn theoretical basics of pricing behavior
- learn the theoretical basics of price enforcement and price monitoring
- apply the acquired knowledge in a practical case study
- know important conceptual basics on the subject of price negotiations
- can prepare and competently conduct price negotiations
- present the results of their group work in a concise and structured manner

All events will take place in presence with compulsory attendance at all dates.

Total time required for 4.5 credit points: approx. 135 hours

Attendance time: 30 hours Self-study: 105 hours

#### Organizational issues

Dates will be announced.



# 6.296 Course: Probabilistic Time Series Forecasting Challenge [T-WIWI-111387]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Fabian Krüger

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101638 - Econometrics and Statistics I

M-WIWI-101639 - Econometrics and Statistics II

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 4,5 Grade to a third Pregular 2

Events					
WT 24/25	2500080	Probabilistic Time Series Forecasting Challenge	2 SWS	Practice / 🖥	Bracher, Koster, Lerch, Krüger
WT 24/25	2500081	Probabilistic Time Series Forecasting Challenge		Project (P / 🗯	Krüger, Bracher, Koster, Lerch

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment. Necessary conditions to pass the course:

- Weekly submission of statistical forecasts during the semester (excluding the Christmas break),
- Presentation (ca. 20 minutes) during the semester,
- Submission of a final report (5-10 pages) around the end of the semester.

Grading is based on the presentation (30%) and the final report (70%).

#### **Prerequisites**

Good methodological knowledge in statistics and data science.

Good knowledge in applied data analysis, incl. programming skills in R, Python or similar.

Knowledge of time series analysis is helpful, but not required.

#### **Annotation**

The course is limited in participation. Participants will be selected via the WIWI portal.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Probabilistic Time Series Forecasting Challenge**

2500081, WS 24/25, SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Project (PRO)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

Statistical forecasts are relevant across all fields of society. In this data science project, students make, evaluate and communicate their own statistical forecasts in a real-time setting. We consider probabilistic forecasts that involve a measure of uncertainty in addition to a point forecast. Students are asked to make forecasts of several real-world time series (including weather variables and the DAX stock market index). Historical data on all series are available from public sources that are updated as time proceeds. While the time series differ from each other in important ways, statistical methods can meaningfully be used for prediction in all cases. We focus on quantile forecasts which are useful to measure forecast uncertainty in a relatively simple way.

# Organizational issues

# **Short description**

In this data science project, students make and evaluate statistical forecasts in a realistic setup (involving real-time predictions and real-world time series data). A kickoff meeting will take place in person in mid October. During the semester, there will be a weekly online meeting in which students and instructors discuss the current state of the forecasting challenge.

#### **Prerequisites**

Students should have a good working knowledge of statistics and data science, including proficiency in a programming language like R, Python, or Matlab. Knowledge of time series analysis is helpful but not strictly required. Motivation and curiosity are particularly important in this course format that requires regular, active participation over the whole semester.

Please note that the number of participants is limited due to the interactive course format. Application takes place via the Wiwi portal, where further information is available.

#### **Examination rules**

The course counts for 4.5 credit points (Leistungspunkte). Examination is via an alternative exam assessment (§4(2), 3 SPO). Necessary conditions to pass the course:

- 1) Weekly submission of statistical forecasts during the semester, excluding the Christmas break,
- 2) A presentation (approx. 20 minutes) during the semester,
- 3) Submission of a final report (5-10 pages) around the end of the semester.

The presentation and the final report should describe the forecasting methods and their statistical evaluation. Grading is based on the presentation (30%) and the final report (70%).



# 6.297 Course: Probability and Computing [T-INFO-113082]

Responsible: TT-Prof. Dr. Thomas Bläsius

Dr. Maximilian Katzmann Prof. Dr. Peter Sanders

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106469 - Probability and Computing

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Oral examination 5 Grade to a third Each winter term 1

Events					
WT 24/25	2400153	Probability and Computing	3 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Sanders, Walzer

## **Prerequisites**

None.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Probability and Computing**

2400153, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ) On-Site

#### Content

Randomized algorithms and data structures rely on random experiments. While the design of deterministic algorithms is often driven by a pessimistic view of worst-case behavior, randomized algorithms employ approaches that occasionally fail but perform much better most of the time.

The running time of such algorithms, as well as the solution quality (in the case of optimization problems) and sometimes correctness (in the case of computation problems), are subject to randomness. Therefore, a formal analysis focuses on expected values and success probabilities. We will explore both classical examples and current research topics in the areas of hashing and graph theory. Specialised design methods (such as probability amplification) and advanced analysis tools from probability theory (such as coupling, Poissonization, and concentration bounds) will be applied. We will often see that randomized approaches are more efficient or simpler than all (or at least all known) deterministic approaches.

We will briefly address, on the theory side, how randomized complexity classes relate to well-known classes such as P and NP and, on the the practical side, how to implement randomized algorithms on common (essentially deterministic) computers using pseudo-randomness.

## Competence Goals:

Students will be able to:

- understand when and why randomization is useful or necessary to solve an algorithmic problem,
- explain central design methods and analysis tools in the context of randomized algorithms,
- design and explain simple randomized algorithms and data structures to solve a given problem,
- determine which tools are suitable for analyzing a given randomized algorithm or data structure, and apply them.



# 6.298 Course: Production and Logistics Management [T-WIWI-102632]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Frank Schultmann

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101412 - Industrial Production III

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	5,5	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events							
ST 2024	2581954	Production and Logistics Management	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Schultmann, Rudi		
ST 2024	2581955	Production and Logistics Managment	2 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Treml		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7981954	Production and Logistics Mana	Production and Logistics Management				

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (90 minutes) (following §4(2) of the examination regulation). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. Depending on the respective pandemic situation, the exam may be offered as an open book exam (alternative exam assessment, following §4(2), 3 of the examination regulation).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Production and Logistics Management**

2581954, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

### Content

This course covers central tasks and challenges of operative production and logistics management. Students get to know the set-up and mode of planning systems such as production planning and control systems, enterprise resource planning systems and advanced planning systems to cope with the accompanying planning tasks in supply chain management. Methods to solve these tasks from the field of operational research will be explored with respect to manufacturing program planning, material requirement planning, lot size problems and scheduling. Alongside to MRP II (Manufacturing Resources Planning), students will be introduced to integrated supply chain management approaches. Finally, commercially available planning systems will be presented and discussed.

## Literature

Wird in der Veranstaltung bekannt gegeben.



# 6.299 Course: Project Lab Cognitive Automobiles and Robots [T-WIWI-109985]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Johann Marius Zöllner

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-103356 - Machine Learning

M-WIWI-106491 - Project Lab Applied Machine Learning

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	5	Grade to a third	Each winter term	3

Events							
WT 24/25	2512501	Practical Course Cognitive automobiles and robots (Master)	3 SWS	Practical course / 😘	Zöllner, Daaboul		
Exams	Exams						
WT 24/25	7900107	Advanced Lab Cognitive Automobile and Robots (Master)			Zöllner		

Legend: ☐ Online, 🍪 Blended (On-Site/Online), 🗣 On-Site, 🗙 Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The alternative exam assessment consists of:

- a practical work
- a presentation and
- a written seminar thesis

Details of the grade formation will be announced at the beginning of the course.

## **Prerequisites**

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Practical Course Cognitive automobiles and robots (Master)

2512501, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

The lab is intended as a practical supplement to courses such as "Machine Learning 1/2".

Scientific topics, mostly in the area of autonomous driving and robotics, will be addressed in joint work with ML/KI methods. The goal of the internship is for participants to design, develop, and evaluate ML Software system.

In addition to the scientific goals, such as the study and application of methods, the aspects of project-specific teamwork in research (from specification to presentation of results) are also worked on in this internship.

The individual projects require the analysis of the set task, selection of appropriate methods, specification and implementation and evaluation of the solution approach. Finally, the selected solution is to be documented and presented in a short lecture.

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- Students will be able to practically apply theoretical knowledge from lectures on machine learning to a selected area of current research.
- Students will be proficient in analyzing and solving thematic problems.
- Students will be able to evaluate, document, and present their concepts and results.

#### **Recommendations:**

- Theoretical knowledge of machine learning and/or AI.
- Python knowledge
- Initial experience with deep learning frameworks such as PyTorch/Jax/Tensorflow may be beneficial.

#### Workload

The workload of 5 credit points consists of practical implementation of the selected solution, as well as time for literature research and planning/specification of the selected solution. In addition, a short report and presentation of the work performed will be prepared.

# Organizational issues

Anmeldung und weitere Informationen sind im Wiwi-Portal zu finden.

 $Registration\ and\ further\ information\ can\ be\ found\ in\ the\ WiWi-portal.$ 



# 6.300 Course: Project Lab Machine Learning [T-WIWI-109983]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Johann Marius Zöllner

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-103356 - Machine Learning

M-WIWI-106491 - Project Lab Applied Machine Learning

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	5	Grade to a third	Each summer term	3

Events							
ST 2024	2512500	Project Lab Machine Learning	3 SWS	Practical course / 🛱	Daaboul, Zöllner, Schneider		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7900086	Project Lab Machine Learning			Zöllner		

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The alternative exam assessment consists of:

- a practical work
- a presentation and
- a written seminar thesis

Details of the grade formation will be announced at the beginning of the course.

## **Prerequisites**

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Project Lab Machine Learning**

2512500, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

The lab is intended as a practical supplement to lectures such as "Machine Learning". The theoretical basics are applied in the lab course. The aim of the lab course is that the participants work together to design, develop and evaluate a subsystem from the field of robotics and cognitive systems using one or more procedures from the field of Al/ML.

In addition to the scientific objectives involved in the investigation and application of the methods, aspects of project-specific teamwork in research (from specification to presentation of the results) are also developed in this practical course.

The individual projects require the analysis of the task at hand, selection of suitable procedures, specification and implementation and evaluation of the approach taken. Finally, the chosen solution has to be documented and presented in a short presentation.

#### Learning objectives:

- Students can practically apply knowledge from the Machine Learning lecture in a selected field of current research in robotics or cognitive automobiles.
- Students master the analysis and solution of corresponding problems in a team.
- Students can evaluate, document and present their concepts and results.

#### **Recommendations:**

Attendance of the lecture machine learning, C/C++ knowledge, Python knowledge

#### Workload:

The workload of 5 credit points consists of the time spent in the lab for practical implementation of the selected solution, as well as the time spent on literature research and planning/specifying the proposed solution. In addition, a short report and a presentation of the work carried out will be prepared.

# Organizational issues

Anmeldung und weitere Informationen sind im Wiwi-Portal zu finden.

 $Registration\ and\ further\ information\ can\ be\ found\ in\ the\ WiWi-portal.$ 



# 6.301 Course: Project Lab: Image Analysis and Fusion [T-INFO-104746]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jürgen Beyerer **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102383 - Project Lab: Image Analysis and Fusion

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events						
WT 24/25	2424299	Project Lab: Image Analysis and Fusion	4 SWS	Practical course	Beyerer	
Exams						
WT 24/25	7500101	Project Lab: Image Analysis and Fusion			Beyerer	

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Project Lab: Image Analysis and Fusion

2424299, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)

#### **Organizational issues**

Die Erfolgskontrolle erfolgt durch Bewertung der Projektdokumentation sowie der Präsentation der Projektergebnisse als Erfolgskontrolle anderer Art nach § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 3 der SPO.

Die Note setzt sich zusammen aus der Note der schriftlichen Ausarbeitung und den Präsentationen.

Das Projektpraktikum Bildauswertung und-fusion findet im Fraunhofer IOSB, Fraunhoferstr. 1, 76131 KA statt.

Treffpunkt ist im Foyer.

Die 4 offiziellen Pflichttermine sowie der Termin für die Abschlusspräsentation werden noch bekanntgegeben.

Der Anmeldezeitraum steht noch nicht fest, voraussichtlich November-Dezember 2023.

Weitere Infos folgen.

## Literature

#### Empfehlungen:

Hilfreich sind:

- Kenntnisse der Grundlagen der Stochastik und Signal- und Bildverarbeitung
- Kenntnisse der Vorlesungen Einführung in die Informationsfusion [IN4INEIF], Automatische Sichtprüfung und Bildverarbeitung [IN4INASB], Mustererkennung [IN4INME], Probabilistische Planung.



# 6.302 Course: Project Management [T-WIWI-103134]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Frank Schultmann

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101412 - Industrial Production III

M-WIWI-101471 - Industrial Production II

**Type** Written examination Credits G 3,5 Gr

**Grading scale**Grade to a third

**Recurrence**Each winter term

Version

Events							
WT 24/25	2581963	Project Management	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Schultmann, Volk		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7981963	Project Management			Schultmann		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 minutes) (following §4(2) of the examination regulation). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. Depending on the respective pandemic situation, the exam may be offered as an open book exam (examination of another type, following §4(2), 3 of the examination regulation).

## **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Project Management**

2581963, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

- 1. Introduction
- 2. Principles of Project Management
- 3. Project Scope Management
- 4. Time Management and Resource Scheduling
- 5. Cost Management
- 6. Quality Management
- 7. Risk Management
- 8. Stakeholder
- 9. Communication, Negotiation and Leadership
- 10. Project Controlling
- 11. Agile Project Management

## Literature

Wird in der Veranstaltung bekannt gegeben.



# 6.303 Course: Public International Law [T-INFO-113381]

Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106754 - Public Economic and Technology Law

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	3	Grade to a third	Each summer term	2

Events							
ST 2024	2400172	Public International Law	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Kasper		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7500182	Public International Law			Zufall		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 60 minutes.

Depending on the number of participants, it will be announced six weeks before the examination (§ 6 (3) SPO) whether the performance assessment is carried out

- as an oral examination (duration approx. 20 mins.) (§ 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO) or
- as a written examination (lasting 60 mins.) (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO).

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Recommendation

- General knowledge of (public) law (eg, through participating in public law or EU law modules) is helpful but not necessary.
- Interest in international affairs and politics is welcomed.

#### Annotation

Competency Goals:

- Participating students will be able to navigate the plethora of multilateral treaties to detect relevant international law for specific cases.
- They can develop solutions for legal problems based on case law of international courts and tribunals.
- Students will be able to read and comprehend international treaties and case law.
- They will have a fundamental understand of the interplay between various subfields of public international law.
- Students can identify and explain current issues in public international law.

#### Content:

The lecture is designed to provide participating students with a general understanding of the foundations, subjects, and sources of public international law, its interplay with national legal regimes, and more detailed knowledge of particular subfields of public international law.

Since the lecture targets students of information systems, particular focus will be given to economic topics in international law, such as investment and trade law aspects. Due to the general importance of climate change for todays (economic) law, international climate change law and environmental law will form further focus areas.

In addition, a concise overview on human rights law, the law on State responsibility, and the peaceful settlement of disputes will be provided.

Throughout the lecture, important case law will be referenced and students are expected to read relevant cases in part to facilitate a discussion of such cases and their relevance for a subject field. Although the United Nations, including its principal judicial organ, the International Court of Justice, is one of the, if not the, key international organization in public international law, further international organizations (eg, Council of Europe, World Trade Organization) and their respective law(s) will also be touched.

Students are advised to have a statute book at hand that includes the most important international treaties and conventions (eg, Evans, Blackstone's International Law Documents, currently 15th ed 2021).

Conducting the lecture in English intends to facilitate students to link their ideas and arguments to current debates in international law.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:

# Public International Law 2400172, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

# Content:

The lecture is designed to provide participating students with a general understanding of the foundations, subjects, and sources of public international law, its interplay with national legal regimes, and more detailed knowledge of particular subfields of public international law.

Since the lecture targets students of information systems, particular focus will be given to economic topics in international law, such as investment and trade law aspects. Due to the general importance of climate change for todays (economic) law, international climate change law and environmental law will form further focus areas.

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# Competency Goals:

- Participating students will be able to navigate the plethora of multilateral treaties to detect relevant international law for specific cases.
- They can develop solutions for legal problems based on case law of international courts and tribunals.
- Students will be able to read and comprehend international treaties and case law.
- They will have a fundamental understand of the interplay between various subfields of public international law.
- Students can identify and explain current issues in public international law.

Area of Specialization: For Master modules only.

## Interest/Recommendations:

- General knowledge of (public) law (eg, through participating in public law or EU law modules) is helpful but not necessary.
- Interest in international affairs and politics is welcomed.

The total workload for this course unit is 90 hours for 3 credit points, of which 22.5 hours are spent in attendance.

#### **Organizational issues**

Estimated lecture dates (lecture room(s) have not been booked by now). 21.12.2023, sf

- 27th of April, 9 to 17 hours (in class)
- 8th of June, 9 to 17 hours (in class)
- 20th of July, 9 to 17 hours (in class)



# 6.304 Course: Public Management [T-WIWI-102740]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Berthold Wigger

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101504 - Collective Decision Making
M-WIWI-101511 - Advanced Topics in Public Finance

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Version
Written examination 4,5 Grade to a third Each winter term 1

Events							
WT 24/25	2561127	Public Management	3 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Wigger		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	790puma	Public Management			Wigger		
WT 24/25	790puma	Public Management			Wigger		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Depending on the further pandemic development the assessment will consist either of an open book exam (following Art. 4, para. 2, clause 3 of the examination regulation), or of an 1.5h written exam (following Art. 4, para. 2, clause 1 of the examination regulation).

### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge of Public Finance is required.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Public Management**

2561127, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ) Blended (On-Site/Online)

## Literature

### Weiterführende Literatur:

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- Wigger, B.U. (2006): Grundzüge der Finanzwissenschaft; 2. Auflage; Springer



# 6.305 Course: Public Revenues [T-WIWI-102739]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Berthold Wigger

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101511 - Advanced Topics in Public Finance

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach summer term 1

Events							
ST 2024	2560120	Public Revenues	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Wigger		
ST 2024	2560121	Übung zu Öffentliche Einnahmen	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Wigger, Schmelzer		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	790oeff	Public Revenues	Public Revenues Wig				
WT 24/25	790oeff	Public Revenues			Wigger		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Depending on the further pandemic development the assessment will consist either of an open book exam (following Art. 4, para. 2, clause 3 of the examination regulation), or of an 1h written exam (following Art. 4, para. 2, clause 1 of the examination regulation).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge of Public Finance is required.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Public Revenues**

2560120, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

The *Public Revenues* lecture is concerned with the theory and policy of taxation and public dept. In the first chapter, fundamental concepts of taxation theory are introduced, whereas the second chapter deals with key elements of the German taxation system. The allocative and distributive effects of different taxation types are examined in chapter three and four. Chapter five integrates both allocative and distributive components in order to derive a theory of optimal taxation. The core of the sixth chapter is represented by international aspects of taxation. The debt part begins with a description of the extent and structure of public dept in chapter seven. In the following chapter, macroeconomic theories of national dept are evolved, while chapter nine is concerned with its long term consequences when employed as a regular instrument of budgeting. Finally, the tenth chapter deals with constitutional limits to public debt-incurring.

#### Learning goals:

See German version.

## Workload:

The total workload for this course is approximately 135.0 hours. For further information see German version.

# Literature

#### Literatur:

- Homburg, S.(2000): Allgemeine Steuerlehre, Vahlen
- Rosen, H.S.(1995): Public Finance; 4. Aufl., Irwin
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- Wigger, B. U.(2006): Grundzüge der Finanzwissenschaft; 2. Aufl., Springer



# 6.306 Course: Python for Computational Risk and Asset Management [T-WIWI-110213]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Maxim Ulrich

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-105032 - Data Science for Finance

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 4,5 Grade to a third Recurrence Each winter term 3

### **Competence Certificate**

The examination takes the form of an alternative exam assessment.

The alternative exam assessment consists of a Python-based "Takehome Exam". At the end of the third week of January, the student is given a "Takehome Exam" which he processes and sends back independently within 4 hours using Python. Precise instructions will be announced at the beginning of the course. The alternative exam assessment can be repeated a maximum of once. A timely repeat option takes place at the end of the third week in March of the same year. More detailed instructions will be given at the beginning of the course.

## **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Recommendation

Good knowledge of statistics and basic programming skills



# 6.307 Course: Quantitative Methods in Energy Economics [T-WIWI-107446]

Responsible: Dr. Patrick Plötz

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101451 - Energy Economics and Energy Markets

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination3,5Grade to a thirdEach winter term3

Events					
WT 24/25	2581007	Quantitative Methods in Energy Economics	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Plötz
WT 24/25	2581008	Übungen zu Quantitative Methods in Energy Economics	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Plötz, Britto
Exams					
ST 2024	7981007	Quantitative Methods in Energy Eco	Quantitative Methods in Energy Economics		
WT 24/25	7981007	Quantitative Methods in Energy Eco	Quantitative Methods in Energy Economics		

Legend: ☐ Online, 🍪 Blended (On-Site/Online), 🗣 On-Site, 🗙 Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of an oral (app. 30 minutes) exam (following §4(2) of the examination regulation). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

## Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Quantitative Methods in Energy Economics

2581007, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

Energy economics makes use of many quantitative methods in exploration and analysis of data as well as in simulations and modelling. This lecture course aims at introducing students of energy economics into the application of quantitative methods and techniques as taught in elementary courses to real problems in energy economics. The focus is mainly on regression, simulation, time series analysis and related statistical methods as applied in energy economics.

## Learning Goals:

The student

- knows and understands selected quantitative methods of energy economics
- is able to use selected quantitative methods of energy economics
- understands they range of usage, limits and is autonomously able to adress new problems by them.

#### Literature

Wird in der Vorlesung bekannt gegeben.



# 6.308 Course: Recommender Systems [T-WIWI-102847]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Andreas Geyer-Schulz

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101410 - Business & Service Engineering

M-WIWI-104814 - Information Systems: Analytical and Interactive Systems

M-WIWI-105661 - Data Science: Intelligent, Adaptive, and Learning Information Services

**Type** Written examination

Credits 4,5 **Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Each winter term Version 1

Events						
WT 24/25	2540506	Recommender Systems	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Geyer-Schulz	
WT 24/25	2540507	Exercise Recommender Systems	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Geyer-Schulz, Nazemi	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900138	Recommender Systems			Geyer-Schulz	
WT 24/25	7900310	Recommender Systems (WS 2024/2025)		Geyer-Schulz		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Written examination (60 minutes) according to §4(2), 1 SPO. The exam is considered passed if at least 50 out of a maximum of 100 possible points are achieved. The grades are graded in five steps (best grade 1.0 from 95 points). Details of the grade formation and scale will be announced in the course.

A bonus can be acquired through successful participation in the practice. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by one grade level (0.3 or 0.4). The exact criteria for awarding a bonus will be announced at the beginning of the course.

## **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Recommender Systems**

2540506, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

At first, an overview of general aspects and concepts of recommender systems and its relevance for service providers and customers is given. Next, different categories of recommender systems are discussed. This includes explicit recommendations like customer reviews as well as implicit services based on behavioral data. Furthermore, the course gives a detailed view of the current research on recommender systems at the Chair of Information Services and Electronic Markets.

#### **Learning objectives:**

The student

- is proficient in different statistical, data-mining, and game theory methods of computing implicit and explicit recommendations
- evaluates recommender systems and compares these with related services

#### Workload:

The total workload for this course is approximately 135 hours (4.5 credits):

Time of attendance

- Attending the lecture: 15 x 90min = 22h 30m
- Attending the exercise classes: 7 x 90min = 10h 30m
- Examination: 1h 00m

#### Self-study

- Preparation and wrap-up of the lecture: 15 x 180min = 45h 00m
- Preparing the exercises: 25h 00m
- Preparation of the examination: 31h 00m

#### Sum: 135h 00m

#### Exam:

Assessment consists of a written exam of 1 hour length following §4 (2), 1 of the examination regulation and by submitting written papers as part of the exercise following §4 (2), 3 of the examination regulation.

The course is considered successfully taken, if at least 50 out of 100 points are acquired in the written exam. In this case, all additional points (up to 10) from excersise work will be added.

# **Grade: Minimum points**

- 1,0:95
- 1,3:90
- 1,7:85
- 2,0:80
- 2,3:75
- 2,7: 703.0: 65
- 3,3:60
- 3,7:55
- 4.0:50
- 5,0:0

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# 6.309 Course: Regulation Theory and Practice [T-WIWI-102712]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Kay Mitusch

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101406 - Network Economics

M-WIWI-101451 - Energy Economics and Energy Markets

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Version Scale A,5 Grade to a third See Annotations 2

#### **Competence Certificate**

The lecture is not offered for an indefinite period of time.

Result of success is made by a 20-30 minutes oral examination. Examination is offered every semester and can be retried at any regular examination date.

## **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge and skills of microeconomics from undergraduate studies (bachelor's degree) are expected.

Particularly helpful but not necessary: Industrial Economics and Principal-Agent- or Contract theories. Prior attendance of the lecture *Competition in Networks* [26240] is helpful in any case but not considered a formal precondition.

#### **Annotation**

The lecture is not offered for an indefinite period of time.



# 6.310 Course: Reinforcement Learning [T-INFO-111255]

Responsible: TT-Prof. Dr. Rudolf Lioutikov

Prof. Dr. Gerhard Neumann

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105623 - Reinforcement Learning

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	6	Grade to a third	Each winter term	2

Events						
WT 24/25	2400163	Reinforcement Learning	Lecture / Practice ( /	Neumann, Lioutikov, Celik, Freymuth, Zhou		
Exams						
ST 2024	7500221	Reinforcement Learning		Neumann		
WT 24/25	7500293	Reinforcement Learning		Neumann		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The success control takes place in the form of a written exam, usually 90 minutes in length, according to § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 1 SPO.

A bonus can be acquired through successful participation in the exercise as a success control of a different kind (§4(2), 3 SPO 2008) or study performance (§4(3) SPO 2015). The exact criteria for awarding a bonus will be announced at the beginning of the lecture. If the grade of the written examination is between 4.0 and 1.3, the bonus improves the grade by one grade level (0.3 or 0.4). The bonus is only valid for the main and post exams of the semester in which it was earned. After that, the grade bonus expires.

## **Prerequisites**

none

#### Recommendation

- Students should be familiar with the content of the "Foundations of Artificial Intelligence" lecture.
- Good Python knowledge is required.
- Good mathematical background knowledge is required.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Reinforcement Learning**

2400163, WS 24/25, SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ)
On-Site

#### Content

Reinforcement Learning (RL) is a sub-field of machine learning in which an artificial agent has to interact with its environment and learn how to improve its behaviour by trial and error. For doing so, the agent is provided with an evaluative feedback signal, called reward, that he perceives for each action performed in its environment. RL is one of the hardest machine learning problems, as, in contrast to standard supervised learning, we do not know the targets (i.e. the optimal actions) for our inputs (i.e. the state of the environment) and we also need to consider the long-term effects of the agent's actions on the state of the environment. Due to recent successes, RL has gained a lot of popularity with applications in robotics, automation, health care, trading and finance, natural language processing, autonomous driving and computer games. This lecture will introduce the concepts and theory of RL and review current state of the art methods with a particular focus on RL applications in robotics. An exemplary list of topics is given below:

- Primer in Machine Learning and Deep Learning
- Supervised Learning of Behaviour
- Introduction in Reinforcement Learning
- Dynamic Programming
- Value Based Methods
- Policy Optimization and Trust Regions
- Episodic Reinforcement Learning and Skill Learning
- Bayesian Optimization
- Variational Inference, Max-Entropy RL and Versatility
- Model-based Reinforcement Learning
- Offline Reinforcement Learning
- Inverse Reinforcement Learning
- Hierarchical Reinforcement Learning
- Exploration and Artificial Curiosity
- Meta Reinforcement Learning

#### Lernziele:

- Students are able to understand the RL problem and challenges.
- Students can differentiate between different RL algorithm and understand their underlying theory
- Students will know the mathematical tools necessary to understand RL algorithms
- Students can implement RL algorithms for various tasks
- Students understand current research questions in RL

#### Empfehlungen:

- Der Vorlesungsinhalt von Maschinelles Lernen Grundverfahren wird vorausgesetzt
- Gute Python Kenntnisse erforderlich
- Gute mathematische Grundkenntnisse

Erfolgskontrolle: Siehe Modulhandbuch!

Arbeitsaufwand: 180h, aufgeteilt in:

- ca 45h Vorlesungsbesuch
- ca 15h Übungsbesuch
- ca 90h Nachbearbeitung und Bearbeitung der Übungsblätter

ca 30h Prüfungsvorbereitung

Organizational issues ECTS von 5 auf 6 erhöht

Vorlesungs-und Übungsturnus: Siehe ILIAS



# 6.311 Course: Reliable Computing I [T-INFO-101387]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Mehdi Baradaran Tahoori **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100850 - Reliable Computing I

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Oral examination	3	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events						
WT 24/25	24071	Reliable Computing I	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Tahoori	
Exams	Exams					
WT 24/25	7500167	Reliable Computing I			Tahoori	

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an oral examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO) lasting 20 minutes.

#### Prerequisites

None.

#### Recommendation

Knowledge of Digital Design and Computer Architecture is helpful.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Reliable Computing I

24071, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site



# 6.312 Course: Research Focus Class: Blockchain & Cryptocurrencies [T-INFO-113400]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Hannes Hartenstein **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106654 - Research Focus Class: Blockchain & Cryptocurrencies

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Completed coursework	3	pass/fail	Irregular	1

Events					
ST 2024	2400184	Research Focus Class: Blockchain & Cryptocurrencies Seminar	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Hartenstein, Stengele, Droll
ST 2024	2400185	Research Focus Class: Blockchain & Cryptocurrencies	1 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Hartenstein, Grundmann, Stengele, Droll
Exams					
ST 2024	7500341	Research Focus Class: Blockchain &	Research Focus Class: Blockchain & Cryptocurrencies		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled



# **6.313** Course: Research Focus Class: Blockchain & Cryptocurrencies - Seminar [T-INFO-113401]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Hannes Hartenstein **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106654 - Research Focus Class: Blockchain & Cryptocurrencies

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Irregular	1

Events					
ST 2024	2400184	Research Focus Class: Blockchain & Cryptocurrencies Seminar	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Hartenstein, Stengele, Droll
ST 2024	2400185	Research Focus Class: Blockchain & Cryptocurrencies	1 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Hartenstein, Grundmann, Stengele, Droll
Exams	•	•	•		<u>.</u>
ST 2024	7500331	Research Focus Class: Blockchain & 0	Research Focus Class: Blockchain & Cryptocurrencies - Seminar Hartenstein		

 $\textbf{Legend:} \ \overline{\blacksquare} \ \textbf{Online}, \ \mathbf{\textcircled{S}} \ \textbf{Blended} \ (\textbf{On-Site/Online}), \ \mathbf{\P} \cdot \textbf{On-Site}, \ \textbf{\textbf{x}} \ \textbf{Cancelled}$ 



# 6.314 Course: Research Practical Course: Interactive Learning [T-INFO-112772]

Responsible: TT-Prof. Dr. Rudolf Lioutikov
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106300 - Research Practical Course: Interactive Learning

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Each summer term	3

Events					
ST 2024	2400139	Research Laboratory: Interactive Learning	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Lioutikov
Exams					
ST 2024	7500266	Research Practical Course: Interactive Learning			Lioutikov

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an examination of another type (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 3 SPO). Presentation on the chosen topic at the end of the semester and written elaboration.

#### **Prerequisites**

none.

#### Recommendation

We highly recommend to take this research project in combination with the "Interactive Learning" seminar.

It is highly recommended to attend the "Explainable Artificial Intelligence" lecture in parallel or prior to this project.

- Experience in Machine Learning is recommended, e.g. through prior coursework.
- $\circ$  The Computer Science Department offers several great lectures e.g., "Maschinelles Lernen Grundlagen und Algorithmen" and "Deep Learning"
- A good mathematical background will be beneficial
- Python experience is recommended
- We might use the PyTorch deep learning library In the exercises. Some prior knowledge in this is helpful but not necessary.



# 6.315 Course: Research Project (Project, 1st Semester) - Oral Exam [T-INFO-110218]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Bernhard Beckert

Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105037 - Research Project (Project, 1st Semester)

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination3Grade to a thirdEach term2

Events					
ST 2024	2400047	Research Project (Project, first semester)	6.5 SWS	/ ♣:	Beckert, Beigl, Reussner, Kirsten
WT 24/25	2400068	Research Project (Project, first semester)	6.5 SWS	/ <b>\$</b>	Beckert, Beigl, Reussner, Kirsten
Exams					
ST 2024	7500114	Research Project (Project, 1st Sem	Research Project (Project, 1st Semester) - Oral Exam		
WT 24/25	7500079	Research Project (Project, 1st Sem	Research Project (Project, 1st Semester) - Oral Exam		



# **6.316** Course: Research Project (Project, 1st Semester) - Presentation [T-INFO-110219]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Bernhard Beckert **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105037 - Research Project (Project, 1st Semester)

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Each term	1

Events					
ST 2024	2400047	Research Project (Project, first semester)	6.5 SWS	/ <b>\$</b> *	Beckert, Beigl, Reussner, Kirsten
WT 24/25	2400068	Research Project (Project, first semester)	6.5 SWS	/ ♣:	Beckert, Beigl, Reussner, Kirsten
Exams					
ST 2024	7500130	Research Project (Project, 1st Sem	Research Project (Project, 1st Semester) - Presentation		
WT 24/25	7500080	Research Project (Project, 1st Sem	Research Project (Project, 1st Semester) - Presentation		

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.317 Course: Research Project (Project, 1st Semester) - Project Proposal [T-INFO-110220]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Bernhard Beckert **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105037 - Research Project (Project, 1st Semester)

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4	Grade to a third	Each term	1

Events					
ST 2024	2400047	Research Project (Project, first semester)	6.5 SWS	/ <b>\$</b> *	Beckert, Beigl, Reussner, Kirsten
WT 24/25	2400068	Research Project (Project, first semester)	6.5 SWS	/ ♣:	Beckert, Beigl, Reussner, Kirsten
Exams	•	•			·
ST 2024	7500131	Research Project (Project, 1st Sem	Research Project (Project, 1st Semester) - Project Proposal		
WT 24/25	7500081	Research Project (Project, 1st Sem	Research Project (Project, 1st Semester) - Written Exam		

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.318 Course: Research Project (Project, 2nd Semester) - Oral Exam [T-INFO-110221]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Bernhard Beckert **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105038 - Research Project (Project, 2nd Semester)

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Oral examination	3	Grade to a third	Each term	2

Events					
ST 2024	2400053	Research Project (Project, second semester)	6.5 SWS	/ ♣	Beckert, Beigl, Reussner, Kirsten
WT 24/25	2400070	Research Project (Project, second semester)	6.5 SWS	/ •	Beckert, Beigl, Reussner, Kirsten
Exams					
ST 2024	7500126	Research Project (Project, 2nd Semo	Research Project (Project, 2nd Semester) - Oral Exam		
WT 24/25	7500171	Research Project (Project, 2nd Semo	Research Project (Project, 2nd Semester) - Oral Exam		Beckert, Beigl, Reussner



# **6.319** Course: Research Project (Project, 2nd Semester) - Presentation [T-INFO-110222]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Bernhard Beckert **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105038 - Research Project (Project, 2nd Semester)

<b>Type</b> Examination of another type	Credits 3	<b>Grading scale</b> Grade to a third	Recurrence Each term	Version 1

Events					
ST 2024	2400053	Research Project (Project, second semester)	6.5 SWS	/ <b>\$</b> *	Beckert, Beigl, Reussner, Kirsten
WT 24/25	2400070	Research Project (Project, second semester)	6.5 SWS	/ ♣:	Beckert, Beigl, Reussner, Kirsten
Exams					
ST 2024	7500132	Research Project (Project, 2nd Semo	Research Project (Project, 2nd Semester) - Presentation		
WT 24/25	7500077	Research Project (Project, 2nd Semo	Research Project (Project, 2nd Semester) - Presentation		

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.320 Course: Research Project (Project, 2nd Semester) - Scientific Report [T-INFO-110223]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Bernhard Beckert **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105038 - Research Project (Project, 2nd Semester)

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	4	Grade to a third	Each term	1

Events					
ST 2024	2400053	Research Project (Project, second semester)	6.5 SWS	/ <b>\$</b> *	Beckert, Beigl, Reussner, Kirsten
WT 24/25	2400070	Research Project (Project, second semester)	6.5 SWS	/ <b>\$</b> *	Beckert, Beigl, Reussner, Kirsten
Exams					
ST 2024	7500133	Research Project (Project, 2nd Semo	Research Project (Project, 2nd Semester) - Scientific Report		
WT 24/25	7500078	Research Project (Project, 2nd Semo	Research Project (Project, 2nd Semester) - Written Exam		

Legend: █ Online, ☎ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled



## 6.321 Course: Research Project Autonomous Learning Robots [T-INFO-110861]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Gerhard Neumann **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105378 - Research Project Autonomous Learning Robots

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events						
ST 2024 2400112 Research Laboratory Au Learning Robots		Research Laboratory Autonomous Learning Robots	4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Neumann, Freymuth, Hoang, Jia	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500274	Research Project Autonomous Learning Robots			Neumann	

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

- The discussed algorithms have to be implemented successfully.
- The experiments need to be conducted scientifically and need to be well documented.
- The final report is well written and well structured

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Research Laboratory Autonomous Learning Robots**

2400112, SS 2024, 4 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
On-Site

## Content Inhalt

Each student has to choose one of the offered topics from the area of robot learning / reinforcement learning / imitation learning or deep learning for robotics. The students will conduct a literature survey to acquire an understanding of the field and then implement one or several algorithms. The algorithms need to be evaluated against available baselines on standard benchmark tasks as well as on (custom-made) physically realistic simulations and/or a real robot platform. The experiments have to be documented in a report

Experience in Machine Learning is recommended

## Organizational issues

Ein Rücktritt ist innerhalb von zwei Wochen nach Vergabe des Themas möglich.

Arbeitsaufwand180h



## 6.322 Course: Responsible Artificial Intelligence [T-WIWI-111385]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-103117 - Data Science: Data-Driven Information Systems

M-WIWI-103118 - Data Science: Data-Driven User Modeling

M-WIWI-105923 - Incentives, Interactivity & Decisions in Organizations

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 4,5 Grade to a third Each winter term 1

Events						
WT 24/25	2545164	Responsible Artificial Intelligence	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Hoffmann, Miskiw	
WT 24/25	2545165	Responsible Artificial Intelligence	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Hoffmann, Miskiw	
Exams						
WT 24/25	7900290	Responsible Artificial Intelligence			Weinhardt	

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The final grade is based on an examination of other type according to § 4 Par. 2 No. 3. It consists of

- The completion of an exercise including a short presentation (15 min)(max. 30 points)
- Oral exam (max. 60 points).

Further details are explained during the lecture.

## **Prerequisites**

Prior to the start of the lecture, introductory materials will be provided for self-study. The lecture has a limitation of participants. Therefore, prior registration via the Wiwi-Portal is mandatory.

## **Annotation**

Can a technology really be trustworthy or even responsible? Since the success of LLMs at the latest, this question has been increasingly asked in society. With the increasing use of artificial intelligence, terms such as "Trustworthy AI", "Responsible AI" or "Ethical AI" are therefore gaining in importance. But what exactly is behind them? Technology is only ever used by people for specific purposes. So if we want to "trust" an AI solution, we need to understand how the people and organizations involved develop AI responsibly. According to the European Commission's HLEG AI, trustworthy AI must be lawful, ethical and robust.

This lecture sheds light on all these areas and thus provides an answer to the question of what a responsible and thus sustainable approach to AI can look like. After an introduction to AI and data, various approaches will be discussed with which actions and technology applications can be morally evaluated. The aim of this ethical reflection is to find out what we should do with AI instead of limiting ourselves to what we can do with AI.

In the context of robustness, vulnerabilities of Al and measures to address them will be discussed. The lecture will cover other topics such as bias, adversarial attacks, transparency, privacy and human-computer interaction. Current developments in regulatory requirements at European level will also be discussed. Guest lectures and continuous insights into business practice complement the foundations laid.

After successfully completing the course, students should be able

- to classify and evaluate the scientific discussion on ethics in artificial intelligence systems,
- understand the concept of trust and responsibility in the context of artificial intelligence and apply the relevant knowledge to change processes in companies,
- shape the social and entrepreneurial discussion on the use of AI themselves and
- know the legal requirements for AI and implement them in the corporate context.



## 6.323 Course: Risk Management in Industrial Supply Networks [T-WIWI-102826]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Frank Schultmann

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101412 - Industrial Production III

M-WIWI-101471 - Industrial Production II

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination3,5Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events							
WT 24/25	2581992	Risk Management in Industrial Supply Networks	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Schultmann, Rosenberg		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7981992	kisk Management in Industrial Supply Networks			Schultmann		

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of an oral (30 minutes) or written exam (60 minutes) (following §4(2) of the examination regulation). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. Depending on the respective pandemic situation, the exam may be offered as an open book exam (examination of another type, following §4(2), 3 of the examination regulation).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

## Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Risk Management in Industrial Supply Networks**

2581992, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

## Content

Students learn methods and tools to manage risks in complex and dynamically evolving supply chain networks. In the first part of the lectures, students are introduced to the key terms and concepts of risk management and decision theory for industrial application. Based on the theoretic prerequisites, students are able to determine and analyze risk diversification, risk pooling and insurance mechanisms in supply chain network management. Lastly the lectures cover the differences and connection between risk management and resilience in industrial networks.

#### Literature

Wird in der Veranstaltung bekannt gegeben.



## 6.324 Course: Robotics - Practical Course [T-INFO-105107]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Tamim Asfour **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102522 - Robotics - Practical Course

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Each summer term	2

Events							
ST 2024 24870 Robotics - Practical Course		4 SWS	Practical course / 🗣	Asfour			
Exams							
ST 2024	7500261	Robotics - Practical Course			Asfour		

Legend: ☐ Online, ⚠ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an examination of another type (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 3 SPO). It is composed of several sub-tasks.

#### **Prerequisites**

Knowledge of the programming language C++ is required.

#### Recommendation

Attending the lectures Robotics I – Introduction to Robotics, Robotics II: Humanoid Robotics, Robotics III - Sensors and Perception in Robotics and Mechano-Informatics and Robotics is recommended.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Robotics - Practical Course**

24870, SS 2024, 4 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Practical course (P)
On-Site

## Content

The practical course is offered as an accompanying course to the lectures Robotics I-III. Every week, a small team of students will work on solving a given robotics problem. The list of topics includes robot modeling and simulation, inverse kinematics, robot programming via statecharts, collision-free motion planning, grasp planning, robot vision and robot learning.

## **Learning Objectives:**

The student knows concrete solutions for different problems in robotics. He/she uses methods of inverse kinematics, grasp and motion planning, and visual perception. The student can implement solutions in the programming languages C++ and Python with the help of suitable software frameworks.

## **Organizational issues**

Die Erfolgskontrolle erfolgt in Form einer Prüfungsleistung anderer Art nach § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 3 SPO und besteht aus mehreren Teilaufgaben.

Arbeitsaufwand: 180 h

Voraussetzungen: Kenntnisse in der Programmiersprache C++ werden vorausgesetzt.

Empfehlungen: Der Besuch der Vorlesungen Robotik I – Einführung in die Robotik, Robotik II: Humanoide Robotik, Robotik III - Sensoren und Perzeption in der Robotik sowie Mechano-Informatik in der Robotik wird empfohlen.

Attending the lectures Robotics I - Introduction to Robotics, Robotics II: Humanoid Robotics, Robotics III - Sensors and Perception in Robotics and Mechano-Informatics and Robotics is recommended.

Zielgruppe: Modul für Master Maschinenbau, Mechatronik und Informationstechnik, Elektrotechnik und Informationstechnik



## 6.325 Course: Robotics I - Introduction to Robotics [T-INFO-108014]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Tamim Asfour **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100893 - Robotics I - Introduction to Robotics

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	6	Grade to a third	Each winter term	2

Events						
WT 24/25	2424152	Robotics I - Introduction to Robotics		Lecture / 🗣	Asfour	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500218	Robotik I - Einführung in die Robotik	Robotik I - Einführung in die Robotik			
WT 24/25	7500106	Robotics I - Introduction to Robotics			Asfour	

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, x Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 120 minutes.

#### **Prerequisites**

none.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## Robotics I - Introduction to Robotics

2424152, WS 24/25, SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

## Content

The lecture provides an overview of the fundamentals of robotics using the examples of industrial robots, service robots and autonomous humanoid robots. An insight into all relevant topics is given. This includes methods and algorithms for robot modeling, control and motion planning, image processing and robot programming. First, mathematical basics and methods for kinematic and dynamic robot modeling, trajectory planning and control as well as algorithms for collision-free motion planning and grasp planning are covered. Subsequently, basics of image processing, intuitive robot programming especially by human demonstration and symbolic planning are presented.

In the exercise, the theoretical contents of the lecture are further illustrated with examples. Students deepen their knowledge of the methods and algorithms by independently working on problems and discussing them in the exercise. In particular, students can gain practical programming experience with tools and software libraries commonly used in robotics.

#### Workload:

Lecture with 3 SWS + 1 SWS Tutorial, 6 LP

6 LP corresponds to 180 hours, including

15 \* 3 = 45 hours attendance time (lecture)

15 \* 1= 15 hours attendance time (tutorial)

15 \* 6= 90 hours self-study and exercise sheets

30 hours preparation for the exam

## **Competency Goals:**

The students are able to apply the presented concepts to simple and realistic tasks from robotics. This includes mastering and deriving the mathematical concepts relevant for robot modeling. Furthermore, the students master the kinematic and dynamic modeling of robot systems, as well as the modeling and design of simple controllers. The students know the algorithmic basics of motion and grasp planning and can apply these algorithms to problems in robotics. They know algorithms from the field of image processing and are able to apply them to problems in robotics. They are able to model and solve tasks as a symbolic planning problem. The students have knowledge about intuitive programming procedures for robots and know procedures for programming and learning by demonstration.

## Organizational issues

Die Erfolgskontrolle erfolgt in Form einer schriftlichen Prüfung im Umfang von i.d.R. 120 Minuten nach § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 1 SPO.

Modul für Bachelor/Master Informatik, Maschinenbau, Mechatronik und Informationstechnik, Elektrotechnik und Informationstechnik

## Literature

## Weiterführende Literatur

Fu, Gonzalez, Lee: Robotics - Control, Sensing, Vision, and Intelligence Russel, Norvig: Artificial Intelligence - A Modern Approach, 2nd. Ed.



## 6.326 Course: Robotics II - Humanoid Robotics [T-INFO-105723]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Tamim Asfour **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102756 - Robotics II - Humanoid Robotics

Type	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	3	Grade to a third	Each summer term	4

Events							
ST 2024	2400074	Robotics II: Humanoid Robotics	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b> ⁵	Asfour		
Exams							
ST 2024	7500086	Robotics II: Humanoid Robotics	Robotics II: Humanoid Robotics Asfour				
WT 24/25	7500211	Robotics II: Humanoid Robotics			Asfour		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 60 minutes.

## Recommendation

Having visited the lectures on Robotics I - Introduction to Robotics and Mechano-Informatics and Robotics is recommended.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Robotics II: Humanoid Robotics**

2400074, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

The lecture presents current work in the field of humanoid robotics that deals with the implementation of complex sensorimotor and cognitive abilities. In the individual topics different methods and algorithms, their advantages and disadvantages, as well as the current state of research are discussed.

The topics addressed are: Applications and real world examples of humanoid robots; biomechanical models of the human body, biologically inspired and data-driven methods of grasping, imitation learning and programming by demonstration; semantic representations of sensorimotor experience as well as cognitive software architectures of humanoid robots.

#### **Learning Objectives:**

The students have an overview of current research topics in autonomous learning robot systems using the example of humanoid robotics. They are able to classify and evaluate current developments in the field of cognitive humanoid robotics.

The students know the essential problems of humanoid robotics and are able to develop solutions on the basis of existing research.

## Organizational issues

Die Erfolgskontrolle erfolgt in Form einer schriftlichen Prüfung im Umfang von i.d.R. 60 Minuten nach § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 1 SPO.

Arbeitsaufwand: 90 h

Empfehlungen: Der Besuch der Vorlesungen Robotik I – Einführung in die Robotik und Mechano-Informatik in der Robotik wird empfehlen

Zielgruppe: Modul für Master Informatik, Master Maschinenbau, Mechatronik und Informationstechnik, Elektrotechnik und Informationstechnik

## Literature

## Weiterführende Literatur

Wissenschaftliche Veröffentlichungen zum Thema, werden auf der VL-Website bereitgestellt.



## 6.327 Course: Robotics III - Sensors and Perception in Robotics [T-INFO-109931]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Tamim Asfour **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-104897 - Robotics III - Sensors and Perception in Robotics

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	3	Grade to a third	Each summer term	2

Events						
ST 2024	2400067	Robotics III - Sensors and Perception in Robotics	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Asfour	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500242	Robotics III - Sensors and Perception	Robotics III - Sensors and Perception in Robotics			
WT 24/25	7500207	Robotics III - Sensors and Perception in Robotics			Asfour	

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 60 minutes.

## **Prerequisites**

none.

#### Recommendation

Attending the lecture Robotics I - Introduction to Robotics is recommended.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Robotics III - Sensors and Perception in Robotics**

2400067, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

## Content

The lecture supplements the lecture Robotics I with a broad overview of sensors used in robotics. The lecture focuses on visual perception, object recognition, semantic scene interpretation and (inter-)active perception. The lecture is divided into two parts:

In the first part a comprehensive overview of current sensor technologies is given. A basic distinction is made between sensors for the perception of the environment (exteroceptive) and sensors for the perception of the internal state (proprioceptive).

The second part of the lecture concentrates on the use of exteroceptive sensors in robotics. The topics covered include tactile exploration and visual data processing, including advanced topics such as feature extraction, object localization, semantic scene interpretation and (inter-)active perception.

## **Learning Obejctives:**

Students know the main sensor principles used in robotics and understand the data flow from physical measurement through digitization to the use of the recorded data for feature extraction, state estimation and environmental modeling.

Students are able to propose and justify suitable sensor concepts for common tasks in robotics.

## Organizational issues

Die Erfolgskontrolle erfolgt in Form einer schriftlichen Prüfung im Umfang von i.d.R. 60 Minuten nach § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 1 SPO.

Modul für Master Maschinenbau. Mechatronik und Informationstechnik. Elektrotechnik und Informationstechnik

Empfehlungen: Der Besuch der Vorlesung Robotik I - Einführung in die Robotik wird empfohlen

Zielgruppe: Die Vorlesung richtet sich an Studierende der Informatik, der Elektrotechnik und des Maschinenbaus sowie an alle Interessenten an der Robotik.

Arbeitsaufwand: 90 h

## Literature

Eine Foliensammlung wird im Laufe der Vorlesung angeboten.

Begleitende Literatur wird zu den einzelnen Themen in der Vorlesung bekannt gegeben.



# 6.328 Course: Scientific Methods to Design and Analyze Secure Decentralized Systems [T-INFO-111568]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Hannes Hartenstein **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105780 - Scientific Methods to Design and Analyze Secure Decentralized Systems

<b>Type</b> Oral examination	Credits 5	<b>Grading scale</b> Grade to a third	Recurrence Each winter term	Version 1

Events						
WT 24/25	2400009	Scientific Methods to Design and Analyze Secure Decentralized Systems	3 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Hartenstein, Jacob	
Exams	Exams					
ST 2024	ST 2024 7500081 Scientific Methods to Design and Analyze Secure Decentralized Systems				Hartenstein	

#### Recommendation

Prior knowledge on the abstract concepts as well as concrete use cases of decentralized systems is strongly recommended. The "Decentralized Systems: Fundamentals, Modeling, and Applications" lecture covers all necessary aspects, but equivalent lectures and / or self-study can also be sufficient.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



Scientific Methods to Design and Analyze Secure Decentralized Systems 2400009, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ) On-Site

#### Content:

Decentralized Systems (like peer-to-peer- or blockchain-based systems) are systems controlled by multiple parties who make their own independent decisions to reach a common goal. However, not knowing which parties are trustworthy and which are betrayers requires a radically different way of thinking. Based on the lecture "Decentralized Systems: Fundamentals, Modeling, and Applications", in this lecture, we cover the necessary scientific methods to analyze existing and to create new decentralized systems. We treat both, selected empirical and formal methods and their tradeoffs, as well as the overarching philosophy of science behind the research process. Together with its practical parts, this lecture provides the foundational scientific toolbox to work on the decentralized systems of the future.

## **Competency Goals:**

- 1. Philosophy of Science: The student understands epistemological principles like the scientific and mathematical process, within the context of networked and decentralized systems. The student knows about the current limits of scientific research, especially in regards to the security of a given decentralized system.
- 2. Empirical Methods: Observation / Monitoring: The student is able to construct setups to monitor system properties related to performance or security. The student knows how to observe a decentralized system like an overlay network without interference, i.e., without impact on the behavior to measure as well as the overall system functionality.
- 3. Combined Empirical / Formal Methods: The student has a fundamental understanding of Discrete Event Simulations, as well as stochastic modelling and random number generation. The student is able to conduct a simulation study consisting of observation, modelling, simulation, validation, and result analysis.
- 4. Formal Methods: The student knows how to apply formal methods like formal verification / model checking and model comparison / simulation-based proofs to decentralized systems. The student understands tradeoffs between empirical and formal methods, and can choose suitable methods for given research tasks.
- 5. Applications in Research: The student understands how the methods of this lecture are applied to practical examples, and knows how to apply the methods on problems of a researcher's everyday life.

#### Workload

Lecture workload:

- 1. Attendance time (Course, exercise,): 3 SWS: 15 x 3h = 45h
- 2. Self-study (e.g. independent review of course material,

work on homework assignments)

Weeklypreparation and follow-up of the lecture / exercise: 15 x 3 SWS x 1,5h = 67,5hh

3. Preparation for the exam: 37,5h

 $\Sigma$  = 150h = 5 ECTS

## Competency certificate:

- The assessment is carried out as an oral examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO) lasting 20 minutes.

Depending on the number of participants, it will be announced six weeks before the examination (§ 6 Abs. 3 SPO) whether the success control

- in the form of an oral examination pursuant to § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO or
- in the form of a written examination in accordance with § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 1 SPO

takes place.

The lecture/exercise is not offered in WS25/26.



## 6.329 Course: Selected Legal Issues of Internet Law [T-INFO-108462]

Responsible: N.N.

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101215 - Intellectual Property Law

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events					
ST 2024	24821	Selected legal issues of Internet law	2 SWS	Colloquium (K / <b>♀</b>	Sattler
Exams	Exams				
ST 2024	7500099	Selected Legal Issues of Internet Law			Sattler

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an examination of another type (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 3 SPO).

The overall impression is evaluated. The following partial aspects are included in the grading: oral presentation and discussion.

## **Prerequisites**

The course Internet Law T-INFO-101307 must not have started.

## Recommendation

Keine.

#### Annotation

Lecture (with written exam) Internet Law T-INFO-101307 is offered in the winter semester.

Colloquium (other type of examination) Selected Legal Issues of Internet Law T-INFO-108462 offered in the summer semester



## 6.330 Course: Semantic Web Technologies [T-WIWI-110848]

Responsible: Dr.-Ing. Tobias Käfer

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101456 - Intelligent Systems and Services

M-WIWI-105366 - Artificial Intelligence

M-WIWI-106803 - Advanced Topics in AI: Knowledge Graphs and the Web

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach summer term 1

Events					
ST 2024	2511310	Semantic Web Technologies	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Färber, Käfer, Braun, Kinder
ST 2024	2511311	Exercises to Semantic Web Technologies	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Färber, Käfer, Braun, Kinder
Exams	Exams				
ST 2024 79AIFB_SWebT_A4 Semantic Web Technologies (Registration until 15 July 2024)			til 15 July 2024)	Käfer	
WT 24/25	79AIFB_SWebT_A2	Semantic Web Technologies	Semantic Web Technologies		

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of an 1h written exam following §4, Abs. 2, 1 of the examination regulation or of an oral exam (20 min) following §4, Abs. 2, 2 of the examination regulation.

The exam takes place every semester and can be repeated at every regular examination date.

## **Prerequisites**

None

## Recommendation

Lectures on Informatics of the Bachelor on Information Systems (Semester 1-4) or equivalent are required.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Semantic Web Technologies**

2511310, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

The aim of the Semantic Web is to make the meaning (semantics) of data on the web usable in intelligent systems, e.g. in ecommerce and internet portals

Central concepts are the representation of knowledge in form of RDF and ontologies, the access via Linked Data, as well as querying the data by using SPARQL. This lecture provides the foundations of knowledge representation and processing for the corresponding technologies and presents example applications.

The following topics are covered:

- Resource Description Framework (RDF) and RDF Schema (RDFS)
- Web Architecture and Linked Data
- Web Ontology Language (OWL)
- Query language SPARQL
- Rule languages
- Applications

## Learning objectives:

The student

- understands the motivation and foundational ideas behind Semantic Web and Linked Data technologies, and is able to analyse and realise systems
- demonstrates basic competency in the areas of data and system integration on the web
- masters advanced knowledge representation scenarios involving ontologies

### Recommendations:

Lectures on Informatics of the Bachelor on Information Systems (Semester 1-4) or equivalent are required. Knowledge of modeling with UML is required.

#### Workload:

- The total workload for this course is approximately 135 hours
- Time of presentness: 45 hours
- Time of preperation and postprocessing: 60 hours
- Exam and exam preperation: 30 hours

## Literature

- Pascal Hitzler, Markus Krötzsch, Sebastian Rudolph, York Sure: Semantic Web Grundlagen. Springer, 2008.
- John Domingue, Dieter Fensel, James A. Hendler (Editors). Handbook of Semantic Web Technologies. Springer, 2011.

## Weitere Literatur

- S. Staab, R. Studer (Editors). Handbook on Ontologies. International Handbooks in Information Systems. Springer, 2003.
- Tim Berners-Lee. Weaving the Web. Harper, 1999 geb. 2000 Taschenbuch.
- Ian Jacobs, Norman Walsh. Architecture of the World Wide Web, Volume One. W3C Recommendation 15 December 2004. http://www.w3.org/TR/webarch/
- Dean Allemang. Semantic Web for the Working Ontologist: Effective Modeling in RDFS and OWL. Morgan Kaufmann, 2008
- Tom Heath and Chris Bizer. Linked Data: Evolving the Web into a Global Data Space. Synthesis Lectures on the Semantic Web: Theory and Technology, 2011.



## **Exercises to Semantic Web Technologies**

2511311, SS 2024, 1 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Practice (Ü) On-Site

The exercises are related to the lecture Semantic Web Technologies.

Multiple exercises are held that capture the topics, held in the lecture Semantic Web Technologies, and discuss them in detail. Thereby, practical examples are given to the students in order to transfer theoretical aspects into practical implementation.

The following topics are covered:

- Resource Description Framework (RDF) and RDF Schema (RDFS)
- Web Architecture and Linked Data
- Web Ontology Language (OWL)
- Query language SPARQL
- Rule languages
- Applications

## Learning objectives:

The student

- understands the motivation and foundational ideas behind Semantic Web and Linked Data technologies, and is able to analyse and realise systems
- demonstrates basic competency in the areas of data and system integration on the web
- masters advanced knowledge representation scenarios involving ontologies

#### Recommendations:

Lectures on Informatics of the Bachelor on Information Systems (Semester 1-4) or equivalent are required. Knowledge of modeling with UML is required.

## **Organizational** issues

Die Übungen finden im Rahmen der Termine der Blockvorlesung statt.

#### Literature

- Pascal Hitzler, Markus Krötzsch, Sebastian Rudolph, York Sure: Semantic Web Grundlagen. Springer, 2008.
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# 6.331 Course: Seminar in Business Administration A (Master) [T-WIWI-103474]

**Responsible:** Professorenschaft des Fachbereichs Betriebswirtschaftslehre

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-102736 - Seminar Module Economic Sciences

**Type** Examination of another type

Credits 3 **Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Each term Version 1

Events					
ST 2024	2400121	Interactive Analytics Seminar	2 SWS	/ <b>=</b>	Beigl, Mädche
ST 2024	2500020	Digital Democracy - Challenges and opportunities of the digital society	2 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Fegert
ST 2024	2500024	Biosignals in Information Systems & Marketing	2 SWS	Seminar / 🛱	Knierim, del Puppo
ST 2024	2500027	Design Seminar: Digital Citizen Science	2 SWS	Seminar	Berens, Volkamer, Mädche
ST 2024	2500036	Affective User Research for Human-Al Interaction	2 SWS	Seminar / 🕄	Mädche
ST 2024	2500056	ABBA Summer School Seminar: Biosignal-Adaptive GenAl Systems	2 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Mädche
ST 2024	2500125	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Engineering	3 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Mädche
ST 2024	2530580	Seminar in Finance (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Uhrig-Homburg, Müller
ST 2024	2540473	Business Data Analytics	2 SWS	Seminar	Hariharan
ST 2024	2540475	Platforms & Digital Experiences	2 SWS	Seminar	Knierim
ST 2024	2540478	Smart Grid Economics & Energy Markets	2 SWS	Seminar	Weinhardt
ST 2024	2540510	Master Seminar in Data Science and Machine Learning	2 SWS	Seminar	Geyer-Schulz
ST 2024	2540553	User-Adaptive Systems Seminar	2 SWS	Seminar / 💢	Mädche, Beigl
ST 2024	2540557	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Research	3 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Mädche
ST 2024	2545002	Entrepreneurship Research	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Terzidis, Tittel, Rosales Bravo
ST 2024	2550493	Hospital Management	2 SWS	Block /	Hansis
ST 2024	2571180	Seminar in Marketing and Sales (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Klarmann, Mitarbeiter
ST 2024	2571182	Seminar "The Future of Marketing" (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Kupfer
ST 2024	2579909	Seminar Management Accounting - Special Topics	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Wouters, Jaedeke, Kepl
ST 2024	2579919	Seminar Management Accounting - Sustainability Topics	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Letmathe
ST 2024	2581030	Seminar Energiewirtschaft IV	2 SWS	Seminar / <b>♀</b>	Fichtner, Sloot
ST 2024	2581977	Seminar Produktionswirtschaft und Logistik II	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Volk, Schultmann
ST 2024	2581980	Seminar Energiewirtschaft II	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Fichtner, Finck
WT 24/25	00063	Seminar Social Sentiment in Times of Crises	2 SWS	Seminar	Fegert
WT 24/25	2500006	Digital Citizen Science	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Greif-Winzrieth
WT 24/25	2500045	Digital Democracy - Challenges and Opportunities of the Digital Society	2 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Fegert, Stein, Bezzaoui, Pekkip

WT 24/25	2500125	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Engineering	2 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Mädche
WT 24/25	2530293	Engineering	2 SWS	Seminar /	Ruckes, Benz, Luedecke, Kohl
WT 24/25	2530586			Seminar / 🗣	Uhrig-Homburg, Molnar
WT 24/25	2540473	Business Data Analytics	2 SWS	Seminar / <b>♀</b>	Hariharan, Grote, Schulz, Motz
WT 24/25	2540475	Positive Information Systems	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Knierim, del Puppo
WT 24/25	2540478	Smart Grids and Energy Markets	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Weinhardt, Semmelmann, Miskiw
WT 24/25	2540510	Master Seminar in Data Science and Machine Learning	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗯	Geyer-Schulz, Nazemi
WT 24/25	2540557	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Research	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗯	Mädche
WT 24/25	2550493	Hospital Management	2 SWS	Block /	Hansis
WT 24/25	2571181	Seminar Digital Marketing (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Kupfer
WT 24/25	2573012	Seminar Human Resource Management (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Nieken, Mitarbeiter
WT 24/25	2573013	Seminar Human Resources and Organizations (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Nieken, Mitarbeiter
WT 24/25	2579919	Seminar Management Accounting - Sustainability Topics	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Wouters, Dickemann
WT 24/25	2581030	Seminar in Energy Economics	2 SWS	Seminar / <b>♀</b>	Fichtner, Sloot
WT 24/25	2581976	Seminar in Production and Operations Management I	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Schultmann, Rudi
WT 24/25	2581977	Seminar in Production and Operations Management II	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Volk, Schultmann
WT 24/25	2581978	Seminar Produktionswirtschaft und Logistik III	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Schultmann, Rosenberg
WT 24/25	2581979	Seminar in Energy Economics	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Fichtner, Kleinebrahm
WT 24/25	2581980	Seminar in Energy Economics	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Fichtner, Sandmeier
WT 24/25	2581981	Seminar in Energy Economics	2 SWS	Seminar / <b>♀</b>	Ardone, Fichtner, Slednev
Exams					
ST 2024	7900008	Hospital Management			Hansis
ST 2024	7900052	Entrepreneurship Research			Terzidis
ST 2024	7900127	Seminar in Finance (Master)			Uhrig-Homburg
ST 2024	7900167	Design Seminar: Digital Citizen Scien	ce		Volkamer, Mädche
ST 2024	7900190	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: E	Engineerir	ng	Mädche
ST 2024	7900214	Seminar Business Data Analytics			Weinhardt
ST 2024	7900233	Seminar in Marketing and Sales (Mas	ter)		Klarmann
ST 2024	7900240	Seminar "The Future of Marketing" (N	Master)		Kupfer
ST 2024	7900256	Seminar Positive Information System	IS		Weinhardt
ST 2024	7900261	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: F	Research		Mädche
ST 2024	7900265	User-Adaptive Systems Seminar			Mädche
ST 2024	7900281	Affective User Research for Human-A	Al Interac	tion	Mädche
ST 2024	7900307	Service Design Thinking			Satzger
ST 2024	7900312	Practical Seminar Service Innovation			Satzger
ST 2024	7900313	Bond Markets - Models & Derivatives			Uhrig-Homburg
ST 2024	7900322	Practical Seminar: Data Science for Ir	ndustrial <i>A</i>	Applications	Satzger
ST 2024	7900326	Market Design (MA)			Puppe
ST 2024	7900367	Barriers and Challenges to the Transi	ition towa	rds a Circular	Satzger
		Ecosystem: A Systematic Literature F			

ST 2024	7900370	ABBA Summer School Seminar: Biosignal-Adaptive GenAl Systems	Mädche
ST 2024	79-2579909-M	Seminar Management Accounting - Special Topics (Master)	Wouters
ST 2024	79-2579919-M	Seminar Management Accounting - Sustainability Topics (Master)	Wouters
ST 2024	792581030	Seminar Energy Economics IV	Fichtner
ST 2024	792581031	Seminar Energy Economics V	Plötz
ST 2024	7981976	Seminar in Production and Operations Management I	Schultmann
ST 2024	7981978	Seminar in Production and Operations Management III	Schultmann
ST 2024	7981979	Seminar Energy Economics I	Fichtner
ST 2024	7981980	Seminar Energy Economics II	Fichtner
ST 2024	7981981	Seminar Energy Economics III	Fichtner
WT 24/25	7900069	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Engineering	Mädche
WT 24/25	7900106	Hospital Management	Hansis
WT 24/25	7900163	Seminar Human Resource Management (Master)	Nieken
WT 24/25	7900164	Seminar Human Resources and Organizations (Master)	Nieken
WT 24/25	7900184	Seminar in Finance (Master)	Ruckes
WT 24/25	7900203	Seminar "Finance in a nutshell"	Uhrig-Homburg
WT 24/25	7900233	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Research	Mädche
WT 24/25	7900318	Bond Markets - Models & Derivatives	Uhrig-Homburg
WT 24/25	7981977	Seminar in Production and Operations Management II	Schultmann

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment (§ 4(2), 3 SPO 2015). The following aspects are included:

- Regular participation in the seminar dates
- Preparation of a seminar paper on a partial aspect of the seminar topic according to scientific methods
- Lecture on the topic of the seminar paper.

The point scheme for the assessment is determined by the lecturer of the respective course. It will be announced at the beginning of the course.

## **Prerequisites**

None.

## Recommendation

See seminar description in the course catalogue of the KIT (https://campus.kit.edu/)

#### Annotation

The listed seminar titles are placeholders. Currently offered seminars of each semester will be published on the websites of the institutes and in the course catalogue of the KIT. In general, the current seminar topics of each semester are already announced at the end of the previous semester. Furthermore for some seminars there is an application required.

The available places are listed on the internet: https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Interactive Analytics Seminar**

2400121, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Online

Providing new and innovative ways for interacting with data is becoming increasingly important. In this seminar, an interdisciplinary team of students engineers a running software prototype of an advanced interactive system leveraging state-of-the-art hardware and software focusing on an analytical use case. The seminar is carried out in cooperation between Teco/Chair of Pervasive Computing Systems (Prof. Beigl) and the Institute of Information Systems and Marketing (Research Group ISSD, Prof. Mädche). This seminar follows an interdisciplinary approach. Students the fields of computer science, information systems and industrial engineering work together in teams.

## **Learning Objectives**

- Explore and specify a data-driven interaction challenge
- Suggest and evaluate different design solutions for addressing the identified problem
- Build interactive analytics prototypes using advanced interaction concepts and pervasive computing technologies

## **Prerequisites**

Strong analytic abilities and profound skills in SQL as wells as Python and/or R are required.

#### Literature

Further literature will be made available in the seminar.

## **Organizational issues**

nach Vereinbarung



## **Design Seminar: Digital Citizen Science**

2500027, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)

## Content TBA



## Affective User Research for Human-Al Interaction

2500036, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

User research aims to understand users' needs, behaviors, and attitudes to effectively inform the design and development of products or services. It is a key endeavor to learn how users experience digital technologies, what is working well and what is not, and identify gaps and future needs in order to personalize and improve the user experience. To design for positive user experiences, investigating affective user reactions (e.g., emotions, stress, flow) is of particular interest. Therefore, affective user research collects and analyzes behavioral data and affective reactions of users when engaging with products or services. With the growing amount of data and computing capabilities, artificial intelligence (AI) technologies are increasingly used in user research for the prediction of affective user states when interacting with digital technology.

The recent advances in artificial intelligence (AI), however, may not only support affective user research as a method of inquire, but it also has found its way into our daily lives as humans interact with it every day, for example, in form of recommendation engines on social media, in health applications, or as personal assistants based on large language models (LLMs) to receive text output for code completion, ideation, or writing. Interacting with AI-based digital technologies also triggers affective user reactions. However, these affective user reactions in Human-AI Interactions are yet to be understood.

In this seminar, participants will apply methods for affective user research on a particular type of Human-Al Interaction, the prompting of LLMs. LLM prompting is expected to become the up-and-coming form of interacting with Al in the future. To receive output from an LLM, users must send a prompt to the LLM. Given a prompt, an LLM responds incrementally with "tokens" (e.g., groups of letters, numbers, punctuation) which build the output. Structuring the prompt and receiving output influences the affective reactions of the user. Precisely, these user reactions should be investigated by the students participating in this seminar.

In the "Affective User Research for Human-AI Interaction" seminar, participating students will learn how to apply AI-based user research methods with a specific emphasis on the affective dimension when interacting with AI-based digital technologies. The goal of this seminar is to provide students with a unique set of skills in (1) quantitative data analysis, (2) knowledge about Human-AI Interaction and, in particular, LLM prompting, and (3) prediction of affective user states (e.g., emotions, stress) using state-of-the-art machine learning (ML) techniques. Students will leverage a dataset on Human-AI Interaction and gain in-depth knowledge from it as part of the seminar. The seminar emphasizes the importance of applying the aforementioned affective user research methods in an ethically compliant form. The core activities include:

- Learn the fundamentals of Al-based affective user research methods.
- Explore a dataset on Human-Al Interaction with the specific focus on the interplay of user behavior and affective user reactions.
- Developing AI-based supervised machine learning techniques for predicting user activities and affective user states.
- Present findings and insights to the seminar audience and discuss the results.

The seminar is held by Dr. Ivo Benke in cooperation with Dr. Lennard Schmidt. Both are experts from industry in the fields of affective user research, quantitative data analysis, and Human-Al Interaction.

### **Learning Objectives**

- Understand the potential of combining user behavior and affective user reaction data for affective user research.
- Develop hands-on knowledge by applying Al-based affective user research methods on a real-world dataset.
- Develop a deeper understanding of a prominent form of Human-Al Interaction (e.g., LLM prompting).
- Deliver a presentation in a scientific context in front of an auditorium.



ABBA Summer School Seminar: Biosignal-Adaptive GenAl Systems

2500056, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

## Content

**Background:** In the ABBA Summer School Seminar hosted at the Karlsruhe Decision & Design Lab (KD²Lab) at KIT, we aim to enable students to explore biosignal sensors for designing user-adaptive systems. This comprehensive three-day program is designed for both bachelor's and master's students who want to gain an understanding of biosignal and the development of user-adaptive systems. The learning objective is to design human-centered biosignal-adaptive systems to address user needs in learning scenarios.

**Course Content:** Throughout the summer school, students will learn the foundations of biosignal-adaptive systems through a series of lectures and apply the knowledge in practical group work. For the group work, we offer students two contexts for their research topics: literature research during thesis writing and programming with LLM. Aiming to address user challenges in these two contexts, we provide two biosignal sensors: EEG or eye-tracking sensors. By collecting biosignal data with the sensors, we encourage students to integrate cutting-edge AI algorithms for their design and implementation. In the end, students should present their results to showcase the functionality, innovation, and a prototype of their biosignal-adaptive systems.

**Learning Outcome:** By successfully achieving the learning objective, students will receive a certificate from KIT and will have the opportunity to apply their acquired skills and knowledge for further research.

The seminar will be held in a three-day format from 23th to 25th September with 3 ECTS. For any questions, please ask Luke (shi.liu@kit.edu) for more information!



Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Engineering 2500125, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) Blended (On-Site/Online)

Formerly known as "Current Topics in Digital Transformation"

With this seminar, we aim to provide students with the possibility to independently work on state-of-the-art research topics in addition to the knowledge gained in the lectures of the human-centered systems lab (Prof. Mädche). Students will work on a dedicated topic in the context of human-centered systems and apply a pre-defined research method. A broad spectrum of topics is offered every semester, topics may range from creating an experimental design, analyzing collected data, or systematically comparing existing software prototypes in a specific field of interest.



## Master Seminar in Data Science and Machine Learning

2540510, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)



## **User-Adaptive Systems Seminar**

2540553, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) Blended (On-Site/Online)

## Content

User-adaptive systems collect and analyze biosignals from users to recognize user states as a basis for adaptation. Thermic, mechanical, electric, acoustic, and optical signals are collected using sensors which are integrated in wearables, e.g. glasses, earphones, belts, or bracelets. The collected data is processed with analytics and machine learning techniques in order to determine short-term, evolving over time, and long-term user states in the form of user characteristics, affective-cognitive states, or behavior. Finally, the recognized user states are leveraged for realizing user-centric adaptations.

In this seminar, interdisciplinary teams of students design, develop, and evaluate a user-adaptive system prototype leveraging state-of-the-art hard- and software. This seminar follows an interdisciplinary approach. Students from the fields of computer science, information systems and industrial engineering & management collaborate in the prototype design, development, and evaluation.

The seminar is carried out in cooperation between Teco/Chair of Pervasive Computing Systems (Prof. Beigl) and the Institute of Information Systems and Marketing (h-lab, Prof. Mädche). It is offered as part of the DFG-funded graduate school "KD2School: Designing Adaptive Systems for Economic Decisions" (https://kd2school.info/)

Learning objectives of the seminar

- Explain what a user-adaptive system is and how it can be conceptualized
- Suggest and evaluate different design solutions for addressing the identified problem
- Build a user-adaptive system prototype using state-of-the-art hard- and software
- Perform a user-centric evaluation of the user-adaptive system prototype

#### Prerequisites

Strong analytical abilities and profound software development skills are required.

## **Organizational** issues

Termine werden bekannt gegeben

#### Literature

Required literature will be made available in the seminar.



## Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Research

2540557, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) Blended (On-Site/Online)

Formerly known as "Information Systems and Service Design Seminar"

With this seminar, we aim to provide students with the possibility to independently work on state-of-the-art research topics in addition to the knowledge gained in the lectures of the research group IS I (Prof. Mädche). The research group "Information Systems I" (IS I) headed by Prof. Mädche focuses in research, education, and innovation on designing interactive intelligent systems. It is positioned at the intersection of Information Systems and Human-Computer Interaction (HCI).

In the seminar, participants will get deeper insights in a contemporary research topic in the field of information systems, specifically interactive intelligent systems.

The actual seminar topics will be derived from current research activities of the research group. Our research assistants offer a rich set of topics from our research clusters (digital experience and participation, intelligent enterprise systems, or digital services design & innovation). Students can select among these topics individually depending on their personal interests. The seminar is carried out in the form of a literature-based thesis project. In the seminar, students will acquire the important methodological skills of running a systematic literature review.

## **Learning Objectives**

- focus on a contemporary topic at the intersection of Information Systems and Human-Computer Interaction (HCI),
   specifically interactive intelligent systems
- carry out a structured literature search for a given topic
- aggregate the collected information in a suitable way to present and extract knowledge
- write a seminar thesis following academic writing standards
- deliver a presentation in a scientific context in front of an auditorium

### **Prerequisites**

No specific prerequisites are required for the seminar.

#### Literature

Further literature will be made available in the seminar.

#### Organizational issues

Termine werden bekannt gegeben



## **Entrepreneurship Research**

2545002, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

# Content Content

In this course, the students choose from various relevant and current research topics in entrepreneurship and independently develop a topic that suits them in small teams. Initially, there is an introduction to standard methods such as systematic literature review, design science, qualitative and quantitative data analysis, and more. The seminar topic must be scientifically prepared and presented in 15-20 pages as part of a written elaboration. The seminar results are presented in a block event at the end of the semester (20 min + 10 min open discussion).

## **Learning Objectives**

The foundations of independent scholarly work (literature review, argumentation + discussion, citation of literature sources, application of qualitative, quantitative, and simulation methods) are developed as part of the written elaboration. The competencies acquired in the seminar can be utilized in preparing for a potential master's thesis. Therefore, the seminar is mainly aimed at students who intend to write their thesis at the Chair of Entrepreneurship and Technology Management and wish to gain substantial experience in entrepreneurship research.

## Organizational issues

Monday, 17.06.2024, 10.00-17.00 Thursday, 27.06.2024, 10.00-17.00 Thursday, 25.07.2024, 10.00-17.00

Registration is via the Wiwi-Portal.

## Literature

Will be announced in the seminar.



## Hospital Management

2550493, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Block (B) Online

#### Content

The seminar 'Hospital Management' presents internal organization structures, work conditions and work environments at the example of hospitals und relates this to common and expected conditions of other service industries.

Covered topics include normative environment, intra-organizational structure, personnel management, quality, external networking and market appearance. The course consists of two full-day sessions.

The assessment consists of attendance and a presentation or a case study.

## Organizational issues

Das Seminar wird als Blockveranstaltung stattfinden. Die Termine werden bei der Anmeldung über das Wiwi-Portal bekanntgegeben.



## **Seminar Management Accounting - Special Topics**

2579909, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

## Content

The course will be a mix of lectures, discussions, and student presentations. Students will write a paper in small groups, and present this in the final week. You are to a large extent free to select your own topic. The seminar course is concentrated in four meetings that are spread throughout the semester.

### Learning objectives:

- Students are largely independently able to identify a distinct topic in Management Accounting,
- Students are capable to research the topic, analyze the information, to conceptualize and deduct fundamental principles
  and relationships from relatively unstructured information,
- Students can afterwards logically and systematically present the results in writing and as an oral presentation, following a scientific approach (structuring, terminology, sources.

## Workload:

• The total workload for this course is approximately 90 hours. For further information see German version.

## **Examination:**

- The performance review is carried out in the form of a "Prüfungsleistung anderer Art" (following § 4 (2) No. 3 of the examination regulation), which in this case is an essay the seminar participants prepare in group work.
- The final grade is made up of the grade of the seminar paper, the presentation and the contributions in the seminar sessions.

## Required prior Courses:

• The course requires a basic knowledge of finance and accounting.

## Note:

Maximum of 16 students.

## Organizational issues

Geb.05.20, 2A-12.1; Termine werden bekannt gegeben

## Literature

Will be announced in the course.



## **Seminar Management Accounting - Sustainability Topics**

2579919, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

The course will be a mix of lectures, discussions, and student presentations. Students will write a paper in small groups, and present this in the final week. Topics are selectively prediscibed. The seminar course is concentrated in several meetings that are spread throughout the semester.

## Learning objectives:

- Students are largely independently able to identify a distinct topic in Management Accounting,
- Students are capable to research the topic, analyze the information, to conceptualize and deduct fundamental principles and relationships from relatively unstructured information,
- Students can afterwards logically and systematically present the results in writing and as an oral presentation, following a scientific approach (structuring, terminology, sources.

## Workload:

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- The final grade is made up of the grade of the seminar paper, the presentation and the contributions in the seminar sessions.

#### **Required prior Courses:**

• The course requires a basic knowledge of finance and accounting.

#### Note:

Maximum of 8 students.

#### Organizational issues

Geb.05.20, 2A-12.1; Termine werden bekannt gegeben

#### Literature

Will be announced in the course.



2530586, WS 24/25, SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

## Content

Within this seminar eLearning videos are produced to different topics out of the contents of our lectures. The student gets in touch with scientific work. Through profound working on a specific scientific topic the student is meant to learn the foundations of scientific research and reasoning in particular in finance. Through conduction of the video the student becomes familiar with the fundamental techniques for presentations and foundations of scientific reasoning. In addition, the student earns rhetorical skills.

The success is monitored by the development of an eLearning video and by the writing of a project report (according to §4(2), 3 SPO).

The overall grade is made up of these partial performances.

## Recommendations:

Knowledge of the content of the modules *Essentials of Finance* [WW3BWLFBV1] (for bachelor students) and *F1* (*Finance*) [WW4BWLFBV1] (for master students) is assumed.

The total workload for this course is approximately 90 hours. For further information see German version.

## Organizational issues

Kickoff am 21.10.24 um 16 Uhr, Zwischenpräsentation am 10.12.24, 16 Uhr und Abschlusspräsentation am 21.01.25, 17:45 Uhr am Campus B (Geb. 09.21), Raum 209



## **Business Data Analytics**

2540473, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

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## Organizational issues

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## Master Seminar in Data Science and Machine Learning

2540510, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)
Blended (On-Site/Online)



## Hospital Management

2550493, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Block (B) Online



## Seminar Human Resource Management (Master)

2573012, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

The topics are redefined each semester on basis of current research topics. The topics will be announced on the website of the Wiwi-Portal.

#### Aim

The student

- looks critically into current research topics in the fields of Human Resource Management and Personnel Economics.
- trains his / her presentation skills.
- learns to get his / her ideas and insights across in a focused and concise way, both in oral and written form, and to sum up
  the crucial facts.
- cultivates the discussion of research approaches.

#### Workload

The total workload for this course is: approximately 90 hours.

Lecture: 30h

Preparation of lecture: 45h Exam preparation: 15h

#### Literature

Selected journal articles and books.

## Organizational issues

Blockveranstaltung siehe Homepage



## Seminar Human Resources and Organizations (Master)

2573013, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

## Content

The topics are redefined each semester on basis of current research topics. The topics will be announced on the website of the Wiwi-Portal.

## Aim

The student

- looks critically into current research topics in the fields of human resources and organizations.
- trains his / her presentation skills.
- learns to get his / her ideas and insights across in a focused and concise way, both in oral and written form, and to sum up
  the crucial facts.
- cultivates the discussion of research approaches.

#### Workload

The total workload for this course is: approximately 90 hours.

Lecture: 30h

Preparation of lecture: 45h Exam preparation: 15h

#### Literature

Selected journal articles and books.

#### Organizational issues

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## Seminar Management Accounting - Sustainability Topics

2579919, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

The course will be a mix of lectures, discussions, and student presentations. Students will write a paper in small groups, and present this in the final week. Topics are selectively prediscibed. The seminar course is concentrated in several meetings that are spread throughout the semester.

## Learning objectives:

- Students are largely independently able to identify a distinct topic in Management Accounting,
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  and relationships from relatively unstructured information,
- Students can afterwards logically and systematically present the results in writing and as an oral presentation, following a scientific approach (structuring, terminology, sources.

#### **Examination:**

- The performance review is carried out in the form of a "Prüfungsleistung anderer Art" (following § 4 (2) No. 3 of the examination regulation), which in this case is an essay the seminar participants prepare in group work.
- The final grade is made up of the grade of the seminar paper, the presentation and the contributions in the seminar sessions.

#### **Required prior Courses:**

• The course requires a basic knowledge of finance and accounting.

#### Workload:

• The total workload for this course is approximately 90 hours. For further information see German version.

## Note:

• Maximum of 8 students.

## Organizational issues

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## Literature

Will be announced in the course.



# 6.332 Course: Seminar in Economic Policy [T-WIWI-102789]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ingrid Ott

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101514 - Innovation Economics

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Each term	1

Exams			
ST 2024	7900051	Seminar in Economic Policy	Ott
WT 24/25	7900212	Seminar in Economic Policy	Ott

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out through a term paper within the range of 12 to 15 pages, a presentation of the results of the work in a seminar meeting, and active participation in the discussions of the seminar meeting (§ 4 (2), 3 SPO).

The final grade is composed of the weighted scored examinations (Essay 50%, 40% oral presentation, active participation 10%).

## **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

At least one of the lectures "Theory of Endogenous Growth" or "Innovation Theory and Policy" should be attended in advance, if possible.



# 6.333 Course: Seminar in Economics A (Master) [T-WIWI-103478]

**Responsible:** Professorenschaft des Fachbereichs Volkswirtschaftslehre

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-102736 - Seminar Module Economic Sciences

Type C Examination of another type

Credits 3 **Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Each term Version 1

ST 2024 ST 2024 ST 2024 ST 2024 ST 2024	2500004 2520367 2520536 2520563 2521310 2560130 2560282 2560400	Predictive Data Analytics - An Introduction to Statistical Machine Learning  Strategische Entscheidungen  Seminar in Economic Theory II  Wirtschaftstheoretisches Seminar III  Advanced Topics in Econometrics  Seminar Public Finance  Seminar in economic policy	2 SWS 2 SWS 2 SWS 2 SWS 2 SWS 2 SWS	Seminar / Seminar / Seminar / Seminar / Seminar / Seminar	Schienle, Lerch  Ehrhart  Ammann, Kretz, Okulicz  Ammann, Kretz, Okulicz  Schienle, Krüger, Buse, Rüter, Bracher
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CT 2024		Seminar in economic policy			Wigger, Schmelzer
31 2024	2560400		2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Ott, Assistenten
ST 2024		Seminar in Macroeconomics I	2 SWS	Seminar / 🛱	Brumm, Krause, Pegorari
ST 2024	2560552	Seminar Shaping AI and Digitization for Society (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🛱	Zhao
WT 24/25	25000111	Statistics and Epidemics		Seminar / 🗣	Bracher
WT 24/25	2500024	Wirtschaftstheoretisches Seminar IV (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🛱	Puppe, Kretz, Ammann, Okulicz
WT 24/25	2500047	Advanced Topics in Econometrics, Statistics and Data Science	2 SWS	Seminar	Schienle, Krüger, Buse, Rüter, Bracher
WT 24/25	2520405	Topics in Experimental Economics		Seminar / 🗣	Reiß, Peters
WT 24/25	2520500	Workshop on Economics, Finance and Statistics	2 SWS	Seminar	Puppe, Brumm, Nieken, Ott, Reiß, Ruckes, Schienle, Uhrig- Homburg, Wigger, Krüger
WT 24/25	2520563	Wirtschaftstheoretisches Seminar III (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🛱	Puppe, Ammann, Kretz
WT 24/25	2521310	Topics in Econometrics	2 SWS	Seminar	Schienle, Krüger, Rüter
WT 24/25	2560130	Seminar Public Finance	2 SWS	Seminar / 💢	Wigger, Schmelzer
WT 24/25	2560142	Seminar Game Theory and Behavioral Economics (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Rau, Rosar
WT 24/25	2560143	AI and Digitization for Society (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🛱	Zhao
WT 24/25	2560282	Seminar in Economic Policy	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Ott, Assistenten
WT 24/25	2560400	Seminar in Macroeconomics I	2 SWS	Seminar / 🕄	Brumm, Pegorari, Frank
WT 24/25	2561208	Selected aspects of European transport planning and -modelling	2 SWS	Seminar	Szimba
Exams					
ST 2024	7900004	Predictive Data Analytics - An Introd Learning	uction to S	Statistical Machine	Lerch
ST 2024	7900051	Seminar in Economic Policy			Ott

ST 2024	7900131	Shaping AI and Digitization for Society (Master)	Puppe
ST 2024	7900164	Seminar in Economics (Bachelor)	Mitusch
ST 2024	7900318	Seminar in Economics A (Master)	Ehrhart
ST 2024	7900331	Seminar: Networks in Economics (Master)	Puppe
ST 2024	7900363	Seminar in Macroeconomics I: Macroeconomic Implications of Artificial Intelligence	Brumm
ST 2024	7900369	Seminar on Topics in Digital Economics	Reiß, Hillenbrand
ST 2024	79100005	Topics in Experimental Economics	Reiß
ST 2024	79sefi2	Seminar Public Finance A (Master)	Wigger
WT 24/25	7900090	Advanced Topics in Econometrics, Statistics and Data Science	Schienle
WT 24/25	7900140	Seminar Game Theory and Behavioral Economics (Master)	Puppe
WT 24/25	7900212	Seminar in Economic Policy	Ott
WT 24/25	7900296	Seminar AI and Digitization for Society (Master)	Puppe
WT 24/25	79sefi2	Seminar Public Finance A (Master)	Wigger

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment (§ 4(2), 3 SPO 2015). The following aspects are included:

- Regular participation in the seminar dates
- Preparation of a seminar paper on a partial aspect of the seminar topic according to scientific methods
- Lecture on the topic of the seminar paper.

The point scheme for the assessment is determined by the lecturer of the respective course. It will be announced at the beginning of the course.

## **Prerequisites**

None.

## Recommendation

See seminar description in the course catalogue of the KIT (https://campus.kit.edu/)

#### Annotation

The listed seminar titles are placeholders. Currently offered seminars of each semester will be published on the websites of the institutes and in the course catalogue of the KIT. In general, the current seminar topics of each semester are already announced at the end of the previous semester. Furthermore for some seminars there is an application required.

The available places are listed on the internet: https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## Predictive Data Analytics - An Introduction to Statistical Machine Learning

2500004, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

## Organizational issues

Blockveranstaltung, Termine werden bekannt gegeben



## **Advanced Topics in Econometrics**

2521310, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)

## Organizational issues

Blockveranstaltung, Termine werden bekannt gegeben



## Seminar Public Finance

2560130, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Block (B)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

## Content

See German version.

#### Organizational issues

Termine werden bekannt gegeben.

#### Literature

Literatur wird zu Beginn des jeweiligen Seminars vorgestellt.



## Seminar Shaping AI and Digitization for Society (Master)

2560552, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

Participation will be limited to 12 students.

For Master students of the fields Industrial Engineering and Management, Information Engineering and Management, Economics Engineering or Economathematics.

Objective: The student develops an own idea for an economic experiment in this research direction. Students work in groups. Changing topics each semester. For current topics, see <a href="http://polit.econ.kit.edu">https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu</a>/Seminare

The acceptance of students for the seminar via the platform <a href="https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/Seminare">https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/Seminare</a> is based on preferences and suitability for the topics. This includes theoretical and practical experience with Behavioral Economics as well as English skills.

Grading: Seminar Papers of 8-10 pages are to be handed in.

Students' grades will be based on the quality of presentations in the seminar (40%) and the seminar paper (60%). Students can improve their grades by actively participating in the discussions of the presentations.

Recommendation: Knowledge in the field of experimental economic research or behavioral economics as well as in the field of microeconomics and game theory may be helpful.

## Organizational issues

Registration via WiWi-Portal

Blockveranstaltungen:

Introductory Meeting April 17, 11.00 - 12.00 Uhr (online)

Seminar Presentations June 14, 2024, 14.00 - 18.30 Uhr (in person)



## **Statistics and Epidemics**

25000111, WS 24/25, SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

### **Motivation**

Infectious disease epidemiology gives rise to a large variety of real-time data streams. During the COVID-19 pandemic, the interpretation and statistical analysis of these data has proven crucial, but also highly challenging. In this seminar, students will get to know central concepts of infectious disease surveillance and modelling from a statistical perspective. Following an overview of various aspects in the form of blocked lectures, students will choose a more specific topic for their seminar thesis.

# **Learning Goals**

Students develop an understanding of central modeling tasks and methods, including

- estimation of reproductive numbers
- compartment models of disease spread
- nowcasting and short-term forecasting of disease spread
- detection of outbreaks
- diagnostic testing

Moreover, they get to know various data types commonly used in the analysis of disease spread.

# Logistics

The project seminar is worth 4.5 credit points (Leistungspunkte). There will be three blocked lectures (approx. 135 minutes each) in the beginning of the lecture period. For the various topics covered, subjects for seminar theses will be proposed (and students are allowed to propose their own topics). Towards the end of the semester, students present their progress on the chosen topics to the group. Grades will be based on this presentation (25%) and the final report (75%).

### Organizational issues

# **Prerequisites**

Students should have a very good working knowledge of statistics, including proficiency in a programming language for applied data analysis. The lecture VWL3 Introduction to Econometrics is a prerequisite for the project seminar. Most available software in the field is in R, but in principle Python can be used as well. Advanced knowledge of biology, medicine or epidemiology is not required.

## **Application Procedure**

Please submit a transcript of records as well as a short letter of motivation (roughly 200 words) via WIWI-Portal: https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/ys/8223

Application time frame: July 20th, 2024 to September, 30th, 2024.



# Advanced Topics in Econometrics, Statistics and Data Science

2500047, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)

### Organizational issues

Blockveranstaltung, Termine werden bekannt gegeben



# **Topics in Experimental Economics**

2520405, WS 24/25, SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

### **Organizational issues**

Blockseminar; Blücherstraße 17; Termine werden separat bekannt gegeben

#### Literature

Als Pflichtliteratur dienen ausgewählte Paper.



### **Topics in Econometrics**

2521310, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)

#### Organizational issues

Blockveranstaltung, Termine werden auf Homepage und über Ilias bekannt gegeben



# Seminar Game Theory and Behavioral Economics (Master)

2560142, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

For Master students of the fields Industrial Engineering and Management, Information Engineering and Management, Economics Engineering or Economathematics.

Objective: The student develops an own idea for an economic experiment in this research direction. Students work in groups. Changing topics each semester. For current topics, see <a href="http://polit.econ.kit.edu">http://polit.econ.kit.edu</a> or <a href="https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/Seminare">https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/Seminare</a>

Seminar Papers of 8-10 pages are to be handed in.

Recommendation: Knowledge in the field of experimental economic research or behavioral economics as well as in the field of microeconomics and game theory may be helpful.

#### Organizational issues

Application is possible via https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/Seminare

Kick-off: 23.10.24, 14.00 - 15.30 h, Bdg. 01.85, KD2Lab (1. floor über Außentreppe), Team Room

Presentations: 13.01.2025, 14.00 - 18.00 h, Bdg. 01.85, KD2Lab (1. floor über Außentreppe), Team Room



### Al and Digitization for Society (Master)

2560143, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

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# 6.334 Course: Seminar in Informatics B (Master) [T-WIWI-103480]

Responsible: Professorenschaft des Instituts AIFB

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-INFO-102822 - Seminar Module Informatics

**Type** Examination of another type

Credits 3

**Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Each term Version 1

Events					
ST 2024	2513103	Seminar Digital Twins (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar	Lazarova-Molnar, Jungmann
ST 2024	2513211	Seminar Business Information Systems (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Oberweis, Forell, Frister, Fritsch, Rybinski, Schreiber, Schüler, Ullrich
ST 2024	2513309	Seminar Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining (Master)	3 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Färber, Noullet, Saier, Popovic, Qu , Shao, Käfer, Kinder
ST 2024	2513311	Seminar Data Science & Real-time Big Data Analytics (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Färber, Käfer, Thoma
ST 2024	2513403	Seminar Emerging Trends in Internet Technologies (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Sunyaev, Toussaint, Brecker, Danylak
ST 2024	2513405	Seminar Emerging Trends in Digital Health (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗯	Sunyaev, Toussaint, Brecker, Danylak
ST 2024	2513500	Cognitive Automobiles and Robots	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Schneider, Zöllner, Daaboul
ST 2024	2513553	Seminar E-Voting (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Beckert, Müller- Quade, Volkamer, Kirsten, Hilt, Dörre
WT 24/25	2400125	Security and Privacy Awareness	2 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Seidel-Saul, Volkamer, Boehm, Aldag, Veit
WT 24/25	2513105	Seminar Advanced Analytics for Road Traffic Noise (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Lazarova-Molnar, Demetgül
WT 24/25	2513107	Seminar Modeling and Simulation for Energy Systems (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar	Lazarova-Molnar, Mostafa
WT 24/25	2513313	Seminar Linked Data and the Semantic Web (Master)	3 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Käfer, Braun
WT 24/25	2513314	Seminar Real-World Challenges in Data Science and Analytics (Bachelor)	3 SWS	/ •	Käfer, Höllig, Thoma
WT 24/25	2513315	Seminar Real-World Challenges in Data Science and Analytics (Master)	3 SWS	/ ♣:	Käfer, Höllig, Thoma
WT 24/25	2513451	Seminar Cooperative Autonomous Vehicles (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🛱	Vinel
WT 24/25	2513457	Seminar Collective Perception in Autonomous Driving (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🛱	Vinel
WT 24/25	2513500	Seminar Cognitive Automobiles and Robots (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🛱	Zöllner, Daaboul
WT 24/25	2513607	Seminar Knowledge Graphs and Large Language Models (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Sack, Gesese, Vafaie, Norouzi, Tan
Exams					
ST 2024	7900031	Seminar Selected Issues in Critical In (Master)	Sunyaev		
ST 2024	7900088	Seminar Business Information Systems (Master)			Oberweis
ST 2024	7900128	Seminar Emerging Trends in Internet	Technolo	gies (Master)	Sunyaev

ST 2024	7900146	Seminar Emerging Trends in Digital Health (Master)	Sunyaev
ST 2024	7900147	Cognitive Automobiles and Robots	Zöllner
ST 2024	7900191	Seminar Human Factors in Autonomous Driving (Master)	Vinel
ST 2024	7900198	Seminar Data Science & Real-Time Big Data Analytics (Master)	Färber
ST 2024	7900202	Seminar Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining (Master)	Käfer
ST 2024	7900203	Seminar Machine Learning in Autonomous Driving (Master)	Vinel
ST 2024	7900301	Seminar Modeling and Simulation	Lazarova-Molnar
ST 2024	7900305	Seminar Digital Twins (Master)	Lazarova-Molnar
WT 24/25	7500220	Seminar Ubiquitous Computing	Beigl
WT 24/25	7900035	Practical Course Digital Twins with Lego: Hands-on Workshop in Data-driven Simulation (Master)	Lazarova-Molnar
WT 24/25	7900102	Advanced Lab Information Service Engineering (Master)	Sack
WT 24/25	7900119	Seminar Cognitive Automobiles and Robots	Zöllner
WT 24/25	7900121	Security and Privacy Awareness	Volkamer
WT 24/25	7900209	Seminar Digital Twins with Lego: Hands-on Workshop in Data-driven Simulation (Master)	Lazarova-Molnar
WT 24/25	7900215	Seminar Knowledge Graphs and Large Language Models (Master)	Käfer
WT 24/25	7900226	Seminar Modeling and Simulation for Energy Systems (Master)	Lazarova-Molnar
WT 24/25	7900236	Seminar Advanced Analytics for Road Traffic Noise (Master)	Lazarova-Molnar
WT 24/25	7900245	Seminar Cooperative Autonomous Vehicles (Master)	Vinel
WT 24/25	7900274	Seminar Real-World Challenges in Data Science and Analytics (Master)	Sure-Vetter, Färber
WT 24/25	7900279	Seminar Collective Perception in Autonomous Driving (Master)	Vinel
WT 24/25	7900304	Seminar Linked Data and the Semantic Web (Master)	Färber
WT 24/25	7900356	Seminar Real-World Challenges in Data Science and Analytics (Master)	Sure-Vetter, Färber
WT 24/25	79AIFB_AIAD_C4	Seminar Artificial Intelligence for Autonomous Driving (Master)	Vinel

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment (§ 4(2), 3 SPO 2015). The following aspects are included:

- Regular participation in the seminar dates
- Preparation of a seminar paper on a partial aspect of the seminar topic according to scientific methods
- Lecture on the topic of the seminar paper.

The point scheme for the assessment is determined by the lecturer of the respective course. It will be announced at the beginning of the course.

# **Prerequisites**

None.

### Recommendation

See seminar description in the course catalogue of the KIT (https://campus.kit.edu/)

### **Annotation**

Placeholder for seminars offered by the Institute AIFB.

The listed seminar titles are placeholders. Currently offered seminars of each semester will be published on the websites of the institutes and in the course catalogue of the KIT. In general, the current seminar topics of each semester are already announced at the end of the previous semester. Furthermore for some seminars there is an application required.

The available places are listed on the internet: https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



### **Seminar Digital Twins (Master)**

2513103, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)

Name: Digital Twins (Master)

Size: 10 students (with 10 different topics)

#### Workload:

- 2 Lectures
- One presentation delivered + attendance of the other students' presentations
- One report

Responsible Persons: Michelle Jungmann, Sanja Lazarova-Molnar

#### **Deliverables for Grade:**

- 1 report per student and topic (7-8 pages, IEEE Template, usage of Reference Manager Zotero or EndNote)
- 25 min presentation per student plus 20 min discussion (focus on the presentation topic + presentation skills) = 45 minutes for each student

#### Credits: 3 credits

### Format/Structure of the Seminar:

- 2 lectures on beginning of semester
- Students have 1 week time to provide a priority list of 5 presentation topics, distribution will be decided based on first come – first serve, ensuring that core topics are covered
- Students have time to work on the report and presentation during the semester
- Submission of all reports will be required 2 months after the intro lecture
- Presentations are done in blocks of 2 students per class, starting mid-June, presentations will be submitted at the day of the scheduled presentation

#### **Description:**

The seminar focuses on Digital Twins and data-driven modeling, with an additional goal of improving scientific research and presentation skills for Master students. The seminar targets different topics around the structure and function of Digital Twins as well as their use cases in areas like manufacturing, energy systems, healthcare and others. Additional aspects that we consider in this seminar are cognitive Digital Twins, as well as how data and human expertise can be combined in Digital Twins.

The seminar is structured as a literature review seminar so that each student can select a topic out of a predefined set. The student then writes a paper, as well as delivers a presentation on that topic, based on the provided starting literature and additional research.

### **Topics:**

#### 1. What is a Digital Twin? (core topic)

### References:

- Fuller, Aidan, et al. "Digital twin: Enabling technologies, challenges and open research." IEEE access 8 (2020): 108952-108971.
- Tao, Fei, et al. "Digital twin in industry: State-of-the-art." IEEE Transactions on industrial informatics 15.4 (2018): 2405-2415.
- Mihai, Stefan, et al. "Digital twins: A survey on enabling technologies, challenges, trends and future prospects." *IEEE Communications Surveys & Tutorials* (2022).

# 2. Digital Twins Architectures (core topic)

#### References:

- Ashtari Talkhestani, Behrang, et al. "An architecture of an intelligent digital twin in a cyber-physical production system." at-Automatisierungstechnik 67.9 (2019): 762-782.
- Harper, K. Eric, Somayeh Malakuti, and Christopher Ganz. "Digital twin architecture and standards." (2019).
- Minerva, Roberto, Gyu Myoung Lee, and Noel Crespi. "Digital twin in the IoT context: A survey on technical features, scenarios, and architectural models." *Proceedings of the IEEE* 108.10 (2020): 1785-1824.

### 3. Validation of Digital Twins (core topic)

### References:

- Worden, K., et al. "On digital twins, mirrors, and virtualizations: Frameworks for model verification and validation." ASCE-ASME Journal of Risk and Uncertainty in Engineering Systems, Part B: Mechanical Engineering 6.3 (2020): 030902.
- Hua, Edward Y., Sanja Lazarova-Molnar, and Deena P. Francis. "Validation of Digital Twins: Challenges and Opportunities." 2022 Winter Simulation Conference (WSC). IEEE, 2022.
- Darvishi, Hossein, Domenico Ciuonzo, and Pierluigi Salvo Rossi. "Exploring a modular architecture for sensor validation in digital twins." 2022 IEEE Sensors. IEEE, 2022.

### 4. Modeling Formalisms for Digital Twins (core topic)

References:

- Magargle, Ryan, et al. "A Simulation-Based Digital Twin for Model-Driven Health Monitoring and Predictive Maintenance of an Automotive Braking System." Modelica. 2017.
- Liu, Qing, et al. "A comparative study on digital twin models." AIP Conference Proceedings. Vol. 2073. No. 1. AIP Publishing, 2019.
- Li, Haobin, et al. "Three Carriages Driving the Development of Intelligent Digital Twins-Simulation Plus Optimization and Learning." 2021 Winter Simulation Conference (WSC). IEEE, 2021.

### 5. Digital Twins Data Requirements (core topic)

#### References:

- Durão, Luiz Fernando CS, et al. "Digital twin requirements in the context of industry 4.0." Product Lifecycle Management to Support Industry 4.0: 15th IFIP WG 5.1 International Conference, PLM 2018, Turin, Italy, July 2-4, 2018, Proceedings 15. Springer International Publishing, 2018.
- Qi, Qinglin, and Fei Tao. "Digital twin and big data towards smart manufacturing and industry 4.0: 360 degree comparison." *leee Access* 6 (2018): 3585-3593.

### 6. Digital Twins for Manufacturing Systems

#### References:

- Zhang, Chenyuan, et al. "A reconfigurable modeling approach for digital twin-based manufacturing system." *Procedia Cirp* 83 (2019): 118-125.
- Kritzinger, Werner, et al. "Digital Twin in manufacturing: A categorical literature review and classification." Ifac-PapersOnline 51.11 (2018): 1016-1022.
- Jaensch, Florian, et al. "Digital twins of manufacturing systems as a base for machine learning." 2018 25th International
  conference on mechatronics and machine vision in practice (M2VIP). IEEE, 2018.

### 7. Digital Twins for Energy Systems

#### References:

- Steindl, Gernot, et al. "Generic digital twin architecture for industrial energy systems." Applied Sciences 10.24 (2020): 8903.
- Granacher, Julia, et al. "Overcoming decision paralysis—A digital twin for decision making in energy system design." *Applied Energy* 306 (2022): 117954.
- Palensky, Peter, et al. "Digital twins and their use in future power systems." Digital Twin 1 (2022): 4.

### 8. Digital Twins in Healthcare

### References:

- Alazab, Mamoun, et al. "Digital twins for healthcare 4.0-recent advances, architecture, and open challenges." IEEE Consumer Electronics Magazine (2022).
- Croatti, Angelo, et al. "On the integration of agents and digital twins in healthcare." *Journal of Medical Systems* 44 (2020):
- Erol, Tolga, Arif Furkan Mendi, and Dilara Doğan. "The digital twin revolution in healthcare." 2020 4th international symposium on multidisciplinary studies and innovative technologies (ISMSIT). IEEE, 2020.

### 9. Digital Twins of City Infrastructures (in Smart Cities)

### References:

- Deren, Li, Yu Wenbo, and Shao Zhenfeng. "Smart city based on digital twins." Computational Urban Science 1 (2021): 1-11.
- Deng, Tianhu, Keren Zhang, and Zuo-Jun Max Shen. "A systematic review of a digital twin city: A new pattern of urban governance toward smart cities." *Journal of Management Science and Engineering* 6.2 (2021): 125-134.
- Mylonas, Georgios, et al. "Digital twins from smart manufacturing to smart cities: A survey." *leee Access* 9 (2021): 143222-143249.

## 10. Digital Twins in Logistics

#### References:

- Moshood, Taofeeq D., et al. "Digital twins driven supply chain visibility within logistics: A new paradigm for future logistics."
   Applied System Innovation 4.2 (2021): 29.
- Agalianos, K., et al. "Discrete event simulation and digital twins: review and challenges for logistics." Procedia Manufacturing 51 (2020): 1636-1641.
- Korth, Benjamin, Christian Schwede, and Markus Zajac. "Simulation-ready digital twin for realtime management of logistics systems." 2018 IEEE international conference on big data (big data). IEEE, 2018.

# 11. Cognitive Digital Twins

#### References:

• Al Faruque, Mohammad Abdullah, et al. "Cognitive digital twin for manufacturing systems." 2021 Design, Automation & Test in Europe Conference & Exhibition (DATE). IEEE, 2021.

- Zhang, Nan, Rami Bahsoon, and Georgios Theodoropoulos. "Towards engineering cognitive digital twins with selfawareness." 2020 IEEE International Conference on Systems. Man. and Cybernetics (SMC). IEEE, 2020.
- Zheng, Xiaochen, Jinzhi Lu, and Dimitris Kiritsis. "The emergence of cognitive digital twin: vision, challenges and opportunities." International Journal of Production Research 60.24 (2022): 7610-7632.

### 12. Fusing Data and Human Expert Knowledge in Digital Twins

#### References:

- Kulkarni, Vinay, Souvik Barat, and Tony Clark. "Towards adaptive enterprises using digital twins." 2019 winter simulation conference (WSC). IEEE, 2019.
- Vogel-Heuser, Birgit, et al. "Potential for combining semantics and data analysis in the context of digital twins."
   Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society A 379.2207 (2021): 20200368.
- Todorovski, Ljupčo, and Sašo Džeroski. "Integrating knowledge-driven and data-driven approaches to modeling." *ecological modelling* 194.1-3 (2006): 3-13.



# Seminar Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining (Master)

2513309, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

In this seminar different machine learning and data mining methods are implemented.

The seminar includes different methods of machine learning and data mining. Participants of the seminar should have basic knowledge of machine learning and programming skills.

Domains of interest include, but are not limited to:

- Medicine
- Social Media
- Finance Market
- Scientific Publications

Further Information: https://aifb.kit.edu/web/Lehre/Praktikum\_Knowledge\_Discovery\_and\_Data\_Science

The exact dates and information for registration will be announced at the event page.

### **Organizational issues**

Die Anmeldung erfolgt über das WiWi Portal https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/.

Für weitere Fragen bezüglich des Seminar und der behandelten Themen wenden Sie sich bitte an die entsprechenden Verantwortlichen.

#### Literature

Detaillierte Referenzen werden zusammen mit den jeweiligenThemen angegeben. Allgemeine Hintergrundinformationen ergeben sich z.B.aus den folgenden Lehrbüchern:

- Mitchell, T.; Machine Learning
- McGraw Hill, Cook, D.J. and Holder, L.B. (Editors) Mining Graph Data, ISBN:0-471-73190-0
- Wiley, Manning, C. and Schütze, H.; Foundations of Statistical NLP, MIT Press, 1999.



### Seminar Data Science & Real-time Big Data Analytics (Master)

2513311, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

In this seminar, students will design applications in teams that use meaningful and creative Event Processing methods. Thereby, students have access to an existing record.

Event processing and real-time data are everywhere: financial market data, sensors, business intelligence, social media analytics, logistics. Many applications collect large volumes of data in real time and are increasingly faced with the challenge of being able to process them quickly and react promptly. The challenges of this real-time processing are currently also receiving a great deal of attention under the term "Big Data". The complex processing of real-time data requires both knowledge of methods for data analysis (data science) and their processing (real-time analytics). Seminar papers are offered on both of these areas as well as on interface topics, the input of own ideas is explicitly desired.

Further information to the practical seminar is given under the following Link: http://seminar-cep.fzi.de

Questions are answered via the e-mail address sem-ep@fzi.de.

#### Organizational issues

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### **Cognitive Automobiles and Robots**

2513500, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

### Content

The seminar is intended as a theoretical supplement to lectures such as "Machine Learning". The theoretical basics will be deepened in the seminar. The aim of the seminar is that the participants work individually to analyze a subsystem from the field of robotics and cognitive systems using one or more procedures from the field of AI/ML.

The individual projects require the analysis of the task at hand, selection of suitable procedures, specification and theoretical evaluation of the approach taken. Finally, the chosen solution has to be documented and presented in a short presentation.

### Learning objectives:

- Students can apply knowledge from the Machine Learning lecture in a selected field of current research in robotics or cognitive automobiles for theoretical analysis.
- Students can evaluate, document and present their concepts and results.

#### **Recommendations:**

Attendance of the lecture machine learning

#### Workload:

The workload of 3 credit points consists of the time spent on literature research and planning/specifying the proposed solution. In addition, a short report and a presentation of the work carried out will be prepared.

### Organizational issues

Anmeldung und weitere Informationen sind im Wiwi-Portal zu finden.

Registration and further information can be found in the WiWi-portal.



### **Seminar E-Voting (Master)**

2513553, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

What should a voting procedure fulfill? When is a voting procedure secure? Which components need to be examined? Which methods can be used to investigate this?

Cryptographic voting procedures and algorithmic voting (counting) procedures are examined from different perspectives (cryptographic methods, formal correctness, human factors).

This course can also be credited for the KASTEL certificate. Further information about obtaining the certificate can be found on the SECUSO website (https://secuso.aifb.kit.edu/Studium\_und\_Lehre.php).

### **Organizational issues**

Die Anmeldung für das Seminar ist bis zum 17.04. über https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/ys/8037 möglich.



## **Security and Privacy Awareness**

2400125, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Within the framework of this interdisciplinary seminar, the topics security awareness and privacy awareness are to be considered from different perspectives. It deals with legal, information technology, psychological, social as well as philosophical aspects.

#### **Important notes:**

- Consider that legal-focused topics require you to speak and understand German legal texts
- The seminar is only for MASTER students (or Mastervorzug)
- The link to enrol is for every student, regardless of the study background

#### Dates (not final):

• Kick-Off: Tue, 22.10.2024, 11:30 Uhr, Raum 1C-03, Gebäude 5.20

First version: 05.01.2025Final version: 23.02.2025Presentation: CW 12

#### **Topics:**

The advertised topics can be found in the wiwi portal [https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/ys/8308]. They will be assigned after the kick-off.



# Seminar Advanced Analytics for Road Traffic Noise (Master)

2513105, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

Road traffic noise (RTN) stands as a significant environmental pollutant encountered in daily life, profoundly impacting human health. Extensive research has empirically validated its detrimental effects on well-being, encompassing cardiovascular and mental health implications (Stansfeld et al., 2021; Lan et al., 2020). Moreover, regulatory bodies have proposed guidelines and regulations (WHO, 2018; EU, 2019) to mitigate environmental noise exposure, prompting stakeholders like vehicle manufacturers to integrate measures addressing road traffic noise into their design frameworks.

In this seminar, we diverge from the regulatory perspective on RTN and instead delve into its comprehension through data analytics and other techniques. Specifically, we present a guideline for understanding this societal concern and discuss existing road traffic noise modeling (RTNM) approaches, in particular, their formulation and considerations.

#### **Topics:**

- 1. Introduction to RTN
- 2. Overview on RTNM
- 3. Time series analysis
- 4. Data exploration and visualization
- 5. Machine learning for RTNM
- 6. Sound feature extraction and analysis

#### Literature

- Stansfeld, S., Clark, C., Smuk, M., Gallacher, J., & Babisch, W. (2021). Road traffic noise, noise sensitivity, noise annoyance, psychological and physical health and mortality. Environmental Health, 20, 1-15.
- Lan, Y., Roberts, H., Kwan, M. P., & Helbich, M. (2020). Transportation noise exposure and anxiety: A systematic review and meta-analysis. Environmental research, 191, 110118.
- WHO. (2018) Environmental Noise Guidelines for the European Region.
- EU. (2019) Regulation (EU) No 540/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 April 2014 on the Sound Level of Motor Vehicles and of Replacement Silencing Systems, and Amending Directive 2007/46/EC and Repealing Directive 70/157/EEC.



### Seminar Linked Data and the Semantic Web (Master)

2513313, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

Linked Data is a way of publishing data on the web in a machine-understandable fashion. The aim of this practical seminar is to build applications and devise algorithms that consume, provide, or analyse Linked Data.

The Linked Data principles are a set of practices for data publishing on the web. Linked Data builds on the web architecture and uses HTTP for data access, and RDF for describing data, thus aiming towards web-scale data integration. There is a vast amount of data available published according to those principles: recently, 4.5 billion facts have been counted with information about various domains, including music, movies, geography, natural sciences. Linked Data is also used to make web-pages machine-understandable, corresponding annotations are considered by the big search engine providers. On a smaller scale, devices on the Internet of Things can also be accessed using Linked Data which makes the unified processing of device data and data from the web easy.

In this practical seminar, students will build prototypical applications and devise algorithms that consume, provide, or analyse Linked Data. Those applications and algorithms can also extend existing applications ranging from databases to mobile apps.

For the seminar, programming skills or knowledge about web development tools/technologies are highly recommended. Basic knowledge of RDF and SPARQL are also recommended, but may be acquired during the seminar. Students will work in groups. Seminar meetings will take place as 'Block-Seminar'.

Topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

- Travel Security
- Geo data
- Linked News
- Social Media

The exact dates and information for registration will be announced at the event page.



### Seminar Real-World Challenges in Data Science and Analytics (Bachelor)

2513314, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

On-Site

#### Content

In the seminar, various Real-World Challenges in Data Science and Analytics will be worked on.

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During the seminar, solution concepts are worked out, implemented as a software solution and presented in an intermediate and final presentation. The seminar "Real-World Challenges in Data Science and Analytics" is aimed at students in master's programs.

The exact dates and information for registration will be announced at the course page.



### Seminar Real-World Challenges in Data Science and Analytics (Master)

2513315, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

On-Site

#### Content

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The exact dates and information for registration will be announced at the course page.



### Seminar Cognitive Automobiles and Robots (Master)

2513500, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

The seminar is intended as a theoretical supplement to lectures such as "Machine Learning". The theoretical basics will be deepened in the seminar. The aim of the seminar is that the participants work individually to analyze a subsystem from the field of robotics and cognitive systems using one or more procedures from the field of Al/ML.

The individual projects require the analysis of the task at hand, selection of suitable procedures, specification and theoretical evaluation of the approach taken. Finally, the chosen solution has to be documented and presented in a short presentation.

### Learning objectives:

- Students can apply knowledge from the Machine Learning lecture in a selected field of current research in robotics or cognitive automobiles for theoretical analysis.
- Students can evaluate, document and present their concepts and results.

#### **Recommendations:**

Attendance of the lecture machine learning

#### Workload:

The workload of 3 credit points consists of the time spent on literature research and planning/specifying the proposed solution. In addition, a short report and a presentation of the work carried out will be prepared.

### Organizational issues

Anmeldung und weitere Informationen sind im Wiwi-Portal zu finden.

Registration and further information can be found in the WiWi-portal.



Seminar Knowledge Graphs and Large Language Models (Master)

2513607, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

Large language models (LLMs) such as GPT-3 have shown remarkable capabilities in transforming various natural language processing (NLP) tasks across different domains. However, LLMs often generate incorrect answers, known as hallucinations, posing significant challenges to their usability and reliability. Additionally, LLMs operate as black boxes, making it difficult to understand how they arrive at specific conclusions, leading to transparency and explainability issues. Combining LLMs with KGs creates a powerful synergy that significantly enhances the capabilities of artificial intelligence across various tasks. This integration leverages the strengths of both technologies, with LLMs excelling at understanding and generating human-like text, and KGs providing structured, reliable information about entities and their relationships. Together, they offer a robust approach to problem-solving across diverse domains.

This seminar will focus on the intersection of LLMs and KGs, covering areas of interest including, but not limited to:

- · KG completion using LLMs
- Question answering with KGs and LLMs
- Explainability of LLMs with KG integration
- · Reasoning with LLMs and KGs
- · Enhanced prompt engineering using KGs

# Contributions of the students:

Each student will be assigned one paper on the topic, which could be a research paper discussing a novel approach or a resource paper presenting datasets, tools, etc. The student will be responsible for the following tasks:

- 1. **Report Writing**: Read the assigned paper thoroughly and write a 15-page seminar report explaining the methods and findings in their own words.
- 2. **Presenting**: Prepare and deliver a seminar presentation to share insights from the paper with other seminar participants.
- 3. **Conducting Experiments**: If the authors provide code, re-implement it for small-scale experiments using Google Colab or make the implementation available via GitHub.



# 6.335 Course: Seminar in Information Systems (Master) [T-WIWI-109827]

Responsible: Studiendekan der KIT-Fakultät für Informatik

Studiendekan des KIT-Studienganges

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-104815 - Seminar Information Systems

**Type** Examination of another type

Credits 3

**Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Each term Version 1

Events						
ST 2024	2500020	Digital Democracy - Challenges and opportunities of the digital society	2 SWS	Seminar / 🕃	Fegert	
ST 2024	2500024	Biosignals in Information Systems & Marketing	2 SWS	Seminar / 🕃	Knierim, del Puppo	
ST 2024	2500027	Design Seminar: Digital Citizen Science	2 SWS	Seminar	Berens, Volkamer, Mädche	
ST 2024	2500036	Affective User Research for Human-Al Interaction	2 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Mädche	
ST 2024	2500056	ABBA Summer School Seminar: Biosignal-Adaptive GenAl Systems	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗯	Mädche	
ST 2024	2500125	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Engineering	3 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Mädche	
ST 2024	2540473	Business Data Analytics	2 SWS	Seminar	Hariharan	
ST 2024	2540475	Platforms & Digital Experiences	2 SWS	Seminar	Knierim	
ST 2024	2540478	Smart Grid Economics & Energy Markets	2 SWS	Seminar	Weinhardt	
ST 2024	2540510	Master Seminar in Data Science and Machine Learning	2 SWS	Seminar	Geyer-Schulz	
ST 2024	2540553	User-Adaptive Systems Seminar	2 SWS	Seminar / 🕃	Mädche, Beigl	
ST 2024	2540557	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Research	3 SWS	Seminar / 🗯	Mädche	
WT 24/25	00063	Seminar Social Sentiment in Times of Crises	2 SWS	Seminar	Fegert	
WT 24/25	2500006	Digital Citizen Science	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Greif-Winzrieth	
WT 24/25	2500045	Digital Democracy - Challenges and Opportunities of the Digital Society	2 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Fegert, Stein, Bezzaoui, Pekkip	
WT 24/25	2500125	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Engineering	2 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Mädche	
WT 24/25	2540473	Business Data Analytics	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Hariharan, Grote, Schulz, Motz	
WT 24/25	2540475	Positive Information Systems	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Knierim, del Puppo	
WT 24/25	2540478	Smart Grids and Energy Markets	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Weinhardt, Semmelmann, Miskiw	
WT 24/25	2540510	Master Seminar in Data Science and Machine Learning	2 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Geyer-Schulz, Nazemi	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900167	Design Seminar: Digital Citizen Scien	Design Seminar: Digital Citizen Science			
ST 2024	7900190	Human-Centered Systems Seminar:	Mädche			
ST 2024	7900214	Seminar Business Data Analytics	Weinhardt			
ST 2024	7900256	Seminar Positive Information System	Weinhardt			
ST 2024	7900261	Human-Centered Systems Seminar:	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Research			
ST 2024	7900265	User-Adaptive Systems Seminar		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Mädche	

ST 2024	7900281	Affective User Research for Human-Al Interaction	Mädche
ST 2024	7900322	Practical Seminar: Data Science for Industrial Applications	Satzger
ST 2024	7900370	ABBA Summer School Seminar: Biosignal-Adaptive GenAl Systems	Mädche
WT 24/25	7900069	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Engineering	Mädche
WT 24/25	7900233	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Research	Mädche

Legend: 
☐ Online, 
☐ Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, 
X Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment (§ 4(2), 3 SPO 2015). The following aspects are included:

- Regular participation in the seminar dates
- Preparation of a seminar paper on a partial aspect of the seminar topic according to scientific methods
- Lecture on the topic of the seminar paper.

The point scheme for the assessment is determined by the lecturer of the respective course. It will be announced at the beginning of the course.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Recommendation

See seminar description in the course catalogue of the KIT (https://campus.kit.edu/)

#### Annotation

The listed seminar titles are placeholders. Currently offered seminars of each semester will be published on the websites of the institutes and in the course catalogue of the KIT. In general, the current seminar topics of each semester are already announced at the end of the previous semester. Furthermore for some seminars there is an application required.

The available places for WIWI-seminars are listed on the internet: https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Design Seminar: Digital Citizen Science

Seminar (S)

 $2500027, SS\ 2024, 2\ SWS, Open\ in\ study\ portal$ 

### Content TBA



# Affective User Research for Human-Al Interaction

2500036, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

User research aims to understand users' needs, behaviors, and attitudes to effectively inform the design and development of products or services. It is a key endeavor to learn how users experience digital technologies, what is working well and what is not, and identify gaps and future needs in order to personalize and improve the user experience. To design for positive user experiences, investigating affective user reactions (e.g., emotions, stress, flow) is of particular interest. Therefore, affective user research collects and analyzes behavioral data and affective reactions of users when engaging with products or services. With the growing amount of data and computing capabilities, artificial intelligence (AI) technologies are increasingly used in user research for the prediction of affective user states when interacting with digital technology.

The recent advances in artificial intelligence (AI), however, may not only support affective user research as a method of inquire, but it also has found its way into our daily lives as humans interact with it every day, for example, in form of recommendation engines on social media, in health applications, or as personal assistants based on large language models (LLMs) to receive text output for code completion, ideation, or writing. Interacting with AI-based digital technologies also triggers affective user reactions. However, these affective user reactions in Human-AI Interactions are yet to be understood.

In this seminar, participants will apply methods for affective user research on a particular type of Human-Al Interaction, the prompting of LLMs. LLM prompting is expected to become the up-and-coming form of interacting with Al in the future. To receive output from an LLM, users must send a prompt to the LLM. Given a prompt, an LLM responds incrementally with "tokens" (e.g., groups of letters, numbers, punctuation) which build the output. Structuring the prompt and receiving output influences the affective reactions of the user. Precisely, these user reactions should be investigated by the students participating in this seminar.

In the "Affective User Research for Human-AI Interaction" seminar, participating students will learn how to apply AI-based user research methods with a specific emphasis on the affective dimension when interacting with AI-based digital technologies. The goal of this seminar is to provide students with a unique set of skills in (1) quantitative data analysis, (2) knowledge about Human-AI Interaction and, in particular, LLM prompting, and (3) prediction of affective user states (e.g., emotions, stress) using state-of-the-art machine learning (ML) techniques. Students will leverage a dataset on Human-AI Interaction and gain in-depth knowledge from it as part of the seminar. The seminar emphasizes the importance of applying the aforementioned affective user research methods in an ethically compliant form. The core activities include:

- Learn the fundamentals of Al-based affective user research methods.
- Explore a dataset on Human-Al Interaction with the specific focus on the interplay of user behavior and affective user reactions.
- Developing AI-based supervised machine learning techniques for predicting user activities and affective user states.
- Present findings and insights to the seminar audience and discuss the results.

The seminar is held by Dr. Ivo Benke in cooperation with Dr. Lennard Schmidt. Both are experts from industry in the fields of affective user research, quantitative data analysis, and Human-Al Interaction.

#### **Learning Objectives**

- Understand the potential of combining user behavior and affective user reaction data for affective user research.
- Develop hands-on knowledge by applying Al-based affective user research methods on a real-world dataset.
- Develop a deeper understanding of a prominent form of Human-Al Interaction (e.g., LLM prompting).
- Deliver a presentation in a scientific context in front of an auditorium.



ABBA Summer School Seminar: Biosignal-Adaptive GenAl Systems

2500056, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

### Content

**Background:** In the ABBA Summer School Seminar hosted at the Karlsruhe Decision & Design Lab (KD²Lab) at KIT, we aim to enable students to explore biosignal sensors for designing user-adaptive systems. This comprehensive three-day program is designed for both bachelor's and master's students who want to gain an understanding of biosignal and the development of user-adaptive systems. The learning objective is to design human-centered biosignal-adaptive systems to address user needs in learning scenarios

**Course Content:** Throughout the summer school, students will learn the foundations of biosignal-adaptive systems through a series of lectures and apply the knowledge in practical group work. For the group work, we offer students two contexts for their research topics: literature research during thesis writing and programming with LLM. Aiming to address user challenges in these two contexts, we provide two biosignal sensors: EEG or eye-tracking sensors. By collecting biosignal data with the sensors, we encourage students to integrate cutting-edge AI algorithms for their design and implementation. In the end, students should present their results to showcase the functionality, innovation, and a prototype of their biosignal-adaptive systems.

**Learning Outcome:** By successfully achieving the learning objective, students will receive a certificate from KIT and will have the opportunity to apply their acquired skills and knowledge for further research.

The seminar will be held in a three-day format from 23th to 25th September with 3 ECTS. For any questions, please ask Luke (shi.liu@kit.edu) for more information!



Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Engineering 2500125, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Formerly known as "Current Topics in Digital Transformation"

With this seminar, we aim to provide students with the possibility to independently work on state-of-the-art research topics in addition to the knowledge gained in the lectures of the human-centered systems lab (Prof. Mädche). Students will work on a dedicated topic in the context of human-centered systems and apply a pre-defined research method. A broad spectrum of topics is offered every semester, topics may range from creating an experimental design, analyzing collected data, or systematically comparing existing software prototypes in a specific field of interest.



# Master Seminar in Data Science and Machine Learning

2540510, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)



## **User-Adaptive Systems Seminar**

2540553, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

User-adaptive systems collect and analyze biosignals from users to recognize user states as a basis for adaptation. Thermic, mechanical, electric, acoustic, and optical signals are collected using sensors which are integrated in wearables, e.g. glasses, earphones, belts, or bracelets. The collected data is processed with analytics and machine learning techniques in order to determine short-term, evolving over time, and long-term user states in the form of user characteristics, affective-cognitive states, or behavior. Finally, the recognized user states are leveraged for realizing user-centric adaptations.

In this seminar, interdisciplinary teams of students design, develop, and evaluate a user-adaptive system prototype leveraging state-of-the-art hard- and software. This seminar follows an interdisciplinary approach. Students from the fields of computer science, information systems and industrial engineering & management collaborate in the prototype design, development, and evaluation.

The seminar is carried out in cooperation between Teco/Chair of Pervasive Computing Systems (Prof. Beigl) and the Institute of Information Systems and Marketing (h-lab, Prof. Mädche). It is offered as part of the DFG-funded graduate school "KD2School: Designing Adaptive Systems for Economic Decisions" (https://kd2school.info/)

Learning objectives of the seminar

- Explain what a user-adaptive system is and how it can be conceptualized
- Suggest and evaluate different design solutions for addressing the identified problem
- Build a user-adaptive system prototype using state-of-the-art hard- and software
- Perform a user-centric evaluation of the user-adaptive system prototype

#### Prerequisites

Strong analytical abilities and profound software development skills are required.

### Organizational issues

Termine werden bekannt gegeben

#### Literature

Required literature will be made available in the seminar.



# Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Research

2540557, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Formerly known as "Information Systems and Service Design Seminar"

With this seminar, we aim to provide students with the possibility to independently work on state-of-the-art research topics in addition to the knowledge gained in the lectures of the research group IS I (Prof. Mädche). The research group "Information Systems I" (IS I) headed by Prof. Mädche focuses in research, education, and innovation on designing interactive intelligent systems. It is positioned at the intersection of Information Systems and Human-Computer Interaction (HCI).

In the seminar, participants will get deeper insights in a contemporary research topic in the field of information systems, specifically interactive intelligent systems.

The actual seminar topics will be derived from current research activities of the research group. Our research assistants offer a rich set of topics from our research clusters (digital experience and participation, intelligent enterprise systems, or digital services design & innovation). Students can select among these topics individually depending on their personal interests. The seminar is carried out in the form of a literature-based thesis project. In the seminar, students will acquire the important methodological skills of running a systematic literature review.

### **Learning Objectives**

- focus on a contemporary topic at the intersection of Information Systems and Human-Computer Interaction (HCI),
   specifically interactive intelligent systems
- carry out a structured literature search for a given topic
- · aggregate the collected information in a suitable way to present and extract knowledge
- write a seminar thesis following academic writing standards
- deliver a presentation in a scientific context in front of an auditorium

#### **Prerequisites**

No specific prerequisites are required for the seminar.

#### Literature

Further literature will be made available in the seminar.

#### Organizational issues

Termine werden bekannt gegeben



### **Business Data Analytics**

2540473, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

wird auf deutsch und englisch gehalten

#### **Organizational issues**

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### Master Seminar in Data Science and Machine Learning

2540510, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal



# 6.336 Course: Seminar in Operations Research A (Master) [T-WIWI-103481]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Stefan Nickel

Prof. Dr. Steffen Rebennack Prof. Dr. Oliver Stein

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-102736 - Seminar Module Economic Sciences

**Type** Examination of another type

Credits 3

**Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Each term Version 1

Events					
ST 2024	2500028	Seminar: Modern OR and Innovative Logistics	2 SWS	Seminar / 💢	Nickel, Mitarbeiter, Pomes
ST 2024	2550131	Seminar on Methodical Foundations of Operations Research (B)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Stein, Beck, Schwarze
ST 2024	2550132	Seminar on Mathematical Optimization (MA)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Stein, Beck, Schwarze
ST 2024	2550462	Seminar: Trending Topics in Machine Learning and Optimization (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Rebennack, Warwicker
ST 2024	2550473	Seminar: Energy and Power Systems Optimization (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗯	Rebennack, Warwicker
WT 24/25	2550131	Seminar on Methodical Foundations of Operations Research (B)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Stein, Beck, Schwarze
WT 24/25	2550132	Seminar zur Mathematischen Optimierung (MA)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Stein, Beck, Schwarze
WT 24/25	2550462	Seminar on Trending Topics in Optimization and Machine Learning (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🕄	Rebennack, Warwicker
WT 24/25	2550473	Seminar on Energy and Power Systems Optimization (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 💢	Rebennack, Warwicker
WT 24/25	2550491	Seminar: Modern OR and Innovative Logistics	2 SWS	Seminar / 💢	Nickel, Mitarbeiter
Exams				•	_
ST 2024	7900026	Seminar Modern OR and Innovative I	Logistics		Nickel
ST 2024	7900200_SS2024	Seminar in Operations Research A (M	Stein		
ST 2024	7900201_SS2024	Seminar in Operations Research (Bac	Stein		
ST 2024	7900295	Seminar Trending Topics in Machine Learning and Opt Operations Research A (Master)			Rebennack
ST 2024	7900317	Digitalization in the Steel Industry	Nickel		
ST 2024	7900349	Seminar on Power Systems Optimiza	Rebennack		
WT 24/25	7900342	Seminar Modern OR and Innovative I	Nickel		

 $\textbf{Legend:} \ \overline{\blacksquare} \ \textbf{Online}, \ \mathbf{\textcircled{3}} \ \textbf{Blended} \ (\textbf{On-Site/Online}), \ \mathbf{\P} \cdot \textbf{On-Site}, \ \textbf{\textbf{x}} \ \textbf{Cancelled}$ 

### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment (§ 4(2), 3 SPO 2015). The following aspects are included:

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### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Recommendation

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Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Seminar: Modern OR and Innovative Logistics**

2500028, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

The seminar aims at the presentation, critical evaluation and exemplary discussion of recent questions in discrete optimization. The focus lies on optimization models and algorithms, also with regard to their applicability in practical cases (especially in Supply Chain and Health Care Management). The students get in touch with scientific working: The in-depth work with a special scientific topic makes the students familiar with scientific literature research and argumentation methods. As a further aspect of scientific work, especially for Master students the emphasis is put on a critical discussion of the seminar topic. Regarding the seminar presentations, the students will be familiarized with basic presentational and rhetoric skills.

#### **Organizational issues**

Anmeldung erfolgt über das Wiwi-Portal. Nähere Informationen hierzu finden Sie hier zu einem späteren Zeitpunkt.

#### Literature

Die Literatur und die relevanten Quellen werden zu Beginn des Seminars bekannt gegeben.



### Seminar on Methodical Foundations of Operations Research (B)

2550131, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

The seminar aims at describing, evaluating, and discussing recent as well as classical topics in continuous optimization. The focus is on the treatment of optimization models and algorithms, also with respect to their practical application.

Bachelor studenst are introduced to the style of scientific work. By focussed treatment of a scientific topic they deal with the basics of scientific investigation and reasoning.

For further development of a scientific work style, master students are particularly expected to critically question the seminar topics.

With regard to the oral presentations the students become acquainted with presentation techniques and basics of scientific reasoning. Also rethoric abilities may be improved.

#### Remarks:

Attendance at all oral presentations is compulsory.

Preferably at least one module offered by the Institute of Operations Research should have been chosen before attending this seminar.

#### Assessment:

The assessment is composed of a 15-20 page paper as well as a 40-60 minute oral presentation according to §4(2), 3 of the examination regulation. The grade is composed of the equally weighted assessments of the paper and the oral presentation.

The seminar is appropriate for bachelor as well as for master students. Their differentiation results from different assessment criteria for the seminar paper and the oral presentation.

#### Workload:

The total workload for this course is approximately 90 hours. For further information see German version.

#### Literature

Die Literaur und die relevanten Quellen werden gegen Ende des vorausgehenden Semesters im Wiwi-Portal und in einer Seminarvorbesprechung bekannt gegeben.

References and relevant sources are announced at the end of the preceding semester in the Wiwi-Portal and in a prepatory meeting.



# Seminar on Methodical Foundations of Operations Research (B)

2550131, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

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### **Seminar: Modern OR and Innovative Logistics**

2550491, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

The seminar aims at the presentation, critical evaluation and exemplary discussion of recent questions in discrete optimization. The focus lies on optimization models and algorithms, also with regard to their applicability in practical cases (especially in Supply Chain and Health Care Management). The students get in touch with scientific working: The in-depth work with a special scientific topic makes the students familiar with scientific literature research and argumentation methods. As a further aspect of scientific work, especially for Master students the emphasis is put on a critical discussion of the seminar topic. Regarding the seminar presentations, the students will be familiarized with basic presentational and rhetoric skills.

### Organizational issues

Anmeldezeitraum: 11.09.24 bis 30.09.24 im Wiwi Portal

### Literature

Die Literatur und die relevanten Quellen werden zu Beginn des Seminars bekannt gegeben.



# 6.337 Course: Seminar in Statistics A (Master) [T-WIWI-103483]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Oliver Grothe

Prof. Dr. Melanie Schienle

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-102736 - Seminar Module Economic Sciences

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 3 Grade to a third Recurrence Each term 1

Events						
ST 2024	2500004	Predictive Data Analytics - An Introduction to Statistical Machine Learning	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Schienle, Lerch	
ST 2024	2521310	Advanced Topics in Econometrics	2 SWS	Seminar	Schienle, Krüger, Buse, Rüter, Bracher	
ST 2024	2550561	Fortgeschrittene Themen zu Statistik, Datenanalyse und maschinellem Lernen (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Grothe, Kaplan, Liu	
WT 24/25	25000111	Statistics and Epidemics		Seminar / 🗣	Bracher	
WT 24/25	2500012		2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Grothe, Kaplan, Liu	
WT 24/25	2500047	Advanced Topics in Econometrics, Statistics and Data Science	2 SWS	Seminar	Schienle, Krüger, Buse, Rüter, Bracher	
WT 24/25	2521310	Topics in Econometrics	2 SWS	Seminar	Schienle, Krüger, Rüter	
Exams		·		•	·	
ST 2024	7900004	Predictive Data Analytics - An Introd Learning	Predictive Data Analytics - An Introduction to Statistical Machine Learning			
ST 2024	7900150	Advanced Topics in Econometrics, S	Schienle, Krüger			
ST 2024	7900343	Seminar in Statistics A (Master)			Grothe	
WT 24/25	7900090	Advanced Topics in Econometrics, S	Advanced Topics in Econometrics, Statistics and Data Science			
WT 24/25	7900144	Topics in Econometrics	-			

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled

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- Lecture on the topic of the seminar paper.

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### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Recommendation

See seminar description in the course catalogue of the KIT (https://campus.kit.edu/)

#### **Annotation**

The listed seminar titles are placeholders. Currently offered seminars of each semester will be published on the websites of the institutes and in the course catalogue of the KIT. In general, the current seminar topics of each semester are already announced at the end of the previous semester. Furthermore for some seminars there is an application required.

The available places are listed on the internet: https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Predictive Data Analytics - An Introduction to Statistical Machine Learning

2500004, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Organizational issues

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# **Advanced Topics in Econometrics**

2521310, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)

### **Organizational issues**

Blockveranstaltung, Termine werden bekannt gegeben



### **Statistics and Epidemics**

25000111, WS 24/25, SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

### **Motivation**

Infectious disease epidemiology gives rise to a large variety of real-time data streams. During the COVID-19 pandemic, the interpretation and statistical analysis of these data has proven crucial, but also highly challenging. In this seminar, students will get to know central concepts of infectious disease surveillance and modelling from a statistical perspective. Following an overview of various aspects in the form of blocked lectures, students will choose a more specific topic for their seminar thesis.

# **Learning Goals**

Students develop an understanding of central modeling tasks and methods, including

- estimation of reproductive numbers
- compartment models of disease spread
- nowcasting and short-term forecasting of disease spread
- detection of outbreaks
- diagnostic testing

Moreover, they get to know various data types commonly used in the analysis of disease spread.

# Logistics

The project seminar is worth 4.5 credit points (Leistungspunkte). There will be three blocked lectures (approx. 135 minutes each) in the beginning of the lecture period. For the various topics covered, subjects for seminar theses will be proposed (and students are allowed to propose their own topics). Towards the end of the semester, students present their progress on the chosen topics to the group. Grades will be based on this presentation (25%) and the final report (75%).

# Organizational issues

# **Prerequisites**

Students should have a very good working knowledge of statistics, including proficiency in a programming language for applied data analysis. The lecture VWL3 Introduction to Econometrics is a prerequisite for the project seminar. Most available software in the field is in R, but in principle Python can be used as well. Advanced knowledge of biology, medicine or epidemiology is not required.

### **Application Procedure**

Please submit a transcript of records as well as a short letter of motivation (roughly 200 words) via WIWI-Portal: https://portal.wiwi.kit.edu/ys/8223

Application time frame: July 20th, 2024 to September, 30th, 2024.



# Advanced Topics in Econometrics, Statistics and Data Science

Seminar (S)

2500047, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

### Organizational issues

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# **Topics in Econometrics**

2521310, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)

# Organizational issues

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# 6.338 Course: Seminar Informatics A [T-INFO-104336]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Sebastian Abeck
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102822 - Seminar Module Informatics

**Type** Examination of another type

Credits 3

**Grading scale**Grade to a third

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Events							
ST 2024	2400011	Hot Topics in Bioinformatics	2 SWS	Seminar / <b>♀</b>	Stamatakis		
ST 2024	2400072	Seminar: Service-oriented Architectures		Seminar / 🗣	Abeck, Schneider, Sänger		
ST 2024	2400084	Seminar: Robot Reinforcement Learning	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Neumann		
ST 2024	2400137	Embedded Machine Learning		Seminar / 😘	Henkel, Sikal, Khdr, Ahmed		
ST 2024	2400148	Embedded Security and Architectures		Seminar / 🕄	Henkel, Hussain, Nassar, Khdr, Gonzalez, Sikal		
ST 2024	2400161	Exploring Robotics: Insights from Science Fiction, Research and Society	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Bruno, Maure		
ST 2024	2400210	Seminar: Critical topics in Al		Seminar / 🕄	Friederich, Zhou, Reiser, Torresi, Neubert, Eberhard, Schlöder		
ST 2024	24344	Advanced Methods of Information Fusion	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Hanebeck, Walker		
ST 2024	2500056	ABBA Summer School Seminar: Biosignal-Adaptive GenAl Systems	2 SWS	Seminar / 🕄	Mädche		
ST 2024	2500125	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Engineering	3 SWS	Seminar / 🕄	Mädche		
ST 2024	2540553	User-Adaptive Systems Seminar	2 SWS	Seminar / 🕄	Mädche, Beigl		
ST 2024	2540557	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Research	3 SWS	Seminar / 🛱	Mädche		
WT 24/25	2400148	Embedded Security and Architectures		Seminar / 🛱	Hussain, Nassar, Khdr, Gonzalez, Sikal, Henkel		
WT 24/25	24344	Advanced Methods of Information Fusion	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Hanebeck, Walker		
WT 24/25	24844	Seminar: Ubiquitous Systems	2 SWS	Seminar	Beigl, Zhou, Röddiger		
WT 24/25	2500125	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Engineering	2 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Mädche		
Exams							
ST 2024	7500013	Advanced Methods of Information Fo	usion		Hanebeck		
ST 2024	7500014	Seminar: Hot Topics in Bioinformatic	Stamatakis				
ST 2024	7500097	Seminar: Critical topics in Al	Friederich				
ST 2024	7500110	Seminar: Exploring Robotics - Insight and Society	Bruno				
ST 2024	7500177	Seminar Hot Topics in Networking	Seminar Hot Topics in Networking				
ST 2024	7500270	Seminar: Interactive Learning					
ST 2024	7500277	Seminar: Robot Reinforcement Learn	Neumann				
ST 2024	7500301	Seminar: Proofs from THE BOOK					
ST 2024	7500335	CES - Seminar: Machine Learning			Henkel		

ST 2024	75104740	Seminar: Service-Oriented Architectures	Abeck
ST 2024	7900190	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Engineering	Mädche
ST 2024	7900261	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Research	Mädche
ST 2024	7900265	User-Adaptive Systems Seminar	Mädche
ST 2024	7900370	ABBA Summer School Seminar: Biosignal-Adaptive GenAl Systems	Mädche
WT 24/25	7500021	Advanced Methods of Information Fusion	Hanebeck
WT 24/25	7500220	Seminar Ubiquitous Computing	Beigl
WT 24/25	7500287	Seminar Information Systems	Böhm
WT 24/25	7900069	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Engineering	Mädche
WT 24/25	7900233	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Research	Mädche

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The examination is carried out in accordance with Section 4 (2) No. 3 SPO. The examination is carried out by preparing a written seminar paper and presenting it. An overall grade is awarded.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Hot Topics in Bioinformatics**

2400011, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

**Prerequisites:** CS Master's level seminar. Participants must have attended and passed the course on "Introduction to Bioinformatics for Computer Scientists" in one of the preceding winter terms.

**Task:** You will need to select papers to present, give a presentation and write a report.

This main seminar allows students to understand and present the contents of current papers in Bioinformatics such as published for instance in the journals *Bioinformatics*, *BMC Bioinformatics*, *Journal of Computational Biology*etc. or at conferences such as *ISMB* or *RECOMB*.

We will provide a list of interesting papers, but students can also propose papers they are interested in. Students may also chose to cover broader topics of more general interest such as multiple sequence alignment, Bayesian phylogenetic inference, read assembly etc.

Each student will be assigned a lab member for help with understanding the article and preparing the slides as well as the report.

Students should give a 35 minute presentation on their topic of choice and write a report (Seminararbeit) comprising 8 pages.

**Goals:** Participants are able to understand, critically assess, and compare current research papers in Bioinformatics. They are able to present algorithms and models from current research papers in oral and written form at a level that corresponds to that of scientific publications and conference presentations. Participants are able to suggest extension to current methods.

Credits: 3 ECTS

#### Organizational issues

IMPORTANT: Register for the seminar mailing list by sending an email to Alexandros. Stamatakis@h-its.org

Please also register for the seminar via the campus system.

Up to date information on the seminar is provided at: Seminar page.

We will start with a kick-off meeting in the second week of the summer term on Thursday April 25 from 09:45 - 11:15 in SR236.

Seminar presentations will be conducted in a single block toward the end of the semester: July 23 in room SR 010 - exact time to be determined



# **Embedded Machine Learning**

2400137, SS 2024, SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

In our seminars, students learn about cutting-edge research in the research fields presented below. Students are offered topics by the supervisors, but also can suggest their own topics in these fields. The seminar is offered in both English and German.

#### Machine learning on on-chip systems

Machine learning and on-chip systems form a symbiosis where each research area benefits from advances in the other. In this seminar, students review cutting-edge research on both areas.

Machine learning (ML) gains importance in all aspects of information systems. From high-level algorithms like image recognition to lower-level intelligent CPU management - ML is ubiquitous. On-chip systems also benefit from advances in ML techniques. Examples include adaptive resource management or workload prediction. However, ML techniques also benefit from advances in on-chip systems. A prominent example is acceleration of neural networks in recent desktop GPUs and even smartphone chips.

In this seminar, students will review cutting-edge state-of-the-art research (publications) on a specific topic related to ML on onchip systems. The findings will be summarized in a seminar report and presented to the other members of the course. Students are welcome to suggest their own topics, but this is not required. The seminar can be held in English or German.

### Approximate Computing for Efficient Machine Learning

Nowadays, energy efficiency is a first-class design constraint in the ICT sector. Approximate computing emerges as a new design paradigm for generating energy efficient computing systems. There is a large body of resource-hungry applications (eg, image processing and machine learning) that exhibit an intrinsic resilience to errors and produce outputs that are useful and of acceptable quality for the users despite their underlying computations being performed in an approximate manner. By exploiting this inherent error tolerance of such applications, approximate computing trades computational accuracy for savings in other metrics, eg, energy consumption and performance. Machine learning, a very common and top trending workload of both data centers and embedded systems, is a perfect candidate for approximate computing application since, by definition, it delivers approximate results. Performance as well as energy efficiency (especially in the case of embedded systems) are crucial for machine learning applications and thus, approximate computing techniques are widely adopted in machine learning (eg, TPU) to improve its energy profile as well as performance.

#### Machine Learning methods for DNN compilation and mapping

Deep neural networks have achieved great success in challenging tasks such as image classification and object detection. There is a great demand for deploying these networks in different devices, ranging from cloud servers to embedded devices.

Mapping DNNs to these devices is a challenging task since each of these devices has different characteristics in terms of memory organization, compute units, etc. . There have been efforts to automate the process of mapping/compiling DNNs to hardware with different characteristics.

In this seminar, we will discuss the efforts that have been done in mapping/compiling DNNs over hardware using machine learning methods.

#### **Organizational** issues

Please register in ILIAS to participate.



# **Embedded Security and Architectures**

2400148, SS 2024, SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

In our seminars, students learn about cutting-edge research in the research fields presented below. Students are offered topics by the supervisors, but also can suggest their own topics in these fields. The seminar is offered in both English and German.

#### **Dependability for Reconfigurable Architectures**

Dependability has become one of the prime concerns in recent nano-era. Reliability (the ability of the system to deliver services as specified) and Security (the ability of the system to protect itself against deliberate or accidental intrusion) are the two crucial attributes of dependable systems. Among the other reliability threats due to physical limits of CMOS technology, radiation induced soft errors or transient faults are also the most challenging threat to be handled. During this seminar, we will explore state-of-theart for the power-efficient soft-error reliability and study different research solutions to improve soft-error resiliency in power efficient manner leveraging power-performance-reliability trade-offs. During this seminar, the students will also be able to understand hardware security in reconfigurable architectures,

### Thermal and Power Aware Embedded Systems

Power densities are continuously increasing along with technology scaling and the integration of more transistors into smaller areas, potentially resulting in thermal emergencies on the chip. To mitigate such emergencies, power and thermal management techniques are employed. The state-of-the-art power and thermal management techniques can be classified into several categories, such as reactive and proactive techniques, centralized and distributed ones. Recently, machine learning algorithms are employed in power and thermal management techniques to make them more proactive and adaptive. Those various categories of the state-of-the-art techniques need to be reviewed in this seminar to demonstrate the advantage and disadvantage of each of them.

#### **Security of Reconfigurable Embedded Systems**

Various types of (re)configurable systems have emerged in recent years. The spectrum ranges from one-time configurable systems that are programmed at the design time for product-specific requirements, to reconfigurable systems that can also be adapted after commissioning, to dynamically reconfigurable systems whose configuration can be changed at runtime and their ability to dynamic reconfiguration is an important part of their system functionality.

This seminar focuses on the runtime reconfigurable systems, their security aspects and methods. It investigates the current state of research for securing the runtime reconfigurable systems, as well as the feasibility of using the security measures from general processing architectures to runtime reconfigurable systems.

### Security in Resource Management

Efficient resource management in many-core systems (ie, systems with more than 100 cores, not only a dozen) has become a research challenge in the last years. As complexity and the demand for scalability increase, this new paradigm should also consider new security features to avoid or mitigate the effects of malicious applications both on critical information and the system as a whole.

In this seminar, we will focus on the state-of-the-art of security attacks such as Side Channel Attacks (SCA), Covert channel attacks, as well as other similar resource-based attacks and their effects on other critical applications running on many-core systems. During this seminar, student will dive into the security aspects of resource management, while investigating answers to the following research questions:

- How do these attacks work?
- Which are the associated vulnerabilities? What resources are vulnerable?
- What's their impact on critical information or other resources?
- What are the current countermeasures for the attacks?

### **Organizational issues**

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Exploring Robotics: Insights from Science Fiction, Research and Society 2400161, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

### **Competency Goals**

The students gain experience with literature research on a current research topic. They explore, understand and compare different approaches to a selected scientific problem. The students are able to write a summary of their literature research in the form of a scientific publication in English and give a scientific talk on it.

#### Content

The students choose a topic from the field of robotics (e.g. remote control, behavior-based robotics, human-robot interaction, the "uncanny valley," natural language understanding, machine learning) and conduct a research on it that, building on literature findings, also includes and addresses the perspectives of society and the general media (as given by science fiction books, movies and games, as well as media and news outlets) and technology assessment (including social/societal expectations and needs, ethical implications, and risks/benefits analyses).

Students work under the guidance of a scientific supervisor. At the end of the semester, they present the results and write an elaboration in English in the form of a scientific publication.

#### Workload

Seminar with 2 SWS, 3 LP.

3 LP corresponds to approx. 90 hours, of which

approx. 45 hours of literature research

approx. 25 hrs. elaboration

approx. 10 hrs. preparation of presentation approx. 10 hrs. compulsory attendance

### **Competency certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an examination of another type (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 3 SPO). The overall impression is evaluated. The following partial aspects are included in the grading: Term paper (approx. 6 pages in double-column format), Presentation (duration approx. 10+10 min.).



### Advanced Methods of Information Fusion

24344, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

The growing spread and performance of modern information and communication technologies produces an ever-increasing amount data. It is one of the central challenges of our time to extract meaningful information from these data sets. The approach to address these issues, often called data science, combines strategies and methods from the fields of machine learning, mathematics, state estimation, visualization and pattern recognition. During this seminar, the students will familiarize themselves with concepts and methods particularly focusing on estimation theory and its application

The seminar targets master students in computer science and bachelor students in Information engineering and management.



# ABBA Summer School Seminar: Biosignal-Adaptive GenAl Systems

2500056, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

**Background:** In the ABBA Summer School Seminar hosted at the Karlsruhe Decision & Design Lab (KD²Lab) at KIT, we aim to enable students to explore biosignal sensors for designing user-adaptive systems. This comprehensive three-day program is designed for both bachelor's and master's students who want to gain an understanding of biosignal and the development of user-adaptive systems. The learning objective is to design human-centered biosignal-adaptive systems to address user needs in learning scenarios.

Course Content: Throughout the summer school, students will learn the foundations of biosignal-adaptive systems through a series of lectures and apply the knowledge in practical group work. For the group work, we offer students two contexts for their research topics: literature research during thesis writing and programming with LLM. Aiming to address user challenges in these two contexts, we provide two biosignal sensors: EEG or eye-tracking sensors. By collecting biosignal data with the sensors, we encourage students to integrate cutting-edge AI algorithms for their design and implementation. In the end, students should present their results to showcase the functionality, innovation, and a prototype of their biosignal-adaptive systems.

**Learning Outcome:** By successfully achieving the learning objective, students will receive a certificate from KIT and will have the opportunity to apply their acquired skills and knowledge for further research.

The seminar will be held in a three-day format from 23th to 25th September with 3 ECTS. For any questions, please ask Luke (shi.liu@kit.edu) for more information!



### **Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Engineering**

2500125, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

Formerly known as "Current Topics in Digital Transformation"

With this seminar, we aim to provide students with the possibility to independently work on state-of-the-art research topics in addition to the knowledge gained in the lectures of the human-centered systems lab (Prof. Mädche). Students will work on a dedicated topic in the context of human-centered systems and apply a pre-defined research method. A broad spectrum of topics is offered every semester, topics may range from creating an experimental design, analyzing collected data, or systematically comparing existing software prototypes in a specific field of interest.



### **User-Adaptive Systems Seminar**

2540553, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

### Content

User-adaptive systems collect and analyze biosignals from users to recognize user states as a basis for adaptation. Thermic, mechanical, electric, acoustic, and optical signals are collected using sensors which are integrated in wearables, e.g. glasses, earphones, belts, or bracelets. The collected data is processed with analytics and machine learning techniques in order to determine short-term, evolving over time, and long-term user states in the form of user characteristics, affective-cognitive states, or behavior. Finally, the recognized user states are leveraged for realizing user-centric adaptations.

In this seminar, interdisciplinary teams of students design, develop, and evaluate a user-adaptive system prototype leveraging state-of-the-art hard- and software. This seminar follows an interdisciplinary approach. Students from the fields of computer science, information systems and industrial engineering & management collaborate in the prototype design, development, and evaluation.

The seminar is carried out in cooperation between Teco/Chair of Pervasive Computing Systems (Prof. Beigl) and the Institute of Information Systems and Marketing (h-lab, Prof. Mädche). It is offered as part of the DFG-funded graduate school "KD2School: Designing Adaptive Systems for Economic Decisions" (https://kd2school.info/)

Learning objectives of the seminar

- Explain what a user-adaptive system is and how it can be conceptualized
- Suggest and evaluate different design solutions for addressing the identified problem
- Build a user-adaptive system prototype using state-of-the-art hard- and software
- Perform a user-centric evaluation of the user-adaptive system prototype

#### **Prerequisites**

Strong analytical abilities and profound software development skills are required.

### **Organizational issues**

Termine werden bekannt gegeben

#### Literature

Required literature will be made available in the seminar.



### **Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Research**

2540557, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Formerly known as "Information Systems and Service Design Seminar"

With this seminar, we aim to provide students with the possibility to independently work on state-of-the-art research topics in addition to the knowledge gained in the lectures of the research group IS I (Prof. Mädche). The research group "Information Systems I" (IS I) headed by Prof. Mädche focuses in research, education, and innovation on designing interactive intelligent systems. It is positioned at the intersection of Information Systems and Human-Computer Interaction (HCI).

In the seminar, participants will get deeper insights in a contemporary research topic in the field of information systems, specifically interactive intelligent systems.

The actual seminar topics will be derived from current research activities of the research group. Our research assistants offer a rich set of topics from our research clusters (digital experience and participation, intelligent enterprise systems, or digital services design & innovation). Students can select among these topics individually depending on their personal interests. The seminar is carried out in the form of a literature-based thesis project. In the seminar, students will acquire the important methodological skills of running a systematic literature review.

### **Learning Objectives**

- focus on a contemporary topic at the intersection of Information Systems and Human-Computer Interaction (HCI),
   specifically interactive intelligent systems
- carry out a structured literature search for a given topic
- · aggregate the collected information in a suitable way to present and extract knowledge
- write a seminar thesis following academic writing standards
- deliver a presentation in a scientific context in front of an auditorium

### **Prerequisites**

No specific prerequisites are required for the seminar.

#### Literature

Further literature will be made available in the seminar.

#### Organizational issues

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### **Embedded Security and Architectures**

2400148, WS 24/25, SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

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# **Advanced Methods of Information Fusion**

24344, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

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# 6.339 Course: Seminar Informatics Master [T-INFO-111205]

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102822 - Seminar Module Informatics

Type Cr Examination of another type

Credits 3

**Grading scale**Grade to a third

Version 1

Events					
ST 2024	2400035	Seminar Image Analysis and Fusion	2 SWS	Seminar / <b>♀</b>	Beyerer
ST 2024	2400044	Seminar Cryptanalysis	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Geiselmann, Müller- Quade, Tiepelt
ST 2024	2400084	Seminar: Robot Reinforcement Learning	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Neumann
ST 2024	2400085	Quantum Information Theory	2 SWS	Seminar / 🕄	Müller-Quade, Tiepelt, Ottenhues, Fruböse, Hetzel, Martin
ST 2024	2400089	Decentralized Systems: Fundamentals, Modeling, and Applications	4 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Stengele, Hartenstein
ST 2024	2400136	Seminar: Interactive Learning	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Lioutikov
ST 2024	2400137	Embedded Machine Learning		Seminar / 🛱	Henkel, Sikal, Khdr, Ahmed
ST 2024	2400148	Embedded Security and Architectures		Seminar / 🕃	Henkel, Hussain, Nassar, Khdr, Gonzalez, Sikal
ST 2024	2400161	Exploring Robotics: Insights from Science Fiction, Research and Society	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Bruno, Maure
ST 2024	2400178	Seminar Machine Learning in Climate and Environmental Sciences	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Nowack, Amiramjadi
ST 2024	2400181	Interpretability and Causality in Machine Learning	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Stühmer
ST 2024	2400210	Seminar: Critical topics in Al		Seminar / 🕄	Friederich, Zhou, Reiser, Torresi, Neubert, Eberhard, Schlöder
ST 2024	24344	Advanced Methods of Information Fusion	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Hanebeck, Walker
ST 2024	2500036	Affective User Research for Human-Al Interaction	2 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Mädche
ST 2024	2500056	ABBA Summer School Seminar: Biosignal-Adaptive GenAl Systems	2 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Mädche
ST 2024	2500125	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Engineering	3 SWS	Seminar / 🕃	Mädche
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ST 2024	2540557	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Research	3 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Mädche
WT 24/25	2400013	Seminar: Energy Informatics	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Hagenmeyer, Bläsius, Bauer, Geiges, Süß
WT 24/25	2400015	Seminar: Critical topics of Artificial Intelligence	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Friederich, Nierling, Bareis, Seng, Krüger
WT 24/25	2400108	Continuous Software Engineering	2 SWS	Seminar	Koziolek
WT 24/25	2400129	Seminar Digital Accessibility and Assisitive Technologies	2 SWS	Seminar / 🛱	Stiefelhagen, Schwarz

WT 24/25	2400148	Embedded Security and Architectures		Seminar / 💢	Hussain, Nassar, Khdr, Gonzalez, Sikal, Henkel		
WT 24/25	2400175	Seminar: Artificial Intelligence for Energy Systems		Seminar / 🗣	Schäfer		
WT 24/25	24344	Advanced Methods of Information Fusion	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Hanebeck, Walker		
WT 24/25	2500125	Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Engineering	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗯	Mädche		
Exams	•			•	•		
ST 2024	7500013	Advanced Methods of Information F	usion		Hanebeck		
ST 2024	7500095	Decentralized Systems: Fundamenta	ls, Modeli	ng, and Applications	Hartenstein		
ST 2024	7500108	Seminar: Advanced Algorithms in Co	mputer G	raphics	Dachsbacher		
ST 2024	7500110	Seminar: Exploring Robotics - Insight and Society	Bruno				
ST 2024	7500213	Seminar Machine Learning in Climate	Nowack				
ST 2024	7500270	Seminar: Interactive Learning	Lioutikov				
ST 2024	7500277	Seminar: Robot Reinforcement Learn	Neumann				
ST 2024	7500284	Decentralized Systems: Fundamenta	Hartenstein				
ST 2024	7500319	Seminar: Interpretability and Causali	ty in Macl	nine Learning	Stühmer		
ST 2024	7500328	Seminar: Advanced Topics in Continu	Seminar: Advanced Topics in Continual / Organic Machine Learning				
ST 2024	7500331	Research Focus Class: Blockchain & (	Cryptocur	rencies - Seminar	Hartenstein		
ST 2024	7500335	CES - Seminar: Machine Learning	Henkel				
ST 2024	7500377	Decentralized Systems: Fundamenta	Hartenstein				
ST 2024	7900261	Human-Centered Systems Seminar:	Mädche				
ST 2024	7900281	Affective User Research for Human-	Mädche				
WT 24/25	7500013	Decentralized Systems: Fundamenta	Hartenstein				
WT 24/25	7500021	Advanced Methods of Information F	usion		Hanebeck		

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Seminar Image Analysis and Fusion

2400035, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

### Organizational issues

Termin und Ort der Einführungsveranstaltung werden vor Semesterbeginn auf der Webseite bekannt gegeben.

Findet - sofern Präsenz-Veranstaltung erlaubt - im Fraunhofer IOSB statt.



**Decentralized Systems: Fundamentals, Modeling, and Applications** 2400089, SS 2024, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ) On-Site

#### Content:

Decentralized Systems (like blockchain-based systems) represent distributed systems that are controlled by multiple parties who make their own independent decisions. In this course, we cover fundamental theoretical aspects as well as up-to-date decentralized systems and connect theory with current practice. We thereby address fault tolerance, security and trust, as well as performance aspects at the example of applications like Bitcoin, Ethereum, IPFS, and Matrix. As a research-oriented lecture, we may cover additional current topics like verifiable computing and/or identity and access management in decentralized settings.

The lecture covers at least the following topics:

### Fundamentals

- Peer-to-Peer Overlay Networks, Sybil and Eclipse Attacks
- Formalization of decentralized systems, including models for their computation, communication, faults, and timing.
- Leader election and mutual exclusion in decentralized systems based on different models for node identities and timing.
- Byzantine consensus in synchronous and asynchronous settings, including Bracha's fundamental algorithm for reliable broadcast, Practical Byzantine Fault Tolerant consensus, and fundamental limits.
- Consistency models and protocols including Conflict-Free Replicated Data Types.

# Applications

- The Matrix decentralized messaging platform
- Distributed Ledgers and Blockchains at the examples of Bitcoin and Ethereum, in particular Proof-of-Work and Proof-of-Stake consensus
- Payment Channel Networks and Rollups
- Decentralized storage systems, at the example of IPFS

### **Compentency Goals:**

- 1. Fundamentals & Modeling
  - 1. The student is able to recognize and distinguish distributed, federated, and decentralized systems.
  - 2. The student understands consensus, consistency and coordination within the context of networked and decentralized systems.
  - 3. The student understands the concept of Sybil attacks.
  - 4. The student is familiar with decentralized algorithms for leader election and mutual exclusion for execution contexts with various guarantees.
  - 5. The student understands the formally proven limits of fault tolerance and their underlying assumptions. This includes an understanding of synchronous and asynchronous network models which underpin the respective proofs. The student also understands several models for fault tolerance, notably silent and noisy crash as well as byzantine fault tolerance within the context of decentralized and distributed systems.
  - 6. The student has a basic understanding of state machine replication.
  - 7. The student knows various models for and levels of consistency.

# 2. Applications

- 1. The student understands conflict-free replicated data types and their use in decentralized systems like Matrix.
- 2. The student has a fundamental understanding of blockchain-based systems (e.g. Bitcoin/Ethereum), Payment Channels, Rollups, and decentralized communication systems like Matrix.
- 3. The student understands trust relations in distributed and decentralized systems and applications.
- 4. The student is able to understand how theoretical foundations relate to networked and decentralized systems in practice.
- 5. The student understands concepts of decentralized storage systems.

### Workload:

Lecture workload:

1. Attendance time (Course, exercise, etc.)

Lecture: 3 SWS: 3,0h x 15 = 45h Exercise: 1 SWS: 1,0h x 15 = 15h

2. Self-study (e.g. independent review of course material, work on homework assignments)

Weeklypreparation and follow-up ofthelecture:  $15 \times 1h \times 3 = 45h$ Weeklypreparation and follow-up oftheexercise:  $15 \times 2h = 30h$ 

3. Preparation for the exam: 45 h

 $\Sigma$  = 180h = 6 ECTS

### Competency certificate:

Depending on the number of participants, it will be announced six weeks before the examination (§ 6 Abs. 3 SPO) whether the examination takes place

• in the form of an oral examination lasting 30 minutes pursuant to § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO or in the form of a written examination lasting 60 minutes in accordance with § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 1 SPO.



# Seminar: Interactive Learning

2400136, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

Arbeitsaufwand = 90 h = 3 ECTS

Präsenzzeit: 15hrSelbststudium: 45h

• Scientific Report schreiben: 20h

Präsentation vorbereiten: 10h

Each student will select several related papers in the field of Interactive Learning. The organizers will suggest several papers but the students will be encouraged to indentify and research additional relevant papers during the semester. The students will then prepare a presentation and a basic scientific research paper.

It is highly recommended to take this seminar in combination with the "Interactive Learning" Research Project (Forschungspraktikum), where the students get the chance to deepen their understanding, implement and evaluate their presented work.

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It is highly recommended to attend the "Explainable Artificial Intelligence" lecture in parallel or prior to this seminar.

- Experience in Machine Learning is recommended, e.g. through prior coursework.
- The Computer Science Department offers several great lectures e.g., "Maschinelles Lernen Grundlagen und Algorithmen" and "Deep Learning"
- A good mathematical background will be beneficial
- Python experience is recommended
- We might use the PyTorch deep learning library In the exercises. Some prior knowledge in this is helpful but not necessary.

Vortrag zum gewählten Thema am Ende des Semesters und schriftliche Ausarbeitung.

Ein Rücktritt ist innerhalb von zwei Wochen nach Vergabe des Themas möglich.

It is only possible to resign within two weeks after assignment of the topic

#### Organizational issues

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### **Embedded Machine Learning**

2400137, SS 2024, SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

In our seminars, students learn about cutting-edge research in the research fields presented below. Students are offered topics by the supervisors, but also can suggest their own topics in these fields. The seminar is offered in both English and German.

#### Machine learning on on-chip systems

Machine learning and on-chip systems form a symbiosis where each research area benefits from advances in the other. In this seminar, students review cutting-edge research on both areas.

Machine learning (ML) gains importance in all aspects of information systems. From high-level algorithms like image recognition to lower-level intelligent CPU management - ML is ubiquitous. On-chip systems also benefit from advances in ML techniques. Examples include adaptive resource management or workload prediction. However, ML techniques also benefit from advances in on-chip systems. A prominent example is acceleration of neural networks in recent desktop GPUs and even smartphone chips.

In this seminar, students will review cutting-edge state-of-the-art research (publications) on a specific topic related to ML on onchip systems. The findings will be summarized in a seminar report and presented to the other members of the course. Students are welcome to suggest their own topics, but this is not required. The seminar can be held in English or German.

### Approximate Computing for Efficient Machine Learning

Nowadays, energy efficiency is a first-class design constraint in the ICT sector. Approximate computing emerges as a new design paradigm for generating energy efficient computing systems. There is a large body of resource-hungry applications (eg, image processing and machine learning) that exhibit an intrinsic resilience to errors and produce outputs that are useful and of acceptable quality for the users despite their underlying computations being performed in an approximate manner. By exploiting this inherent error tolerance of such applications, approximate computing trades computational accuracy for savings in other metrics, eg, energy consumption and performance. Machine learning, a very common and top trending workload of both data centers and embedded systems, is a perfect candidate for approximate computing application since, by definition, it delivers approximate results. Performance as well as energy efficiency (especially in the case of embedded systems) are crucial for machine learning applications and thus, approximate computing techniques are widely adopted in machine learning (eg, TPU) to improve its energy profile as well as performance.

#### Machine Learning methods for DNN compilation and mapping

Deep neural networks have achieved great success in challenging tasks such as image classification and object detection. There is a great demand for deploying these networks in different devices, ranging from cloud servers to embedded devices.

Mapping DNNs to these devices is a challenging task since each of these devices has different characteristics in terms of memory organization, compute units, etc. . There have been efforts to automate the process of mapping/compiling DNNs to hardware with different characteristics.

In this seminar, we will discuss the efforts that have been done in mapping/compiling DNNs over hardware using machine learning methods.

#### **Organizational** issues

Please register in ILIAS to participate.



# **Embedded Security and Architectures**

2400148, SS 2024, SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

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#### **Dependability for Reconfigurable Architectures**

Dependability has become one of the prime concerns in recent nano-era. Reliability (the ability of the system to deliver services as specified) and Security (the ability of the system to protect itself against deliberate or accidental intrusion) are the two crucial attributes of dependable systems. Among the other reliability threats due to physical limits of CMOS technology, radiation induced soft errors or transient faults are also the most challenging threat to be handled. During this seminar, we will explore state-of-theart for the power-efficient soft-error reliability and study different research solutions to improve soft-error resiliency in power efficient manner leveraging power-performance-reliability trade-offs. During this seminar, the students will also be able to understand hardware security in reconfigurable architectures,

# Thermal and Power Aware Embedded Systems

Power densities are continuously increasing along with technology scaling and the integration of more transistors into smaller areas, potentially resulting in thermal emergencies on the chip. To mitigate such emergencies, power and thermal management techniques are employed. The state-of-the-art power and thermal management techniques can be classified into several categories, such as reactive and proactive techniques, centralized and distributed ones. Recently, machine learning algorithms are employed in power and thermal management techniques to make them more proactive and adaptive. Those various categories of the state-of-the-art techniques need to be reviewed in this seminar to demonstrate the advantage and disadvantage of each of them.

### **Security of Reconfigurable Embedded Systems**

Various types of (re)configurable systems have emerged in recent years. The spectrum ranges from one-time configurable systems that are programmed at the design time for product-specific requirements, to reconfigurable systems that can also be adapted after commissioning, to dynamically reconfigurable systems whose configuration can be changed at runtime and their ability to dynamic reconfiguration is an important part of their system functionality.

This seminar focuses on the runtime reconfigurable systems, their security aspects and methods. It investigates the current state of research for securing the runtime reconfigurable systems, as well as the feasibility of using the security measures from general processing architectures to runtime reconfigurable systems.

# Security in Resource Management

Efficient resource management in many-core systems (ie, systems with more than 100 cores, not only a dozen) has become a research challenge in the last years. As complexity and the demand for scalability increase, this new paradigm should also consider new security features to avoid or mitigate the effects of malicious applications both on critical information and the system as a whole.

In this seminar, we will focus on the state-of-the-art of security attacks such as Side Channel Attacks (SCA), Covert channel attacks, as well as other similar resource-based attacks and their effects on other critical applications running on many-core systems. During this seminar, student will dive into the security aspects of resource management, while investigating answers to the following research questions:

- How do these attacks work?
- Which are the associated vulnerabilities? What resources are vulnerable?
- What's their impact on critical information or other resources?
- What are the current countermeasures for the attacks?

# **Organizational issues**

Please register in ILIAS to participate.



Exploring Robotics: Insights from Science Fiction, Research and Society 2400161, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

# **Competency Goals**

The students gain experience with literature research on a current research topic. They explore, understand and compare different approaches to a selected scientific problem. The students are able to write a summary of their literature research in the form of a scientific publication in English and give a scientific talk on it.

#### Content

The students choose a topic from the field of robotics (e.g. remote control, behavior-based robotics, human-robot interaction, the "uncanny valley," natural language understanding, machine learning) and conduct a research on it that, building on literature findings, also includes and addresses the perspectives of society and the general media (as given by science fiction books, movies and games, as well as media and news outlets) and technology assessment (including social/societal expectations and needs, ethical implications, and risks/benefits analyses).

Students work under the guidance of a scientific supervisor. At the end of the semester, they present the results and write an elaboration in English in the form of a scientific publication.

#### Workload

Seminar with 2 SWS, 3 LP.

3 LP corresponds to approx. 90 hours, of which

approx. 45 hours of literature research

approx. 25 hrs. elaboration

approx. 10 hrs. preparation of presentation approx. 10 hrs. compulsory attendance

# **Competency certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an examination of another type (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 3 SPO). The overall impression is evaluated. The following partial aspects are included in the grading: Term paper (approx. 6 pages in double-column format), Presentation (duration approx. 10+10 min.).



# Seminar Machine Learning in Climate and Environmental Sciences

2400178, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

# Content:

Machine learning (ML) methods are already ubiquitous in many areas of society and research. This is especially true for climate and environmental sciences, where ML algorithms help e.g. to improve predictions of climate change and weather, or to optimize energy supply systems. In this session, we will discuss cutting-edge publications on ML applications in climate and environmental sciences, as well as the underlying theory behind the classes of algorithms. While organizers will suggest initial papers, students will be encouraged to seek out additional relevant literature throughout the semester.

The seminar will cover both the in-depth study of the climate/environmental sciences topic as well as of the specific machine learning method(s) employed in the literature. It will include two short and one longer final presentation from each student. The first presentation will focus solely on the chosen climate or environmental event or phenomenon, while the second presentation will cover the machine learning methods employed in studying it. Next to suggested reading by the module organizers, students will be encouraged to seek out additional relevant literature throughout the semester.

Towards the end, students will compile their findings into the final presentation accompanied by a scientific report, presenting the results in the form of a lecture.

#### Workload:

Total 90 h, consisting of:

Attendance time in the seminar and personal meetings with the supervisors: 10 h

Literature research: 30 h

Writing the seminar paper and preparing the final presentation: 50 h

# **Competency certificate:**

Success is assessed in the form of a different type of examination in accordance with Section § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 3 SPO. In the form of a written seminar paper and the presentation of the same.

# **Recommendations:**

An interest in climate and environmental sciences topics is a prerequisite.



# **Advanced Methods of Information Fusion**

24344, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

The growing spread and performance of modern information and communication technologies produces an ever-increasing amount data. It is one of the central challenges of our time to extract meaningful information from these data sets. The approach to address these issues, often called data science, combines strategies and methods from the fields of machine learning, mathematics, state estimation, visualization and pattern recognition. During this seminar, the students will familiarize themselves with concepts and methods particularly focusing on estimation theory and its application

The seminar targets master students in computer science and bachelor students in Information engineering and management.



# Affective User Research for Human-Al Interaction

2500036, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

# Content

User research aims to understand users' needs, behaviors, and attitudes to effectively inform the design and development of products or services. It is a key endeavor to learn how users experience digital technologies, what is working well and what is not, and identify gaps and future needs in order to personalize and improve the user experience. To design for positive user experiences, investigating affective user reactions (e.g., emotions, stress, flow) is of particular interest. Therefore, affective user research collects and analyzes behavioral data and affective reactions of users when engaging with products or services. With the growing amount of data and computing capabilities, artificial intelligence (AI) technologies are increasingly used in user research for the prediction of affective user states when interacting with digital technology.

The recent advances in artificial intelligence (AI), however, may not only support affective user research as a method of inquire, but it also has found its way into our daily lives as humans interact with it every day, for example, in form of recommendation engines on social media, in health applications, or as personal assistants based on large language models (LLMs) to receive text output for code completion, ideation, or writing. Interacting with AI-based digital technologies also triggers affective user reactions. However, these affective user reactions in Human-AI Interactions are yet to be understood.

In this seminar, participants will apply methods for affective user research on a particular type of Human-Al Interaction, the prompting of LLMs. LLM prompting is expected to become the up-and-coming form of interacting with Al in the future. To receive output from an LLM, users must send a prompt to the LLM. Given a prompt, an LLM responds incrementally with "tokens" (e.g., groups of letters, numbers, punctuation) which build the output. Structuring the prompt and receiving output influences the affective reactions of the user. Precisely, these user reactions should be investigated by the students participating in this seminar.

In the "Affective User Research for Human-AI Interaction" seminar, participating students will learn how to apply AI-based user research methods with a specific emphasis on the affective dimension when interacting with AI-based digital technologies. The goal of this seminar is to provide students with a unique set of skills in (1) quantitative data analysis, (2) knowledge about Human-AI Interaction and, in particular, LLM prompting, and (3) prediction of affective user states (e.g., emotions, stress) using state-of-the-art machine learning (ML) techniques. Students will leverage a dataset on Human-AI Interaction and gain in-depth knowledge from it as part of the seminar. The seminar emphasizes the importance of applying the aforementioned affective user research methods in an ethically compliant form. The core activities include:

- Learn the fundamentals of AI-based affective user research methods.
- Explore a dataset on Human-Al Interaction with the specific focus on the interplay of user behavior and affective user reactions.
- Developing AI-based supervised machine learning techniques for predicting user activities and affective user states.
- Present findings and insights to the seminar audience and discuss the results.

The seminar is held by Dr. Ivo Benke in cooperation with Dr. Lennard Schmidt. Both are experts from industry in the fields of affective user research, quantitative data analysis, and Human-Al Interaction.

# **Learning Objectives**

- Understand the potential of combining user behavior and affective user reaction data for affective user research.
- Develop hands-on knowledge by applying Al-based affective user research methods on a real-world dataset.
- Develop a deeper understanding of a prominent form of Human-Al Interaction (e.g., LLM prompting).
- Deliver a presentation in a scientific context in front of an auditorium.



ABBA Summer School Seminar: Biosignal-Adaptive GenAl Systems

2500056, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) Blended (On-Site/Online)

**Background:** In the ABBA Summer School Seminar hosted at the Karlsruhe Decision & Design Lab (KD²Lab) at KIT, we aim to enable students to explore biosignal sensors for designing user-adaptive systems. This comprehensive three-day program is designed for both bachelor's and master's students who want to gain an understanding of biosignal and the development of user-adaptive systems. The learning objective is to design human-centered biosignal-adaptive systems to address user needs in learning scenarios.

Course Content: Throughout the summer school, students will learn the foundations of biosignal-adaptive systems through a series of lectures and apply the knowledge in practical group work. For the group work, we offer students two contexts for their research topics: literature research during thesis writing and programming with LLM. Aiming to address user challenges in these two contexts, we provide two biosignal sensors: EEG or eye-tracking sensors. By collecting biosignal data with the sensors, we encourage students to integrate cutting-edge AI algorithms for their design and implementation. In the end, students should present their results to showcase the functionality, innovation, and a prototype of their biosignal-adaptive systems.

**Learning Outcome:** By successfully achieving the learning objective, students will receive a certificate from KIT and will have the opportunity to apply their acquired skills and knowledge for further research.

The seminar will be held in a three-day format from 23th to 25th September with 3 ECTS. For any questions, please ask Luke (shi.liu@kit.edu) for more information!



# **Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Engineering**

2500125, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

Formerly known as "Current Topics in Digital Transformation"

With this seminar, we aim to provide students with the possibility to independently work on state-of-the-art research topics in addition to the knowledge gained in the lectures of the human-centered systems lab (Prof. Mädche). Students will work on a dedicated topic in the context of human-centered systems and apply a pre-defined research method. A broad spectrum of topics is offered every semester, topics may range from creating an experimental design, analyzing collected data, or systematically comparing existing software prototypes in a specific field of interest.



# **User-Adaptive Systems Seminar**

2540553, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

User-adaptive systems collect and analyze biosignals from users to recognize user states as a basis for adaptation. Thermic, mechanical, electric, acoustic, and optical signals are collected using sensors which are integrated in wearables, e.g. glasses, earphones, belts, or bracelets. The collected data is processed with analytics and machine learning techniques in order to determine short-term, evolving over time, and long-term user states in the form of user characteristics, affective-cognitive states, or behavior. Finally, the recognized user states are leveraged for realizing user-centric adaptations.

In this seminar, interdisciplinary teams of students design, develop, and evaluate a user-adaptive system prototype leveraging state-of-the-art hard- and software. This seminar follows an interdisciplinary approach. Students from the fields of computer science, information systems and industrial engineering & management collaborate in the prototype design, development, and evaluation.

The seminar is carried out in cooperation between Teco/Chair of Pervasive Computing Systems (Prof. Beigl) and the Institute of Information Systems and Marketing (h-lab, Prof. Mädche). It is offered as part of the DFG-funded graduate school "KD2School: Designing Adaptive Systems for Economic Decisions" (https://kd2school.info/)

Learning objectives of the seminar

- Explain what a user-adaptive system is and how it can be conceptualized
- Suggest and evaluate different design solutions for addressing the identified problem
- Build a user-adaptive system prototype using state-of-the-art hard- and software
- Perform a user-centric evaluation of the user-adaptive system prototype

# **Prerequisites**

Strong analytical abilities and profound software development skills are required.

# **Organizational issues**

Termine werden bekannt gegeben

## Literature

Required literature will be made available in the seminar.



# **Human-Centered Systems Seminar: Research**

2540557, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

Formerly known as "Information Systems and Service Design Seminar"

With this seminar, we aim to provide students with the possibility to independently work on state-of-the-art research topics in addition to the knowledge gained in the lectures of the research group IS I (Prof. Mädche). The research group "Information Systems I" (IS I) headed by Prof. Mädche focuses in research, education, and innovation on designing interactive intelligent systems. It is positioned at the intersection of Information Systems and Human-Computer Interaction (HCI).

In the seminar, participants will get deeper insights in a contemporary research topic in the field of information systems, specifically interactive intelligent systems.

The actual seminar topics will be derived from current research activities of the research group. Our research assistants offer a rich set of topics from our research clusters (digital experience and participation, intelligent enterprise systems, or digital services design & innovation). Students can select among these topics individually depending on their personal interests. The seminar is carried out in the form of a literature-based thesis project. In the seminar, students will acquire the important methodological skills of running a systematic literature review.

# **Learning Objectives**

- focus on a contemporary topic at the intersection of Information Systems and Human-Computer Interaction (HCI),
   specifically interactive intelligent systems
- carry out a structured literature search for a given topic
- aggregate the collected information in a suitable way to present and extract knowledge
- write a seminar thesis following academic writing standards
- deliver a presentation in a scientific context in front of an auditorium

# **Prerequisites**

No specific prerequisites are required for the seminar.

#### Literature

Further literature will be made available in the seminar.

# Organizational issues

Termine werden bekannt gegeben



# **Seminar: Energy Informatics**

2400013, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

## Content

Energy informatics is a young field of research at the interface of electrical engineering, computer science, economics and law, in which questions about energy systems are dealt with. Issues arising from climate change and the increasing use of renewable energy sources are of particular interest.

In the "Energy Informatics" seminar, we look at selected issues arising from current research. These questions consider, for example, modeling, algorithms or simulations in the context of energy systems.

This seminar is aimed at Master's students in subjects that overlap with energy informatics, for example computer science, mechanical engineering, information systems, economathematics, business engineering or economics engineering. If you have any questions regarding credit transfer, please contact your study program service.

Ideally, students should have an in-depth insight into the subject areas of energy informatics and have basic knowledge of modeling, simulation and algorithms.

Other participants: Prof. Dr. Veit Hagenmeyer, T.T.-Prof. Dr. Thomas Bläsius

**Workload:** 4 CP corresponds to approx. 120 hours, approx. 21 hours attending the seminar, approx. 45 hours analyzing and working on the topic, approx. 27 hours preparing and creating the presentation and approx. 27 hours writing the paper.

**Learning objectives:** Based on a given topic, participants identify, collect and evaluate relevant literature. They classify the topic within the subject area of "energy informatics".

Participants prepare a seminar paper and take format specifications into account. Students critically examine other seminar papers and write reviews of the seminar papers of others.

In presentations, the participants present the most important content of their seminar paper in an auditorium-friendly manner and discuss it with the audience.



# **Continuous Software Engineering**

2400108, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)

#### Content

Modern software engineering happens in short cycles, which allow fast feedback. Technologies like build servers and containerization support fast, frequent and automated deployment of software to production systems and fast feedback to development (devops).

The term "continuous software engineering" combines different aspects of this intertwinement of different software engineering activities.

In this seminars, students will work on a topic in the context of continuous software engineering. Some of the addressed topics will be concerned with challenges when engineering systems with machine-learning components.

#### Literature

Fitzgerald, Brian, and Klaas-Jan Stol. "Continuous software engineering: A roadmap and agenda." Journal of Systems and Software 123 (2017): 176-189.



# **Embedded Security and Architectures**

2400148, WS 24/25, SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

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This seminar focuses on the runtime reconfigurable systems, their security aspects and methods. It investigates the current state of research for securing the runtime reconfigurable systems, as well as the feasibility of using the security measures from general processing architectures to runtime reconfigurable systems.

# Security in Resource Management

Efficient resource management in many-core systems (ie, systems with more than 100 cores, not only a dozen) has become a research challenge in the last years. As complexity and the demand for scalability increase, this new paradigm should also consider new security features to avoid or mitigate the effects of malicious applications both on critical information and the system as a whole.

In this seminar, we will focus on the state-of-the-art of security attacks such as Side Channel Attacks (SCA), Covert channel attacks, as well as other similar resource-based attacks and their effects on other critical applications running on many-core systems. During this seminar, student will dive into the security aspects of resource management, while investigating answers to the following research questions:

- How do these attacks work?
- Which are the associated vulnerabilities? What resources are vulnerable?
- What's their impact on critical information or other resources?
- What are the current countermeasures for the attacks?

# **Organizational issues**

Please register in ILIAS to participate.



# **Advanced Methods of Information Fusion**

24344, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

The growing spread and performance of modern information and communication technologies produces an ever-increasing amount data. It is one of the central challenges of our time to extract meaningful information from these data sets. The approach to address these issues, often called data science, combines strategies and methods from the fields of machine learning, mathematics, state estimation, visualization and pattern recognition. During this seminar, the students will familiarize themselves with concepts and methods particularly focusing on estimation theory and its application

The seminar targets master students in computer science and bachelor students in Information engineering and management.



Organisation:

# **6.340** Course: Seminar Laboratory: Machine Learning and Intelligent Systems [T-INFO-112105]

Responsible: Michael Fennel

Prof. Dr.-Ing. Uwe Hanebeck KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105959 - Seminar Laboratory: Machine Learning and Intelligent Systems

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Irregular	1

Events					
ST 2024	24004	Seminar Laboratory Machine Learning and Intelligent Systems	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Hanebeck, Prossel
Exams					
ST 2024	7500049	Seminar Laboratory Machine Learni	Seminar Laboratory Machine Learning and Intelligent Systems		
WT 24/25	7500135	Seminar Laboratory Machine Learning and Intelligent Systems			Hanebeck



# **6.341** Course: Seminar: Commercial and Corporate Law in the IT Industry [T-INFO-111405]

Responsible: Dr. Georg Nolte

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101216 - Private Business Law

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events	Events						
WT 24/25	2400165	Seminar Commercial and Corporate Law in Information Technology	2 SWS	Seminar /	Nolte		
Exams	Exams						
WT 24/25	7500182	Seminar: Legal Studies II	Seminar: Legal Studies II				
WT 24/25	7500310	eminar: Commercial and Corporate Law in the IT Industry			Sattler		

 $\textbf{Legend:} \ \overline{\blacksquare} \ \textbf{Online}, \ \mathbf{\textcircled{S}} \ \textbf{Blended} \ \textbf{(On-Site/Online)}, \ \mathbf{\P} \ \textbf{On-Site}, \ \textbf{\textbf{x}} \ \textbf{Cancelled}$ 



# 6.342 Course: Seminar: Interactive Learning [T-INFO-112773]

Responsible: TT-Prof. Dr. Rudolf Lioutikov
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106301 - Seminar: Interactive Learning

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	3	Grade to a third	Each summer term	2

Events							
ST 2024	2400136	Seminar: Interactive Learning	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Lioutikov		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7500270	Seminar: Interactive Learning			Lioutikov		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, x Cancelled

# **Competence Certificate**

Vortrag zum gewählten Thema am Ende des Semesters und schriftliche Ausarbeitung.

# **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Recommendation

We highly recommend to take this seminar in combination with the "Interactive Learning" research project (Forschungspraktikum). It is highly recommended to attend the "Explainable Artificial Intelligence" lecture in parallel or prior to this seminar.

- Experience in Machine Learning is recommended, e.g. through prior coursework.
- $\circ$  The Computer Science Department offers several great lectures e.g., "Maschinelles Lernen Grundlagen und Algorithmen" and "Deep Learning"
- A good mathematical background will be beneficial
- Python experience is recommended
- We might use the PyTorch deep learning library In the exercises. Some prior knowledge in this is helpful but not necessary.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Seminar: Interactive Learning**

2400136, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Arbeitsaufwand = 90 h = 3 ECTS

Präsenzzeit: 15hrSelbststudium: 45h

• Scientific Report schreiben: 20h

Präsentation vorbereiten: 10h

Each student will select several related papers in the field of Interactive Learning. The organizers will suggest several papers but the students will be encouraged to indentify and research additional relevant papers during the semester. The students will then prepare a presentation and a basic scientific research paper.

It is highly recommended to take this seminar in combination with the "Interactive Learning" Research Project (Forschungspraktikum), where the students get the chance to deepen their understanding, implement and evaluate their presented work.

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Vortrag zum gewählten Thema am Ende des Semesters und schriftliche Ausarbeitung.

Ein Rücktritt ist innerhalb von zwei Wochen nach Vergabe des Themas möglich.

It is only possible to resign within two weeks after assignment of the topic

# Organizational issues

KIT-Fakultät für Informatik/1. Informatik Lehrveranstaltungen/1.7 Seminare



# 6.343 Course: Seminar: IT- Security Law [T-INFO-111404]

Responsible: Martin Schallbruch

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106754 - Public Economic and Technology Law

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events						
WT 24/25	24389	Seminar "IT security law"	2 SWS	Seminar / <b>♀</b>	Schallbruch	
Exams						
WT 24/25	7500249	Seminar: IT- Security Law			Zufall	

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.344 Course: Seminar: Legal Studies I [T-INFO-101997]

Responsible: N.N.

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101218 - Seminar Module Law

**Type** Examination of another type

Credits 3 **Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Each term Version 1

Events					
ST 2024	2400005	Governance, Risk & Compliance	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Herzig, Siddiq
ST 2024	2400022	EU Digital Regulatory Framework	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Zufall
ST 2024	2400078	Intelligente Chatbots und Recht	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Raabe
ST 2024	2400170	Human and Fundamental Rights in the Digital Era: Current Challenges	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Friedl
ST 2024	2400171	Regulating AI: from ethics to law	2 SWS	Seminar / <b>♀</b>	Gil Gasiola
ST 2024	2400194	(Generative) KI und Recht	2 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Boehm, Vettermann
ST 2024	2400204	"Vom Original zur Kopie und vom Analogen zum Digitalen"	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Dreier, Jehle
ST 2024	2400207	Rechtlicher Rahmen für die Europäische Datenökonomie	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Sattler
ST 2024	2400208	Rechtlicher Rahmen für Künstliche Intelligenz	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Sattler
ST 2024	24820	Current Issues in Patent Law	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Melullis
WT 24/25	2400060	Data in Software-Intensive Technical Systems – Modeling – Analysis – Protection	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Reussner, Raabe, Werner, Müller-Quade
WT 24/25	2400184	EU Digital Regulatory Framework	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Zufall
WT 24/25	2400209	Rechtliche Herausforderungen für die Europäische Datenökonomie	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Sattler
WT 24/25	2400216	(Generative) KI und Recht	2 SWS	Seminar / 😘	Boehm, Vettermann
WT 24/25	2513214	Seminar Information security and Data protection (Bachelor)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Volkamer, Raabe, Schiefer, Hennig, Sterz, Werner, Ullrich
Exams	•	•		•	
ST 2024	7500140	Seminar: Legal Studies I			Raabe, Melullis, Boehm, Dreier
ST 2024	7500159	Seminar: Legal Studies I	Zufall		
WT 24/25	7500035	Seminar: Legal Studies II	Zufall		
WT 24/25	7500182	Seminar: Legal Studies II			Boehm, Raabe, Sattler
WT 24/25	7500232	Seminar Data in Software-Intensive Analysis – Protection	Reussner		
WT 24/25	7500249	Seminar: IT- Security Law	Zufall		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **EU Digital Regulatory Framework**

2400022, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Note:

This class is mainly intended for Bachelor and Master students in Business Informatics and those wth Law as a minor subject, but also open interested students from other disciplines.

This class aims to provide an overview on the legal instruments forming the EU digital regulatory framework. Following its Digital Single Market Strategy, the EU has set up a new strategic programme for a "Digital Decade". Existing regulations like the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), or the E-Commerce Directive, are being complemented by a variety of new instruments that aim to set binding rules on online markets, to regulate data flows in various ways, but also to pioneer a legal framework on Al. Prominent instruments include the new Al Act (proposal), the Digital Services Act (DSA) and Digital Markets Act (DMA), the Data Act, Data Governance Act, or Open Data Directive.

The class will provide an overview on the existing framework: Which regulations and directives are relevant? How do they apply and interact which each other in a broader context?

Another objective is to provide students with the ability to read these legal instruments: How to access regulatory instruments that often have more than 100 pages (without having to read every single sentence)? How to gain a comprehensive, high-level understanding of the instrument? How to identify parts relevant to a particular legal problem?

The class will start with an introduction into EU law and regulatory instruments in general. Concrete guidance on reading, analysing and working with legal instruments in English will be given. Based on these instructions, students will be assigned legal instruments to present in the final unit along with a two-pages report.

Grades will be assigned based on the quality of these presentations and the report, as well as participation in the discussion (presentation: 40 %, two-pages report: 40 %, discussion: 20 %).

# **Organizational issues**

Anmeldungen für das Seminar bitte NUR! über das WiWi-Portal!

\*Für die Prüfung bitte NUR über CAS (Campus-Portal) anmelden!

\*Erläuterung: n<u>ach</u> der für die Teilnahme am Seminar verbindlichen Teilnahme an der <u>Einführungsveranstaltung bitte Anmeldung über das Campus-System</u> (notwendig für die Erfassung der Note der Seminararbeit).

Termine im SoSe 2024:

Mittwoch, den 8. Mai 2024, 16-19h (Kick-off)

Dienstag, den 23. Juli 2024, 12-18h (Presentations).

Raum:

jeweils im Seminarraum Nr. 313, Geb. 07.08.

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# English:

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\*Please register for the exam ONLY via CAS (Campus-Portal)!

\*Explanation: after attending the introductory event, which is mandatory for participation in the seminar, please register via Campus System (necessary for recording the grade of the seminar papers).

Dates in summer term 2024:

Wednesday, 8 May 2024, 16-19h (kick-off)

Tuesday, 23 July 2024, 12-18h (presentations).

Room:

In seminar room no. 313, building 07.08.



# Human and Fundamental Rights in the Digital Era: Current Challenges

2400170, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

The seminar introduces students to the various fundamental and human rights documents relevant to Germany. It teaches students their basic content and familiarizes them with classic patterns of argumentation regarding the interpretation and application of fundamental rights. The seminar provides an overview of the relevance of human and fundamental rights for the development and use of new (digital) technologies. Students will be enabled to reflect on the human rights-implications of new technologies and to conceive own legal answers. One thematic focus will be on the (human rights) analysis and evaluation of new Al technologies. Fundamental and human rights issues in this area, which will be presented to the students or which they will explore themselves, include: Are Al developers allowed to use personal data from the internet for the development of AI systems and, if so, under what conditions? How do concepts of discrimination differ between computer scientists and lawyers? How should the authorizations of real-time biometric surveillance covered by the European Al Act be assessed in terms of fundamental rights? Do human rights protect artists from the unauthorized exploitation of their works for new "generative Al" systems? Students will also be free to explore other intersections between human rights and technology, such as new questions in data protection law, the use of new technologies by police, law enforcement and migration agencies or the fundamental rights obligations of large social media platforms such as Facebook or Twitter. The seminar's contents will partly be taught in a one-day seminar and will partly be explored by the students themselves in supervised term papers.

#### Organizational issues

Anmeldungen für das Pro-Seminar bitte NUR! über das WiWi-Portal!

<u>Nach</u>der für die Teilnahme am Seminar verbindlichen Teilnahme an der <u>Einführungsveranstaltung bitte Anmeldung über das</u> <u>Campus-System</u> (notwendig für die Erfassung der Note der Seminararbeit).

Blockseminar im SoSe 2024 (2 Termine):

1. Termin:

Freitag, 26. April 2024, 09:00 - 17:30 Uhr.

Ort: 20.30 Seminarraum -1.008 (UG)

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Freitag, 19. Juli 2024

jeweils von 09:00 - 17:30 Uhr (Stand per 3.1.2024)

Raum:

Geb. 50.28, Seminarraum 1 (Nebengebäude vom InformatiKOM)

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# English:

(Please register for the seminar ONLY via the WiWi-Portal!

After attending the introductory event, which is mandatory for participation in the seminar, please register via the campus system (necessary for recording the grade of the seminar paper).

Block seminar in summer term 2024 (2 dates):

Friday, 26 April 2024

and

Friday, 19 July 2024

probably from 09:00 - 17:30 in each case (as of 3 January 2024)

Room:

Building 50.28, seminar room 1 (outbuilding of InformatiKOM)

https://www.kit.edu/campusplan/



# Regulating AI: from ethics to law

2400171, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Content
Credit points = ECTS

3 ECTS

Language:

**English** 

# **Competency Goals:**

Students comprehend the role of technology regulation.

They are able to identify different types of regulation and their impact on different stakeholders.

They know the main aspects of the regulation of AI systems.

They understand the foundations of the Al Act of the EU.

They know the content of AI principles and are able to assess their implementation in specific projects.

# Content:

This seminar will provide an overview of the regulation of technologies and in particular the regulation of Al systems. After an introduction to forms of regulation, students will explore the different regulatory instruments from the perspective of the consolidated principles of Al: fairness, transparency, privacy, security and accountability. This will allow students to discuss how the principles and rules governing Al can be implemented in concrete cases. The seminar will cover the following topics:

- Introduction to technology regulation
- Objectives of regulation
- Types of regulation
- Challenges in regulating new / disruptive technologies
- Specific challenges in regulating AI
- Fragmented/vertical regulation of AI
- Al Act
- Al principles: fairness, transparency, privacy, security, and accountability
- The role of principles in regulating AI
  - Dealing with principles when developing and implementing AI systems

# Competency certificate:

The assessment of this course is carried out by the following aspects, which will be considered in the grading (§ 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 3 SPO): term paper (approx. 5 pages), presentation (approx. 20 min.) and discussion.

The grading scale will be announced in the course. Students may redraw from the examination during the first two weeks after the topic has been communicated.

#### Organizational issues

Anmeldungen für das Seminar bitte NUR! über das WiWi-Portal!

\*Für die Prüfung bitte NUR über CAS (Campus-Portal) anmelden!

\*Erläuterung

Nach der für die Teilnahme am Seminar verbindlichen Teilnahme an der Einführungsveranstaltung bitte Anmeldung über das Campus-System (notwendig für die Erfassung der Note der Seminararbeit).

# Blockseminar im SoSe 2024 (2 Termine):

Termine und Uhrzeit:

Mi, 17.04.2024, 14:00-17:00;

Mi, 17.07.2024, 12:00-18:00.

Raum: jeweils im Seminarraum Nr. 313 (Geb. 07.08)

#### **English:**

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\*Explanation

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# Block seminar in summer term 2024 (2 dates):

Dates and time:

Wed, 17/04/2024, 14:00-17:00;

Wed, 17/07/2024, 12:00-18:00.

Room:each time in seminar room no. 313 (building 07.08)



# **EU Digital Regulatory Framework**

2400184, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

This class aims to provide an overview on the legal instruments forming the EU digital regulatory framework. Following its Digital Single Market Strategy, the EU has set up a new strategic programme for a "Digital Decade". Existing regulations like the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), or the E-Commerce Directive, are being complemented by a variety of new instruments that aim to set binding rules on online markets, to regulate data flows in various ways, but also to pioneer a legal framework on AI. Prominent instruments include the new AI Act (proposal), the Digital Services Act (DSA) and Digital Markets Act (DMA), the Data Act, Data Governance Act, or Open Data Directive.

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# **Organizational** issues

WS 2024/25

Hierbei handelt es sich NICHT um eine Pro-Seminar, sondern um ein Seminar.

Anmeldungen für das Seminar bitte NUR! über das WiWi-Portal!

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# 6.345 Course: Service Design Thinking [T-WIWI-102849]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Gerhard Satzger

Prof. Dr. Orestis Terzidis

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101503 - Service Design Thinking

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	9	Grade to a third	Irregular	5

Events					
ST 2024	2595600	Service Design Thinking	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Feldmann, Terzidis, Satzger
WT 24/25	2595600	Service Design Thinking	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Feldmann, Terzidis, Satzger
Exams					
ST 2024	7900307	Service Design Thinking	Service Design Thinking		
ST 2024	7900312	Practical Seminar Service Inno	Practical Seminar Service Innovation		

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Success is assessed in the form of an alternative exam assessment which consists of a case study, workshops, and a final presentation. The weighting of these components for the grade will be announced at the beginning of the course.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

# Recommendation

This course is held in English - proficiency in writing and communication is required.

Our past students recommend to take this course at the beginning of the masters program.

# **Annotation**

Due to practical project work as a component of the program, access is limited. The module (as well as the module component) spans two semesters. It starts in September every year and runs until end of June in the subsequent year. Entering the program is only possible at its beginning - after prior application in May/June. For more information on the application process and the program itself are provided in the module component description and the program's website (https://sdtkarlsruhe.de/). Furthermore, the lecturers provide an information event for applicants every year in May.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Service Design Thinking

2595600, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

The Service Design Thinking program is much more than a normal course. Through this program, we provide the knowledge and skills that true innovators need. In this context, we train our participants in the human-centric innovation approach "Design Thinking". In addition, participants work in small international and interdisciplinary teams on real innovation challenges from practice.

The teams are made up of students from KIT and another university from the global SUGAR network. These include, for example, the Hasso Plattner Institute in Potsdam, Trinity College in Dublin and the University of Science and Technology of China. The program includes visits to international events of the SUGAR Network, which are usually held in places known for their high level of innovation. At these events, our participants present their (interim) results to a large audience consisting of employees from the partner companies and the universities involved.

## What students will learn:

- A comprehensive understanding of the globally recognized innovation approach "Design Thinking" as introduced and promoted by the Stanford University
- Development of new, creative solutions through extensive need finding, in particular with regard to the relevant service
  users
- to develop prototypes of the collected ideas early and independently, to test them and improve them iteratively, thereby solving the issue defined by the partner company
- to communicate, present and network in an interdisciplinary and international environment
- to apply the learned approach in the context of a real innovation project provided by a practical partner.

#### Course phases (roughly 4 weeks each):

#### · Kick off:

Learning the basic method elements by solving an exercise challenge. Participation in the Global Kick-Off of the SUGAR Network consisting of method workshops, working on team challenges, networking with other universities and forming project teams for the challenges of the practical partners.

# • Design Space Exploration:

Exploring the problem space by questioning the given innovation challenge from practice. Familiarization with the topic area of the respective challenge. Gathering first impressions of the requirements and needs of people related to the problem.

# • Critical Function Prototype:

Building an intensive understanding of the needs of the target group of the respective challenge. Deriving critical functions from the customer's perspective that could help solve the overall problem. Building prototypes for the critical functions and testing them in real customer situations.

# Dark Horse Prototype:

Reversal of assumptions and experiences made so far. The goal is to develop radically new and unconventional ideas. Implementation of the ideas into simple prototypes and subsequent testing.

# Funky Prototype:

Integration of the individual successfully tested functions from the critical function and dark horse phase into solution concepts. These are also tested and further developed.

# • Functional Prototype:

Selection of successful funky prototypes and development of these towards high-resolution prototypes. The final solution approach for the project is written down in detail and feedback is obtained.

# • Final Prototype:

Implementing the final prototype and presenting it to the practical partner as well as the SUGAR Network.

# Organizational issues

Bei der Vorlesung handelt es sich um eine zweisemestrige Veranstaltung, die jährlich im September startet.

## Literature

- Design Thinking: Das Handbuch; Falk Uebernickel, Walter Brenner, Therese Naef, Britta Pukall, Bernhard Schindlholzer
- The Design Thinking Playbook: Mindful Digital Transformation of Teams, Products, Services, Businesses and Ecosystems;
   Michael Lewrick, Patrick Link, Larry Leifer
- The Design Thinking Toolbox: A Guide to Mastering the Most Popular and Valuable Innovation Methods; Michael Lewrick, Patrick Link, Larry Leifer
- Frame Innovation: Create New Thinking by Design (Design Thinking, Design Theory); Kees Dorst



# Service Design Thinking

2595600, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

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- The Design Thinking Playbook: Mindful Digital Transformation of Teams, Products, Services, Businesses and Ecosystems;
   Michael Lewrick, Patrick Link, Larry Leifer
- The Design Thinking Toolbox: A Guide to Mastering the Most Popular and Valuable Innovation Methods; Michael Lewrick, Patrick Link, Larry Leifer
- Frame Innovation: Create New Thinking by Design (Design Thinking, Design Theory); Kees Dorst



# 6.346 Course: Simulation Game in Energy Economics [T-WIWI-108016]

Responsible: Dr. Massimo Genoese

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101451 - Energy Economics and Energy Markets

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Examination of another type 3,5 Grade to a third Each summer term 2

Events							
ST 2024	2581025	Simulation Game in Energy Economics	3 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Genoese, Zimmermann		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7981025	Simulation Game in Energy Economics			Fichtner		

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

# **Competence Certificate**

Examination as written assignment and oral presentation (§4 (2), 1 SPO).

# **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Visiting the course "Introduction to Energy Economics"

#### **Annotation**

The number of participants is limited.

There is a registration procedure via CAS followed by a selection of the participants.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Simulation Game in Energy Economics

2581025, SS 2024, 3 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture / Practice (VÜ) On-Site

# Content

- Introduction
- · Agents and market places in the electricity industry
- Selected planning tasks of energy service companies
- Methods of modelling in the energy sector
- Agent-based simulation: The PowerACE model
- Simulation game: Simulation in energy economics (electricity and emission trading, investment decisions)

The lecture is structured in a theoretical and a practical part. In the theoretical part, the students are taught the basics to carry out simulations themselves in the practical part which comprises amongst others the simulation of the power exchange. The participants of the simulation game take a role as a power trader in the power market. Based on various sources of information (e.g. prognosis of power prices, available power plants, fuel prices), they can launch bids in the power exchange.

Assessment: presentation and written summary

Prerequisites: Basics in Energy economics ad markets are advantageous.

# Organizational issues

CIP-Pool West, Raum 102, Geb. 06.41 - siehe Institutsaushang

# Literature

# Weiterführende Literatur:

Möst, D. und Genoese, M. (2009): Market power in the German wholesale electricity market. The Journal of Energy Markets (47–74). Volume 2/Number 2, Summer 2009



# 6.347 Course: Smart Energy Infrastructure [T-WIWI-107464]

Responsible: Dr. Armin Ardone

Dr. Dr. Andrej Marko Pustisek

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101452 - Energy Economics and Technology

Type<br/>Written examinationCredits<br/>5,5Grading scale<br/>Grade to a thirdRecurrence<br/>Each winter termVersion<br/>2

Events							
WT 24/25	2581023	(Smart) Energy Infrastructure	4 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Ardone, Pustisek		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7900228	Smart Energy Infrastructure NEW	Smart Energy Infrastructure NEW				
ST 2024	7981023	Smart Energy Infrastructure			Fichtner		

# **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 minutes). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# (Smart) Energy Infrastructure

2581023, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

## Content

The lecture provides a techno-economic overview of different infrastructures of the energy system and their importance regarding the future energy system ("Energiewende") – in particular

- for electricity:
  - the supply side (e.g. power plants)
  - the demand side (e.g. load structures of appliances, flexibilities) as well as
  - transport infrastructures (electricity grids)
- for fuel transportation:
  - pipeline infrastructures (focus on natural gas)
  - shipping of LNG
  - crude oil and oil product transportation
  - hydrogen transportation
  - comparison of potential energy carriers for global trade of renewable energy (e.g., hydrogen and its derivates, efuels, reactive metals)
- storage systems (e.g. batteries)

Additionally, the lecture provides a toolbox for energy system analysis such as an overview and classification of energy systems modelling approaches as well as the usage of scenario techniques for energy systems analysis.

The lecture also provides practical examples for the relevant methods presented.

# Organizational issues

Blockveranstaltung am 14.11., 15.11., 28.11., 29.11., 05.12., 06.12., 12.12., 13.12.24



# 6.348 Course: Smart Grid Applications [T-WIWI-107504]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101446 - Market Engineering

M-WIWI-103720 - eEnergy: Markets, Services and Systems

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination4,5Grade to a thirdsee Annotations2

Exams			
ST 2024	7900308	Smart Grid Applications	Weinhardt

# **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 min) (according to §4(2), 1 of the examination regulations). By successful completion of the exercises (§4 (2), 3 SPO 2007 respectively §4 (3) SPO 2015) a bonus can be obtained. If the grade of the written exam is at least 4.0 and at most 1.3, the bonus will improve it by one grade level (i.e. by 0.3 or 0.4).

# **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

#### **Annotation**

The lecture will no longer be offered from the coming winter semester 2023/24. It is only possible to take part in the main exam (first-time writer) and follow-up exam (repeater).

Version

3



# 6.349 Course: Social Choice Theory [T-WIWI-102859]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Clemens Puppe

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101500 - Microeconomic Theory

M-WIWI-101504 - Collective Decision Making

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceWritten examination4,5Grade to a thirdEach summer term

Events							
ST 2024	2520537	Social Choice Theory	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Puppe		
ST 2024	2520539	Übung zu Social Choice Theory	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Puppe, Kretz		
Exams							
ST 2024	7900039	Social Choice Theory (main date)	Social Choice Theory (main date)				
ST 2024	7900045	Social Choice Theory (make-up date)			Puppe		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 min.). The examination is offered every summer semester.

# **Prerequisites**

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Social Choice Theory**

2520537, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

# Content

How should (political) candidates be elected? What are good ways of merging individual judgments into collective judgments? Social Choice Theory is the systematic study and comparison of how groups and societies can come to collective decisions.

The course offers a rigorous and comprehensive treatment of judgment and preference aggregation as well as voting theory. It is divided into two parts. The first part deals with (general binary) aggregation theory and builds towards a general impossibility result that has the famous Arrow theorem as a corollary. The second part treats voting theory. Among other things, it includes prooving the Gibbard-Satterthwaite theorem.

# Workload:

Total workload for 4.5 credit points: approx. 135 hours

Attendance: 30 hours Self-study: 105 hours

# Literature

Main texts:

- Moulin, H. 1988. Axioms of Cooperative Decision Making. Cambridge University Press.
- List, C. and Puppe, C. 2009. Judgement Aggregation. A survey. In: The Handbook of rational & social choice. P. Anand, P. Pattanaik, C. Puppe (Eds.). Oxford University Press.

## Secondary texts:

- Sen, A. K. 1970. Collective Choice and Social Welfare. Holden-Day.
- Gaertner, W. 2009. A Primer in Social Choice Theory. Revised edition. Oxford University Press.
- Gaertner, W. 2001. Domain Conditions in Social Choice Theory. Cambridge University Press.



# 6.350 Course: Software Architecture and Quality [T-INFO-101381]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ralf Reussner
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100844 - Software Architecture and Quality

M-WIWI-104812 - Information Systems: Engineering and Transformation

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination3Grade to a thirdEach summer term1

Events								
ST 2024	24667	Software Architecture and Quality	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Reussner			
Exams	Exams							
ST 2024	7500021	Software Architecture and Quality	Software Architecture and Quality					
WT 24/25	7500032	Software Architecture and Quality			Reussner			

Legend: 
☐ Online, 
☐ Blended (On-Site/Online), 
☐ On-Site, 
X Cancelled



# 6.351 Course: Software Engineering II [T-INFO-101370]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Anne Koziolek

Prof. Dr. Ralf Reussner

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100833 - Software Engineering II

Type	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	6	Grade to a third	Each winter term	1

Events						
WT 24/25	24076	Software Engineering II	4 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Reussner	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500207	Software Engineering II			Reussner	

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Software Engineering II**

24076, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

# Literature

Craig Larman, Applying UML and Patterns, 3rd edition, Prentice Hall, 2004. Weitere Literaturhinweise werden in der Vorlesung gegeben.



# 6.352 Course: Software Lab Parallel Numerics [T-INFO-105988]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Karl
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102998 - Software Lab Parallel Numerics

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 6 Grade to a third Each term 2



# 6.353 Course: Software Product Line Engineering [T-INFO-111017]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Ina Schaefer **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105471 - Software Product Line Engineering

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Oral examination	3	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events	Events							
ST 2024	2400050	Software Product Line Engineering	2 SWS	Lecture / Practice ( /	Feichtinger			
Exams								
ST 2024	7500280	Software Product Line Engineering			Schaefer			

# **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an oral examination, usually lasting 25 minutes in accordance with Section 4 (2) No. 2 SPO.

Depending on the number of attending students, it will be announced six weeks before the examination (§ 6 Para. 3 SPO) whether the performance assessment will take place

- in the form of an oral examination in accordance with Section 4 (2) No. 2 SPO (as described above) or
- in the form of a written examination lasting 90 minutes in accordance with Section 4 (2) No. 1 SPO.

# Recommendation

Basic knowledge from the lectures Software Engineering II [T-INFO-101370] and Formal Systems [T-INFO-101336] is helpful.



# 6.354 Course: Software Quality Management [T-WIWI-102895]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Andreas Oberweis

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101477 - Development of Business Information Systems

M-WIWI-104812 - Information Systems: Engineering and Transformation

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Written examination 4,5 Grade to a third Each summer term 2

Events	Events							
ST 2024	2511208	Software Quality Management	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Alpers			
ST 2024	2511209	Übungen zu Software- Qualitätsmanagement	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Frister, Forell			
Exams								
ST 2024	79AIFB_STQM_A5	Software Quality Management (Reg	Software Quality Management (Registration until 15 July 2024)					
WT 24/25	79AIFB_STQM_C1	Software Quality Management			Oberweis			

Legend: Online. S Blended (On-Site/Online). On-Site. X Cancelled

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is a written examination (60 min) according to §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation in the first week after lecture period.

# **Prerequisites**

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Software Quality Management**

2511208, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

# Content

This lecture imparts fundamentals of active software quality management (quality planning, quality testing, quality control, quality assurance) and illustrates them with concrete examples, as currently applied in industrial software development. Keywords of the lecture content are: software and software quality, process models, software process quality, ISO 9000-3, CMM(I), BOOTSTRAP, SPICE, software tests.

# Learning objectives:

Students

- explain the relevant quality models,
- apply methods to evaluate the software quality and evaluate the results,
- know the mail models of sofware certification, compare and evaluate these models,
- write scientific theses in the area of software quality management and find own solutions for given problems.

# Recommendations:

Programming knowledge in Java and basic knowledge of computer science are expected.

# Workload:

- Lecture 30h
- Exercise 15h
- Preparation of lecture 24h
- Preparation of exercises 25h
- Exam preparation 40h
- Exam 1h

# Literature

- Helmut Balzert: Lehrbuch der Software-Technik. Spektrum-Verlag 2008
- Peter Liggesmeyer: Software-Qualität, Testen, Analysieren und Verifizieren von Software. Spektrum Akademischer Verlag 2002
- Mauro Pezzè, Michal Young: Software testen und analysieren. Oldenbourg Verlag 2009

Weitere Literatur wird in der Vorlesung bekanntgegeben.



# 6.355 Course: Software Security Engineering [T-INFO-112862]

**Responsible:** Dr. Christopher Gerking

Prof. Dr. Ralf Reussner

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106344 - Software Security Engineering

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Oral examination 3 Grade to a third Each summer term 1

Events							
ST 2024	2400059	Software Security Engineering	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Gerking		
Exams							
ST 2024	7500357	Software Security Engineering			Gerking		
WT 24/25	7500040	Software Security Engineering			Gerking		



# 6.356 Course: Software-Evolution [T-INFO-101256]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ralf Reussner

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100719 - Software-Evolution

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination3Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events								
WT 24/25	24164	Software Evolution	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b> *	Heinrich			
Exams	Exams							
ST 2024	7500023	Software-Evolution			Reussner			
WT 24/25	7500004	Software-Evolution			Reussner			

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.357 Course: Spatial Economics [T-WIWI-103107]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Ingrid Ott

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101485 - Transport Infrastructure Policy and Regional Development

M-WIWI-101496 - Growth and Agglomeration

TypeCredits<br/>Written examinationGrading scale<br/>4,5Recurrence<br/>Each winter termVersion<br/>1

Events							
WT 24/25	2561260	Spatial Economics	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Ott		
WT 24/25	2561261	Exercise for Spatial Economics	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Ott, Mirzoyan		
Exams							
WT 24/25	7900075	Spatial Economics			Ott		
WT 24/25	7900276	Spatial Economics			Ott		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Depending on further pandemic developments, the examination will be offered either as an open-book examination, or as a 60-minute written examination.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

# Recommendation

Basic micro- and macroeconomic knowledge is required, such as that taught in the courses "Economics I" [2600012] and "Economics II" [2600014], attendance of which is strongly recommended (but not mandatory). An interest in quantitative-mathematical modeling is also a prerequisite. Attendance of the course "Introduction to Economic Policy" [2560280] is recommended.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Spatial Economics**

2561260, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

The course covers the following topics:

- Geography, trade and development
- Geography and economic theory
- Core models of economic geography and empirical evidence
- Agglomeration, home market effect, and spatial wages
- Applications and extensions

# Learning objectives:

The student

- analyses how spatial distribution of economic activity is determined.
- uses quantitative methods within the context of economic models.
- has basic knowledge of formal-analytic methods.
- understands the link between economic theory and its empirical applications.
- understands to what extent concentration processes result from agglomeration and dispersion forces.
- is able to determine theory based policy recommendations.

# **Recommendations:**

Basic knowledge of micro- and macroeconomics is assumed, as taught in the courses Economics I [2600012], and Economics II [2600014]. An interest in mathematical modeling is advantageous.

#### Workload:

The total workload for this course is approximately 135 hours.

- Classes: ca. 30 h
- Self-study: ca. 45 h
- Exam and exam preparation: ca. 60 h

#### Assessment:

The assessment consists of a written exam (60 minutes) (following §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation).

# Literature

Steven Brakman, Harry Garretsen, Charles van Marrewijk (2009): The New Introduction to Geographical Economics, 2nd ed, Cambridge University Press.

Weitere Literatur wird in der Vorlesung bekanntgegeben.

(Further literature will be announced in the lecture.)



# 6.358 Course: Special Topics in Information Systems [T-WIWI-113724]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101410 - Business & Service Engineering

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionExamination of another type4,5Grade to a thirdEach term1

# **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is in form of a written documentation, a presentation of the outcome of the conducted practical components and an active participation in class.

Please take into account that, beside the written documentation, also a practical component (such as a survey or an implementation of an application) is part of the course. Please examine the course description for the particular tasks.

The overall grade is composed as follows:

A total of 60 points can be achieved, of which

- A maximum of 30 points for the written documentation
- A maximum of 30 points for the practical component

In order to pass the success control, at least 15 points (written documentation / practical component) must be achieved.

## **Prerequisites**

see below

# Recommendation

None

# **Annotation**

All the practical seminars offered at the chair of Prof. Dr. Weinhardt can be chosen in the Special Topics in Information Systems course. The current topics of the practical seminars are available at the following homepage: <a href="https://www.iism.kit.edu/im/lehre">www.iism.kit.edu/im/lehre</a>.

The Special Topics Information Systems is equivalent to the practical seminar, as it was only offered for the major in "Information Systems" so far. With this course students majoring in "Industrial Engineering and Management" and "Economics Engineering" also have the chance of getting practical experience and enhance their scientific capabilities.

The Special Topics Information Systems can be chosen instead of a regular lecture (see module description). Please take into account, that this course can only be accounted once per module.



# 6.359 Course: Special Topics in Information Systems [T-WIWI-113725]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101506 - Service Analytics

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionExamination of another type4,5Grade to a thirdEach term1

# **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is in form of a written documentation, a presentation of the outcome of the conducted practical components and an active participation in class.

Please take into account that, beside the written documentation, also a practical component (such as a survey or an implementation of an application) is part of the course. Please examine the course description for the particular tasks.

The overall grade is composed as follows:

A total of 60 points can be achieved, of which

- A maximum of 30 points for the written documentation
- A maximum of 30 points for the practical component

In order to pass the success control, at least 15 points (written documentation / practical component) must be achieved.

## **Prerequisites**

see below

#### Recommendation

None

# **Annotation**

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The Special Topics Information Systems can be chosen instead of a regular lecture (see module description). Please take into account, that this course can only be accounted once per module.



# 6.360 Course: Special Topics in Information Systems [T-WIWI-113726]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Christof Weinhardt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-103720 - eEnergy: Markets, Services and Systems

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionExamination of another type4,5Grade to a thirdEach term1

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is in form of a written documentation, a presentation of the outcome of the conducted practical components and an active participation in class.

Please take into account that, beside the written documentation, also a practical component (such as a survey or an implementation of an application) is part of the course. Please examine the course description for the particular tasks.

The overall grade is composed as follows:

A total of 60 points can be achieved, of which

- A maximum of 30 points for the written documentation
- A maximum of 30 points for the practical component

In order to pass the success control, at least 15 points (written documentation / practical component) must be achieved.

#### **Prerequisites**

see below

#### Recommendation

None

### **Annotation**

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The Special Topics Information Systems can be chosen instead of a regular lecture (see module description). Please take into account, that this course can only be accounted once per module.



# 6.361 Course: Startup Experience [T-WIWI-111561]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Orestis Terzidis

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101488 - Entrepreneurship (EnTechnon)

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	6	Grade to a third	Each term	1

Events					
ST 2024	2545004	Startup Experience	4 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Weimar, Terzidis, Martjan, Rosales Bravo
WT 24/25	2545004	Startup Experience	4 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Weimar, Martjan, Terzidis
Exams		•	•	•	
ST 2024	7900186	Startup Experience	Startup Experience		
WT 24/25	7900186	Startup Experience			Terzidis

#### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessment. Details on the design of the examination performance of other types will be announced in the course. The grade is composed of a presentation and a written paper (plus any specified documentation, e.g. work results, experience diary, reflection).

#### Recommendation

Lecture Entrepreneurship already completed

#### Annotation

The language in the seminar is English. The seminar contents will be published on the chair homepage.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Startup Experience**

2545004, SS 2024, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

# Content

#### Content

In the Startup Experience seminar you will develop entrepreneurial competences that will enable you to build a new business. In an entrepreneurial project, you have three main objectives:

- 1. Identify and develop an opportunity. Who is your target customer and what problem or task does he or she have? How attractive and how big is this market?
- 2. How will you add value to it? How can you use specific resources, including technology, to develop a solution?
- 3. How can you design and set up a viable organisation? What business model do you propose to create, deliver and capture value?

Our primary focus is on digital healthcare ventures, granting you the opportunity to delve into the realm of entrepreneurship within the healthcare system. After gaining a deep understanding of healthcare needs, you will utilize creativity techniques to uncover potential business ideas that provide value for patients and doctors. Additionally, you will learn how to create viable business models, dive into health regulations, and pitch your idea to a jury.

#### **Learning Objectives**

After completing this course, the course participants will be able to:

- Work effectively in a cohesive team
- Understand the role of digital entrepreneurship in healthcare
- Apply creativity techniques to ideate
- Use utility analysis approaches to select promising solutions
- Develop a value proposition based on techniques like the value proposition canvas or the jobs-to-be-done method
- Apply advanced business modeling methods to develop a sound business concept
- Develop and deliver a concise presentation ("pitch") to communicate your project
- Gain basic knowledge of healthcare regulations and reimbursement ways

#### Additional information:

Alternative exam assessment. The grade consists of the presentation and the written elaboration. Potentially, a 'project diary' of the seminar progress may be part of the deliverables (depends on tutor and will be communicated at the kick-off).

For a successful course completion, we expect you to submit a Business Plan with the following features:

- Scope: 9000 words,
- Sound and clear structure,
- Expression and spelling are correct
- Complete and correct references, quotations, etc.
- Visual elements are chosen appropriately
- Documentation and traceability of data acquisition, analysis and evaluation,
- Content is developed according to the course instructions.

Furthermore, we expect you to deliver a team Pitch.

- Duration: will be communicated (typically 5-10 minutes)
- Content: Introduction/Purpose; Problem; Solution; Business Model; Prototype; Competition; Management Team; Current Status and next steps,
- Layout and form: appropriate choice,
- Appearance: appropriate amount of visual elements,
- Data: well researched and organized visually
- Story Line: is sound; clear and convincing.

#### Organizational issues

Tuesday, 23.04.24

Tuesday, 30.04.24

Tuesday, 07.05.24

Tuesday, 28.05.24

Tuesday, 04.06.24

Tuesday, 18.06.24

Registration is via the Wiwi-Portal.

In the seminar you will work on a project in teams of max. 5 persons. Team applications are welcome but not a prerequisite for participation. The seminars will be held in English.



## Startup Experience

2545004, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

## Content

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- Complete and correct references, quotations, etc.
- Visual elements are chosen appropriately
- Documentation and traceability of data acquisition, analysis and evaluation,
- · Content is developed according to the course instructions.

Furthermore, we expect you to deliver a team Pitch.

- Duration: will be communicated (typically 5-10 minutes)
- Content: Introduction/Purpose; Problem; Solution; Business Model; Prototype; Competition; Management Team; Current Status and next steps,
- Layout and form: appropriate choice,
- Appearance: appropriate amount of visual elements,
- Data: well researched and organized visually
- Story Line: is sound; clear and convincing.

#### **Organizational issues**

Registration is via the Wiwi portal.

In the seminar you will work on a project in teams of max. 5 persons. The groups are formed in the seminar.



# 6.362 Course: Statistical Modeling of Generalized Regression Models [T-WIWI-103065]

Responsible: apl. Prof. Dr. Wolf-Dieter Heller

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101638 - Econometrics and Statistics I

M-WIWI-101639 - Econometrics and Statistics II
M-WIWI-105414 - Statistics and Econometrics II

TypeCredits<br/>Written examinationGrading scale<br/>4,5Recurrence<br/>Each winter termVersion<br/>1

Events						
WT 24/25	2521350	Statistical Modeling of Generalized Regression Models	2 SWS	Lecture	Heller	
Exams						
WT 24/25	7900146 (WS23/24)	tatistical Modeling of generalized regression models			Heller	

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is a written examination (60 min) according to \$4(2), 1 of the examination regulation.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Knowledge of the contents covered by the course "Economics III: Introduction in Econometrics" [2520016]

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Statistical Modeling of Generalized Regression Models

2521350, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)

#### Content

#### Learning objectives:

The student has profound knowledge of generalized regression models.

#### Requirements:

Knowledge of the contents covered by the course Economics III: Introduction in Econometrics" [2520016].

### Workload:

Total workload for 4.5 CP: approx. 135 hours

Attendance: 30 hours

Preparation and follow-up: 65 hours



# 6.363 Course: Stochastic Calculus and Finance [T-WIWI-103129]

Responsible: Dr. Mher Safarian

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101639 - Econometrics and Statistics II

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach winter term 1

Events					
WT 24/25	2521331	Stochastic Calculus and Finance	2 SWS	Lecture	Safarian
WT 24/25	2521332	Übungen zu Stochastic Calculus and Finance	2 SWS	Practice	Safarian

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course consists of a written examination (§4(2), 1 SPOs, 180 min.).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Annotation

For more information see http://statistik.econ.kit.edu/

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



#### **Stochastic Calculus and Finance**

2521331, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)

#### Content

#### Learning objectives:

After successful completion of the course students will be familiar with many common methods of pricing and portfolio models in finance. Emphasis we be put on both finance and the theory behind it.

#### Content

The course will provide rigorous yet focused training in stochastic calculus and mathematical finance. Topics to be covered:

- 1. Stochastic Calculus: Stochastic Processes, Brownian Motion and Martingales, Entropy, Stopping Times, Local martingales, Doob-Meyer Decomposition, Quadratic Variation, Stochastic Integration, Ito Formula, Girsanov Theorem, Jump-diffusion Processes, Stable and Levy processes.
- 2. Mathematical Finance: Pricing Models, The Black-Scholes Model, State prices and Equivalent Martingale Measure, Complete Markets and Redundant Security Prices, Arbitrage Pricing with Dividends, Term-Structure Models (One Factor Models, Cox-Ingersoll-Ross Model, Affine Models), Term-Structure Derivatives and Hedging, Mortgage-Backed Securities, Derivative Assets (Forward Prices, Future Contracts, American Options, Look-back Options), Incomplete Markets, Markets with Transaction Costs, Optimal Portfolio and Consumption Choice (Stochastic Control and Merton continuous time optimization problem, CAPM), Equilibrium models, Numerical Methods.

#### Workload:

Total workload for 4.5 CP: approx. 135 hours

Attendance: 30 hours

Preparation and follow-up: 65 hours

## **Organizational issues**

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#### Literature

- Dynamic Asset Pricing Theory, Third Edition by D. Duffie, Princeton University Press, 1996
- Stochastic Calculus for Finance II: Continuous-Time Models by S. E. Shreve, Springer, 2003
- Stochastic Finance: An Introduction in Discrete Time by H. Föllmer, A. Schied, de Gruyter, 2011
- Methods of Mathematical Finance by I. Karatzas, S. E. Shreve, Springer, 1998
- Markets with Transaction Costs by Yu. Kabanov, M. Safarian, Springer, 2010
- Introduction to Stochastic Calculus Applied to Finance by D.Lamberton, B. Lapeyre, Chapman&Hall,1996



# 6.364 Course: Stochastic Information Processing [T-INFO-101366]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Uwe Hanebeck **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100829 - Stochastic Information Processing

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination6Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events						
WT 24/25	24113	Stochastic Information Processing	3 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Hanebeck, Frisch	
Exams						
ST 2024	7500010	Stochastic Information Processing			Hanebeck	
WT 24/25	7500031	Stochastic Information Processing			Hanebeck	

Legend: ☐ Online, 🍪 Blended (On-Site/Online), 🗣 On-Site, 🗙 Cancelled

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Stochastic Information Processing**

24113, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

In order to handle complex dynamic systems (e.g., in robotics), an in-step estimation of the system's internal state (e.g., position and orientation of the actuator) is required. Such an estimation is ideally based on the system model (e.g., a discretized differential equation describing the system dynamics) and the measurement model (e.g., a nonlinear function that maps the state space to a measurement subspace). Both system and measurement model are uncertain (e.g., include additive or multiplicative noise).

For continuous state spaces, an exact calculation of the probability densities is only possible in a few special cases. In practice, general nonlinear systems are often traced back to these special cases by simplifying assumptions. One extreme is linearization with subsequent application of linear estimation theory. However, this often leads to unsatisfactory results and requires additional heuristic measures. At the other extreme are numerical approximation methods, which only evaluate the desired distribution densities at discrete points in the state space. Although the working principle of these procedures is usually quite simple, a practical implementation often turns out to be difficult and especially for higher-dimensional systems it is computationally complex.

As a middle ground, analytical nonlinear estimation methods would therefore often be desirable. In this lecture the main difficulties in the development of such estimation methods are presented and corresponding solution modules are presented. Based on these building blocks, some analytical estimation methods are discussed in detail as examples, which are very suitable for practical implementation and offer a good compromise between computing effort and performance. Useful applications of these estimation methods are also discussed. Both known methods and the results of current research are presented.

#### Organizational issues

Der Prüfungstermin ist per E-Mail zu vereinbaren. Zusätzliche Anmeldung im CAS nicht vergessen.

#### Literature Weiterführende Literatur

Skript zur Vorlesung



# 6.365 Course: Strategy and Management Theory: Developments and "Classics" [T-WIWI-106190]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Hagen Lindstädt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-103119 - Advanced Topics in Strategy and Management

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Irregular	1

Events	Events						
ST 2024	2577921	Strategy and Management Theory: Developments and "Classics" (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Lindstädt		
WT 24/25	2577921	Strategy and Management Theory: Developments and "Classics" (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Lindstädt		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7900278	Strategy and Management Theory: Developments and "Classics"			Lindstädt		
WT 24/25	7900120	Strategy and Management Theory: D	evelopme	nts and "Classics"	Lindstädt		

Legend: 
☐ Online, 
☐ Blended (On-Site/Online), 
☐ On-Site, 
X Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The control of success according to § 4(2), 3 SPO takes place by writing a scientific work and a presentation of the results of the work in the context of a conclusion meeting. Details on the design of the performance review will be announced during the lecture.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge as conveyed in the bachelor module "Strategy and Organization" is recommended.

#### **Annotation**

This course is admission restricted. If you were already admitted to another course in the module "Advanced Topics in Strategy and Management" the participation at this course will be guaranteed.

The course is planned to be held for the first time in the winter term 2017/18.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



Strategy and Management Theory: Developments and "Classics" (Master) 2577921, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

This course covers highly topical issues of great relevance to the management of organizations. Students will be enabled to take strategic management positions. By applying appropriate models from the fields of strategy and management - or models developed in-house - participants will learn to evaluate the strategic starting position of an organization and derive precise and well-founded recommendations for action based on this.

This course offers students the opportunity to explore current management issues and sharpen their skills in strategic analysis and evaluation. Through intensive collaboration and practical application of the knowledge learned, students are optimally prepared for the demands and challenges of modern business management.

#### Structure

The course begins with an overarching theme, based on which students are divided into groups of two. The core of the course consists of the preparation of a written paper as well as the presentation and discussion of the results.

#### **Learning Objectives**

Upon completion of the course, students will be able to,

- analyze complex business situations, think strategically and derive sound management decisions.
- compose clear and convincing written papers that accurately present the analyses and recommendations developed.
- present results in an engaging manner and actively participate in substantive discussions.

#### Recommendations:

Prior attendance of the Bachelor's module "Strategy and Organization" or another module with comparable content at another university is recommended.

#### Workload:

Total effort approx. 90 hours Attendance time: 15 hours

Preparation and follow-up: 75 hours

Examination and preparation: not applicable

#### Verification:

The success control according to § 4(2), 3 SPO is done by writing a scientific paper and a presentation of the results of the paper in the context of a final event. Details on the design of the performance review will be announced during the lecture.

#### **Annotation:**

The course is admission restricted. In case of prior admission to another course in the module "Strategy and Management: Advanced Topics" [M-WIWI-103119], participation in this course is guaranteed. For more information on the application process, see the IBU website.

Exams are offered at least every other semester, so the entire module can be completed in two semesters.

#### **Organizational issues**

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Strategy and Management Theory: Developments and "Classics" (Master)

2577921, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

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Examination and preparation: not applicable

#### Verification:

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#### **Annotation:**

The course is admission restricted. In case of prior admission to another course in the module "Strategy and Management: Advanced Topics" [M-WIWI-103119], participation in this course is guaranteed. For more information on the application process, see the IBU website.

Exams are offered at least every other semester, so the entire module can be completed in two semesters.

#### **Organizational issues**

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# 6.366 Course: Subdivision Algorithms [T-INFO-103551]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Hartmut Prautzsch
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101863 - Subdivision Algorithms

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination3Grade to a thirdIrregular1

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an oral examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO) lasting 20 minutes.

## **Prerequisites**

None.



# 6.367 Course: Successful Transformation Through Innovation [T-WIWI-111823]

Responsible: Malte Busch

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101507 - Innovation Management M-WIWI-101507 - Innovation Management

Type Credits Grading scale Examination of another type 3 Grade to a third Each summer term 1

### **Competence Certificate**

Alternative exam assessments. The grade consists of an presentation of the results (50%) and a seminar paper (50%).

#### Recommendation

Prior attendance of the course Innovation Management [2545015] is recommended.

#### Annotation

Teaching and learning format: Seminar



# 6.368 Course: Supplement Enterprise Information Systems [T-WIWI-110346]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Andreas Oberweis

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101477 - Development of Business Information Systems

TypeCredits<br/>Written examinationGrading scale<br/>4,5Recurrence<br/>Each termVersion<br/>1

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment of this course is a written or (if necessary) oral examination.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### **Annotation**

This course can be used in particular for the acceptance of external courses whose content is in the broader area of applied informatics, but is not equivalent to another course of this topic.



# 6.369 Course: Supply Chain Management with Advanced Planning Systems [T-WIWI-102763]

Responsible: Claus J. Bosch

Dr. Mathias Göbelt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101412 - Industrial Production III

M-WIWI-101471 - Industrial Production II

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	3,5	Grade to a third	Each summer term	1

Events							
ST 2024	2581961	Supply Chain Management with Advanced Planning Systems	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Göbelt, Bosch		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7981961	upply Chain Management with Advanced Planning Systems			Schultmann		

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of an oral (30 minutes) or written exam (60 minutes) (following §4(2) of the examination regulation). The exam takes place in every semester. Re-examinations are offered at every ordinary examination date. Depending on the respective pandemic situation, the exam may be offered as an open book exam (alternative exam assessment, following §4(2), 3 of the examination regulation).

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



**Supply Chain Management with Advanced Planning Systems** 2581961, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

This lecture deals with supply chain management from a practitioner's perspective with a special emphasis Advanced Planning Systems (APS) and the planning domain. The software solution SAP SCM, one of the most widely used Advanced Planning Systems, is used as an example to show functionality and application of an APS in practice.

First, the term supply chain management is defined and its scope is determined. Methods to analyze supply chains as well as indicators to measure supply chains are derived. Second, the structure of an APS (advanced planning system) is discussed in a generic way. Later in the lecture, the software solution SAP SCM is mapped to this generic structure. The individual planning tasks and software modules (demand planning, supply network planning / sales & operations planning, production planning / detailed scheduling, deployment, transportation planning, global available-to-promise) are presented by discussing the relevant business processes, providing academic background, describing typical planning processes and showing the user interface and user-related processes in the software solution. At the end of the lecture, implementation methodologies and project management approaches for SAP SCM are covered.

#### Contents

## 1. Introduction to Supply Chain Management

- 1.1. Supply Chain Management Fundamentals
- 1.2. Supply Chain Management Analytics

## 2. Structure of Advanced Planning Systems

#### 3. SAP SCM

- 3.1. Introduction / SCM Solution Map
- 3.2. Demand Planning
- 3.3. Supply Network Planning / Sales & Operations Planning
- 3.4. Production Planning and Detailed Scheduling
- 3.5. Deployment
- 3.6. Transportation Planning / Global Available to Promise
- 3.7. Cloud-based Supply Chain Planning

#### 4. SAP SCM in Practice

- 4.1. Project Management and Implementation
- 4.2. SAP Implementation Methodology

#### Literature

will be announced in the course



# 6.370 Course: Tax Law [T-INFO-111437]

Responsible: Detlef Dietrich

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101216 - Private Business Law

Type Credits Grading scale Grade to a third Recurrence Each summer term 1

Events							
ST 2024	24646	Tax Law	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Dietrich		
Exams							
ST 2024	7500120	Tax Law			Sattler		
WT 24/25	7500062	Tax Law			Sattler, Matz		

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.371 Course: Telecommunications and Internet – Economics and Policy [T-WIWI-113147]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Kay Mitusch

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101406 - Network Economics M-WIWI-101409 - Electronic Markets

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Type Cred Written examination 4,5	9	<b>Recurrence</b> Each winter term	Version 1
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Events							
WT 24/25	2561232	Telecommunication and Internet - Economics and Policy	2 SWS	Lecture / 🕃	Mitusch		
WT 24/25	2561233	Excercises to Telecommunication and Internet - Economics and Policy	1 SWS	Practice / 🗯	Mitusch, Wisotzky, Corbo		
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7900276	Telecommunications and Internet – E	Mitusch				

Legend: ☐ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

Students' understanding and knowledge will be assessed through either an oral or a written exam. The actual method used will be announced during the course. The course takes place every winter term, and exams are offered two times a year, in March and in September.

## Recommendation

Basic knowledge of microeconomics is a precondition. Further knowledge of industrial economics or networks economics is useful, but not necessary. No prior knowledge of telecommunications or internet technologies is required.

#### Annotation

Disclaimer:

German wording is sometimes provided in parallel. Some German original literature is used (especially official and legislative texts) where we will try to provide English translations in parallel.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



**Telecommunication and Internet - Economics and Policy** 2561232, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)
Blended (On-Site/Online)

#### Content

#### **Description:**

The course provides students with a comprehensive understanding of the economic principles, dynamics, and policies that govern the telecommunication and internet industries and markets. It focuses on the infrastructure of the internet, both physical and logical.

#### Course Objectives:

**Understand the telecommunication and internet landscape:** Students will be introduced to the historical development, evolution, and current state of the telecommunication and internet industries. This includes technology, industrial organization, regulation, and other policies. Students will explore the emergence of modern telecommunication networks, the birth of the internet, and key milestones that have shaped the global communication landscape.

**Examine network economics:** Students will explore the unique economic characteristics of telecommunications networks, including network effects, economies of scale, the implications for investment decisions and market entry barriers, and regulatory responses.

Analyse market structures and competition policies: Students will dive into the various market structures that exist within the telecommunication and internet industries, including: access to the internet by users, access to the infrastructure by firms, economic interactions between the autonomous systems (i.e. sub-networks) and other players (like internet exchange points) of the internet, implications for quality of services and network neutrality. Emphasis will be placed on competitiveness of markets, resp. market power, on the role of regulation, and how they impact market dynamics.

**Investigate infrastructure investment and policy:** The course will address the significant role of infrastructure investment in the telecommunication and internet sectors. Students will analyse the economic drivers behind infrastructure construction, government policies, and regulatory frameworks that influence investment decisions.

Address emerging trends: The course will address the latest trends and technologies in telecommunication and the internet, such as 5G, Internet of Things (IoT), and cloud computing, content delivery networks, and their economic implications.

Assess platform economics: The role of digital platforms in the telecommunication and internet industries will be addressed. Students will understand platform business models and the economics of multisided markets. In this context, the "hypergiants" of the internet get into the focus as well as the challenges and opportunities they present.

#### **Teaching Methodology:**

The course will adopt a combination of lectures, case studies, and guest lectures from (industry) experts. Real-world examples will be used to illustrate economic principles in action within the telecommunication and internet sectors. A few economic models will be analysed, but most of the issues will be addressed verbally.



# 6.372 Course: Telecommunications Law [T-INFO-101309]

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106754 - Public Economic and Technology Law

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination3Grade to a thirdEach summer term1

Events	Events								
ST 2024	24632	Telekommunikationsrecht	2 SWS	Lecture / <b>♀</b>	Döveling				
Exams	Exams								
ST 2024	7500085	Telecommunications Law			Zufall				
WT 24/25	7500049	Telecommunications Law			Zufall				

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♣ On-Site, **x** Cancelled



# 6.373 Course: Telematics [T-INFO-101338]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martina Zitterbart

Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100801 - Telematics

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination6Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events	Events								
WT 24/25	24128	Telematics	4 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Zitterbart, Kopmann, Seehofer, Mahrt				
Exams									
ST 2024	7500115	Telematics	elematics						
WT 24/25	7500166	Telematics			Zitterbart				

Legend: Online, S Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, X Cancelled

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



#### **Telematics**

24128, WS 24/25, 4 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

The lecture covers (i.a.) protocols, architectures, as well as methods and algorithms, for routing and establishing reliable end-toend connections in the Internet. In addition to various methods for media access control in local area networks, the lecture also covers other communication systems, e.g. circuit-switched systems such as ISDN. Participants should also have understood the possibilities for managing and administering networks.

Familiary with the contents of the lecture Einführung in Rechnernetze or comparable lectures is assumed.

### **Learning Objectives**

After attending this lecture, the students will

- have a profound understanding of protocols, architectures, as well as procedures and algorithms used for routing and for establishing reliable end-to-end connections in the Internet
- have a profound understanding of different media access control procedures in local networks and other communication systems like circuit-switched ISDN
- have a profound understanding of the problems that arise in large scale dynamic communication systems and are familiar with mechanism to deal with these problems
- be familiar with current developments such as SDN and data center networking
- be familiar with different aspects and possibilities for network management and administration

Students have a profound understanding of the basic protocol mechanisms that are necessary to establish reliable end-to-end communication. Students have detailed knowledge about the congestion and flow control mechanisms used in TCP and can discuss fairness issue in the context of multiple parallel transport streams. Students can analytically determine the performance of transport protocols and know techniques for dealing with specific constraints in the context of TCP, e.g., high data rates and low latencies. Students are familiar with current topics such as the problem of middle boxes on the Internet, the usage of TCP in data centers or multipath TCP. Students are also familiar with practical aspects of modern transport protocols and know practical ways to overcome heterogeneity in the development of distributed applications.

Students know the functions of (Internet) routing and routers and can explain and apply common routing algorithms. Students are familiar with routing architectures and different alternatives for buffer placement as well as their advantages and disadvantages. Students understand the classification into interior and exterior gateway protocols and have in-depth knowledge of the functionality and features of common protocols such as RIP, OSPF, and BGP. Students are also familiar with current topics such as label switching, IPv6 and SDN.

Students know the function of media access control and are able to classify and analytically evaluate different media access control mechanisms. Students have an in-depth knowledge of Ethernet and various Ethernet variants and characteristics, which especially includes current developments such as real-time Ethernet and data center Ethernet. Students can explain and apply the Spanning Tree Protocol

Students know the architecture of ISDN and can reproduce the peculiarities of setting up the ISDN subscriber line. Students are familiar with the technical features of DSL.

#### Literature

S. Keshav. An Engineering Approach to Computer Networking. Addison-Wesley, 1997 J.F. Kurose, K.W. Ross. Computer Networking: A Top-Down Approach Featuring the Internet. 4rd Edition, Addison-Wesley, 2007 W. Stallings. Data and Computer Communications. 8th Edition, Prentice Hall, 2006 Weiterführende Literatur •D. Bertsekas, R. Gallager. Data Networks. 2nd Edition, Prentice-Hall, 1991 •F. Halsall. Data Communications, Computer Networks and Open Systems. 4th Edition, Addison-Wesley Publishing Company, 1996 •W. Haaß. Handbuch der Kommunikationsnetze. Springer, 1997 •A.S. Tanenbaum. Computer-Networks. 4th Edition, Prentice-Hall, 2004 •Internet-Standards •Artikel in Fachzeitschriften



# 6.374 Course: Testing Digital Systems I [T-INFO-101388]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Mehdi Baradaran Tahoori **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100851 - Testing Digital Systems I

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination3Grade to a thirdEach summer term1

## **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an oral examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO) lasting 20 minutes.

## **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Recommendation

Knowledge of Digital Design and Computer Architecture is helpful.



# 6.375 Course: Testing Digital Systems II [T-INFO-105936]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Mehdi Baradaran Tahoori **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-102962 - Testing Digital Systems II

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Version
Oral examination 3 Grade to a third Each summer term 1

Events	Events							
ST 2024	2400014	Testing Digital Systems II (findet im SS 2024 nicht statt)	2 SWS	Lecture /	Tahoori			

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as an oral examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 2 SPO) lasting 20 minutes.

#### **Prerequisites**

None.

#### Recommendation

Knowledge of Digital Design and Computer Architecture is helpful.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Testing Digital Systems II (findet im SS 2024 nicht statt)

2400014, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) Online

#### Content

Testing of digital circuits plays a critical role during the design and manufacturing cycles. It also ensures the quality of parts shipped to the customers. Test generation and design for testability are integral parts of automated design flow of all electronic products. The objective of this course is to provide more advanced topics on testing of digital systems and complement the foundation covered in Testing Digital Systems I.

Topics include Functional and Structural Testing (design verification vectors, exhaustive test, pseudo-exhaustive test, pseudo-random testing), Essentials of Test Generation for Sequential Circuits (state-machine initialization, time-frame expansion method), Built-in Self Test (test economics of BIST, test pattern generation, output respone analysis, BIST architectures), Boundry Scan (Boundry scan architectures, BS test methodology), Delay Testing (path delay test, hazard-free, robust, and non-robust delay tests), transition faults, delay test schemes), Current-Based Testing (motivation, test vectores for IDDQ, variations of IDDQ), Memory Test (memory test algorithm, memory BIST, memory repair), and DFT for System-on-Chip.

The objective of this course is to provide more advanced topics on testing of digital systems and complement the foundation covered in Testing Digital Systems I.



# 6.376 Course: Theoretical Foundations of Cryptography [T-INFO-111199]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr. Jörn Müller-Quade **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-105584 - Theoretical Foundations of Cryptography

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionWritten examination6Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events	Events								
WT 24/25	2400237	Theoretische Grundlagen der Kryptographie	4 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Müller-Quade, Berger				
Exams									
ST 2024	7500002	Theoretical Foundations of Cryptogr	Theoretical Foundations of Cryptography						
WT 24/25	7500274	Theoretical Foundations of Cryptogr	Müller-Quade						

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled



# 6.377 Course: Tools for Probabilistic Machine Learning [T-INFO-113763]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Uwe Hanebeck **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106870 - Tools for Probabilistic Machine Learning

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination6Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events							
WT 24/25	2400215	Tools for Probabilistic Machine Learning	3 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Frisch		
Exams							
WT 24/25	7500093	ools for Probabilistic Machine Learning			Hanebeck		

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# **Tools for Probabilistic Machine Learning**

2400215, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

The module is designed to teach students the theoretical and practical aspects of probabilistic machine learning. A broad selection of tools from estimation theory is presented in such a way that both a formal, academic as well as a clear, intuitive understanding of the basic principle is attained. Furthermore, the functionality of state-of-art implementations in the relevant libraries will be reviewed. The focus is on the ability to solve a wide range of problems by linking individual numerical and theoretical tools in a modular fashion to form a formally correct and numerically computable processing pipeline. In each case, we examine the reliability of the results. All this is supported by a purely digital exercise with calculation and programming tasks.

Presented numerical tools are interpolation, regression (linear and spline, kernel method, Gaussian process, neural network), differentiation (finite differences, automatic differentiation), finding zeros (bisection, Newton-Raphson, secant method), non-linear optimization (steepest descent, Newton, BFGS, Levenberg-Marquardt, KKT), sampling (independent random, MCMC, deterministic, control variates, low-discrepancy), cubature (Monte Carlo, quasi-Monte Carlo) and ordinary differential equations (Euler, Runge-Kutta).

Theoretical tools presented are least squares, maximum likelihood, error-tolerant estimation, Bayesian inference, expectation maximization.

The practical problems that can be solved with these tools include navigation (RSS, GNSS), localization (radar, bearings-only, TDOA multilateration), general state estimation (KF, EKF, UKF, PF) and control (NMPC). An important aspect in each case is the division of the problems into linear and non-linear parts with efficient separate processing.

Exam: Oral, appointments in the Wiwi-portal. Don't forget the additional registration in CAS.

#### **Organizational issues**

Enthält eine digitale Übung mit Programmieraufgaben.



# 6.378 Course: Tools for Probabilistic Machine Learning - Pass [T-INFO-113764]

**Responsible:** Prof. Dr.-Ing. Uwe Hanebeck **Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-106870 - Tools for Probabilistic Machine Learning

TypeCreditsGrading scaleRecurrenceVersionOral examination0Grade to a thirdEach winter term1

Events							
WT 24/25	2400215	Tools for Probabilistic Machine Learning	3 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Frisch		
Exams							
WT 24/25	7500096	Tools for Probabilistic Machine Learn	Hanebeck				

Legend: ☐ Online, Blended (On-Site/Online), On-Site, Cancelled

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Tools for Probabilistic Machine Learning**

2400215, WS 24/25, 3 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

The module is designed to teach students the theoretical and practical aspects of probabilistic machine learning. A broad selection of tools from estimation theory is presented in such a way that both a formal, academic as well as a clear, intuitive understanding of the basic principle is attained. Furthermore, the functionality of state-of-art implementations in the relevant libraries will be reviewed. The focus is on the ability to solve a wide range of problems by linking individual numerical and theoretical tools in a modular fashion to form a formally correct and numerically computable processing pipeline. In each case, we examine the reliability of the results. All this is supported by a purely digital exercise with calculation and programming tasks.

Presented numerical tools are interpolation, regression (linear and spline, kernel method, Gaussian process, neural network), differentiation (finite differences, automatic differentiation), finding zeros (bisection, Newton-Raphson, secant method), non-linear optimization (steepest descent, Newton, BFGS, Levenberg-Marquardt, KKT), sampling (independent random, MCMC, deterministic, control variates, low-discrepancy), cubature (Monte Carlo, quasi-Monte Carlo) and ordinary differential equations (Euler, Runge-Kutta).

Theoretical tools presented are least squares, maximum likelihood, error-tolerant estimation, Bayesian inference, expectation maximization.

The practical problems that can be solved with these tools include navigation (RSS, GNSS), localization (radar, bearings-only, TDOA multilateration), general state estimation (KF, EKF, UKF, PF) and control (NMPC). An important aspect in each case is the division of the problems into linear and non-linear parts with efficient separate processing.

Exam: Oral, appointments in the Wiwi-portal. Don't forget the additional registration in CAS.

#### **Organizational issues**

Enthält eine digitale Übung mit Programmieraufgaben.



# 6.379 Course: Topics in Experimental Economics [T-WIWI-102863]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Johannes Philipp Reiß

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101505 - Experimental Economics

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4,5	Grade to a third	Irregular	1

Events	Events								
ST 2024	2560232	Topics in Experimental Economics	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Reiß, Peters				
ST 2024	25602333	Übungen zu Topics in Experimental Economics	1 SWS	Practice / 🗣	Reiß, Peters				
Exams	Exams								
ST 2024	7910007	Topics in Experimental Economics			Reiß				

Legend: █ Online, ∰ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♥ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment consists of a written exam (following §4(2), 1 of the examination regulation).

### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge of Experimental Economics is assumed. Therefore, it is strongly recommended to attend the course Experimental Economics beforehand.

## Annotation

The course is offered in summer 2020 for the next time, not in summer 2018.



# 6.380 Course: Topics in Stochastic Optimization [T-WIWI-112109]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Steffen Rebennack

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management
Part of: M-WIWI-101473 - Mathematical Programming

M-WIWI-101637 - Analytics and Statistics

M-WIWI-102832 - Operations Research in Supply Chain Management

M-WIWI-103289 - Stochastic Optimization

**Type** Examination of another type

Credits 4,5

**Grading scale** Grade to a third Recurrence Each winter term Version 1

### **Competence Certificate**

Students will be given problem sets on which they work in groups. The problem sets will involve the implementation of the models presented in the course, and exploring features of these models. The groups will present their findings in front of the class. The grading will be based on the presentation.

#### Recommendation

A solid understanding of Stochastic Optimization and/or Optimization under Uncertainty as well as optimization in general is highly recommended, since we will heavily build upon basics of these areas.

#### **Annotation**

Teaching and learning format: Lecture and exercise



# 6.381 Course: Trademark and Unfair Competition Law [T-INFO-101313]

Responsible: Dr. Yvonne Matz

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-101215 - Intellectual Property Law

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	3	Grade to a third	Each term	1

Events	Events								
ST 2024	24609	Trademark and Unfair Competition Law	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Matz				
WT 24/25	24136	Trademark and Unfair Competition Law	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Matz				
Exams									
ST 2024	7500051	Trademark and Unfair Competition L	Trademark and Unfair Competition Law						
WT 24/25	7500061	Trademark and Unfair Competition L	Trademark and Unfair Competition Law						

 $\textit{Legend:} \ \overline{\blacksquare} \ \textit{Online}, \ \textcircled{\$} \ \textit{Blended} \ (\textit{On-Site/Online}), \ \P \cdot \textit{On-Site}, \ \textbf{x} \ \textit{Cancelled}$ 

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 60 minutes.

## Prerequisites

None.



# 6.382 Course: Transport Economics [T-WIWI-100007]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Kay Mitusch

Dr. Eckhard Szimba

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101406 - Network Economics

M-WIWI-101468 - Environmental Economics

M-WIWI-101485 - Transport Infrastructure Policy and Regional Development

Type Credits Grading scale Recurrence Fach summer term 1

Events	Events								
ST 2024	2560230	Transport Economics	2 SWS	Lecture	Mitusch, Szimba				
ST 2024	2560231	Übung zu Transportökonomie	1 SWS	Practice	Mitusch, Szimba, Wisotzky				
Exams									
ST 2024	7900275	Transport Economics			Mitusch				

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is made by a 60 minutes written examination during the semester break (according to §4(2), 1 ERSC). Examination is offered every semester and can be retried at any regular examination date.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



## **Transport Economics**

2560230, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Lecture (V)

#### Content

The course shall provide an overview of transport economics. It will be demonstrated, using new microeconomic models, which impacts regulation and pricing in transport have on the economic actions of individuals and logisticans and which benefits and costs apply. The following topics will be discussed:

- demand and supply in transport
- · empirical analysis of transport demand
- assessment of transport infrastructure projects
- external effects in transport
- · transport policy
- cost structures of transport infrastructure
- Project evaluation from the perspective of the public sector

#### Literature

#### Literatur:

Aberle, G: Transportwirtschaft: einzelwirtschaftliche und gesamtwirtschaftliche Grundlagen München; Wien: Oldenbourg, 2003.

Blauwens, G., De Baere, P. and Van der Voorde, E. (2006): Transport Economics.

Frerich, J; Müller, G: Europäische Verkehrspolitik, Landverkehrspolitik München; Wien: Oldenbourg, 2004.

Dasgupta, A, Pearce, D (1972): Cost-Benefit Analysis, MacMillan, London.

Europäische Kommission (2008): Guide to Cost Benefit Analysis of Investment Projects, online unter http://ec.europa.eu/regional\_policy/sources/Ben-Akiva, M., Meerseman, H., and Van de Voorde, E. (2008): Recent developments in transport modelling: Lessons for the freight sector.

Ortúzar, J. d. D. and Willumsen, L. (1990): Modelling Transport.



# 6.383 Course: Ubiquitous Computing [T-INFO-101326]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Michael Beigl
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100789 - Ubiquitous Computing

M-WIWI-101458 - Ubiquitous Computing

M-WIWI-104814 - Information Systems: Analytical and Interactive Systems

Type Credits Grading scale
Oral examination 5 Grade to a third

**Recurrence** Each winter term Version 1

Events								
WT 24/25	24146	Ubiquitäre Informationstechnologien		Lecture / Practice (	Beigl, Röddiger			
Exams	Exams							
ST 2024	7500055_20.09.2024	Ubiquitous Computing	•		Beigl			



# 6.384 Course: Valuation [T-WIWI-102621]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Martin Ruckes

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101480 - Finance 3

M-WIWI-101482 - Finance 1 M-WIWI-101483 - Finance 2

M-WIWI-101510 - Cross-Functional Management Accounting

Type C Written examination

**Credits** Grading scale 4,5 Grade to a third

**Recurrence** Each winter term

Version 1

Events							
WT 24/25	2530212	Valuation	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Ruckes		
WT 24/25	2530213	Übungen zu Valuation	Ruckes, Luedecke				
Exams	Exams						
ST 2024	7900072	Valuation			Ruckes		
WT 24/25	7900057	Valuation			Ruckes		

Legend: 
☐ Online, 
☐ Blended (On-Site/Online), 
☐ On-Site, 
X Cancelled

### **Competence Certificate**

See German version.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

## Recommendation

None

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



#### Valuation

2530212, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Literature

#### Weiterführende Literatur

Titman/Martin (2013): Valuation - The Art and Science of Corporate Investment Decisions, 2nd. ed. Pearson International.



# 6.385 Course: Visualization [T-INFO-101275]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Carsten Dachsbacher
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics
Part of: M-INFO-100738 - Visualization

Type Oral examination Credits Grading scale Grade to a third Each summer term 1

Exams				
ST 2024	7500193	Visualization	Dachsbacher	



# 6.386 Course: Wearable Robotic Technologies [T-INFO-106557]

Responsible: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Tamim Asfour

Prof. Dr.-Ing. Michael Beigl

**Organisation:** KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-103294 - Wearable Robotic Technologies

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Written examination	4	Grade to a third	Each summer term	4

Events						
ST 2024	2400062	Wearable Robotic Technologies	2 SWS	Lecture / 🗣	Asfour, Beigl	
Exams						
ST 2024	Asfour					
WT 24/25	7500073	Wearable Robotic Technologies			Asfour	

#### **Competence Certificate**

The assessment is carried out as a written examination (§ 4 Abs. 2 No. 1 SPO) lasting 60 minutes.

#### **Prerequisites**

Attending the lecture Mechano-Informatics and Robotics is recommended.

#### Recommendation

Attending the lecture Mechano-Informatics and Robotics is recommended.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



#### Wearable Robotic Technologies

2400062, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German/English, Open in study portal

Lecture (V) On-Site

#### Content

The lecture starts with an overview of wearable robot technologies (exoskeletons, prostheses and ortheses) and its potentials, followed by the basics of wearable robotics. In addition to different approaches to the design of wearable robots and their related actuator and sensor technology, the lecture focuses on modeling the neuromusculoskeletal system of the human body and the physical and cognitive human-robot interaction for tightly coupled hybrid human-robot systems. Examples of current research and various applications of lower, upper and full body exoskeletons as well as prostheses are presented.

## **Learning Objectives:**

The students have received fundamental knowledge about wearable robotic technologies and understand the requirements for the design, the interface to the human body and the control of wearable robots. They are able to describe methods for modelling the human neuromusculoskeletal system, the mechatronic design, fabrication and composition of interfaces to the human body. The students understand the symbiotic human–machine interaction as a core topic of Anthropomatics and has knowledge of state-of-the-art examples of exoskeletons, orthoses and prostheses.

#### Organizational issues

Die Erfolgskontrolle erfolgt in Form einer schriftlichen Prüfung im Umfang von i.d.R. 60 Minuten nach § 4 Abs. 2 Nr. 1 SPO.

Modul für Master Maschinenbau, Mechatronik und Informationstechnik, Elektrotechnik und Informationstechnik, Sportwissenschaften

Empfehlungen: Der Besuch der Vorlesung Mechano-Informatik in der Robotik wird empfohlen.

Arbeitsaufwand: 120h

#### Literature

Vorlesungsfolien und ausgewählte aktuelle Literaturangaben werden in der Vorlesung bekannt gegeben und als pdf unter http://www.humanoids.kit.edu verfügbar gemacht.



# 6.387 Course: Web App Programming for Finance [T-WIWI-110933]

Responsible: TT-Prof. Dr. Julian Thimme

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-101480 - Finance 3

**Type**Written examination

Credits 4,5 **Grading scale**Grade to a third

Recurrence Once Version 1

#### **Competence Certificate**

Non exam assessment according to § 4 paragraph 3 of the examination regulation. (Anmerkung: gilt nur für SPO 2015). The grade is made up as follows: 50% result of the project (R-code), 50% presentation of the project.

## **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

The content of the bachelor course Investments is assumed to be known and necessary to follow the course.



# 6.388 Course: Web Applications and Service-Oriented Architectures (II) [T-INFO-101271]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Sebastian Abeck
Organisation: KIT Department of Informatics

Part of: M-INFO-100734 - Web Applications and Service-Oriented Architectures (II)

M-WIWI-104812 - Information Systems: Engineering and Transformation

**Type**Oral examination

Credits 4

**Grading scale**Grade to a third

**Recurrence** Each summer term

Version 1

Events						
ST 2024 24677 Web Applications and Service oriented Architectures (II) 2 SWS Lecture / ♣ Abeck, Schneide Sänger, Throne						
Exams						
ST 2024	7500138 Web Applications and Service-oriented Architectures (II)					



# 6.389 Course: Workshop Business Wargaming – Analyzing Strategic Interactions [T-WIWI-106189]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Hagen Lindstädt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-103119 - Advanced Topics in Strategy and Management

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Irregular	1

Events							
WT 24/25	2577922	Workshop Business Wargaming - Analyse strategischer Interaktionen (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Lindstädt		
Exams							
WT 24/25	7900172	Workshop Business Wargaming - An	Lindstädt				

Legend: ☐ Online, ☼ Blended (On-Site/Online), ♀ On-Site, x Cancelled

#### **Competence Certificate**

In this course, real conflict situations are simulated and analyzed using various methods from business wargaming. Details on the design of the performance review will be announced during the lecture.

#### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge as conveyed in the bachelor module "Strategy and Organization" is recommended.

#### Annotation

This course is admission restricted. If you were already admitted to another course in the module "Advanced Topics in Strategy and Management" the participation at this course will be guaranteed.

The course is planned to be held for the first time in the summer term 2018.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



Workshop Business Wargaming - Analyse strategischer Interaktionen (Master)

Seminar (S) On-Site

2577922, WS 24/25, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

#### Content

This course enables the simulation of strategic conflicts in which the participants assume the roles of selected actors. With the help of specially programmed wargaming software, strategic conflicts are simulated interactively and then reflected upon and discussed.

The course focuses on the simulation and analysis of real conflict situations with strategic interaction. Students gain a better understanding of the structural characteristics of strategic conflicts in the fields of economics and politics as well as the ability to derive their own strategies for action.

Through a combination of group work, simulation, and reflection, the seminar provides a learning experience that both strengthens team skills and develops analytical skills in strategic conflict. Join this seminar to gain sound insights into conflict dynamics and develop effective action strategies for complex situations.

#### **Learning Objectives**

Upon completion of the course, students will be able to,

- learn the basic methodologies, features and benefits of business wargaming
- improve their understanding of conflict dynamics by reflecting on strategic conflicts
- Strengthen analytical skills by processing a variety of courses of action and deriving strategies for action

#### **Recommendations:**

Prior attendance of the Bachelor's module "Strategy and Organization" or another module with comparable content at another university is recommended.

#### Workload:

• Total workload: approx. 90 hours

• Attendance time: 15 hours

Preparation and follow-up: 75 hours

• Examination and preparation: not applicable

#### **Evidence:**

In this course, real conflict situations are simulated and analyzed with the help of various methods from business wargaming. Details on the design of the performance review will be announced during the lecture.

#### Annotation:

The course is admission restricted. In case of prior admission to another course in the module "Strategy and Management: Advanced Topics" [M-WIWI-103119], participation in this course is guaranteed. For more information on the application process, see the IBU website.

Exams are offered at least every other semester, so the entire module can be completed in two semesters.

## **Organizational issues**

IBU-Seminarraum, Geb. 05.20, Raum 2A-12.1



# 6.390 Course: Workshop Current Topics in Strategy and Management [T-WIWI-106188]

Responsible: Prof. Dr. Hagen Lindstädt

Organisation: KIT Department of Economics and Management

Part of: M-WIWI-103119 - Advanced Topics in Strategy and Management

Туре	Credits	Grading scale	Recurrence	Version
Examination of another type	3	Grade to a third	Irregular	1

Events						
ST 2024	2577923	Workshop aktuelle Themen Strategie und Management (Master)	2 SWS	Seminar / 🗣	Lindstädt	
Exams						
ST 2024	7900122	Workshop Current Topics in Strategy	Lindstädt			

#### **Competence Certificate**

The evaluation of the performance takes place through the active participation in the discussion rounds; an appropriate preparation is expressed here and a clear understanding of the topic and framework becomes recognizable. Further details on the design of the performance review will be announced during the lecture.

### **Prerequisites**

None

#### Recommendation

Basic knowledge as conveyed in the bachelor module "Strategy and Organization" is recommended.

#### **Annotation**

This course is admission restricted. If you were already admitted to another course in the module "Advanced Topics in Strategy and Management" the participation at this course will be guaranteed.

The course is planned to be held for the first time in the winter term 2017/18.

Below you will find excerpts from events related to this course:



# Workshop aktuelle Themen Strategie und Management (Master)

2577923, SS 2024, 2 SWS, Language: German, Open in study portal

Seminar (S) On-Site

#### Content

Aspects of strategic management can be found in a variety of daily events. In this course, current strategic and industrial policy issues are discussed and the exchange of ideas on current management topics is promoted.

For this purpose, practice-relevant case studies and dedicated questions are communicated to the students in advance so that they can prepare themselves individually for the discussion. The chair team actively moderates the discussion and creates typical discussion situations such as pro/con discussions and conflicting interests of different groups in order to bring opposing opinions into an exchange and to promote the power of argumentation. In this way, the discussion not only imparts knowledge about the content, but also strengthens the participants' skills by simulating real discussion situations in a management team.

In addition, company representatives and managers participate in individual case studies to strengthen the context of the content and experience the daily dynamics of discussion in strategic business areas.

#### **Learning Objectives:**

Students will

- are able to evaluate strategic decisions using appropriate models of strategic business management,
- are able to present and critically evaluate theoretical approaches and models in the field of strategic business management and illustrate them using practical examples, and
- have the ability to present their position convincingly through a reasoned argumentation in structured discussions.

#### **Recommendations:**

Previous attendance of the Bachelor's module "Strategy and Organization" or another module with comparable content at another university is recommended.

#### Workload:

Total effort approx. 90 hours Attendance time: 15 hours

Preparation and follow-up: 75 hours

Examination and preparation: not applicable

#### Evidence:

Performance will be assessed through active discussion participation in the discussion rounds; here, adequate preparation will be expressed and a clear understanding of the topic and framework will be evident. Further details on the design of the performance assessment will be announced during the lecture.

#### Annotation:

This course is admission restricted. In case of prior admission to another course in the module "Strategy and Management: Advanced Topics" [M-WIWI-103119], participation in this course is guaranteed. For more information on the application process, see the IBU website.

Exams are offered at least every other semester so that the entire module can be completed in two semesters.