

SYLLABUS

COURSE DESCRIPTION – ACADEMIC YEAR 2024/2025

COURSE TITLE	Programming Project
COURSE CODE	76204
SCIENTIFIC SECTOR	INF/01
DEGREE	Bachelor in Computer Science
SEMESTER	2nd
YEAR	1st
CREDITS	9
TOTAL LECTURING HOURS	60
TOTAL LAB HOURS	30
ATTENDANCE	<p>Attendance to lectures and labs is optional. However, non-attending students should contact the lecturer at the start of the course to discuss the modality of their independent study.</p> <p>The evaluation process is identical for attending and non-attending students. It is described in the fields "Assessment" and "Evaluation criteria and criteria for awarding marks" below.</p>
PREREQUISITES	Students should be familiar with the basics of imperative/object-oriented programming and Java, as taught in the course "Computer Programming"
COURSE PAGE	Microsoft TEAMS
SPECIFIC EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES	<p>Type of course: "caratterizzanti" for L-31 Scientific area: "Discipline informatiche" for L-31</p> <p>The course is designed for students to develop generic and object-oriented programming skills, and acquire a first experience of software development within a team.</p> <p>Students will program in Java, but a large part of the course's content can be transferred to other programming languages.</p> <p>After completing this course, students should be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - design and develop a prototype application in Java, - develop algorithms to solve simple programming problems (and select appropriate data structures), - write readable, concise, modular and documented code, - collaborate with other programmers.

LECTURER	Julien Corman
SCIENTIFIC SECTOR OF THE LECTURER	INF/01
TEACHING LANGUAGE	English
OFFICE HOURS	Mondays 16:00-18:00 by prior email appointment. Office POS 2.06, Faculty of Engineering, Piazza Domenicani 3. corman@inf.unibz.it
TEACHING ASSISTANT	TBA
OFFICE HOURS	
LIST OF TOPICS COVERED	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Objects and Classes: Interfaces, Inheritance and Polymorphism • Abstract data types (set, list, map, queue) • Dynamic Data structures (linked list, hashmap) • Recursion • Serialisation and streams • Mutability, pure functions and lambda expressions • Multithreading • IDE: Git, Source code management, and build automation • Project
TEACHING FORMAT	Frontal lectures, lab exercises, group projects.

LEARNING OUTCOMES	<p>Knowledge and understanding</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Know in details the fundamental principles of programming. • Have a solid knowledge of the most important data structures and programming techniques. <p>Applying knowledge and understanding</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be able to develop small and medium size programs using different programming languages and paradigms. • Be able to solve problems through the application of programming methodologies. <p>Making judgments</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be able to collect and interpret useful data and to judge information systems and their applicability. • Be able to work autonomously according to the own level of knowledge and understanding. <p>Communication skills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be able to use one of the three languages English, Italian and German, and be able to use technical terms and communication appropriately.
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be able to structure and write scientific documentation. <p>Learning skills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have acquired learning capabilities to pursue further studies with a high degree of autonomy.
<p>ASSESSMENT</p>	<p>The assessment is based on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • assignments, which focus on topics taught during lectures (they are meant to motivate students to study throughout the semester and consolidate the theoretical notions taught in class), • a group project, which evaluates whether students acquired the expected programming knowledge and skills, and • an individual oral exam, during which students explain and answer questions about their contribution to the group project. <p>The evaluation of the assignments and the group project is individual (in particular, the latter is based on each student's contribution).</p>
<p>ASSESSMENT LANGUAGE</p>	<p>English</p>
<p>EVALUATION CRITERIA AND CRITERIA FOR AWARDING MARKS</p>	<p>Final marks will be calculated in the following way:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • up to 30 points will be awarded to assignments; • up to 60 points will be awarded to the group project (based on individual contributions); • up to 10 points will be awarded to the oral exam. <p>To enroll in the oral exam, a student must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • deliver the group project, and • have been awarded at least 50 points for the assignments and the group project combined.
<p>TEXTBOOKS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kathy Sierra, Bert Bates, Trisha Gee. Head First Java, 3rd edition, 2022, O'Reilly Media, Inc., ISBN 9781491910771. • Herbert Schildt. Java: The Complete Reference, Eleventh Edition, 11th edition, 2018, McGraw-Hill, ISBN 9781260440249. • Lecture's materials on TEAMS.
<p>SUPPLEMENTARY READINGS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Joshua Bloch. Effective Java, 3rd edition, 2017, Addison-Wesley Professional, ISBN 9780134686097. • Robert C. Martin. Clean Code, 2008, Prentice Hall, ISBN 9780136083238. • Brian Goetz, Tim Peierls, Joshua Bloch, Joseph Bowbeer, David Holmes, Doug Lea. Java Concurrency in Practice, 2006, Addison-Wesley Professional, ISBN 0321349601.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Erich Gamma, Richard Helm, Ralph Johnson, John Vlissides. Design Patterns: Elements of Reusable Object-Oriented Software, 1994, Addison-Wesley Professional, ISBN 0201633612. • Prem Kumar Ponuthorai, Jon Loeliger. Version Control with Git, 3rd edition, 2022, O'Reilly Media, Inc., ISBN 9781492091196. • Shekhar Gulati, Rahul Sharma. Java Unit Testing with JUnit 5: Test Driven Development with JUnit 5, 2017, Apress, ISBN 9781484230152.
<p>SOFTWARE USED</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IDE for Java programming, e.g. Eclipse (https://www.eclipse.org/), IntelliJ IDEA (https://www.jetbrains.com/idea/), Visual Studio Code (https://code.visualstudio.com/) or NetBeans (https://netbeans.apache.org/) • JDK 17 • git • Maven • Linux or macOS recommended.