

**COURSE DATA****Data Subject**

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Subject-matter

Degree	Subject-matter	Character
1403 - Degree in Telematics Engineering	11 - Software engineering	Obligatory

Coordination

Name	Department
RUEDA PASCUAL, SILVIA	240 - Computer Science

SUMMARY

The course "Software Engineering" is a core course as part of the field "Software Engineering and Project Management" of the Telematics Engineering Degree. The course workload is 6 ECTS and it's offered in the 3rd semester of 3rd year.

The aim of the course is to introduce students in the development of software projects by following a systematic process and relying on tools to improve software quality in production environments.

It will introduce students to the knowledge and use of different methodologies for developing information systems.

We seek to provide sufficient knowledge of the software process, so that students, using the Unified Process, will be able to capture requirements, analyze, design, implement, test and deploy software projects in a concrete and accuracy way.



In regard to the practical part, in this course students will be able to implement the knowledge acquired in the theoretical part using UML modeling language and Java programming language.

The main objective of this course is to introduce students to the development of software projects from requirements analysis to implementation and verification of the product by the customer, relating to the following points:

- Understand the origin and meaning of the term "Software Engineering", its historical development and current challenges (with attention to the sociocultural context of development), and be aware of the ethical and professional responsibility of a Software Engineer.
- Become aware of the importance of always performing the analysis and design of the problem, as prior tasks to implementation in a programming language.
- Be aware of the need of modeling and abstraction in software development.
- Understand the concept of software development method and its main classifications.
- Distinguish the concepts of diagram and model.
- Know the main UML diagrams: use cases, classes, packages, objects, interaction (sequence and communication), states and activities, and be able to apply them in order to model a medium sized project.
- Given an application of medium size, be able to address the requirements analysis focused on use cases, the conceptual or domain modeling, and the analysis of collaborations between objects with appropriate allocation of responsibilities, specially taking into account technological details.
- Understand and apply design techniques within the framework of an iterative process.
- Choose the best option between different data conceptual designs, justifying and arguing the decision.
- Know and apply basic design patterns for building software and evaluate its role as a way of reuse of experience.
- Use software tools that allow the creation of different UML diagrams.

PREVIOUS KNOWLEDGE

Relationship to other subjects of the same degree

There are no specified enrollment restrictions with other subjects of the curriculum.

Other requirements

It is an essential requirement:

Have passed the subjects of the first and second course Informatics I (34877) and Informatics II (34878)

Be enrolled or have passed the subject Programming (34888)

OUTCOMES



1403 - Degree in Telematics Engineering

- R1 - Ability for self-learning of new knowledge and techniques appropriate for the conception, development and exploitation of telecommunications systems and services.
- G4 - Ability to solve problems with initiative, decision-making and creativity, and to communicate and transmit knowledge, abilities and skills, understanding the ethical and professional responsibility of the activity of a telecommunications technical engineer.
- G9 - Ability to work in a multidisciplinary environment and in a multilingual group and to communicate, in writing and orally, knowledge, procedures, results and ideas related to telecommunications and electronics.
- R7 - Understand and use the basic principles of programming for telecommunication networks, systems and services.
- E3 - Ability to construct, operate and manage telematic services using analytical tools for planning, dimensioning and analysis.
- E4 - Ability to describe, program, validate and optimize communication protocols and interfaces at different levels of a network architecture.

LEARNING OUTCOMES

Learning goals of the course:

- Apply methods for developing, implementing and maintaining information systems. **G4, G9, R1, R7, E3 and E4 skills**
- Successfully plan and execute software development process iterative. **G4, G9, R1, R7, E3 and E4 skills**
- Know how to apply software design patterns in each situation depending on the needs of the software development project. **G4, R1, E3 and E4 skills**
- Define testing requirements validation and verification. **G4, R1, E3 and E4 skills**
- Obtain user and software requirements. **G4, G9, R1, E3 and E4 skills**
- Knowing the basics, development processes, methods and tools of software engineering. **G3 skill**
- Know and understand the current paradigms of software engineering aimed at developing distributed software, free software engineering and Web engineering. **G4, R1 and E4 skills**
- Know the different architecture models, which can be integrated technologies and business solutions to form a distributed solution particular. **E3 and E4 skills**

It is also pretended in this course to further develop the following skills:

- Analyze a software development problem and derive its nature specifically and accurately. **G4, G9, R1 and E3 skills**
- Design a structure of modules, using design patterns to solve problems and evaluate alternatives. **G4, G9, R1 and E3 skills.**



- Implement a module to run properly and efficiently. **R7, E3 and E4 skills**
- Test applications systematically defining comprehensive test cases. **E4 skill**
- Work in a small team, collaborating on the issues of software development, exchanging ideas constructively and organized. **G4, G9, R1, R7, E3 and E4 skills**

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS

1. Introduction to Software Development Process UML

Skills to be acquired:

- Understand what is software engineering and its need
- Know and understand the fundamental concepts that comprise the basic terminology of software engineering
- Understanding the relationships between the concepts of software process, software lifecycle and software methodology
- Knowing the characteristics and explain the advantages and disadvantages of different software process models
- Know the main types of software methodologies
- Know the basic features of a general process software development
- Understand what is software modeling and its benefits
- Recognize UML as a standard language to build software

Contents:

- 1.1 Overview of Software Engineering
- 1.2 Basics of Software Engineering
- 1.3 Software Process Models
- 1.4 Software Modeling
- 1.5 The Unified Modeling Language UML 2.0
 - 1.5.1 UML Framework
 - 1.5.2 UML Views
- 1.6 A Process of OO Software Development
 - 1.6.1 Phases
 - 1.6.2 Activities and Artifacts

Laboratory:

All sessions



2. Planning Phase

Skills to be acquired:

- Understand the value of acquiring and managing requirements and their influence on the success of a project
- Understand what requirements are and the complexity of requirements extraction
- Learn the requirements activities
- Identify the different types of requirements and be able to discern between them
- Learn about diverse elicitation techniques to capture system requirements
- Understand what is the Requirements Document
- Know the IEEE / ANSI 830-199 for SRS
- Develop a SRS document for medium size systems
- Learn the different elements and diagrams that UML provides to represent Use Cases
- Represent Functional Requirements with Use Cases
- Accomplish detailed specification of Use Cases

Contents:

- 2.1. requirements
 - 2.1.1 Definition and characteristics of the Requirements
 - 2.1.2 Functional vs. Non Functional Requirements
 - 2.1.3 Software Requirements Document
 - 2.1.4 Exercises on Requirements
- 2.2 Prototype
- 2.3 Use Cases
 - 2.3.1 Introduction.
 - 2.3.2 Actors
 - 2.3.3 Use Case Specification
 - 2.3.4 Relations: generalization, extension, including
 - 2.3.5 Use Case Diagrams
 - 2.3.6 Standard errors and Recommendations
 - 2.3.7 Exercises on use cases.

Laboratory:

Session 1: Prototyping UGI

Session 2: Working on Use Case Diagrams

3. Analysis

Skills to be acquired:

- Know the steps required to accomplish the analysis phase in the first cycle of development and the artifacts to be generated
- Be able to develop the Data Dictionary
- Be able to abstract the relevant concepts to develop a Conceptual Model
- Develop using Class Diagrams the conceptual model of a system
- Identify system events in Use Cases descriptions to extract System Operations



- Develop System Sequence Diagrams for Use Cases starting from Use Case Expanded Specification
- Develop Contracts for System Operations

Contents:

Part I:

- 3.1 Introduction
- 3.2 Class Diagram
 - 3.2.1 Classifiers
 - 3.2.2 Classes
 - 3.2.3 Interfaces
 - 3.2.4 Relations dependency, generalization, association, realization
- 3.3 Conceptual Model
- 3.4 Exercises on class and object diagrams

Part II:

- 3.5 Interacciones
- 3.6 Sequence Diagrams
 - 3.5.1 Elements
 - 3.5.2 Modeling Interaction Diagrams
 - 3.5.3 Lifecycle Application
- 3.7 System General Sequence Diagrams
- 3.8 Contracts
- 3.9 Sequence diagrams and contracts Exercises

Laboratory:

- Session 3: Working on Class Diagrams
- Session 4: Working on Sequence Diagrams
- Session 5: Working on Life Cycle 1 Design
- Session 7: Working on Life Cycle 2 Analysis & Design

4. Design

Skills to be acquired:

- Know the steps required to accomplish the design phase in the first cycle of development and the artifacts to be generated
- Understand the concept of responsibility
- Understand and know how to apply a set of patterns when deciding responsibilities assignment to classes
- Be able to develop interaction diagrams for each system operation following its contract
- Develop the Design Class Diagram from the Conceptual Model

Contents:

- 4.1 System Design
 - 4.1.1 Responsibilities
 - 4.1.2 Design Sequence Diagrams



4.1.3 Design Class Diagrams

4.1.4 Patterns for the allocation of responsibilities

4.3 Exercises

Laboratory:

Session 5: Working on Life Cycle 1 Design

Session 7: Working on Life Cycle 2 Analysis & Design

5. Implementation

Skills to be acquired:

- Learn prior decisions before implementing
- Know the types of transformation from model space to code space
- Transform design artifacts into code
- Detect models modification need for system optimization

Contents:

5.1 Prior Decisions

5.2 Types of transformation

5.2.1 Model Transformations

5.2.2 Code Transformations

5.2.3 Model to Code Transformations: direct Engineering

5.2.4 Code to Model Transformations: reverse Engineering

5.3 Direct Engineering

5.3.1 Mapping Classes

5.3.2 Mapping Relations

5.3.3 Mapping Inheritance

5.3.4 Methods Creation

5.3.5 Mapping Contracts

5.4 Implementation Exercises

Laboratory:

Session 6: Working on Life Cycle 1 Implementation

Session 8: Working on Life Cycle 2 Implementation

6. System Architecture

Skills to be acquired:

- Know the steps required to accomplish the design phase in the second cycle of development and the artifacts to be generated
- Understand the concepts of layers, packages and partitions and how to use in organizing the system architecture
- Represent packages and their relationships in Package Diagrams
- Choose the architecture to be used and model it using Packages Diagrams
- Knowing and applying other patterns



Contents:

- 6.1 Multilayer Architecture & UML
- 6.2 Patterns for connecting packages
- 6.3 Exercises

Laboratory:

Session 7: Working on Life Cycle 2 Analysis & Design

7. Testing

Skills to be acquired:

- Understand and differentiate the key issues related to software testing
- Understand the need for testing as an essential part of software system development
- Distinguish the different testing levels according on the purpose
- Learn different software testing techniques

Contents:

- 7.1 Basics: Errors, Defects, Failures, Test Cases
- 7.2 Verification and Validation
 - 7.2.1 Software Inspections
 - 7.2.2 Software Testing
 - 7.2.3 Debugging
- 7.3 Software Testing Levels
 - 7.3.1 Unit Testing
 - 7.3.2 Integration Testing
 - 7.3.3 System Tests
 - 7.3.4 Validation Testing
- 7.4 Software Testing Techniques
 - 7.4.1 Black-Box Testing
 - 7.4.2 White-Box Testing
- 7.5 Test Plan



WORKLOAD

ACTIVITY	Hours	% To be attended
Theory classes	30,00	100
Laboratory practices	20,00	100
Classroom practices	10,00	100
Development of group work	4,00	0
Study and independent work	4,00	0
Preparing lectures	23,00	0
Preparation of practical classes and problem	50,00	0
Resolution of case studies	9,00	0
TOTAL	150,00	

TEACHING METHODOLOGY

Teaching activities will be conducted in accordance with the following distribution:

- **Theoretical activities.**

The lectures will present the course contents providing a global vision, a detailed analysis of the key concepts and encouraging the student participation. In order to accomplish that point the flipped classroom technique will be used.

- **Practical activities.**

The practical activities complement the theoretical classes and allow the students to put into practice the contents and improve the understanding of the course concepts. They include the following types of classroom activities:

- Solving problems in class.
- Regular discussion of exercises and problems that the students have previously tried to work out.
- Workshops and seminars in computer lab.
- Group work for project planning and software development and generation of group dynamics.
- Support tutorial sessions (individualized).
- **Personal work.**

Preparation of classes and exams (study). Students should work at home with the material in order to be prepare for the flipped classroom. This is done individually and tries to promote autonomous work habits.

- **Teamwork in small groups.**

It will be carried out by small groups of students (3-4). It consists of work to be done out of the class timetable in form of exercises and problems. This work tries to improve the teamwork and leadership skills. They include the following types of activities:



- Practical work in group on requirements elicitation with different techniques and elaboration of a test plan.
- Presentation of group work (in Castilian).
- Group work for project planning and software development and generation of group dynamics, which documentation must be submitted
- Presentation of the software project
- Support tutorial sessions (groups).

During the course the e-learning platform (Aula Virtual) of the University of Valencia will be used to support the teaching activities. This platform allows the access to the course materials used in the classes as well as additional documents, solved problems and exercises.

EVALUATION

Students can choose between two different assessments:

- Continuous assessment system
- Single assessment system.

Continuous assessment system

This will be the method recommended to students. This system allows regular assessment of students' participation, their exploit of training activities and their participation in the learning process.

Following aspects will be valued:

- **Theory-practical sessions:** involvement will be assessed, taking into account regular attendance to planned classroom activities, delivery of the exercises and participation in their resolution (*Theory_M*). **G4, G9 and R1 skills**
- **Laboratory sessions:** involvement will be assessed, taking into account regular attendance to planned classroom activities, delivery of the proposed exercises and evaluation questionnaires (*Laboratory_M*). **G4, G9, R1, R7, E3 and E4 skills**
- **Teamwork:** the quality of the documentation and oral defense carried out by the small teamwork will be valued (*Teamwork_M*). **G4, G9 and R1 skills**
- **Project:** the quality of the solution developed and the documentation and oral defense carried out will be valued (*Project_M*). **G4, G9, R1, R7, E3 and E4 skills**
- **Individual examinations:** consisting of partial examinations and a final exam (*Exams_M*). **G4, R1 and E3 skills**

To apply such an assessment a laboratory sessions' attendance rate above 75% will be required.

The final mark will be obtained applying the following formula:

$$\text{Final Mark} = 20\% \text{ Continuous_M} + 60\% \text{ TeamProject_M} + 20\% \text{ Exams_M}$$

$$\text{Continuous_M} = 50\% \text{ Theory_M} + 50\% \text{ Laboratory_M}$$



$$\text{TeamProject}_M = 10\% \text{Teamwork}_M + 90\% \text{Project}_M$$

$$\text{Exams}_M = 20\% \text{Partials}_M + 80\% \text{FinalEx}_M$$

In order to take the final exam, notes *Continuous_M* and *Project_M* will have to be greater than or equal to 4,5.

Single assessment system

This method applies to any student who cannot attend classes regularly due to a reasonable and supported by professor cause or who already fail the first session continuous assessment.

The same aspects from the continuous assessment will be valued. The final mark will be obtained applying the following formula:

$$\text{Final Mark} = 10\% \text{Continuous}_M + 60\% \text{TeamProject}_M + 30\% \text{Exams}_M$$

$$\text{Continuous}_M = 50\% \text{Theory}_M + 50\% \text{Laboratory}_M$$

$$\text{TeamProject}_M = 10\% \text{Teamwork}_M + 90\% \text{Project}_M$$

$$\text{Exams}_M = 20\% \text{Partials}_M + 80\% \text{FinalEx}_M$$

In order to take the final exam, *Project_M* note will have to be greater than or equal to 4,5.

To apply such an assessment a laboratory sessions' attendance rate above 75% will be required.

In both methods, only works submitted before the date stipulated by the teacher will be considered. This includes exercises in class (theory and practical sessions), laboratory exercises and questionnaires, the work in small groups and the software project.

The trades of the group activities will not necessarily be the same for all members of the group, and may vary depending on the involvement of each student.

A minimum mark of 4,5 (out of 10) for each part (*Theory_M*, *Laboratory_M*, *Teamwork_M*, *Project_M*, *Exams_M* and *FinalEx_M*) is required to obtain a final average mark.

The grade of *Continuous_M* is not recoverable. The grade is maintained in 2º call.

In any case, the evaluation of this subject will be done in compliance with the University Regulations in this regard, approved by the Governing Council on 30th May 2017 (ACGUV 108/2017).



According to the regulations of the University of Valencia, the performance of fraudulent actions in a test or part of it will result in the qualification of a zero in the same, irrespective of the disciplinary procedure that can be opened and of the sanction that is according to the current legislation.

To apply for an advance call, students must have previously taken the course. In this way, it is attempted to reconcile the right of students to an advance call with the subject's teaching methodology and evaluation criteria. In addition to the individual examination, students must demonstrate the accomplishment of a work equivalent to the course project.

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ADDENDUM COVID-19

This addendum will only be activated if the health situation requires so and with the prior agreement of the Governing Council

English version is not available