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LELEC2531 2012-2013

Design and Architecture of digital electronic systems

5.0 credits

30.0 h + 30.0 h

30.0 h

Teacher(s) :	Legat Jean-Didier ;
Language :	Français
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Prerequisites :	No prerequisites
Main themes :	Identical to description
Aims :	At the end of this course, the students will be able to:
	 Understand how the digital circuits (combinational circuits, sequential circuits) work
	Understand the architecture of programmable circuits (FPGA)
	 Synthesize and simulate digital circuits in a language such as Verilog or VHDL
	 Understand the architecture of a RISC processor
	 Use and program a microcontroller
	 Understand and implement a digital electronic system The contribution of this Teaching Unit to the development and command of the skills and learning outcomes of the programme(s) can be accessed at the end of this sheet, in the section entitled "Programmes/courses offering this Teaching Unit".
Evaluation methods :	The evaluation is based on the work during the semester and a written examination on the theoretical part of the course.
Teaching methods :	 Learning is based on courses with compulsory homework. Each student has at his disposal during the semester an electronic system comprising an FPGA (Altera Cyclone IV) and and PIC32 microcontroller from Microchip. This course is closely linked to the project LELEC2103: Electronic System
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Content :	Combinational logic
	 Sequential logic
	 Implementation technology
	 Simulation language and Verilog synthesis
	 Main logic circuits: arithmetic circuits, memories, programmable circuits
	Architecture and microarchitecture of a RISC processor
	Memories (caches,)
	Architecture of microcontrollers
	Peripherals and main communication systems
Bibliography :	Digital Design and Computer Architecture - David Money Harris @ Sarah L. Harris - 2007, Elsevier

Cycle and year of study :	 Master [120] in Electrical Engineering Master [120] in Electro-mechanical Engineering Master [120] in Biomedical Engineering
Faculty or entity in charge:	ELEC