Université catholique de Louvain

LINGI2261

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Artificial intelligence: representation and reasoning

6.0 credits 30.0 h + 30.0 h 1q

Teacher(s) :	Deville Yves ;					
Language :	Anglais					
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve					
Inline resources:	> http://icampus.uclouvain.be/claroline/course/index.php?cid=ingi2261					
Main themes :	Problem solving by searching : formulating problems, uninformed and informed search search strategies, local search, evaluation of behavior and estimated cost, applications					
	Constraint satisfaction : formulating problems as CSP, backtracking and constraint propagation, applications					
	Games and adversarial search : minimax algorithm and Alpha-Beta pruning, applications					
	Propositional logic : representing knowledge in PL, inference and reasoning, applications					
	First-order logic : representing knowledge in FOL, inference and reasoning, forward and backward chaining, rule-based systems, applications					
	Planning : languages of planning problems, search methods, planning graphs, hierarchical planning, extensions, applications					
	Al, philosophy and ethics: "can machines act intelligently?", "can machines really think?", ethics and risks of Al, future of Al					
Aims :	Given the learning outcomes of the "Master in Computer Science and Engineering" program, this course contributes to the development, acquisition and evaluation of the following learning outcomes:					
	 INFO1.1-3					
	 INFO2.2-4					
	 INFO5.2, INFO5.5					
	INFO6.1, INFO6.4 Given the learning outcomes of the "Master [120] in Computer Science" program, this course contributes to the development, acquisition and evaluation of the following learning outcomes:					
	 SINF1.M4					
	SINF2.2-4					
	 SINF5.2, SINF5.5					
	SINF6.1, SINF6.4 Given the learning outcomes of the "Master [60] in Computer Science" program, this course contributes to the development, acquisition and evaluation of the following learning outcomes:					
	 1SINF1.M4					
	 1SINF2.2-4					
	 1SINF5.2, 1SINF5.5 					
	1SINF6.1, 1SINF6.4 Students completing successfully this course will be able to					
	explain the basic knowledge representation, problem solving and reasonning methods in artificial intelligence					
	assess the applicability, strength, and weaknesses of the basic knowledge representation, problem solving and reasonning in solving particular engineering problems					
	develop intelligent systems by assembling solutions to concrete computational problems					

	discuss the role of knowledge representation, problem solving and reasonning in intelligent-system engineering Students will have developed skills and operational methodology. In particular, they have developed their ability to:				
Evaluation methods :	Exam: 70% Assignments: 30%. Assignments must be personnal (team of 2). No collaboration between groups. No copying from Internet. Cheating = 0/20 all assignments. In case of failure of the missions the weight of this part will be more important. Assignments may be realized only during the quadrimester of the course. It's not possible to realize the assignments during another quadrimester or for the exam session of september.				
Teaching methods :	Problem-Based Learning Learning by doing 5 assignments (one per two weeks) Team of two students Limited teaching (1 hour / week) Feed-back of problems (1/2 hour) Discussion of current problem (1/2 hour)				
Content:	Introduction Search Informed search Local search Adversarial search Constraint Satisfaction Problem Logical Agent First-order logic and Inference Classical Planning Planning in the real world Learning from examples Philosophical foundations & mp; Present and future of Al				
Bibliography : Other infos :	Stuart Russell, Peter Norvig, Artificial Intelligence : a Modern Approach, 3nd Edition, 2010, 1132 pages, Prentice Hall slides online Background:				
Faculty or entity in charge:	LSINF1121 : Programminng abilities in a high-level language, algorithmics and data structures INFO				

Programmes / formations proposant cette unité d'enseignement (UE)						
Intitulé du programme	Sigle	Credits	Prerequis	Acquis d'apprentissage		
Master [120] in Computer Science and Engineering	INFO2M	6	-	٩		
Master [120] in Biomedical Engineering	GBIO2M	6	-	٩		
Master [120] in Computer Science	SINF2M	6	-	٩		
Master [60] in Computer Science	SINF2M1	6	-	٩		