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				
	AI, philosophy and ethics: "can machines act intelligently?", "can machines really think?", ethics and risks of AI, future of AI				
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				

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	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:			
	raster a new programming language using online tutorial			
	deal with deadlines and competitivity in developping the most efficient solution. 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 :	 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			
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	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			
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	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 AI			
Bibliography:	 Stuart Russell, Peter Norvig, Artificial Intelligence : a Modern Approach, 3nd Edition, 2010, 1132 pages, Prentice Hall 			
	slides online			
Other infos :	Background:			
	LSINF1121 : Programminng abilities in a high-level language, algorithmics and data structures			
Faculty or entity in charge:	INFO			

Programmes / formations proposant cette unité d'enseignement (UE)						
Intitulé du programme	Sigle	Credits	Prerequis	Acquis d'apprentissage		
Master [60] in Computer Science	SINF2M1	6	-	٩		
Master [120] in Computer Science and Engineering	INFO2M	6	-	0		
Master [120] in Biomedical Engineering	GBIO2M	6	-	٩		
Master [120] in Computer Science	SINF2M	6	-	Q.		