Algorithms for Geographic Information Systems

Module coordinator
holder of the Chair of Computer Science I

Module offered by
Institute of Computer Science

ECTS
Method of grading
Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
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numerical grade
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Duration
Module level
Other prerequisites
1 semester
graduate
Where applicable, prerequisites as specified by the lecturer at the beginning of the course (e.g. completion of exercises).

Contents
Algorithmic foundations of geographic information systems and their application in selected problems of acquisition, processing, analysis and presentation of spatial information. Processes of discrete and continuous optimisation. Applications such as the creation of digital height models, working with GPS trajectories, tasks of spatial planning as well as cartographic generalisation.

Intended learning outcomes
The students are able to formalise algorithmic problems in the field of geographic information systems as well as to select and improve suitable approaches to solving these problems.

Courses
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment
(type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)
written examination (approx. 50 to 60 minutes); if announced by the lecturer by four weeks prior to the examination date, the written examination can be replaced by an oral examination of one candidate each or an oral examination in groups (one candidate each: 15 minutes, groups of 2: 20 minutes, groups of 3: 25 minutes)
Language of assessment: German, English if agreed upon with the examiner

Allocation of places
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Additional information
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Workload
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Teaching cycle
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)
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Module appears in
Master's degree (1 major) Computer Science (2010)
Master's degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Master's degree (1 major) Mathematics (2010)
Master's degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
First state examination for the teaching degree Gymnasium Computer Science (2009)