

<b>Module title</b>		<b>Abbreviation</b>
Computer Networks and Communication Systems		10-I=RK-141-m01
<b>Module coordinator</b>		<b>Module offered by</b>
holder of the Chair of Computer Science III		Institute of Computer Science
<b>ECTS</b>	<b>Method of grading</b>	<b>Only after succ. compl. of module(s)</b>
8	numerical grade	--
<b>Duration</b>	<b>Module level</b>	<b>Other prerequisites</b>
1 semester	graduate	--
<b>Contents</b>		
<p>Properties of computer and communication systems: data traffic in distributed systems. Performance analysis of computer networks and communication systems: problem statement and introduction to method architecture and structure of computer networks: network structure, network access, access methods, digital transfer hierarchies, dataflow control and traffic control, transfer network. Communication protocols: fundamental principles and ISO architecture models. Internet: structure and basic mechanism, TCP/IP, routing, network management. Mobile communication networks: fundamental concepts, GSM, UMTS. Future communication systems and networks.</p>		
<b>Intended learning outcomes</b>		
The students possess an intricate knowledge of the structure of computer networks and communication systems as well as fundamental principles to rate these systems.		
<b>Courses</b> (type, number of weekly contact hours, language – if other than German)		
V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)		
<b>Method of assessment</b> (type, scope, language – if other than German, examination offered – if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)		
written examination (approx. 60 to 120 minutes); if announced by the lecturer at the beginning of the course, the written examination can be replaced by an oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 20 minutes) or an oral examination in groups (groups of 2, approx. 30 minutes) Language of assessment: German, English		
<b>Allocation of places</b>		
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<b>Additional information</b>		
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<b>Workload</b>		
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<b>Teaching cycle</b>		
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<b>Referred to in LPO I</b> (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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<b>Module appears in</b>		
Master's degree (1 major) Computer Science (2014)		