Module Catalogue
for the Subject

Space Science and Technology
as a Master’s with 1 major
with the degree "Master of Science"
(120 ECTS credits)

Examination regulations version: 2009
Responsible: Institute of Computer Science
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Content and Objectives of the Programme

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Abbreviations used

Course types: \(E\) = field trip, \(K\) = colloquium, \(O\) = conversatorium, \(P\) = placement/lab course, \(R\) = project, \(S\) = seminar, \(T\) = tutorial, \(Ü\) = exercise, \(V\) = lecture

Term: \(SS\) = summer semester, \(WS\) = winter semester

Methods of grading: \(NUM\) = numerical grade, \(B/NB\) = (not) successfully completed

Regulations: \((L)ASPO\) = general academic and examination regulations (for teaching-degree programmes), \(FSB\) = subject-specific provisions, \(SFB\) = list of modules

Other: \(A\) = thesis, \(LV\) = course(s), \(PL\) = assessment(s), \(TN\) = participants, \(VL\) = prerequisite(s)

Conventions

Unless otherwise stated, courses and assessments will be held in German, assessments will be offered every semester and modules are not creditable for bonus.

Notes

Should there be the option to choose between several methods of assessment, the lecturer will agree with the module coordinator on the method of assessment to be used in the current semester by two weeks after the start of the course at the latest and will communicate this in the customary manner.

Should the module comprise more than one graded assessment, all assessments will be equally weighted, unless otherwise stated below.

Should the assessment comprise several individual assessments, successful completion of the module will require successful completion of all individual assessments.

In accordance with

the general regulations governing the degree subject described in this module catalogue:

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associated official publications (FSB (subject-specific provisions)/SFB (list of modules)):

21-Jul-2010 (2010-27) examination regulations without modules (sections/sub-sections only)

This module handbook seeks to render, as accurately as possible, the data that is of statutory relevance according to the examination regulations of the degree subject. However, only the FSB (subject-specific provisions) and SFB (list of modules) in their officially published versions shall be legally binding. In the case of doubt, the provisions on, in particular, module assessments specified in the FSB/SFB shall prevail.
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1. Overview
2. Dynamics of charged particles in magnetic and electric fields
3. Elements of space plasma physics
4. Sun and heliosphere
5. Acceleration and transport of energetic particles in the heliosphere
6. Instruments for measuring energetic particles in space.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The students possess a fundamental knowledge about space physics and, in particular, the description of the dynamics of charged particles in the heliosphere and in space. They are familiar with the relevant parameters, their theoretical formulation and the methods to measure them.

**Courses**

(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)

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**Intended learning outcomes**

The students are familiar with the basics of the programming language Java and are able to independently develop small applications.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

Ü + 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)

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**Intended learning outcomes**

The students are able to build and integrate into the inside of the sphere the power unit, a control computer, a payload (camera) and attitude control devices: Gyros and reaction wheel of a pico satellite. The software of a CanSat "satellite" includes a real-time operating system (provided by us), commanding (immediate and time-tagged commands), telemetry (real time and history data), attitude control, power control, payload control, image processing and radio links communication. The ground segment ought to be able to generate and send telecommands and to get and (graphically) display the telemetry.

**Courses**

(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

P (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

**Method of assessment**

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### Module title

Internet Technologies

### Abbreviation

10-I-IT-092-m01

### Module coordinator

holder of the Chair of Computer Science III

### Module offered by

Institute of Computer Science

### ECTS

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### Method of grading

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### Duration

1 semester

### Module level

undergraduate

### Other prerequisites

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### Contents

Structure and basic mechanisms of TCP/IP, internet routing, IP network management, wireless access, e.g. 3rd generation mobile networks, GSM technologies.

### Intended learning outcomes

The students master the fundamentals of the structure, architecture and technology of the internet.

### Courses

V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

### Method of assessment

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**Module coordinator:**
Dean of Studies Informatik (Computer Science)

**Module offered by:**
Institute of Computer Science

**Duration:** 1 semester

**Module level:** undergraduate

**Contents:**
Data warehouses and data mining; XML databases; web databases; introduction to Datalog.

**Intended learning outcomes:**
The students have an advanced knowledge about relational databases, XML and data mining.

**Courses:**
V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

**Method of assessment:**
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holder of the Chair of Computer Science VII

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**Duration**
1 semester

**Module level**
undergraduate

**Other prerequisites**
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**Contents**
Fundamental principles of astrodynamics, orientation control of satellites, sensors, actuators, control software, example realisations, spin-stabilised satellites, 3-axis stabilised satellites.

**Intended learning outcomes**
The students master the fundamentals of dynamic aspects of the design of spacecraft and are familiar with the essential sensors and actuators as well as their areas of use in spaceflight.

**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)*
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Spacecraft System Design | 10-l-SSD-092-m01

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holder of the Chair of Computer Science VII | Institute of Computer Science

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Duration | Module level | Other prerequisites
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Contents

Intended learning outcomes
The students master system aspects of the layouting of technical systems. Using the example of spacecraft, major subsystems and their integration into a working whole are being analysed.

Courses
(V + Ü) (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment
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CanSat Design Lab | 10-I-CSD-072-m01

Module coordinator
holder of the Chair of Computer Science VIII

Module offered by
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**Intended learning outcomes**

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**Courses**

V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

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**Intended learning outcomes**

The students have an advanced knowledge about relational databases, XML and data mining.

**Courses**  (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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**Method of assessment**  (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

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Fundamental principles of astrodynamics, orientation control of satellites, sensors, actuators, control software, example realisations, spin-stabilised satellites, 3-axis stabilised satellites.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The students master the fundamentals of dynamic aspects of the design of spacecraft and are familiar with the essential sensors and actuators as well as their areas of use in spaceflight.

**Courses**

(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)

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**Module title**  
Spacecraft System Design

**Abbreviation**  
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holder of the Chair of Computer Science VII

**Module offered by**  
Institute of Computer Science

**ECTS**  
7.50

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**Module level**  
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**Other prerequisites**  
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**Intended learning outcomes**

The students master system aspects of the layouting of technical systems. Using the example of spacecraft, major subsystems and their integration into a working whole are being analysed.

**Courses**  
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