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Subdivided Module Catalogue

for the Module studies (Master)

Aerospace Computer Science

Examination regulations version: 2021
Responsible: Faculty of Mathematics and Computer Science
Responsible: Institute of Computer Science

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:

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

15-May-2019 (2019-36)

27-Jun-2019 (2019-41)

14-Nov-2019 (2019-52)

22-Jan-2020 (2020-13)

06-May-2020 (2020-39)

22-Jul-2020 (2020-57)

17-Dec-2020 (2020-110)

10-Mar-2021 (2021-17)

09-Jun-2021 (2021-58)

22-Dec-2021 (2021-85)

05-Jul-2022 (2022-52)

31-Jan-2023 (2022-86)

15-Jun-2023 (2023-58)

13-Dec-2023 (2023-107)

07-Aug-2024 (2024-82)

22-Jan-2025 (2025-1)

09-Jul-2025 (2025-75)

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.

The subject is divided into

Abbreviation	Module title		Method of grading	page
Winter Term 2021				
10-LURI=FDW-202-m01	FloatSat Design Lab	10	NUM	5
Summer Term 2022				
10-LURI=FDW-202-m01	FloatSat Design Lab	10	NUM	5
Winter Term 2022				
10-LURI=FDW-202-m01	FloatSat Design Lab	10	NUM	5
Summer Term 2023				
10-LURI=FDW-202-m01	FloatSat Design Lab	10	NUM	5
Winter Term 2023				
10-LURI=FDW-232-m01	FloatSat Design Lab	10	NUM	6
Summer Term 2024				
10-LURI=FDW-232-m01	FloatSat Design Lab	10	NUM	6
Winter Term 2024				
10-LURI=FDW-232-m01	FloatSat Design Lab	10	NUM	6
Summer Term 2025				
10-LURI=FDW-232-m01	FloatSat Design Lab	10	NUM	6
Winter Term 2025				
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Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
holder of the Chair of Computer Science VIII		Institute of Computer Science	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
10	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	graduate	--	

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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)

R (8)
Module taught in: English

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

Practical project: development, construction and presentation of a satellite control system (project documentation (approx. 20 pages) with presentation (30 to 45 minutes) and subsequent discussion on the topic)
Language of assessment: English

Allocation of places

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Additional information

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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)

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