

ECTS Information Package: Degree Programme

Bachelor's Degree in

COMPUTER ENGINEERING

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A - General Description

Programme Title - Engenharia Informática

Qualification awarded - Bachelor's Degree in Computer Engineering

Level of qualification - First-cycle degree - ISCED level 5 - EQF level 6

Specific admission requirements

General

In order to be eligible to this bachelor's degree, students must hold the high-school diploma or legally equivalent qualification. Application can also be made through the following special entry routes:

- Students coming from the Portuguese education system through re-admission, degree change and transfer schemes;
- Holders of a Foundation Course Diploma (CET);
- Adults aged more than 23 who have passed tailor-made examinations intended to assess their ability to pursue higher education studies;
- Holders of Intermediary or Graduate degree diplomas;
- Students coming from foreign higher education.

Specific

National Examination in Mathematics or Physics or Descriptive Geometry or special access schemes (mature students) or an approved CET (Technological Specialisation Course) diploma.



Specific arrangements for recognition of prior learning (formal, non-formal and informal)

General

Procedures on the recognition of credits gained in previous learning are established in the regulations for the Recognition and Validation of Qualifications and Skills of ESTT-IPT available at http://webmanager.ipt.pt/mgallery/default.asp?obj=4535

Specific

Not applicable.

Qualification requirements and regulations:

6 semesters (3 years), each with 20 weeks of full-time training (40 weeks per year) that, including lessons, self-study and evaluation, makes a total of 810 hours of study effort (1620 hours per year). Considering that 1 ECTS credit is corresponds to 27 hours of studant worh, each semester totals 30 ECTS credits (60 ECTS credits per year).

The course curriculum, with a total of 180 ECTS credits, includes 30 modules (5 per semester) distributed and specified according to the last review regulated by Order No. 16228/2009 of 15 July 2009.

Graduates are admitted to the ANET - National Association of Technical Engineers. Professional titles are awarded by this institution in accordance with its internal rules. The course is registered in FEANI INDEX - European Federation of National Engineering Associations.

Profile of the program:

The profile of the program comprises the training and development of technical and professional skills in the following areas of Computer Engineering:

- Software Development;
- Specification, Installation and Management of Computer Systems and Networks;
- Management of support technology for Information Systems.
- ICT (Information and Communication Technologies) Project Development.



Key learning outcomes:

The degree in Computer Engineering is awarded to students who demonstrate the following technical and professional engineering skills in information and communication technologies:

- 1. Developing Analysis Reports for Software Requirements and Solutions;
- 2. Modelling of Data, Processes and User-Interfaces and the Objects that implement Sofware Requirements and Solutions:
- 3. Defining the structure of the different application layers of a System and its Subsystems;
- 4. Implementing software (including design, development, testing and installation) for new applications and middleware for integration between application subsystems;
- 5. Specifying and sizing Computer Systems and Networks;
- 6. Configuring and Testing Infrastructure Computer Systems and Networks;
- 7. Managing Computer Systems and Networks;
- 8. Tracking and checking the operation features of Information Systems, including maintenance releases, load requirements, in terms of data and transactions and management of reconfigurations, backups and optimization of functional parameters;
- 9. Promoting the evolutive development of Information Systems and respective technical support;
- 10. Managing the Data and Access Security to Information Systems, including the safeguards of Privacy, Authentication, Integrity, Authenticity and availability;
- 11. Developing Technical Documentation of Requirement Specifications for ICT projects;
- 12. Developing Analysis Reports of offered or available ICT solutions, depending on the specified requirements;
- 13. Developing proposals for new ICT solutions complying with the specified requirements.

Occupational profiles of graduates with examples:

There is a severe shortage of computer engineers in the labour market; therefore the demand has been increasingly greater than the supply. The occupational profile of these professionals is also increasingly broader.

In general, graduates in Computer Engineering develop their activities in all kinds of organizations. They design, develop and manage computer-based systems. They deal with applications (software) and most computer equipment (hardware). They collaborate in the automation process of organisations and in the development of their information systems. They establish internal networks of communication within organizations (intranets) and establish a presence, as effective and safe as possible, of the organizations in external networks (Internet) to communicate with clients, partners and government officials.

Increasingly,computer engineers assume sociocultural importance in networking and computing systems with a high degree of accessibility and universality that allow communication among different generations, cultures, regions, social backgrounds, etc..

Access to further studies:

The Computer Engineering degree allows access to postgraduate and second-cycle programs (Masters) according to the terms and conditions specified for those programs. In the particular case of ESTT, it gives access to the Master's degree in Digital Content Production.



Course structure diagram with credits

Course Title	Year	Semester	Credits
Algebra	1	S1	6
Digital Systems	1	S1	6
Introduction to Programming	1	S1	6
Introduction to Technology		S1	6
Mathematical Analysis I	1	S1	6
Internet Technologies I		S2	6
Introduction to Digital Electronics		S2	6
Logic and Computation		S2	6
Mathematical Analysis II		S2	6
Object-Oriented Programming	1	S2	6
Computer Architecture I	2	S1	6
Data Structure and Algorithms	2	S1	6
Databases I	2	S1	6
Introduction to Telecommunications	2	S1	6
Probabilities and Statistics	2	S1	6
Data Networks I	2	S2	6
Databases II	2	S2	6
Internet Technologies II	2	S2	6
Micro-Processors	2	S2	6
Operating Systems	2	S2	6
Computer Architecture II	3	S1	6
Computer Network Management and Security	3	S1	6
Data Networks	3	S1	6
Distributed Systems	3	S1	6
Systems Analysis	3	S1	6
Entrepreneurship	3	S2	5
Final Project	3	S2	12
Information Systems Design	3	S2	4
Network Design	3	S2	4

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Course structure diagram with credits (cont.)

Course Title	Year	Semester	Credits
Organisational Information Systems	3	S2	5



Examination regulations, assessment and grading

General

General assessment rules are in line with the Portuguese law and described in the Academic Regulations of ESTT-IPT available at http://webmanager.ipt.pt/mgallery/default.asp?obj=4538.

The licenciado degree is awarded a final grade between 10 and 20 within a 0/20 scale as well as its equivalent in the European grading scale.

Specific

At the 3rd Grade, students should develop a Final Project (12 ECTS), implementation of which should be subject to a written report and a public Presentation to an assessment committee, specially nominated for the purpose. This committee should:

- Appreciate the Report;
- Appreciate the Presentation;
- Discuss the outcome of the project, and accordance with the initial objectives;
- Issue a Final Project score.

Graduation requirements:

Completion of the study program requires approval in all courses that comprise it, including the submission and public discussion of a final project, making a total of 180 ECTS credits.

Mode of study:

Full- or Part-time.

Program director or equivalente

Director: Luís Miguel Lopes de Oliveira

<u>Erasmus coordinator</u>: José Manuel Palma Redes Ramos ECTS coordinator: José Manuel Palma Redes Ramos



Course unit title	Algebra
Course unit code	91192
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	First Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	First Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Ana Cristina Becerra Nata dos Santos Carlos Filipe Perquilhas Baptista
Learning outcomes of the course unit	To provide insight on Matrix Algebra, placing special emphasis on the discussion and resolution of systems of linear equations in vector spaces, determinants, eigenvalues and eigenvectors. These subject matters are of interest to several branches of engineering.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Not applicable.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	1. Complex numbers; 2. Matrices and systems of linear equations; 3. Vector spaces; 4. Determinants; 5. Eigenvalues and eigenvectors of square matrices.
Recommended or required Reading	 - T. Magalhães, L.(1989). Álgebra Linear como Introdução à Matemática Aplicada. Lisboa: Texto Editora - Smith, P. e Giraldes, E. (1995). Curso de Álgebra Linear e Geometria Analítica. Lisboa: McGraw-Hill - Dias Agudo, F.(1978). Introdução à Álgebra Linear e Geometria Analítica. Lisboa: Escolar Editora - Nicholson, W.(1995). Linear Algebra with Applications. Boston: PWS Publishing Company
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures and practical classes
Assessment Methods and criteria	Continuous assessment: two written tests. Exam assessment: one summative test.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Digital Systems
Course unit code	91194
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	First Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	First Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Manuel Fernando Martins De Barros Francisco José Alexandre Nunes Raul Manuel Domingos Monteiro
Learning outcomes of the course unit	Students should learn the key concepts of digital logic: numerical coding systems, basic logic gates and Boole's Algebra and be able to analyse and draw combinatorial circuits and LSI, MSI and LSI sequences. Design of logic programmable devices.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Not applicable.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	1) Introduction 2) Logic functions 3) Simplifications of logic expressions 4) Digital data representation 5) Digital circuits and logic families 6) Combinatorial circuits of average complexity 7) Basic sequential circuits 8) Synthesis and analysis of sequential circuits 9) Counters, registers and memories. 10) Logic Programmable Devices
Course contentes Recommended or required Reading	Digital circuits and logic families 6) Combinatorial circuits of average complexity 7) Basic sequential circuits 8) Synthesis and analysis of sequential circuits 9) Counters, registers and memories. 10) Logic
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Recommended or required Reading Planned learning activities	Digital circuits and logic families 6) Combinatorial circuits of average complexity 7) Basic sequential circuits 8) Synthesis and analysis of sequential circuits 9) Counters, registers and memories. 10) Logic Programmable Devices - Wakerly, J.(2000). Digital Design Principles and Practices. USA: Prentice Hall - Padilla, G. e Costa, L. (2000). Electronica Digital. Portugal: Mc Graw Hill - Dias, M.(2010). Sistemas Digitais - Princípio e prática. Portugal: FCA Editora de Informática, Lda
Recommended or required Reading Planned learning activities and teaching methods Assessment Methods and	Digital circuits and logic families 6) Combinatorial circuits of average complexity 7) Basic sequential circuits 8) Synthesis and analysis of sequential circuits 9) Counters, registers and memories. 10) Logic Programmable Devices - Wakerly, J.(2000). Digital Design Principles and Practices. USA: Prentice Hall - Padilla, G. e Costa, L. (2000). Electronica Digital. Portugal: Mc Graw Hill - Dias, M.(2010). Sistemas Digitais - Princípio e prática. Portugal: FCA Editora de Informática, Lda Lectures, Problem solving classes and Laboratory classes;

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Course unit title	Introduction to Programming
Course unit code	91193
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	First Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	First Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Paulo Alexandre Gomes dos Santos Nuno José Valente Lopes Madeira
Learning outcomes of the course unit	Students should be able to solve problems using algorithms, use a programming language to express an algorithm and to create a computer program in "C" language.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Not applicable.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	Introduction to computers and programming. Introduction to algorithms and programming languages. Data processing and manipulation. Decision-making structures. Composite data structures (arrays, structures, strings). Modularity. Iterative and recursive algorithms. Dynamic management of memory. File operations.
Recommended or required Reading	- Damas, L.(1999). Linguagem C. Portugal: FCA
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures and laboratory classes
Assessment Methods and criteria	Practice (40%): Assignments and homework. Reports and presentations. Theory (60%): Exams
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Introduction to Technology
Course unit code	91195
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	First Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	First Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	José Manuel Palma Redes Ramos
Learning outcomes of the course unit	1. Understand the main technical features of digital image processing (2D); 2. Develop solid models (3D) at a basic level; 3. Adopt the basic terminology of ICT at all levels of communication and argumentation; 4. Develop basic research on ICT issues
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Not applicable.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	1. Digital 2D Image Processing; 2. 3D Processing: solid primitives, CSG, B-Rep and rendering; 3. Computer Solid Modelling; 4. The Socio-Technical Dimension of the computer engineer: ICT Skills; 5. History of Computing and the Internet; 6. Information and Knowledge Management, Research, and Interpersonal Communication; 7. Information and Computer Systems in Organizations.
Recommended or required Reading	- Mascarenhas, J. e Ramos, J. (0). Documentos de apoio. Acedido em 1 de julho de 2012 em vários
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	1. Development of laboratory projects; 2. Presentation and discussion of ICT related contents and topics.
Assessment Methods and criteria	1. 3 Small 3D Computer Solid Modelling projects; 2. 3 essays on ICT issues; 3. Overall mark is the average of the two components.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Mathematical Analysis I
Course unit code	91191
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	First Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	First Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Luís Miguel Merca Fernandes Maria Manuela Morgado Fernandes Oliveira
Learning outcomes of the course unit	1- Provide the mathematical foundations required in other modules of the programme. 2- Provide skills to work with differential and integral calculus of functions of one real variable.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Not applicable.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	1- Subject content review. 2- Real functions of a real variable. 3- Limits and continuity. 4- Differential calculus. 5- Integral calculus.
Recommended or required Reading	 Stewart, J.(2005). Cálculo. (Vol. 1). (pp. 0-684). São Paulo: Thomson Pioneira Howard, A.(2007). Cálculo um novo horizonte. (Vol. 1). (pp. 0-581). São Paulo: Bookman Swokowsi, E.(1995). Cálculo com Geometria Analítica. (Vol. 1). (pp. 0-744). São Paulo: Makron Books Silva, J.(1999). Princípios de Análise Matemática Aplicada. (Vol. 1). (pp. 1-472). Lisboa: McGraw-Hill
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures, tutorials and lab classes
Assessment Methods and criteria	Continuous assessment: closed-book written test. Final assessment: closed-book written exam.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Internet Technologies I
Course unit code	911910
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	First Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	Second Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	José Manuel Palma Redes Ramos
Learning outcomes of the course unit	1. Understanding the hierarchical structure of the DOM (Document Object Model) to HTML content; 2. Implementing HTML, CSS and JavaScript client-side coding; 3. Manipulating DOM objects based on their methods and properties; 4. Developing dynamic web applications and interfaces.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Not applicable.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	1. The DOM (Document Object Model) for HTML content: classes, methods and properties; 2. Client-side programming techniques with HTML, CSS and JavaScript; 3. Modelling of interface behaviour: events/actions synchronization; 4. Models of motion: object animation techniques; 5. Development of web dynamic applications and interfaces for varied purposes.
Recommended or required Reading	 - DevGuru,(0)Acedido em1 de julho de 2012 em www.devguru.org - W3Schools,(0)Acedido em1 de julho de 2012 em www.w3schools.com - Ramos, J.(0). <i>Documentos de apoio</i>. Acedido em1 de julho de 2012 em vários
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Practical workshops in ICT Laboratory.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Development of an individual project based on the formulation of a requirements model.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Introduction to Digital Electronics
Course unit code	91198
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	First Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	Second Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Pedro Daniel Frazão Correia
Learning outcomes of the course unit	- Analyse DC Circuits using the fundamental laws of circuit analysis; - Become familiar with the semicondutor devices used in analog and digital electronics; - Design and analyse digital circuits; - Work with computer-aided design tools for digital circuits.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Basics of digital systems.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	I- CC circuit analysis II - Semi-conductor devices:diodes, bipolar transistors, MOS transistors. III - Digital electronics:CMOS circuits; bipolar circuits; logic families; memories IV- Hardware description languages:VHDL; digital systems design.
Recommended or required Reading	 Silva, M.(1996). Introdução aos Circuitos Eléctricos e Electrónicos. Lisboa: Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian Kemmerly, J. e Hayt Jr., W. (1993). Engineering Circuits Analysis: McGraw-Hill Santos, J.(1997). Análise de Circuitos Eléctricos: Minerva
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures, practical classes and laboratory sessions;
Assessment Methods and criteria	Written test:12 out of 20 Laboratory coursework: 8 out of 20 Continuous assessment: - Test - Laboratory coursework Laboratory component: minimum mark of 9.5/20. Final mark: weighted average of written test and laboratory coursework
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Logic and Computation
Course unit code	91197
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	First Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	Second Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Carlos Filipe Perquilhas Baptista Luís Miguel Merca Fernandes
Learning outcomes of the course unit	To provide insight on the main concepts on Logics, Set Theory, Graphs and Numerical Methods, topics that are fundamental on areas such as Networks, System Analysis and Formal Verification.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Algebra and Mathematical Analysis
Recommended optional programme componentes	Algebra and Mathematical Analysis
Course contentes	1 – Foundations of Logic and Set Theory 2 – Graphs and digraphs. Application to Trees and Minimum Cost Path problems. 3 – Nonlinear equations and Systems of Nonlinear Equations 4 – Polynomial Interpolation 5 – Numerical Integration 6 – Numerical Methods for Ordinary First-Order Differential Equations
Recommended or required Reading	- Faires, J. e Burden, R. (1993). <i>Numerical Analysis</i> . (Vol. 1). New York: PWS Publishing Company - Rosen, K.(1995). <i>Discrete Mathematics and Its Applications</i> . (Vol. 1). Brasil: Mc Graw-Hill
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures, tutorials and laboratory classes.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Continuous assessment: two written tests and computational projects. Final assessment:students can choose between a summative written exam comprising all course contents or computer projects and one summative written test.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Mathematical Analysis II
Course unit code	91196
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	First Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	Second Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Maria Cristina Oliveira Da Costa
Learning outcomes of the course unit	1- Provide the mathematical foundations required in other modules of the programme. 2- Provide skills to work with differential and integral calculus of functions of several real variables.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Not applicable.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	1- Numerical and Functions Series. 2- Real functions of several real variables. 3- Multiple Integrals.
Recommended or required Reading	 Swokowsi, E.(1995). Cálculo com Geometria Analítica. (Vol. 2). (pp. 1-744). São Paulo: Makron Books Zill, D. e Cullen, M. (2009). Advanced Engineering Mathematics. (Vol. 2). (pp. 1-1008). Sudbury: Jones & Bartlett Publishers Jerónimo, M. e Azenha, A. (1995). Cálculo Diferencial e Integral em R e Rn. (Vol. 1). (pp. 1-610). Lisboa: Mac Graw-Hill Silva, J.(1999). Princípios de Análise Matemática Aplicada. (Vol. 1). (pp. 1-472). Lisboa: McGraw-Hill
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures and practical classes.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Continuous assessment: closed-book written tests. Final assessment: exam.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Object-Oriented Programming
Course unit code	91199
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	First Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	Second Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Paulo Alexandre Gomes dos Santos José Casimiro Nunes Pereira António Manuel Rodrigues Manso Pedro Miguel Aparício Dias
Learning outcomes of the course unit	1 - Apply the basic principles of problem solving using object-oriented programming; 2 - Develop functional code through the Java language, and its class libraries; 3 - Error and exception handling.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Basics of programming.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	Introduction to Object-Oriented Programming. Visual programming. Programming with classes. Definition of library classes.
Recommended or required Reading	- Bates, B. e Sierra, K. (2003). <i>Head First Java</i> . EUA: O'Reilly
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures, tutorials and laboratory classes.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Practical assignments and closed book exam.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Computer Architecture I
Course unit code	911914
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Second Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	First Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Carlos David Magalhães Queiroz
Learning outcomes of the course unit	- Understand the general principles of computer architecture, its internal organisation and the impact of the several components in the operating performance Describe the various levels of memory and data transfer modes
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	A pass in the modules: Introduction to Programming, Digital Systems, Introduction to Technology and Object-Oriented Programming.
Recommended optional programme componentes	The module Logic and Computation
Course contentes	- Basics of computer architecture - CPU structure(data processing units; control units; implementation modes; performance analysis) - Memory organisation (technologies; hierarchy; cache) - Organisation of interfaces and peripherals (types; characterisation
Recommended or required Reading	 Carpinelly, J.(2001). Computer Systems - Organization & Architecture. Portugal: Prentice Hall - Pearson Education International Brey, B.(2003). The Intel Microprocessors. Portugal: Prentice Hall - Pearson Education International Stallings, W.(2003). Computer Organization and Architecture. Portugal: Prentice Hall Monteiro, R.(2004). Tecnologia dos Equipamentos Informáticos. Portugal: FCA
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures and laboratory classes
Assessment Methods and criteria	Theoretical part: -Written test (10/20) Practical Part: -Written exam (2/20) -Practical assignments (4/20) - Classwork and tests (4/20) A minimum of 30% in each assessment component is required to pass.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Data Structure and Algorithms
Course unit code	911912
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Second Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	First Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Paulo Alexandre Gomes dos Santos Pedro Miguel Aparício Dias
Learning outcomes of the course unit	Describe the commonest data structures and algorithms, as well as its advantages, limitations and applications; Use data structures to solve real problems; Design, develop, and test code for tackling medium- and large-scale problems.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Object-oriented programming.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	1 - Introduction to Java language 2 - Algorithm development techniques 3 - Algorithm complexity analysis 4 - Sorting algorithms. 5 - Linear data structures 6 - Hierarchical data structures 7- Graphs
Recommended or required Reading	 Stein, C. e Rivest, R. e Leiserson, C. e Cormen, T. (2002). Algoritmos Teoria e Prática – Tradução da 2ª Edição Americana. Brasil: Editora Campus Tongo, L. e Barnett, G. (2008). Data Structures and Algorithms. EUA:
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures and laboratory classes.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Practical coursework and closed book examination.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Databases I
Course unit code	911915
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Second Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	First Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	António Casimiro Teixeira Batista José Casimiro Nunes Pereira
Learning outcomes of the course unit	An introduction to the theory and practice of DBMS. Emphasis will be on theoretical considerations about modelling data and designing easy-to-use and effective DB systems:creation and modelling of databases, hands-on practice with SQL.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Not applicable.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	Objectives and functions of DBMS. Ancient data models. Relational model. Relationships. Data dictionary. Keys.Primary key, foreign key and indices. Integrity and rules. Functional dependencies and standardization. 1FN, 2FN, 3FN and BCNF. E-R method. SQL.
Recommended or required Reading	 - Pereira, J.(1999). Tecnologia de Bases de Dados. Lisboa: Lidel/FCA - Editora de Informática - Batista, A.(2012). Apontamentos e material de apoio. Tomar: Autor
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures, tutorials and laboratory classes.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Written Test. Laboratory coursework. Preparation and presentation of a Final Project.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Introduction to Telecommunications
Course unit code	911913
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Second Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	First Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Pedro Daniel Frazão Correia
Learning outcomes of the course unit	Students should understand the frequency analysis of continuous signals using Fourier Transform, the physical impairments of a transmission system and be able to describe continuous carrier modulation techniques in analog and digital systems.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Mathematical Analysis and Complex Analysis.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	1- Introduction to telecommunications; 2- Signals and Systems; 3- Signal theory; 4- Sampling and analog-to-digital conversion: PCM and DPCM modulation; 5- Transmission media; 6- Modulation techniques with continuous carrier; 7- Principles of digital data transmission
Recommended or required Reading	 Forouzan, B.(2007). Data Communications & Networking: McGraw-Hill Lathi, B.(1998). Modern Digital and Analog Communication Systems: Oxford University Press Lathi, B.(1998). Signal Processing and Linear Systems: Oxford University Press Correia, P. e Pires, G. (2010). Apontamentos de Redes de Dados e de Fundamentos de Telecomunicações. Tomar: Autor
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures, Problem solving classes, Laboratory classes;
Assessment Methods and criteria	Exam (70%) (a minimum of 45% is mandatory), Lab assignments (30%) (a minimum of 45% is mandatory). Admission to Exam requires a pass in the laboratory based assignments.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Probabilities and Statistics
Course unit code	911911
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Second Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	First Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Luis Miguel Lindinho da Cunha Mendes Grilo Maria João da Costa Antunes Inácio Francisco Paulo Vilhena Antunes Bernardino Carvalho
Learning outcomes of the course unit	Provide the basics of some key techniques and methodologies of Statistics, mainly quantitative, so that students can design and implement solutions to different problems under uncertainty conditions.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Mathematical Analysis and Algebra
Recommended optional programme componentes	Lectures supported by Excel tools and statistical package SPSS.
Course contentes	1. Probability (axioms and theorems), 2. discrete and continuous random variables; 3. Some theoretical probability distributions (discrete and continuous); 4. Sampling(mean, variance and sample proportion) 5. Point and interval estimation parameters, 6. Parametric hypothesis tests (mean, variance and population proportion); 7. Correlation and simple linear regression
Recommended or required Reading	 - Gama, S. e Pedrosa, A. (2004). Introdução Computacional à Probabilidade e Estatística. Porto - Portugal: Porto Editora - Cabral, J. e Guimarães, R. (2007). Estatística. Lisboa - Portugal: McGraw-Hill - Grilo, L.(2013). Probabilidades e Estatística. Conceitos Teórico-Práticos. Instituto Politécnico de Tomar, Portugal: Instituto Politécnico de Tomar
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures, tutorials and laboratory classes.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Continuous assessment:two written tests; Examination assessment: one written test.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Data Networks I
Course unit code	911917
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Second Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	Second Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Carlos David Magalhães Queiroz
Learning outcomes of the course unit	The students should be able to design LAN and WAN networks with IP unicast routing; develop multicast networks; plan and select equipment and provide maintenance support.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Not applicable.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Computer Architecture I Introduction to Telecommunications
Course contentes	 Application layer (operating principles of network applications; application layer protocols) - Presentation layer (operating principles) - Session layer (operating principles, sockets) - Transport layer (Introduction to transport layer services - UD
Recommended or required Reading	 Forouzan, B.(2004). Data Communications and Networking. Portugal: McGraw-Hill Ross, K. e Kurose, J. (2004). Computer Networking: A Top Down Approach. Portugal: Addison-Wesley Boavida, F. e Monteiro, E. (2004). Engenharia de Redes Informáticas. Portugal: FCA
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures, tutorials and laboratory clsses.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Theoretical part: -Written exam (10/20) Practical part: -Written exam (2/20) -Tests (4/20) - Classwork (4/20) Passing requirement: A minimum mark of 30% in all four assessment components.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Databases II
Course unit code	911918
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Second Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	Second Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	António Casimiro Teixeira Batista José Casimiro Nunes Pereira
Learning outcomes of the course unit	Students should acquire an understanding of database technology and become familiar with the development of database applications and the administration of multi-user databases.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Databases I
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	1 – An introduction to the administration of Database Management Systems. 2 – Physical and logical administration of Database Management Systems. 3 – Competition and transactions. 4 – Security and recovery 5 - Query optimization.
Recommended or required Reading	 - Date, C.(2003). An Introduction to Database Systems: Addison Wesley - Pereira, J. e Batista, A. (2012). Apontamentos e material de apoio. Tomar: Autor - Navathe, S. e Elmasri, R. (2010). Fundamentals of Database Systems: Addison Wesley
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures, tutorials and laboratory classes.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Theoretical test, laboratory coursework as well as preparation and presentation of a final Project.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Internet Technologies II
Course unit code	911920
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Second Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	Second Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	José Manuel Palma Redes Ramos José Casimiro Nunes Pereira
Learning outcomes of the course unit	1. Implement XML, ASP.NET and SQL programming technologies; 2. Develop client-side and server-side Web applications; 3. Implement XSL and XMLDOM technologies for XML-HTML transformation; 4. Develop web interfaces for remote databases; 5. Implement usability criteria.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Not applicable.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	 XML representation of information and static presentation techniques with XSL; XML architectures and information models; Dynamic presentation techniques with javaScript on XMLDOM; Server-side Programming with ASP.NET; ASP.NET/SQL technologies for web interfaces to remote databases; Basic notions of Usability in Human-Machine Interface building.
Recommended or required Reading	- Ramos, J.(2012). <i>Documentos de apoio</i> . Tomar: Autor - DevGuru,(0)Acedido em1 de julho de 2012 em www.devguru.org - W3C-Org,(0)Acedido em1 de julho de 2012 em www.w3c.org - W3Schools,(0)Acedido em1 de julho de 2012 em www.w3schools.com
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Practical workshops in ICT Laboratory.
Assessment Methods and criteria	1. An individual project on XML middleware; 2. An individual project on Web-based interfaces to remote databases; 3. Final mark is the average of the two assessment components.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Micro-Processors
Course unit code	911919
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Second Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	Second Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Manuel Fernando Martins De Barros
Learning outcomes of the course unit	The students should get familiar with the operation and control of the architectures of modern systems based on MCS 8051, PICS and AVR micro-controllers, develop skills to handle and design embedded systems and have a good command of development tools and remote communications.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Not applicable.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	1) Introduction to microcontrollers 2) MCS51, PIC and AVR microcontrollers family. 3) Interrupt system (8051, PIC18F458 & AVR) 4) Timers (8051, PIC18F458 & AVR) 5) Serial communication (UART, USB) 6) Wireless remote communications (bluetooth, wifi & IR) 7) Digital and analog interfaces 8) Address decoding
Recommended or required Reading	- Http://www.arduino.cc/, A.(0). Arduino - Getting Start, Learning and examples. Acedido em8 de junho de 2012 em http://www.arduino.cc/ - Http://www.mikroe.com/, M.(0). PIC Microcontrollers - Programming in C. Acedido em8 de junho de 2012 em http://www.mikroe.com/eng/product_downloads/download/ - Intel, I.(0). MCS-51 Family of Single chip Microcomputers, User's Manual. Acedido em8 de junho de 2012 em http://www.industrologic.com/MCS51FamilyUsersGuide.pdf
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures, tutorials and laboratory classes.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Written exam (50%), labs (20%) and mini project (30%).
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Operating Systems
Course unit code	911916
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Second Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	Second Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Luis Agnelo de Almeida
Learning outcomes of the course unit	Students should understand the concept of operating system (OS), its functions and components. They should be able to specify, configure and maintain operating systems.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Basic knowledge of programming skills and computer architecture.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	1- Introduction to Operating Systems, 2- The core of an Operating System, 3- Management of Processes and Threads, 4- Process Synchronization and Deadlocks, 5- Inter-process Communications, 6- Memory Mechanisms and Memory Management Algorithms, 7- File System, 8- Security and Protection, 9- Practical content: shell, unix and windows OS programming, Unix and Windows Server system.
Recommended or required Reading	 - Galvin, P. e Silberschatz, A. (2003). Operating System Concepts.: Addison-Wesley - Stallings, W.(2005). Operating systems internals and design principles.: Prentice-Hall - Veiga, L. e Marques, J. e Ferreira, P. e Ribeiro, C. e Rodrigues, R. (2009). Sistemas Operativos.: FCA - Editora Informática - Nutt, G.(2004). Operating Systems: A Modern Perspective.: Addison Wesley
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures and Laboratory classes.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Written test: 40% Laboratory test: 30% Ongoing coursework: 30% (minimum 30% in each component)
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Computer Architecture II
Course unit code	911923
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Third Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	First Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Luis Agnelo de Almeida
Learning outcomes of the course unit	An advanced overview of the operation of a computer and the hardware structures used in computer design. Identify and describe the microprocessor architecture, its components and the hardware/software interface models; to program in Assembly; Specify and manage hardware resources.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Programming, Computer Architecture I and Operating Systems.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	1- Computer Architecture 2- Instruction Set: machine language architecture 3- Assembly programming language (processor and peripherals) 4- Computational arithmetics 5- Arithmetic Coprocessor Programming 6- Memory Hierarchy 7- Input/Output Data Systems 8- Multiprocessors
Recommended or required Reading	- Stallings, W.(2000). Computer Organization and Architecture: Designing for Performance.: Prentice Hall - Brey, B.(2003). The Intel Microprocessors: 8086/8088, 80186/80188, 80286, 80386, 80486, Pentium, Pentium Pro Processor, Pentium II, Pentium III, and Pentium 4 - Architecture, Programming, and Interfacing.: Prentice-Hall - Patterson, D. e Hennessy, J. (1994). Computer Organization and Design.: Morgan Kaufman
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures and laboratory classes.
Assessment Methods and criteria	End of semester closed book examination (30%) Lab test (40%) Ongoing coursework (30%) (minimum requirement of 30% on each component)
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Computer Network Management and Security
Course unit code	911924
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Third Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	First Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Luís Miguel Lopes de Oliveira
Learning outcomes of the course unit	Students should be able to apply new methodologies for managing and maintaining computer networks; identify the critical services of an infrastructure proposing solutions and strategies to minimise its inoperability; use protocols and security mechanisms.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Data Networks I
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	Data networks and systems management - Introduction to integrated management - IETF data management protocols Data networks security - Introduction to cryptography - Authentication systems, certification and access control - Firewalls and intrusion detection systems - Security on wireless networks - Network access control mechanisms
Recommended or required Reading	 Boavida, F. e Monteiro, E. (2000). Engenharia de Redes Informáticas. Lisboa: FCA - Editora de Informática William, S.(1998). Cryptography and Network Security: Principles and Practice: Prentice-Hall William, S.(2000). Network Security Essentials: Prentice-Hall Zúquete, A.(2006). Segurança em Redes Informáticas. Lisboa: FCA - Editora de Informática
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Theoretical and practical classes using audiovisual resources and simulation.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Individual or group laboratory assignments(40%) Witten test/exam (60%) Minimum requirements: 8 marks in the theoretical component and 10 marks in the practical component.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese Mentoring in English
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Data Networks
Course unit code	911922
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Third Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	First Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	Luís Miguel Lopes de Oliveira
Learning outcomes of the course unit	Understand the routing mechanisms for IGPs and EGPs and be able to configure it. Understand the issues related with local area networks. Be able to manage and optimize data computer networks.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Be familiar with the main TCP/IP stack protocols
Recommended optional programme componentes	Data Networks I Basics of telecommunication systems
Course contentes	Networking layer and routing - (IPv4; IPv6, routing protocols for IGP and EGP, Multicast IP; Multicast routing; IPv4 to IPv6 transition scenarios) Data link layer - (error detection and correction mechanisms, Ethernet, wireless networks, MSTP, LACP, VLANs) Traffic management and data network optimization on local area networks)
Recommended or required Reading	 Forouzan, B.(2006). Data Communications & Networking: McGraw-Hill Ross, K. e Kurose, J. (2005). Computer Networking: Addison Wesley Perlman, R.(1999). Interconnections: Bridges, Routers, Switches, and Internetworking Protocols: Addison Wesley
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures (face-to-face or e-learning) and laboratory classes supported by audiovisual resources and simulation.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Individual or group laboratory assignments (40%) Witten test/exam (60%) Minimum requirements: 8 marks in the theoretical component and 10 marks in the practical component.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese Mentoring in English
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Distributed Systems
Course unit code	911925
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Third Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	First Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	António Manuel Rodrigues Manso Pedro Miguel Aparício Dias
Learning outcomes of the course unit	Students will be provided with theoretical and practical knowledge on distributed systems. They should have a good command of general techniques of design, implementation and operation of distributed systems and be able to program distributed applications.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Basics of computer programming, data structures and networking.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	1 - Introduction to distributed systems 2 - Parallel and concurrent programming 3 - Distributed systems programming 3.1 - Distributed Systems Security 3.2 - Programming with sockets 3.3 - Programming with remote objects 3.4 - Programming with web services 4 - Mobile devices programming
Recommended or required Reading	 Cardoso, J.(2010). Programação de Sistemas Distribuídos em Java. Lisboa: FCA Alves Marques, J. e Guedes, P. (1998). Tecnologia de Sistemas Distribuídos. (Vol. 1). Lisboa: FCA Coulouris, G. e Dollimore, J. (2011). Distributed Systems: Concepts and Design . (Vol. 1). USA: Addison Wesley Guedes, P. e Marques, J. (1998). Tecnologia de Sistemas Distribuídos. Lisboa: FCA - Editora de Informática Cardoso, J.(2008). Programação de Sistemas Distribuídos em Java. Lisboa: FCA - Editora de Informática Blair, G. e Kindberg, T. e Dollimore, J. e Coulouris, G. (2011). Distributed Systems: Concepts and Design. :: Addison Wesley
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures and laboratory classes.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Practical assignments and closed-book written test.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Systems Analysis
Course unit code	911921
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Third Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	First Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6
Name of Lecturer(s)	José Casimiro Nunes Pereira
Learning outcomes of the course unit	Development of skills for the specification/design of Information Systems, with UML language and RUP method.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Knowledge of object-oriented programming and of Data Base Systems
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	- Specification of systems requirements - UML - Unified Modelling Language - Why specification is important? - Introduction to the UML - The notation of UML language - Study of UML Diagrams - Definition of software tests - RUP (Rational Unified Pro
Recommended or required Reading	 - Larman, C.(2007). <i>Utilizando UML e Padrões</i>. São Paulo: Bookman - Fowler, M.(2007). <i>UML distilled, 3rd Ed</i>. NY: Addison-Wesley - Stevens, P.(2006). <i>Using UML - Software Engineering with Objects and Componentes</i>. England: Addison-Wesley
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures and tutorials.
Assessment Methods and criteria	- Written Test (45%); - Practical Coursework (45%); - Laboratory Coursework (10%)
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Entrepreneurship
Course unit code	911926
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Third Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	Second Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	5
Name of Lecturer(s)	Olinda Maria dos Santos Sequeira
Learning outcomes of the course unit	The students should develop an entrepreneurial mindset, be able to identify business opportunities, evaluate the potential of a new business, apply the financial analysis tools and identify the financing sources as well as be aware of the advantage of partnerships.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Not applicable.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Seminars and events in the area of entrepreneuship.
Course contentes	1. Concepts of entrepreneurship 2. Entrepreneurial process 3. Selecting a project 4. Preparing a business plan 5. Financing the Project 6. How to create your own business 7. Entrepreneurial success/failure
Recommended or required Reading	- Silva, M. e Mainardes, E. (2012). "Inovação Empreendedora das Pequenas e Médias Empresas" in Marketing Empreendedor - Novos Rumos para o Sucesso nos Negócios de Micro, Pequenas e Médias Empresas. (pp. 59-89). Curitiba: Editora Xibpex - Sarkar, S.(2007). Empreendedorismo e Inovação. Lisboa: Escolar Editora - Snell, S. e Bateman, T. (2007). Management - Hill Leading & Collaborating in a Competitive World: McGraw-Hill - Drucker, P.(1989). Inovação e Gestão. Uma nova concepção de estratégia de empresa: Editorial Presença
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Theoretical and practical classes supported by case studies.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Ongoing assessment: preparation of a business plan as part of a team including presentation (60%); Individual final report and presentation (30%). Minimum pass grade is 10/20.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Final Project
Course unit code	911930
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Third Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	Second Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	12
Name of Lecturer(s)	Célio Gonçalo Cardoso Marques Paulo Alexandre Gomes dos Santos António Casimiro Teixeira Batista José Casimiro Nunes Pereira Luís Miguel Lopes de Oliveira Nuno José Valente Lopes Madeira Gabriel Pereira Pires Luis Agnelo de Almeida Carlos David Magalhães Queiroz António Manuel Rodrigues Manso Pedro Miguel Aparício Dias
Learning outcomes of the course unit	To foster effective teamwork behaviour and tasks in ICT Project Environments; To establish and control metrics for ICT products under development; To communicate ICT product features to their respective audiences; To develop written documentation and reports for ICT products.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Not applicable.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	Markets for ICT-based solutions; ICT Projects: Lifespan; System Requirements Specifications. ICT Project Planning: designing, cost analysis, document organisation; Team Management for ICT Projects: roles, responsibilities and leadership; Research Techniques; Technical Communication: writing and presenting ICT Projects.
Recommended or required Reading	- Pressman, R.(2005). Software Engineering – A Practitioner's Approach. NY: McGraw-Hill
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Laboratory teamwork.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Assessment of assignments carried out by the students including product presentation and documentation (final report)
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Information Systems Design
Course unit code	911929
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Third Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	Second Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	4
Name of Lecturer(s)	António Manuel Rodrigues Manso Pedro Miguel Aparício Dias
Learning outcomes of the course unit	Apply strategies, techniques and tools for testing, inspecting and reviewing information systems. Develop applications from predefined requirements to a deliverable version. Perform different functions in software development teams.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Not applicable.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	1-Prescriptive software Process Models 2-Software Engineering 3-Project Engineering 4-Project development
Recommended or required Reading	- Roger, P.(2006). Software Engineering – A Practitioner's Approach –. : McGraw-Hill
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures and laboratory coursework (teamwork)
Assessment Methods and criteria	Assessment of the computer applications developed by the students and respective technical details. Assessment of each student's individual contribution to the project.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Network Design
Course unit code	911928
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Third Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	Second Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	4
Name of Lecturer(s)	Luís Miguel Lopes de Oliveira
Learning outcomes of the course unit	Understand the main issues related to data computer networks e be familiar with the good practices to be taken into account when designing state-of-the-art data networks.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Data Networks I and II Data networks Security and Management
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	RF Wireless networks design Introduction to service oriented architectures networks design Local area project design Datacenter networks project design Datacenter and local area security mechanisms Network infrastructure solutions
Recommended or required Reading	 ,(2007). Design Cisco Network Service Architectures: Cisco Press - McCabe, J.(2007). Network Analysis, Architecture and Design: Morgan Kaufmann - Oliveira, L.(0). Apontamentos e material de apoio. Acedido em1 de julho de 2012 em e-learning.ipt.pt
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Theoretical and practical classes with e-learning resources available and laboratory classes including simulation.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Individual or group lab assignments (40%) + individual test/exam (60%) Requirements: minimum mark of 8/20 in the theoretical component and minimum mark of 10/20 in the practical component.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese Mentoring in English
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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Course unit title	Organisational Information Systems
Course unit code	911927
Type of course unit	Compulsory
Level of Course unit	First Cycle
Year of Study	Third Year
Semester/Trimester when the course unit is delivered	Second Semester
Number of ECTS credits allocated	5
Name of Lecturer(s)	Nuno José Valente Lopes Madeira
Learning outcomes of the course unit	The students should be able to discriminate between information systems and their underlying information technologies, understand the strategic importance of Information Systems in organizations and be aware of the role of IT and its associated processes within an organisation.
Mode of delivery	Face-to-face
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Not applicable.
Recommended optional programme componentes	Not applicable.
Course contentes	Organizational Information Systems: Supported Processes - Value Chain; Evolution of Information Systems; Map Solutions, Content and Information Flow; Existing Market Tools; Organization of an IT Department; Evaluation of Investments in IT, IT Audit, IT Security, Risk Analysis, Aligning Cobit, ITIL and Safety Standards; legislation.
Recommended or required Reading	 - Torres, C. e Carvalho, H. e Silva, P. (2003). A Segurança dos Sistemas de Informação: Centro Atlântico - Bach, S.(2001). A Gestão de Sistemas de Informação: Centro Atlântico - Rascão, J.(2004). Sistemas de Informação para as Organizações: Edições Sílabo - Madeira, N.(0). Apontamentos e material de apoio. Acedido em1 de julho de 2012 em e-learning.ipt.pt
Planned learning activities and teaching methods	Lectures and teamwork. Workshops using applications in real environment.
Assessment Methods and criteria	Written tests. Presentations and teamwork.
Language of Instruction	Portuguese
Work placement(s)	Not applicable.

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