

NJSC Kazakh National Research Technical University named after K.I. Satpayev"
Institute of Automation and Information Technologies
Department of Software Engineering

Working educational program
CURRICULUM PROGRAM

"Software Engineering"
Master degree
in the field of Information and Communication Technologies under the
Educational Program
«7M06101 - Software Engineering»

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in accordance with the State Standard of Higher Education 2022

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The program is drawn up and signed by the parties:
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Qualification:

Level 7 of the National Qualifications Framework
7M06 Information and communication technologies

Professional competencies: Software development

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Brief description of the program:

The main focus of the master's program is on an in-depth study of software development technologies, understanding the architecture of computer systems, and expanding knowledge in the field of development paradigms for distributed, resilient network applications.

The program is aimed at training a high-quality specialist in accordance with the level of competence, capable of independently conducting scientific research, independently developing complex software solutions, working in a team, and navigating modern Information Technologies. The educational program is structured taking into account current trends in software development and in close connection with the manufacturing sector.

The development of the educational program was carried out on the basis of 3 documents defining directions and specializations in the field of IT - SWEBOK, the purpose of which is to combine knowledge in software engineering; SE2004 - training manual for training specialists in university programs in the field of software engineering; CC2005 - guidelines for the development of training programs for IT professionals. A team of international IT specialists has identified a set of areas of study and a set of disciplines that provide quality training in IT (CC2005), as well as the thematic composition of disciplines and a set of knowledge necessary and sufficient for IT specialists (SWEBOK, SE2004).

This educational program “ Software Engineering ” was developed on the basis of the main regulatory documents:

- State compulsory standard of technical and vocational education, approved by Decree of the Government of the Republic of Kazakhstan dated August 23, 2012 No. 1080 (as amended as of August 15, 2017) . Footnote. Clause 1 as amended by the Decree of the Government of the Republic of Kazakhstan dated 04/25/2015 No. 327 (shall be enforced from 09/01/2016); dated 05/13/2016 No. 292 (to come into effect from 09/01/2017).

- Industry Qualification Framework (SQF). Industry: information and communication technologies. Approved by Minutes No. 1 of December 20, 2016 of the meeting of the Industry Commission in the field of information, informatization, communications and telecommunications.

- Law of the Republic of Kazakhstan “On Education” dated July 27, 2007 No. 319-III ZRK;

- IEEE SWEBOK pooling knowledge on software engineering;
- CC2005 guidelines for the development of training programs for IT specialists;
- SE2004 training manual for training specialists in university programs in the field of software engineering.

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The program is designed to implement the principles of democratic education management, expanding the boundaries of academic freedom and the powers of educational institutions, which will ensure the training of elite, highly motivated personnel for innovative and knowledge-intensive sectors of the economy.

The educational program was developed based on an analysis of the labor functions of software engineers, system administrators, and data analysts, as stated in professional standards.

Representatives of Kazakh companies in the field of software product development participated in the development of the educational program .

The program is aimed at the following areas of professional activity:

- Software development
- Distributed computing and data storage

Contents of the educational program:

- General educational complex of disciplines
- Disciplines of software development methodologies
- Distributed network application development disciplines
- Distributed database development disciplines
- Disciplines of software development project management

The training includes practical training in leading IT companies located in the Republic of Kazakhstan and training abroad as part of academic mobility.

PASSPORT OF THE EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

1 Scope and content of the program

The duration of master's studies is determined by the volume of completed academic credits. When mastering the established volume of academic credits and achieving the expected learning outcomes for obtaining a master's degree, the master's degree program is considered fully completed. In the scientific and pedagogical master's program there are at least 120 academic credits for the entire period of study, including all types of educational and scientific activities of the master's student.

Planning of the content of education, the method of organizing and conducting the educational process is carried out by the university and scientific organization independently on the basis of credit education technology.

The master's program in scientific and pedagogical direction implements educational programs of postgraduate education for the training of scientific and scientific-pedagogical personnel for universities and scientific organizations with in-depth scientific, pedagogical and research training.

The content of the master's educational program consists of:

- 1) theoretical training, including the study of cycles of basic and major disciplines;
- 2) practical training of undergraduates: various types of internships, scientific or professional internships;
- 3) research work, including the completion of a master's thesis, for scientific and pedagogical master's programs
- 4) final certification.

Purpose and objectives of the educational program

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To provide practice-oriented training for engineering and scientific specialists in the field of software product development who are able to apply various technologies, knowledge and skills of software development and design activities with an emphasis on in-depth study of aspects of creating distributed computing systems and a detailed study of computer hardware limiting factors.

To prepare specialists in engineering, scientific activities and production for production and technological activities related to the process of development and modification of software products focused on meeting the expectations and requirements of users, for organizational and management activities related to the maintenance of software products of various classes and categories, management of information systems

Create conditions for continuous professional self-improvement, development of social and personal competencies (broad cultural outlook, active citizenship, determination, organization, hard work, communication skills, ability to reason and make organizational and managerial decisions, mastery of modern information technologies, fluency in several languages, desire to self-development and commitment to ethical values and a healthy lifestyle, the ability to work in a team, responsibility for the final result of one's professional activities, civic responsibility, tolerance), social mobility and competitiveness in the labor market.

Level of education: higher

NQF/ORK qualification levels : Covers 8 level.

Area of professional activity*: technical sciences and technologies

Types of work activity:

- design and engineering;
- production and technological;
- experimental research;
- organizational and managerial;
- operational;
- scientific

Objects of professional activity:

- Computers, complexes, systems and networks;
- Computer systems for information processing and management;
- Automated control systems;
- Computer software;

Features of the program** :** academic exchange program/credit system of education/distance learning

Full-time form of education

Duration of training : 2 years

Language of instruction : Kazakh, Russian , English

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2 Admission requirements

The previous level of education of applicants is higher professional education (bachelor's degree). The applicant must have a diploma of the established form and confirm the level of knowledge of the English language with a certificate or diplomas of the established form.

The procedure for admitting citizens to master's programs is established in accordance with the “Standard Rules for Admission to Study in Educational Organizations Implementing Educational Programs of Postgraduate Education.”

The formation of a contingent of undergraduates is carried out by placing a state educational order for the training of scientific and teaching personnel, as well as paying for training at the expense of citizens’ own funds and other sources. The state provides citizens of the Republic of Kazakhstan with the right to receive, on a competitive basis, in accordance with the state educational order, free postgraduate education if they are receiving education at this level for the first time.

At the “entrance” the master’s student must have all the prerequisites necessary to master the corresponding master’s educational program. The list of necessary prerequisites is determined by the higher education institution independently.

In the absence of the necessary prerequisites, the master's student is allowed to master them on a paid basis.

3 Completion and Diploma Requirements

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Awarded degree / qualifications : The graduate of this educational program is awarded the academic degree Master of Technical Sciences.

A graduate who has completed a master's program must have the following general professional competencies:

- the ability to independently acquire, comprehend, structure and use new knowledge and skills in professional activities, to develop one’s innovative abilities;
- the ability to independently formulate research goals, establish a sequence for solving professional problems;
- the ability to apply in practice the knowledge of fundamental and applied sections of the disciplines that determine the focus (profile) of the master's program;
- the ability to professionally select and creatively use modern scientific and technical equipment to solve scientific and practical problems;
- the ability to critically analyze, present, defend, discuss and disseminate the results of their professional activities;
- possessing the skills of compiling and preparing scientific and technical documentation, scientific reports, reviews, reports and articles;
- willingness to lead a team in the field of their professional activities, tolerantly perceiving social, ethnic, religious and cultural differences;
- readiness to communicate orally and in writing in a foreign language to solve professional problems.

A graduate who has completed a master's program must have professional competencies corresponding to the types of professional activities that the master's program is focused on:

research activities:

- the ability to formulate diagnostic solutions to professional problems by integrating fundamental sections of science and specialized knowledge acquired during the master's program;
- the ability to independently conduct scientific experiments and research in the professional field, summarize and analyze experimental information, draw conclusions, formulate conclusions and recommendations;
- the ability to create and explore models of the objects under study based on the use of in-depth theoretical and practical knowledge in the field of software development;

scientific and production activities:

- the ability to independently carry out production and scientific-production field, laboratory and interpretive work when solving practical problems;
- the ability to professionally operate modern field and laboratory equipment and instruments in the field of the master's program;
- the ability to use modern methods of processing and interpreting complex information to solve production problems;

project activities:

- the ability to independently draw up and present projects for scientific research and scientific production work;
- readiness to design complex research and scientific-production work when solving professional problems;
- *organizational and managerial activities:*
- readiness to use practical skills in organizing and managing research and scientific and production work in solving professional problems;
- readiness for practical use of regulatory documents in planning and organizing scientific and production work;
- *scientific and pedagogical activities:*
- ability to conduct seminars, laboratory and practical classes;
- the ability to participate in the management of scientific and educational work of students in the field of software development.

When developing a master's program, all general cultural and general professional competencies, as well as professional competencies related to those types of professional activities that the master's program is focused on, are included in the set of required results for mastering the master's program.

4 Working curriculum of the educational program

4.1. Duration of training 2 years

Year of study	Code	Name of the discipline	Component	Loans		Lk / forehead / pr	Prerequisites	Code	Name of the discipline	Component	Loans		Lk / forehead / pr	Prerequisites
				ECTS	RK						ECTS	RK		
				1 semester							2nd semester			
1	LNG205	Foreign language (professional)	DB VK	5	3	0/0/ 3		CSE261	Theory of Complexity & Computations	DB KV	5	3	2/0/ 1	
	HUM201	History and philosophy of science	DB VK	4	2	1/0/ 1		CSE289	Object Oriented Design Patterns	DB KV	5	3	2/0/ 1	
	HUM205	Higher education pedagogy	DB VK	4	2	1/0/ 1		CSE270	QA/QC and Continuous Integration	PD VK	5	2	2/0/ 1	
	HUM204	Psychology of management	DB VK	4	2	1/0/ 1		CSE244	Software development technology for real-time systems	PD HF	4	2	1/0/ 1	
	CSE286	Computer Architecture & Concurrency	DB KV	5	3	2/0/ 1		CSE290	CAP & ACID Fundamentals	PD HF	4	3	1/0/ 1	
	CSE287	Software Engineering Project Management	PD VK	5	3	2/0/ 1			Research work of a master's student	NIR M	7	2		
		Teaching practice	DB VK	3	3	2/0/ 1								
		Total:		thirt y	18				Total:		thirt y	15		
2	3rd semester							4th semester						
	CSE306	Big Data Storage Systems and Computations	PD HF	5	3	2/0/ 1			Research work of a master's student	NIR M	9	2		



CSE285	Microservices and Cloud Computing	PD HF	5	3	2/0/ 1			Research practice	PD	9	2		
CSE291	High load distributed computing	PD HF	4	2	1/0/ 1			Preparation and defense of a master's thesis (OiZMD)	IA	12	3		
CSE225	Applied Information Theory	PD HF	4	2	1/0/ 1								
CSE309	Machine Learning & Deep Learning	PD HF	4	2	1/0/ 1								
	Research work of a master's student	NI RM	8	2									
	Total:		thi	rt	14			Total:		thi	rt	7	
									Total:	120	73		

5 Descriptors of the level and scope of knowledge, abilities, skills and competencies

Requirements for the level of preparation of a master's student are determined on the basis of the Dublin descriptors of the second level of higher education (master's degree) and reflect the mastered competencies expressed in the achieved learning outcomes.

Learning outcomes are formulated both at the level of the entire master's degree program and at the level of individual modules or academic disciplines.

Descriptors reflect learning outcomes that characterize the student's abilities:

- 1) demonstrate evolving knowledge and understanding of the software engineering field under study, based on advanced knowledge of that field, when developing and/or applying ideas in the context of the study;
- 2) apply at a professional level their knowledge, understanding and abilities to solve problems in a new environment, in a broader interdisciplinary context;
- 3) collect and interpret information to form judgments, taking into account social, ethical and scientific considerations;
- 4) communicate information, ideas, findings, problems and solutions clearly and unambiguously to both specialists and non-specialists;
- 5) learning skills necessary for independent continuation of further education in the field of study.

6 Competencies upon completion of training

7.1 Requirements for key competencies of graduates *of scientific and pedagogical master's programs* must:

1) *have an idea:*

- about the role of science and education in public life;
- about modern trends in the development of scientific knowledge;
- about current methodological and philosophical problems of natural (social, humanities, economic) sciences;
- on the professional competence of a higher school teacher;
- about the contradictions and socio-economic consequences of globalization processes;

2) *know:*

- methodology of scientific knowledge;
- principles and structure of scientific activity organization;
- psychology of cognitive activity of students in the learning process;
- psychological methods and means of increasing the effectiveness and quality of education;

3) *be able to:*

- use acquired knowledge for the original development and application of ideas in the context of scientific research;
- critically analyze existing concepts, theories and approaches to the analysis of processes and phenomena;
- integrate knowledge gained within different disciplines to solve research problems in new unfamiliar conditions;
- by integrating knowledge, make judgments and decisions based on incomplete or limited information;
- apply knowledge of pedagogy and psychology of higher education in their teaching activities;
- apply interactive teaching methods;
- carry out information-analytical and information-bibliographic work using modern information technologies;
- think creatively and creatively approach solving new problems and situations;
- be fluent in a foreign language at a professional level, allowing you to conduct scientific research and teach special disciplines at universities;
- summarize the results of research and analytical work in the form of a dissertation, scientific article, report, analytical note, etc.;

4) *have the skills:*

- research activities, solving standard scientific problems;
- implementation of educational and pedagogical activities on credit technology of education;

- methods of teaching professional disciplines;
- use of modern information technologies in the educational process;
- professional communication and intercultural communication;
- oratory, correct and logical presentation of one’s thoughts in oral and written form;
- expanding and deepening the knowledge necessary for everyday professional activities and continuing education in doctoral studies.

5) *be competent:*

- in the field of research methodology;
- in the field of scientific and scientific-pedagogical activities in higher educational institutions;
- in matters of modern educational technologies;
- in carrying out scientific projects and research in the professional field;
- in ways to ensure constant updating of knowledge, expansion of professional skills and abilities.

B – Basic knowledge, skills and abilities

B1 – Architectures and types of computers;

B2 – Operating systems;

B3 – Programming languages;

B4 – Programming technologies;

B5 – Database models;

B6 – Methods for organizing authorized access to data;

B7 – Protocols for interaction of computer systems;

B8 – Interprocessor communication architectures;

B9 – Methods for automating business processes ;

B10 – Models and types of data analysis;

B11 – Principles and models of artificial intelligence;

B12 – Techniques for modeling, composition and decomposition of systems;

B13 – Principles of consistency and integrity;

B14 – Methods of system/structural analysis;

B15 – Software life cycle;

B16 – UML – as a basic tool for describing technical systems;

B17 – SQL – as a basic data management tool;

B18 – Typical architectures of information systems/software;

B19 – Types of software;

B20 – Process design methods;

B21 – Methods for designing software interfaces;

B22 – And software design/development/debugging/maintenance tools;

B23 – Basic algorithms and data structures;

B24 – Standards, methodological and regulatory materials for software development;

B25 – Methods and models of conducting scientific activities;

B26 – Basic approaches, tools and models for managing project activities;

B27 – From standards for building IT infrastructure.

B28 – About trends in IT;

B29 – On the applicability of tools and technologies to solve a problem;

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B30 – On the adequacy of the designed model;
 B31 – On the effectiveness of the methods and models used;

P – Professional competencies:

- P1 - Analysis of the subject area, determination of goals and ways to achieve them;
- P2 - Determining deadlines for completing tasks and creating technical specifications;
- P3 - Formalization of the task, determining the priority of implementation;
- P4 - Selection of optimal solutions to problems;
- P5 - Planning the stages of the project;
- P6 - Modeling the structure of the subject area;
- P7 - Determination of functional and operational requirements for system components;
- P8 - Using UML standards to present technical documentation, diagrams, models;
- P9 - Maintaining protocols of project implementation;
- P10 — Generation of reporting documentation;
- P11 - Design of database models;
- P12 - Development and design of software interfaces;
- P13 - Construction of algorithms for computational processes;
- P14 - Writing /testing/debugging/maintenance/integration of program codes and products;

O - General human, social and ethical competencies

- O1 - Have knowledge of the historical, cultural and scientific achievements of the Republic of Kazakhstan; use data from historical sources and special literature; analyze and evaluate historical facts and events.
- O2 - Have a broad social, political and professional outlook
- O3 - Have an idea of the subject, functions, main sections and directions of philosophy; the place and role of philosophy in the life of society and man, to apply knowledge of philosophical and methodological principles of cognition in professional activities
- O4 - Think logically, master the methods of induction and deduction, determine cause-and-effect relationships; master methods of decomposition, analysis and synthesis of systems
- O5 - Knowledge of Kazakh, Russian, foreign languages. Be able to work with scientific and technical literature in Kazakh, Russian and foreign languages; search for scientific and technical information; understand information provided at a normal pace, with the subsequent transfer of its content; There is intercultural dialogue, develop and deepen your knowledge, be open to new information; establish professional contacts and develop professional communication in a foreign language, carry out business contacts in a foreign language, know terminology, read literature on the specialty in a foreign language
- O6 - Plan the stages of scientific research, organize searches and select relevant information
- O7 - Structure and edit information, prepare technical and scientific documentation in accordance with existing requirements;
- O8 - Be able to formulate oral and written speech in a reasoned and clear manner, and explain your view of the problem.
- O9 - The ability to critically analyze existing concepts, theories and approaches to the analysis of processes and phenomena.
- O10 - Application of knowledge of pedagogy and psychology of higher education in one’s teaching activities, the use of interactive teaching methods.
- O11 - The ability to summarize the results of research and analytical work in the form of a dissertation, scientific article, report, analytical note, etc.

C – Special and managerial competencies:

- C1 - Ability to set goals and plan ways to achieve them;
- C2 - Ability to conduct project/operational activities;
- C3 - Ability to conduct scientific research;
- C4 - Ability to organize the work of an IT department;
- C5 - Ability to organize work on collecting, storing and processing information used in the field of professional activity.

7.2 Requirements for research work of a master’s student in a scientific and pedagogical master’s program:

- 1) corresponds to the profile of the master’s educational program, according to which the master’s thesis is being carried out and defended;
- 2) is relevant and contains scientific novelty and practical significance;
- 3) is based on modern theoretical, methodological and technological achievements of science and practice;
- 4) is carried out using modern scientific research methods;
- 5) contains research (methodological, practical) sections on the main protected provisions;
- 6) is based on advanced international experience in the relevant field of knowledge.

7.3 Requirements for organizing practices:

The educational program of the scientific and pedagogical master's degree includes two types of internships, which are carried out in parallel with theoretical training or in a separate period:

- 1) pedagogical in the DB cycle - at a university;
- 2) research in the PD cycle - at the place where the dissertation was completed.

Pedagogical practice is carried out with the aim of developing practical skills in teaching and learning methods. At the same time, master's students are involved in teaching undergraduate classes at the discretion of the university.

The undergraduate research practice is carried out with the aim of familiarizing himself with the latest theoretical, methodological and technological achievements of domestic and foreign science, modern methods of scientific research, processing and interpretation of experimental data.

7 ECTS Diploma Supplement

The application was developed according to the standards of the European Commission, Council of Europe and UNESCO/CEPES. This document serves only for academic recognition and is not an official confirmation of an educational document. Not valid without a higher education diploma. The purpose of completing the European Annex is to provide sufficient information about the diploma holder, the qualifications he has received, the level of this qualification, the content of the training program, the results, the functional purpose of the qualification, as well as information about the national education system. The application model used to transfer grades uses the European Credit Transfer or Transfer System (ECTS).

The European Diploma Supplement provides an opportunity to continue education at foreign universities, as well as confirm national higher education for foreign employers. When traveling abroad for professional recognition, additional legalization of an education diploma will be required. The European Diploma Supplement is completed in English upon individual request and is issued free of charge.

8 Description of courses

English (professional)

CODE – LNG 205

CREDIT – 5

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

Thanks to this course, you will master specific terminology, be able to read specialized literature, and gain the knowledge necessary to carry out effective oral and written communications in a foreign language in your professional activities.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

During the training process, students acquire knowledge of a foreign language, including knowledge of specialized vocabulary, necessary for effective oral and written communications in a foreign language in their professional activities. Practical tasks and methods for developing the required language skills during the learning process include: case method and role-playing games, dialogues, discussions, presentations, listening tasks, work in pairs or groups, various written tasks, grammar tasks and explanations.

KNOWLEDGE, ABILITIES, SKILLS AT COMPLETION OF THE COURSE

As a result of mastering the discipline, the student will expand his professional vocabulary, possess the skills of effective communication in a professional environment, the ability to competently express thoughts in oral and written speech, understand specific terminology and read specialized literature.

History and philosophy of science

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GOALS AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

Reveal the connection between philosophy and science, highlight the philosophical problems of science and scientific knowledge, the main stages of the history of science, the leading concepts of the philosophy of science, modern problems of the development of scientific and technical reality

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

The subject of the philosophy of science, the dynamics of science, the specifics of science, science and pre-science, antiquity and the formation of theoretical science, the main stages of the historical development of science, features of classical science, non-classical and post-non-classical science, philosophy of mathematics, physics, engineering and technology, specifics of engineering sciences, ethics of science, social and moral responsibility of a scientist and engineer.

KNOWLEDGE, ABILITIES, SKILLS AT COMPLETION OF THE COURSE

Know and understand the philosophical issues of science, the main historical stages of the development of science, the leading concepts of the philosophy of science, be able to critically evaluate and analyze scientific and philosophical problems, understand the specifics of engineering science, possess the skills of analytical thinking and philosophical reflection, be able to justify and defend their position, master techniques conducting discussion and dialogue, mastering the skills of communication and creativity in their professional activities.

Higher education pedagogy

CODE – HUM205

CREDIT – 4

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

The course is aimed at studying the psychological and pedagogical essence of the educational process of higher education; formation of ideas about the main trends in the development of higher education at the present stage, consideration of the methodological foundations of the learning process in higher education, as well as psychological mechanisms influencing the success of learning, interaction, and management of subjects of the educational process. Development of psychological and pedagogical thinking of undergraduates.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

During the course, undergraduates become familiar with didactics of higher education, forms and methods of organizing education in higher education, psychological factors of successful learning, features of psychological influence, mechanisms of educational influence, pedagogical technologies, characteristics of pedagogical communication, mechanisms for managing the learning process. Organizational conflicts and ways to resolve them, psychological destruction and deformations of the teacher’s personality are analyzed.

KNOWLEDGE , ABILITIES, SKILLS AT COMPLETION OF THE COURSE

At the end of the course, the undergraduate must know the features of the modern system of higher professional education, the organization of pedagogical research, the characteristics of the subjects of the educational process, the didactic foundations of organizing the learning process in higher education, pedagogical technologies, patterns of pedagogical communication, features of educational influences on students, as well as problems of pedagogical activity.

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Psychology of management

CODE -

CREDIT – 4

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

The main goal of the course is aimed at studying the behavioral characteristics of individuals and groups of people within organizations; determining psychological and social factors influencing the behavior of employees. Also, much attention will be paid to the issues of internal and external motivation of people.

The main goal of the course is to apply this knowledge to improve the efficiency of the organization.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

The course is designed to provide balanced coverage of all the key elements that make up the discipline. It will briefly review the origins and development of the theory and practice of organizational behavior, followed by an examination of the core roles, skills and functions of management, with an emphasis on management effectiveness, illustrated with real-life examples and case studies.

KNOWLEDGE, ABILITIES, SKILLS AT COMPLETION OF THE COURSE

At the end of the course, students will know: the basics of individual and group behavior; basic theories of motivation; basic theories of leadership; concepts of communications, conflict and stress management in an organization.

will be able to define the different roles of leaders in organizations; look at organizations from a manager's perspective ; understand how effective management contributes to an effective organization.

Computer Architecture & Concurrency

CODE – CSE286

CREDIT – 5

PRE-REQUISITE –

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

Familiarity with the basic theoretical and practical aspects of computers. Disclosure of system-level software features. State of the art of operating systems, limiting factors, and consistency issues in multitasking systems. The objective of the discipline is to obtain systematized knowledge about the composition and principles of managing VMs, systems and networks, the purpose of the components of operating systems, the principles of functioning of various elements of operating systems and their interaction, the generation and execution of processes in the system.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

The discipline is a natural science discipline that introduces students to the fundamental principles of system programming in the Linux OS : tools, low-level input/output, multitasking, file system, interprocess communication and error handling.

KNOWLEDGE, ABILITIES, SKILLS AT COMPLETION OF THE COURSE

Basic concepts of systems programming, be able to develop programs covering system software issues.

Will be able to:

- Program work with basic input/output operations ;
- Write programs using buffered input/output ;
- Work with extended file I/O
- Work with the file system ;
- Work with processes and threads;
- Work with memory ;
- Manage interprocess communication

Software Engineering Project Management

CODE – CSE287

CREDIT – 5

PRE-REQUISITE –

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

The goal is to master the basic models of project management in relation to software development

Tasks:

- Study of the basic model of Project activities
- Study of project life cycle models
- Study of modern approaches in software development

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

The concept of “project” unites various types of activities characterized by a number of characteristics, the most common of which are the following:

- focus on achieving specific goals, specific results;
- coordinated implementation of numerous, interrelated actions;
- a limited duration in time, with a definite beginning and end.

The project was more often used in the construction, engineering and architectural fields; now this term is used in all spheres of human life. With the advent of the concept of a project, the concept of project management appeared and is developing in parallel.

In the case of software development, project activities began to develop at a rapid pace and in various directions - from flexible organization to strict cascade. This course will cover the most common Agile approaches - flexible models with tight deadlines and rapid iterations.

KNOWLEDGE , ABILITIES, SKILLS AT COMPLETION OF THE COURSE

Upon completion of the course students will:

Understand

- The concept of project and operational activities
- Project management
- Agile models - Scrum , XP

Know

- Tools and approaches in implementing project activities

Be able to

- Apply project activity models to implement software products

Theory of complexity & Computations

CODE – CSE261

CREDIT – 5

PRE-REQUISITE –

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

The goal is to master the basic elements of the theory of computational complexity

Tasks:

- Analysis of computational problems and complexity of algorithms
- Analysis of complexity classes of deterministic algorithms
- Analysis of complexity classes of non-deterministic algorithms
- Analysis of classes of computational algorithms by capacity complexity

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

Computational complexity theory is a field of theoretical computer science, one of the main tasks of which is the classification and comparison of the practical complexity of solving problems about finite combinatorial objects. In a number of cases, complexity theory provides answers to questions about the computational and capacity complexity of algorithms and their relationship with each other. The theory of computational complexity introduces the concepts of problem classes from the point of view of computational complexity, efficient algorithms that solve problems in polynomial time and others with an exponential dependence of the solution time on the data, considers deterministic and non-deterministic algorithms and their computational complexity.

In particular, considering the problem of determining the primeness of a number n , we know that it can be solved in a time proportional to $\log(n)$, while at the same time determining the winning sequence of steps in a chess game is a problem that can be solved by “brute force” or “brute force” methods, which at least corresponds exponentially in size to the problem instance. Complexity theory attempts to clarify such distinctions by offering a formal criterion of what it means for a mathematically solvable problem to be satisfactorily solvable—that is, that it can be solved by an ordinary Turing machine in several steps that are proportional to a polynomial function of the size of its input or not, for example, an exponential function.

KNOWLEDGE , ABILITIES, SKILLS AT COMPLETION OF THE COURSE

Upon completion of the course students will:

Understand

- Concepts of computational and capacity complexity of algorithms
- algorithm complexity classes

Know

- The relationship between complexity classes and the limits of application of the theory of computational complexity
- fundamental differences between problems with different complexity classes

Be able to

- Apply complexity theory to estimate the computational complexity of algorithms

Object Oriented Design Patterns

CODE – CSE289

CREDIT – 5

PRE-REQUISITE –

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

The goal is to become familiar with established design patterns using object-oriented methodology.

Tasks:

- Learning Design Patterns
- Gaining practical experience using design patterns

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

Object-oriented programming has long been a fundamental methodology for building software. The basic concepts of encapsulation, inheritance, and polymorphism offer established patterns for solving the problem of writing program code. Such patterns include Singleton , Proxy, Adapter, Decorator, Strategy, State, Class Factory, Chain of Responsibility and many others. The course explores the problems that can be solved using these patterns, allowing a broad community of developers to quickly find common ground and build maintainable, self-documenting software. The use of design patterns creates the foundation for building a high-tech software creation process.

KNOWLEDGE , ABILITIES, SKILLS AT COMPLETION OF THE COURSE

Upon completion of the course students will:

Understand

- Object-Oriented Design Patterns

Know

- Advantages and Disadvantages of Design Patterns

Be able to

- Apply design patterns to create software

Quality Assurance/Quality Control & Continuous Integration

CODE – CSE 270

CREDIT – 5

PRE-REQUISITE –

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

The goal is to master the basic elements of the theory of computational complexity

Tasks:

- Analysis of computational problems and complexity of algorithms
- Analysis of complexity classes of deterministic algorithms
- Analysis of complexity classes of non-deterministic algorithms
- Analysis of classes of computational algorithms by capacity complexity

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

Reliable software is the goal of the programmer and end users. Without possessing special skills and theoretical foundations for testing, it is impossible to release a single software product. The success of a business, financial or industrial companies can depend on the correct functioning of the software. As part of the course, students will gain knowledge in the field of quality assessment, software quality control, learn to develop test cases, perform testing using test cases, detect errors during testing and document them, evaluate and test a software product in terms of module, functionality, and integration.

KNOWLEDGE , ABILITIES, SKILLS AT COMPLETION OF THE COURSE

Upon completion of the course, students will:

Understand

- Know the terminology
- Understand the software testing process and software product life cycle

Be able to

- Develop test cases (TestCase)
- Detect errors during testing and document them
- Evaluate and test a software product in terms of functionality

Software development technologies for real-time systems

CODE – CSE 244

CREDIT – 4

PRE-REQUISITE –

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

The goal is to master the concept of real-time systems

Tasks:

- Studying the hardware component of real-time systems
- Exploring the differences between real-time systems
- Studying problems of real-time systems
- Studying approaches to writing software for real-time systems

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

Currently, real-time systems occupy a special niche in software development. This is due to the narrow focus of the tasks that need to be solved in a real-time system and low-level programming in most cases. Currently, a distinction is made between real-time systems and near-real-time systems. On the basis of such systems, software models with critical functioning are built, where tasks that are executed must be completed within a strictly defined period of time. Real-time systems are based on hardware, namely, on the frequency generator of the computing module. In such systems, the execution time slice is determined only by the hardware configuration of the device, while in modern operating systems it is possible to determine the priority of each process, depending on which the required time slice for the current process will be determined. Real-time systems are critical for highly reliable and responsive simulations such as driving, computer games, and simulations.

KNOWLEDGE , ABILITIES, SKILLS AT COMPLETION OF THE COURSE

Upon completion of the course students will:

Understand

- Concept of a real-time system
- Principles of process logging
- Operating system operating principles

Know

- Methods for creating software for real-time systems

Be able to

- Write software for real-time systems

CAP & ACID Fundamentals

CODE – CSE290

CREDIT – 4

PRE-REQUISITE –

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

The goal is to master the main problems of building distributed and high-performance data storage systems. Abbreviation CAP(Consistency Availability Partition Tollerance) is widely used in the construction of architectural solutions for data storage at various levels, from the simplest relational and non-relational stores to complex distributed systems with partial or full support for the transactional model. ACID - Adomicity , Consistency , Integrity and Durability - are usually referred to as relational data stores, so this course examines this model primarily using the example of such databases. At the same time, the mechanisms for organizing such a model based on other data storage systems are revealed.

Tasks:

- Learn the fundamentals of data storage
- Studying Data Access Performance
- Study of blocking processes and DeadLock state and combat mechanisms
- Exploring asynchronous data access

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

The course is built on the basis of studying the theoretical foundations of constructing relational and non-relational data warehouses, transactional models of data isolation and problems of consistency of computing processes. Various data storage paradigms are considered in relation to various tasks. Issues of performance and construction of distributed data storage architectures based on existing software solutions are raised.

KNOWLEDGE , ABILITIES, SKILLS AT COMPLETION OF THE COURSE

Upon completion of the course the student will:

Understand

- Types of data warehouses
- Problems that are solved when building data warehouses
- Data isolation levels in the transactional access model
- Data distribution mechanisms

Know

- Various data stores - relational, non-relational
- fundamental differences between them

Be able to

- Use various data warehouses to build information systems and software products

Big Data Storage Systems & Computations

CODE – CSE306

CREDIT – 5

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PRE-REQUISITE –

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

The goal of the discipline is to master the principles and obtain practical skills in organizing and technologies for storing, transforming and analytical processing of big data.

The objectives of the course are to develop skills in researching the use of tools for working with big data in information systems to solve practical problems.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

The discipline examines the theoretical and practical aspects of using big data technologies in information systems. The lecture course examines trends in the development of infrastructure solutions for processing and storing big data.

KNOWLEDGE , ABILITIES, SKILLS AT COMPLETION OF THE COURSE

must know:

- basic principles of using big data in enterprise architecture;
- basic methods of analytical processing of big data;

should be able to:

- use MapReduce technologies and software packages built on the basis when working with big data.

Microservices & Cloud Computing

CODE – CSE285

CREDIT – 5

PRE-REQUISITE –

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

The goal is to master models for building scalable systems based on microservices technologies

Tasks:

- Exploring the concept of microservices
- Exploring the concepts of containerization and orchestration
- Exploring the Actor Model

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

The course is based on modern requirements and trends towards building loosely coupled scalable information systems. The microservice model regulates the approach of fragmenting complex solutions, classically built as a monolithic software module, into loosely coupled elements that interact with each other through asynchronous messages. This allows you to develop each of the modules independently and focus on specific system performance if necessary. Such systems are characterized by a high degree of fault tolerance, since each component is as autonomous as possible. Such approaches require a revision of classical solutions towards the implementation of the integrity model with alternative approaches, since in most cases there is no direct connection between objects of different modules. Also, the microservices model relies as much as possible on the concept of asynchronous interaction, which imposes its own obligations to model the integrity and guarantee the execution of the operation in each individual case independently.

KNOWLEDGE , ABILITIES, SKILLS AT COMPLETION OF THE COURSE

Upon completion of the course students will:

Understand

- What is a microservice and context boundaries
- What is a container image and container

Know

- Application containerization platforms
- Model Actor

Be able to

- Apply microservice architecture to build scalable information systems

High Load Distributed Computing

CODE – CSE291

CREDIT – 4

PRE-REQUISITE –

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

The goal is to master models for building high-load systems

Tasks:

- Analysis of problems where models of high-load systems are used
- Operating principles of high-load systems and limitations
- Analysis of software products designed to solve problems of building high-load systems

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

The course is based on modern problems of building scalable systems. The main task is to overcome the systems of limitations imposed by hardware by optimally distributing the load on each link of the computer. Thus, determining the architecture that best meets the requirements for the number of requests processed by end systems. Building high-load systems is not a trivial task, which has led to the emergence of a large number of software products, and also forced large companies to expand the product line and functionality of existing ones. In many tasks for building high-load systems, combinations of approaches and software products are used to achieve maximum system efficiency. It is these practical approaches that are studied within disciplines and such software products as Redis , RabbitMQ , Orleans , Ceph .

KNOWLEDGE , ABILITIES, SKILLS AT COMPLETION OF THE COURSE

Upon completion of the course, students will:

- Know the nature of the problem in high-load systems
- Class of problems of high-load systems
- Models for building high-load systems
- Software products for building high-load systems

Know

- Software for building high-load systems

Be able to

- Apply models and techniques for building high-load systems

Applied Information Theory

CODE – CSE225

CREDIT – 4

PRE-REQUISITE –

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

The goal of the course is to master the fundamental concepts of information theory.

Main objectives of the course:

- Expand the concepts of entropy and information
- Learn to apply methods of quantitative assessment of information
- Reveal theoretical and practical aspects of optimal (efficient) coding
- Reveal the theoretical and practical aspects of noise immunity coding.
- Show models of signals, data transmission systems, modulation and demodulation, signal sampling.
- To instill skills in applying the theory of error-correcting coding in data processing systems.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

The course is devoted to information theory, which is the theoretical basis of information and communication technologies. Information theory explains key aspects of information communication and data processing. The course covers the concepts of entropy, information, optimal coding techniques, noise-resistant coding techniques, and signal models. The course provides some techniques for prototyping signal and data processing software based on linear algebra and information theory.

KNOWLEDGE , ABILITIES, SKILLS AT COMPLETION OF THE COURSE

Upon completion of the course students will:

Understand

- what is entropy and information,
- what are efficient coding methods and noise-resistant coding methods
- mathematical signal models
- when and why certain signal and data processing techniques should be used.

Know

- Basic concepts of data transmission, methods and algorithms for efficient coding, methods of error-correcting coding, signal models, applications of information theory.

Be able to

- develop software for data processing based on information theory
- apply information theory methods to solve practical problems (noise-resistant coding, cryptography, data processing)

Machine Learning & Deep Learning

CODE – CSE309

CREDIT – 4

PRE-REQUISITE –

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

The goal of the course is to master the basic theory and practice of machine learning methods based on widely used open access libraries. Learn to apply machine learning models in practical software development problems.

Main objectives of the course:

- Consider the main machine learning models and the problems they solve
- Gain an understanding and experience of neural networks
- Consider modern methods of data classification and clustering
- Exploring current trends in deep learning models research

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE

The course focuses on deep learning models. As a field within machine learning, deep learning models illustrate the quantitative-qualitative transition. New models and their properties require separate study and practice in tuning the metaparameters of such models.

KNOWLEDGE , ABILITIES, SKILLS AT COMPLETION OF THE COURSE

Upon completion of the course students will:

Understand

- Features of deep learning models
- Current directions of research in the field of AI

Know

- Objectives and applications of deep learning models

Be able to

- Use machine learning models

The educational program of the scientific and pedagogical master's degree includes two types of internships:

- pedagogical;
- research.

Pedagogical practice is carried out with the aim of developing practical skills and teaching methods.

Pedagogical practice can be carried out during the period of theoretical training without interruption from the educational process.

The undergraduate research practice is carried out with the aim of familiarizing himself with the latest theoretical, methodological and technological achievements of domestic and foreign science, with modern methods of scientific research, processing and interpretation of experimental data.

Research work of a master's student

Research work in scientific and pedagogical master's programs must:

- correspond to the main issues of the specialty in which the master's thesis is being defended;
- be relevant, contain scientific novelty and practical significance;
- be based on modern theoretical, methodological and technological achievements of science and practice;
- be carried out using modern scientific research methods;
- contain research (methodological, practical) sections on the main protected provisions;
- be based on advanced international experience in the relevant field of knowledge.
- carried out using advanced information technologies;
- contain experimental and research (methodological, practical) sections on the main protected provisions.

Preparation and defense of a master's thesis

The purpose of the master's thesis is: demonstration of the level of scientific/research qualification of a master's student, the ability to independently conduct scientific research, testing the ability to solve specific scientific and practical problems, knowledge of the most common methods and techniques for solving them.

SHORT DESCRIPTION

A master's thesis is a final qualifying scientific work, which is a generalization of the results of an independent study by a master's student of one of the current problems of a specific specialty of the relevant branch of science, which has internal unity and reflects the progress and results of the development of the chosen topic.

A master's thesis is the result of a master's student's research/experimental research work, carried out throughout the entire period of the master's student's studies.

Defense of the master's thesis is the final stage of master's preparation. The master's thesis must meet the following requirements:

- the work must conduct research or solve current problems in the field of software development;
- the work should be based on identifying important scientific problems and solving them;
- decisions must be scientifically based and reliable, have internal unity;
- the dissertation must be written individually;

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