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Educational software development 750 (COS 750)

QualificationPostgraduateFacultyFaculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information TechnologyModule credits15.00ProgrammesBIT Information TechnologyBScHons Computer SciencePrerequisitesNo prerequisites.Contact time2 lectures per weekLanguage of tuitionModule is presented in English

Academic organisation Computer Science

Period of presentation Semester 1 or Semester 2

Module content

This module provides the foundation to evaluate and develop educational software. It will introduce didactic principles applicable to the discipline of Computer Science. Using these principles, educational software, such as tools for teaching programming, on-line testing software, and adaptive software to name a few, can be evaluated and developed. Computer Science topics of interest are: programming environments, persistence of information and knowledge, knowledge representation etc.

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