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## LEARNING GUIDE

### SUBJECT

**93000949 - Application Projects**

### DEGREE PROGRAMME

09AT - Master Universitario En Teoria De La Señal Y Comunicaciones

### ACADEMIC YEAR & SEMESTER

2019/20 - Semester 2

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## 1. Description

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### 1.1. Subject details

<b>Name of the subject</b>	93000949 - Application Projects
<b>No of credits</b>	4 ECTS
<b>Type</b>	Optional
<b>Academic year of the programme</b>	First year
<b>Semester of tuition</b>	Semester 2
<b>Tuition period</b>	February-June
<b>Tuition languages</b>	English
<b>Degree programme</b>	09AT - Master Universitario En Teoria De La Señal Y Comunicaciones
<b>Centre</b>	09 - Escuela Tecnica Superior de Ingenieros de Telecomunicacion
<b>Academic year</b>	2019-20

## 2. Faculty

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### 2.1. Faculty members with subject teaching role

<b>Name and surname</b>	<b>Office/Room</b>	<b>Email</b>	<b>Tutoring hours *</b>
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\* The tutoring schedule is indicative and subject to possible changes. Please check tutoring times with the faculty member in charge.

### 3. Prior knowledge recommended to take the subject

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#### 3.1. Recommended (passed) subjects

- Aprendizaje Predictivo Y Descriptivo
- Técnicas De Optimización Para Análisis De Datos Masivos
- Series Temporales
- Laboratorio De Técnicas De Aprendizaje Automático

#### 3.2. Other recommended learning outcomes

- Previous exposure to a programming language, such as MATLAB, R or Python

## 4. Skills and learning outcomes \*

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### 4.1. Skills to be learned

CB06 - Poseer y comprender conocimientos que aporten una base u oportunidad de ser originales en el desarrollo y/o aplicación de ideas, a menudo en un contexto de investigación

CB07 - Que los estudiantes sepan aplicar los conocimientos adquiridos y su capacidad de resolución de problemas en entornos nuevos o poco conocidos dentro de contextos más amplios (o multidisciplinares) relacionados con su área de estudio

CB08 - Que los estudiantes sean capaces de integrar conocimientos y enfrentarse a la complejidad de formular juicios a partir de una información que, siendo incompleta o limitada, incluya reflexiones sobre las responsabilidades sociales y éticas vinculadas a la aplicación de sus conocimientos y juicios

CB09 - Que los estudiantes sepan comunicar sus conclusiones y los conocimientos y razones últimas que las sustentan a públicos especializados y no especializados de un modo claro y sin ambigüedades

CB10 - Que los estudiantes posean las habilidades de aprendizaje que les permitan continuar estudiando de un modo que habrá de ser en gran medida autodirigido o autónomo

CE02 - Evaluar y sintetizar los resultados de un trabajo en equipo en proyectos relacionados con la teoría de la señal y las comunicaciones, en un entorno internacional.

CE03 - Valorar y contrastar la utilización de las diferentes técnicas disponibles para la resolución de problemas reales dentro del área de teoría de la señal y comunicaciones.

CT01 - Capacidad para comprender los contenidos de clases magistrales, conferencias y seminarios en lengua inglesa

CT03 - Capacidad para adoptar soluciones creativas que satisfagan adecuadamente las diferentes necesidades planteadas

CT04 - Capacidad para trabajar de forma efectiva como individuo, organizando y planificando su propio trabajo, de forma independiente o como miembro de un equipo

CT05 - Capacidad para gestionar la información, identificando las fuentes necesarias, los principales tipos de documentos técnicos y científicos, de una manera adecuada y eficiente

CT06 - Capacidad para emitir juicios sobre implicaciones económicas, administrativas, sociales, éticas y

medioambientales ligadas a la aplicación de sus conocimientos

## 4.2. Learning outcomes

RA34 - Capability to develop and evaluate machine-learning techniques and to design big data learning systems

RA22 - Knowing conduct a technical presentation before an audience of peers, describing the work and results clearly and well structured, on time, and using precise language

RA32 - Capability for planning, design and implement applications, incorporating signal processing, statistical analysis and machine learning

\* The Learning Guides should reflect the Skills and Learning Outcomes in the same way as indicated in the Degree Verification Memory. For this reason, they have not been translated into English and appear in Spanish.

## 5. Brief description of the subject and syllabus

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### 5.1. Brief description of the subject

The main objective of this course is to offer complementary skills to our Master's students proposing different activities they can choose freely. The proposed activities may be given as seminars, workshops or conferences provided by industrial and/or academic partners.

Activities may change every course but as an example of possible ones we give the following examples:

- Seminar on advanced Deep Learning techniques: Deep belief networks or Deep Boltzmann Machines, Variational Autoencoders, Generative adversarial networks (GANs)
- Workshop on Data Analysis and Visualization using tools such as Tableau or Power BI.
- Workshop on Data Science Workbenches, as IBM, AWS, Google Cloud, Databricks etc.
- Seminars on the integration of Machine Learning and Artificial Intelligence into Big Data Platforms.
- Seminars where students starting their Master Theses can present and debate with other students about the topic, methodology, machine learning development strategies, etc.
- Seminars or conferences from different companies or academia. These activities will be mainly directed to learn from real use-cases the value of Data Analysis and Visualization or the role of Machine Learning in different application areas.
- Seminar to debate ethical issues that may arise when developing big data analysis, machine learning or Artificial Intelligence applications.
- Meet-up with former Master students to learn from first-hand current job opportunities and possibilities for professional development.

## 5.2. Syllabus

1. Advanced Deep Learning techniques
  - 1.1. Deep belief networks or Deep Boltzmann Machines, Variational Autoencoders, Generative adversarial networks (GANs)
2. Data Analysis and Visualization
  - 2.1. Introduction to Tableau or Power BI.
  - 2.2. Practical use cases
3. Integrating Machine Learning in Big Data Platforms
  - 3.1. IBM, AWS, Google Cloud, Databricks
  - 3.2. Uses cases from industry
4. Issues when developing Machine Learning and Artificial Intelligence
  - 4.1. Privacy and Security
  - 4.2. Ethical Issues
5. Applications of Machine Learning
  - 5.1. Telecommunication applications
  - 5.2. Internet-of-Things
  - 5.3. Robotics
  - 5.4. Smart Grids
  - 5.5. Predictive maintenance and preventive maintenance
  - 5.6. Financial Systems

## 6. Schedule

### 6.1. Subject schedule\*

Week	Face-to-face classroom activities	Face-to-face laboratory activities	Other face-to-face activities	Assessment activities
1	<b>Course introduction</b> Duration: 03:00 Lecture			
2	<b>Seminar: Advanced Deep Learning</b> Duration: 03:00 Lecture			
3	<b>Seminar: Advanced Deep Learning</b> Duration: 03:00 Lecture			
4		<b>Seminar: Advanced Deep Learning</b> Duration: 03:00 Laboratory assignments		
5	<b>Seminar: Data Analysis and Visualization</b> Duration: 03:00 Additional activities			
6		<b>Seminar: Data Analysis and Visualization</b> Duration: 03:00 Laboratory assignments		
7		<b>Seminar: Data Analysis and Visualization</b> Duration: 03:00 Laboratory assignments		
8	<b>Conferences: Issues when developing Machine Learning and Artificial Intelligence</b> Duration: 03:00 Lecture			
9	<b>Parctical cases of issues when developing Machine Learning and Artificial Intelligence</b> Duration: 03:00 Lecture			
10	<b>Students' projects presentation and debate</b> Duration: 03:00 Cooperative activities			
11	<b>Students' projects presentation and debate</b> Duration: 03:00 Cooperative activities			
12	<b>Conferences: understanding the role of Machine Learning in different application areas</b> Duration: 03:00 Lecture			



13	<p><b>Conferences: debating the role of Machine Learning in different application areas</b> Duration: 03:00 Cooperative activities</p>			
14	<p><b>Conferences: Machine Learning applications and professional opportunities</b> Duration: 03:00 Lecture</p>			
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17				<p><b>Final Evaluation: reporting course activities</b> Individual work Final examination Duration: 00:00</p> <p><b>Final evaluation: reporting course activities</b> Individual work Continuous assessment Duration: 00:00</p>

The independent study hours are training activities during which students should spend time on individual study or individual assignments.

Depending on the programme study plan, total values will be calculated according to the ECTS credit unit as 26/27 hours of student face-to-face contact and independent study time.

\* The subject schedule is based on a previous theoretical planning of the subject plan and might go through experience some unexpected changes along throughout the academic year.

## 7. Activities and assessment criteria

### 7.1. Assessment activities

#### 7.1.1. Continuous assessment

Week	Description	Modality	Type	Duration	Weight	Minimum grade	Evaluated skills
17	Final evaluation: reporting course activities	Individual work	No Presential	00:00	100%	/ 10	CB09 CT01 CB07 CT03 CB06 CE02 CT04 CT06 CE03 CT05 CB08 CB10

#### 7.1.2. Final examination

Week	Description	Modality	Type	Duration	Weight	Minimum grade	Evaluated skills
17	Final Evaluation: reporting course activities	Individual work	No Presential	00:00	100%	/ 10	CB08 CB09 CT01 CB07 CT03 CB06 CE02 CT04 CT06 CE03 CT05 CB10

### 7.1.3. Referred (re-sit) examination

Description	Modality	Type	Duration	Weight	Minimum grade	Evaluated skills
Final Evaluation: reporting course activities	Individual work	Face-to-face	00:00	100%	/ 10	CB08 CB09 CT01 CB07 CT03 CB06 CE02 CT04 CT06 CE03 CT05 CB10

## 7.2. Assessment criteria

Students will be qualified through continuous evaluation by default. According to the Normativa de Evaluación del Aprendizaje de la Universidad Politécnica de Madrid, students willing to renounce to continuous evaluation must complete the Moodle task entitled "Renounce to continuous evaluation" before the fourth week of the semester (deadline will be announced in Moodle).

Evaluation will assess if students have acquired all the competences of the subject. Thus, evaluation through final assessment will be carried out considering all the evaluation techniques used in continuous evaluation (EX, ET, TG, etc.), and will be celebrated in the exam period approved by Junta de Escuela for the current academic semester and year. Evaluation activities that assess learning outcomes that cannot be evaluated through a single exam can be carried out along the semester.

Extraordinary examination will be carried out exclusively by the final assessment method.

### Continuous assessment:

Assesment will be based on a written report where each student must detail all her/his activities along the course. Every achievement, new skill or knowledge derived from seminars and conferences will be clearly supported by detailed descriptions, and, when applicable, including generated materials (student's presentations, programs, notebooks, dashboards, etc.) (100% of final grade).

### Final assessmen and Extraordinary examination:

Both Final assessment and Extraordinary examination will be based on a detailed activities report that must follow the same guidelines than those previously detailed for Continuous assessment (100% of final grade).

## 8. Teaching resources

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### 8.1. Teaching resources for the subject

Name	Type	Notes
Deep Learning	Bibliography	Deep Learning. An MIT Press book. Ian Goodfellow and Yoshua Bengio and Aaron Courville
Python for data analysis	Bibliography	McKinney, Wes. Python for data analysis: Data wrangling with Pandas, NumPy, and IPython. " O'Reilly Media, Inc.", 2012.
Introducing Tableau	Web resource	<a href="https://www.tableau.com">https://www.tableau.com</a>
Unsupervised Feature Learning and Deep Learning	Web resource	<a href="http://ufldl.stanford.edu/tutorial/">http://ufldl.stanford.edu/tutorial/</a>
Cloud AI Fast, large scale and easy to use AI services	Web resource	<a href="https://cloud.google.com/products/machine-learning/">https://cloud.google.com/products/machine-learning/</a>
Databricks Unified Analytics	Web resource	<a href="https://databricks.com/">https://databricks.com/</a>

Master the art of data science	Web resource	<a href="https://datascience.ibm.com/">https://datascience.ibm.com/</a>
Aprendizaje automático en AWS	Web resource	<a href="https://aws.amazon.com/es/machine-learning/">https://aws.amazon.com/es/machine-learning/</a>
Azure Machine Learning Studio	Web resource	<a href="https://azure.microsoft.com/es-es/services/machine-learning-studio/">https://azure.microsoft.com/es-es/services/machine-learning-studio/</a>
Weapons of Math Destruction	Bibliography	O. Neill, C. (2016). Weapons of Math Destruction. How Big Data Increases Inequality and Threatens Democracy.