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# **Amendment Canvas**

Institution	Faculty / Institute	Department
Mohamed Khider University - Biskra	The faculty of exact sciences natural and life sciences	Computer Science department

**Domain: Maths - Computer Science** 

Field: Computer science

**Specialty: Computer Graphics and Artificial Life** 

Academic year: 2023/2024

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# الجمهورية الجزائرية الديمقراطية الشعبية وزارة التعليم العالي والبحث العلمي

# نموذج تعديل

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التخصص: الصورة و الحياة الاصطناعية

السنة الجامعية: 2024/2023

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I – Master's identity sheet (All fields must be completed)

# 1 - Location of the training:

Faculty (or Institute): Faculty of exact sciences natural and life sciences

Department: Department of Computer Science

# 2- Training partners \*:

- other university establishments:

- businesses and other socio-economic partners:

- International partners:

\* = Present the conventions as an appendix to the training

# 3 – Context and objectives of the training

A – Access conditions (indicate the license specialties which can give access to the Master)

# In M1:

- Academic License in Computer Science
- An equivalent recognized title

## In M2:

- M1 with bases in image synthesis, computer vision or artificial life
- (File study)

**B - Training objectives** (argeted skills, pedagogical knowledge acquired at the end of the training - maximum 20 lines)

The objective of these teachings is to train students in the various components, namely image, information systems, and human-machine interaction.

The proposed program will enable them to comprehensively grasp the multiple facets of topics related to applications and technologies in connection with the image industry. The provided education aims to complement the initial computer science training from the Bachelor's degree, provide methodological training for research professions, and ensure specialization in the field of computer science related to image in all its components.

The aim of this Master's program is to train specialists in the scientific and technical professions of digital imaging across all its components, whether it be in modeling and rendering, simulation models of virtual environments, animation of virtual entities, or more advanced techniques in virtual and augmented reality, especially artificial life. The education is built upon a solid theoretical foundation followed by a specific track in 'Images and Artificial Life'. Other pathways related to image can be defined, such as the following tracks:

- Remote Sensing and Geographic Information Systems.
- Computer Vision

Upon completion of this training, students will be capable of successfully conducting projects centered around digital image technologies. They can find opportunities in Research and Development departments within research laboratories such as the LESIA laboratory (University of Biskra), research centers (CDTA, CDER), future doctoral schools, or in computer service companies with activities oriented towards image techniques and industry.

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# **C** –Targeted professional profiles and skills(in terms of professional integration maximum 20 lines):

This course requires knowledge in software engineering, image, artificial intelligence and communication networks, thus giving a broad spectrum of knowledge to the student while specializing in techniques focused on image, artificial life and virtual reality.

It will aim to cover all the problems that may be encountered in the field of digital images, in image analysis (image acquisition and processing, computer vision, image interpretation and content analysis) or in image synthesis (image modeling and generation, realistic rendering, virtual reality, animation) as well as the specialties that refer to it (medical imaging, spatial imaging, etc.).

The course aims, among other things, to train skills in:

- The design and development of new tools for imaging
- The integration of image analysis or synthesis modules (libraries, development environment, etc.) for the design of specialized systems
- The development of specific or dedicated applications from existing hardware and software components.
- The orientations of the powers of computer tools for applications in biology (bioinformatics), industry (robotics), prevention (animation), education (Modelling) and entertainment (video games) or even security (biometrics).

# D- Regional and national potential for employability of graduates

The normal track upon completion of the Research Master's is the preparation of a doctoral thesis in sciences.

Students passed the Master's degree will be able to join the LESIA research laboratory with a view to preparing a doctoral thesis in science.

The Doctorate will thus give them the opportunity to access teaching and research institutions. Superior Education.

• Recruitment as teacher-researchers and access to preparation for university accreditation with a view to accessing the rank of lecture;

Public research (research organizations and higher education).

- To public research organizations: LESIA Laboratory (Biskra), CDTA, CDER, etc;
- **2- The Research Master,** will also give them the opportunity to work in the private research and development sector.

Private search.

• The M2 year of the Research Master can also be considered as a complement to specialized professional training, preparing for research and development careers in specialized companies outside the image industry.

Jobs in industry in engineering positions.

- Consumer sector (multimedia, video games, digital television);
- Industrial field (quality control, driving mobile or assembly robots, remote operation or remote manipulation, driving simulators with virtual reality, prototyping, CAD, cooperative work, evolutionary robotics, bioinformatics)
- Creation and access to still and animated image banks (medical, space, digital libraries), their coding and their distribution (between sites and on the Internet).

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Interpretation of images (search by content in the spatial, medical, or cultural domain, etc.)

# **E – Gateways to other specialties**

- Towards other Masters with equivalent units.

# **F – Training monitoring indicators**

- Half-yearly and modular success rates;
- Attendance at classes, tutorials and practical work;
- Half-yearly evaluation:

**G – Supervision capacity** ((give the number of students that can be supported)

30 Students

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# 4 - Available human resources

# A: Teachers of the establishment intervening in the specialty:

Last name, First Name	Graduation Diploma + Specialty	Post graduation diploma + Specialty	Grade	Type of intervention *	Signing
CHERIF Foudil	Engineer	State PhD	Prof	Courses, TD, TP,Supervision	
BABAHENINI Mohamed Chaouki	Engineer	State PhD	Prof	Courses, TD, TP,Supervision	
DJEROU Leila	Engineer	HDR	Prof	Courses, TD, TP,Supervision	
SAOULI Rachida	Engineer	HDR	Prof	Courses, TD, TP,Supervision	
REZEG Khaled	Engineer	HDR	Prof	Courses, TD, TP,Supervision	
BITAM Salim	Engineer	HDR	Prof	Courses, TD, TP,Supervision	
DJEFFAL AbdElhamid	Engineer	HDR	Prof	Courses, TD, TP,Supervision	
KAHLOUL Laid	Engineer	HDR	Prof	Courses, TD, TP,Supervision	
SLATNIA Sihem	Engineer	PhD	M.C.A	Courses, TD, TP,Supervision	

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MOKHTARIBilal	Master 2	PhD	M.C.A Courses, TD, TP,Supervision
Sahraoui Somia	Master 2	PhD	M.C.A Courses, TD, TP,Supervision
ABABSA Tarek	Engineer	PhD	M.C.B Courses, TD, TP,Supervision
BENAMEUR Sabrina	Engineer	PhD	M.C.B Courses, TD, TP,Supervision
BOUGUETITICHE Amina	Engineer	PhD	M.C.B Courses, TD, TP,Supervision
BAHI Naima	Engineer	PhD	M.C.B Courses, TD, TP,Supervision
ZERARI Abd El Mouméne	Engineer	PhD	M.C.B Courses, TD, TP,Supervision
YOUKANA Imane	Master 2	PhD	M.C.B Courses, TD, TP,Supervision
BABAHENINIDjihane	Master 2	PhD	M.C.B Courses, TD, TP,Supervision
Naidji Ilyes	Master 2	PhD	M.C.B Courses, TD, TP,Supervision
AKROUR Djouher	Master 2	PhD	M.C.B Courses, TD, TP,Supervision
Belounnar Saliha	Engineer	Magister	M.A.A Courses, TD, TP,Supervision
HAMIDA Ammar	Engineer	Magister	M.A.A Courses, TD, TP,Supervision
HATTAB Dalila	Engineer	Magister	M.A.A Courses, TD, TP,Supervision

# •= Courses, TD, TP, Internship supervision, Dissertation supervision, other (to be specified)

# B : External

# supervision:Attached institution:

Last name, First Name	Graduation Diploma + Specialty	Post graduation diploma + Specialty	Grade	Type of intervention *	Signing

# Attached institution:

Last name, First Name	Graduation Diploma + Specialty	Post graduation diploma + Specialty	Grade	Type of intervention *	Signing

# Attached institution:

Last name, First Name	Graduation Diploma + Specialty	Post graduation diploma + Specialty	Grade	Type of intervention *	Signing

<sup>\* =</sup> Courses, TD, TP, Internship supervision, Dissertation supervision, other (to be specified)

# 5 - Specific material resources available

**A- Educational Laboratories and Equipment:** Sheet of existing educational equipment for the practical work of the planned training (1 sheet per laboratory)

Laboratory title: Computing center

No	Title of equipment	Number	observations
01	HP ProLiant ML370G5 SERVER  * 2 Intel Xeon processors Quad-core:.33 GHZ  * RAM :6 Go  * HDD: 6x 140 Go  * DAT reader: Hp Dat 72 USB.  * TFT screen + keyboard	06	
02	HP thin client workstation: 19 screen + Light unit + keyboard +Mouse		Local networks + access permanent internet Operating systems.
03	PC HP Compaq dx 2300 dual core 1.8 ghz, Ram: 1 GB, D D: 160 GB + Mouse + keyboard + 19`` screen PC HP Compaq dx 2300 dual core 1.8 ghz,		Local networks + access
04	Dell proc dual core 1.80 Ghz Ram : 512 Mo D.D: 80 Go	25	
05	PC : HP Compaq dx 2400 dual core RAM: 1 Go DD: 160 Go écran 17``	10	
	Armoire réseau Onduleur 3000 VA Modem ADSL 2 Mo Switchcatalyst2960 24ports	01 01 01 05	Local network

**Laboratory title:** Machine room (02 rooms)

No	Title of equipment	Number	observations
01	PC + internet connection	25	

Laboratory title: Network Lab

No	Title of equipment	Number	observations
01	PC Dell P4 3.06 Ghz	20	
	Ram: 512Mo D.D: 80Go		
02	CISCO laboratory (switch, training		
	equipment)		

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# **B- Internship sites and in-company training:**

Training place	Number of students	Training period

# C- Master's support research laboratory(ies):

Laboratory nead:BABAHENINI							
Mohamed Chaouki							
No. Laboratory approval: ministerial decree no. 42 of February 5,							
2001							
Date: 15/03/2015							
Opinion of the laboratory head:							

Laboratory head					
No. Laboratory approval:					
Date :					
Opinion of the laboratory head:					

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# D- Master's support research project(s):

Title of the research project	Project code	Project start date	Project end date
L'influence de la perception visuelle sur la qualité de la simulation des foules d'humains virtuels	C00L07UN070120180003	01/01/2018	31/12/2022
La dissémination sécurisée de données dans les réseaux véhiculaires de cinquième génération	C00L07UN070120180001	01/01/2018	31/12/2022
Développement des applications de l'apprentissage profond (deep learning) dans la biométrie	A10N01UN070120180005	01/01/2018	31/12/2022
Traitement at analyse des données en grande dimension dans le Domain biomédical	C00L07UN070120180008	01/01/2018	31/12/2022
Tri automatique des dattes par apprentissage artificiel	C00L07UN070120180006	01/01/2018	31/12/2022
Sur la conception et l'optimisation de l'internet des objets	C00L07UN070120180007	01/01/2018	31/12/2022
Poursuite des séquences d'images par les algorithmes évolutionnaires	A10N01UN070120180004	01/01/2018	31/12/2022
Conception et optimisation d'un système de suivi et de contrôle en Télésurveillance	A10N01UN070120190001	01/01/2019	31/12/2023
Exploration de l'utilisation la réalité virtuelle/ la réalité augmentée et des techniques d'apprentissage automatique en médecine clinique	C00L07UN070120220005	01/01/2022	31/12/2026
Machine learning pour la détection de la fraude	C00L07UN070120220001	01/01/2022	31/12/2026
Navigation des robots au milieu d'une foule dense d'humains en toute sécurité	C00L07UN070120220007	01/01/2022	31/12/2026

# E- Personal work spaces and ICT:

# 1. Videoconference room:

This room includes:

- An internet connection via a specialized line for the purpose of organizing Video conferences

# 2. Documentation center:

This center includes all the dissertations and theses defended since 2000 to 2022 (using: 50 engineers, 310 masters, 230 licenses).

The versions available are paper and electronic version.

# 3. Remote teaching room:

Internet room for final year students equipped with a specialized internet line (4MO modem).

Two large television screens.

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II – Half-yearly teaching organization sheet (Please present the forms for the 4 semesters)

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# 1- Semester1 :

Teaching Unit	SHV	Weekly H.V.				Coeff	Credits	Evaluation mode	
	14-16 week	С	TD	TP	Others			Continuous	Exam
Fundamental TU									
FTU1. Advanced systems and architectures	189h	6h	3h	4h30	4h	09	18		
Distributed systems	63h	1h30	1h30	1h30	1h30	3	6	50%	50%
Parallel Programming on GPGPUs	63h	1h30	1h30	1h30	1h	3	6	50%	50%
Communication networks	63h	3h	-	1h30	1h30	3	6	33%	67%
Methodology TU		L	L	L					
MTU1. Images	84h	3h	-	3h	2h	4	10		
Analysis, image processing and 3D vision	42h	1h30	-	1h30	1h	2	5	50%	50%
Fundamentals of computer graphics	42h	1h30	-	1h30	1h	2	5	50%	50%
Transversal TU									
TTU1. English and entrepreneurship	42h	1h30	1h30	-	1h	2	2		
English 1	21h	-	1h30	-	-	1	1	33%	67%
Entrepreneurship	21h	1h30	-	-	1h	1	1	33%	67%
Total Semester 1	315	10h30	4h30	7h30	7h	15	30		

# 2- Semester 2:

Teaching unit	SHV		V	Veekly H.	V.	Coeff Credits	Credits	Evaluation mode	
	14-16 week	С	TD	TP	Others			Continuous	Exam
Fundamental TU									
FTU 2. Modeling and Animation Techniques	105h	3h	1h30	3h	2h30	6	10		
Computer Animation	63h	1h30	1h30	1h30	1h30	3	5	50%	50%
Modeling Techniques and Algorithmic Geometry	42h	1h30	-	1h30	1h	3	5	50%	50%
FTU 3. Machine learning et Simulation	84h	3h	-	3h	2h30	4	9		
Machine Learning for Image and 3D Vision	42h	1h30	-	1h30	1h30	2	5	50%	50%
Modeling and Simulation	42h	1h30	-	1h30	1h	2	4	50%	50%
Methodology TU									
MTU 2. Programmation GPU et Complexité	84h	3h	1h30	1h30	2h	4	9		
GPU Graphics Programming	42h	1h30	-	1h30	1h	2	5	50%	50%
Complexity and Optimization	42h	1h30	1h30	-	1h	2	4	50%	50%
Transversal TU				l					
TTU2. Methodology	21h	1h30	-	-	1h	1	2		
Research methodology	21h	1h30	-	_	1h	1	2	33%	67%
Total Semester 2	294	10h30	3h	7h30	8h	15	30		

# 3- Semester 3:

Teaching unit	SHV	SHV Weekly H.V.		Coeff Credits		Evaluation mode			
	14-16 week	С	TD	TP	Others			Continuous	Exam
Fundamental TU									
FTU4. Advanced rendering techniques	147h	4h30	1h30	4h30	4h	9	18		
Colorometry and global illumination techniques	63h	1h30	1h30	1h30	1h	3	6	50%	50%
Artificial life	42h	1h30	-	1h30	1h	3	6	33%	67%
Virtual Environments and Humans	42h	1h30	-	1h30	1h	3	6	50%	50%
Methodology TU									
MTU 3. Augmented Reality and Virtual Reality	126h	4h30	1h30	3h	2h	5	10		
Augmented reality	42h	1h30	-	1h30	1h	2	4	50%	50%
Virtual reality	42h	1h30	1h30	-	1h	2	4	50%	50%
Introduction to Bioinspired Systems	42h	1h30	-	1h30	1h	1	2	50%	50%
Transversal TU									
TTU 3. English 2	21h	=	1h30	=	=	1	2		
Expression Technique in English	21h	-	1h30	-	-	1	2	33%	67%
Total Semester 3	294	9h	4h30	7h30	6h	15	30		

# 4- Semester 4:

Domain : Maths - Computer Science

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Internship in a company culminating in a dissertation and a defense.

The S4 semester is reserved for an internship or introductory research work, culminated by a dissertation and a defense.

	SHV	Coeff	Credits
Personal work			
Internship in company			
Seminars			
Other (specify)	12 hours/week,		
Project (	or 144 hours	15	30
dissertation +	for the		
defense)	Semester		
Total Semester 4	144h	30h	30h

# **5- Overall summary of the training:** (indicate the separate global HV in progress, TD, for the 04 Semesters of teaching, for the different types of TU)

TU HV	FTU	MTU	DTU	TTU	Total
Course	231	147	-	21	399
TD	84	42	-	42	168
TP	210	105	-	-	315
Personal work	182	84	-	28	294
Other (specify) PES	144	-	-	-	144
Total	851	378	-	91	1313
Credits	86	28	-	6	120
% in Credits for each TU	71.67%	23.34%	-	5%	100%

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III - Detailed program by course

(1 detailed sheet per course)

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Semester: S1

Title of TU: Advanced systems and architectures

**Course Title: Distributed systems** 

Credits: 6 Coefficients: 3

## Teaching objectives

This subject is devoted to the fundamental aspects of distributed systems and the problems posed by their design and implementation. Particular emphasis will be placed on the means to compensate for the absence of global time in asynchronous systems and also on the basic techniques for designing systems resistant to failures.

# Recommended prior knowledge

Concepts of processes, synchronization and communication in a centralized system. In cycle L of the LMD regime, students took two subjects devoted to these concepts.

# Content of the course

#### I- Notion of concurrence.

• The different interpretations of concurrence.

#### II- Time and state in a distributed system.

- Causality and sequencing of events in a distributed system;
- Overall state of a distributed system; consistent cuts applications: save-resume algorithms, detection of stable properties;
- Global scheduling by logical application clocks: mutual exclusion, distributed queues;
- Causal scheduling by vector clocks applications: observation, fine-tuning;
- Synchronization of physical clocks

# III- Cooperation of distributed processes

- Virtual ring, insertion and removal protocols, failure management;
- Application election algorithms: group management;
- Termination detection algorithms. Application: distributed crumb catcher.

#### **IV-** Fault tolerance

- Failure hypotheses;
- Specification of coherence: linearization, sequential coherence, causal coherence;
- Primary copy and active duplication;
- Reliable broadcast algorithms and management of process groups.

# V- Distributed information management

- Principles of distributed object management;
- Implementation: virtual memory, distributed objects;

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- · Widespread distribution;
- Cache management, duplication, consistency;
- Applications: P2P systems.

#### Model evaluation:

50% Exam + 25% Practical work + 25% Personal work

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Semester: S1

Title of TU: Advanced systems and architectures Course Title: Parallel Programming on GPGPUs

Credits:6

Coefficients: 3

# **Teaching objectives**

This subject introduces students to parallel architectures and algorithms. In particular vector, systolic architectures, and associated algorithms.

# Recommended prior knowledge

Basic architecture of a Von Newman type machine. Indeed, in cycle L of the L.M.D regime, students followed subjects devoted to computer architecture.

#### Content of the course

## **Chapter 1: Introduction to Programming Parallel Architectures**

- Motivation for parallelism.
- Source of parallelism and fundamental operations.
- · Parallelism in uniprocessor machines
- Execution models.

#### **Chapter 2 : Operation of Multiprocessor Machines**

- How to execute the parallel tasks of a program?
- Implementation of a multitasking program using threads.
- What aspects can have a significant negative impact on performance?

## **Chapter 3: Parallel Programming on GPU**

- Presentation of GPUs
- Architecture of GP-GPUs
- The architecture of the NVIDIA TESLA card
- The architecture of the NVIDIA FERMI card
- The architecture of the NVIDIAKEPLER card
- GPU performance optimization
- Use of GPU cores
- · Use of GPU memories

# **Chapter 4: CUDA Programming**

- General structure of a CUDA program
- The CUDA programming interface
- Types qualifying functions
- Types qualifying variables
- Grids, Blocks, Threads, Warp Grid configuration
- Standard variables
- Optimization rules
- CPU-GPU data transfers
- · Performance measures
- Measurement of real execution time

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# **Chapter 5 : Measuring the Performance of a Parallel Program**

- Acceleration and Efficiency
- Cost, work and optimality
- Amdahl's law

# **Evaluation mode**

50% Exam + 25% Practical work + 25% Personal work

#### References

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Semester: S1

Title of TU: Advanced systems and architectures

**Course Title: Communication networks** 

Credits: 6 Coefficients: 3

**Teaching objectives** (Describe what skills the student is supposed to have acquired after passing this subject – maximum 3 lines).

The communications networks subject aims to enable the student to:

- Understand and be able to implement the different devices and protocols used in fixed and mobile networks.
- Design, configure and manage fixed and mobile networks taking into account application needs.

# Recommended prior knowledge.

Networks (L3), Distributed systems.

#### Content of the course.

# 1- Reminder on the link layer

• Concurrent access to support, the CSMA/CD protocol, ...

# 2- The network layer

- Reminder on the IPv4 protocol
- Routing in IP networks:
  - Distance vector routing protocols
  - Link-state routing protocols.
- The IPv6 protoco
- Managing coexistence between IPv4 and IPv6 networks
  - Coexistence based on Tunneling.
  - Coexistence based on Gateways.

# 3- The transport layer

- TCP protocols
- The UDP protocol

# 4- Quality of service (QoS) in IP networks

- QoS settings
- Network factors that influence the QoS of communications.
- TCP/IP and QoS protocols

# 5- 5- Introduction to wireless communication networks

- Cellular wireless networks
- Ad Hoc wireless networks

# Evaluation mode.

67 % Exam + 33% Personal work

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# References.

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Semester: S1

Title of TU: Images

Course Title: Analysis, image processing and 3D vision

Credits: 5
Coefficients: 2

# Teaching objectives.

The objective of this subject is the presentation of the foundations of the Domain of analysis, image processing and 3D vision. The course places particular emphasis on the techniques applied to digital images to analyze them, process them and extract information. which describe them with a view to their integration into 3D vision systems.

# Prior knowledge recommended..

#### Content of the course.

# I- Chapter 1: Computer vision

- Human vision and computer vision
- Image acquisition and formation
- Vision sensors
- Colorimetry
- Computer vision system
- Artificial intelligence in vision
- History and applications

## II-Chapter 2: Fundamental tools for image representation

- Mathematical modeling of the image
- Scanning and sampling
- Coding of images by:
  - Segments, contour, region, by shape
- Storage and image formats
- Histogram
- Texture
- The Fourier transform

# III- Chapter 3: Digital image processing

- Image enhancement and correction
  - Filtering, convolution.
- Pretreatments
  - Contour detection, thresholding, mathematical morphology.
- Segmentation of the image in contours, in lines (Hough), in regions.

## **IV-3D** vision

- Parameterization and recognition
- Moving image
- 3D vision
- Multi-scale
- Industrial vision
- Vision and multimedia

# V- Chapter 5 : Software libraries for image processing

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# Evaluation mode.

50 % Exam + 25% Practical work + 25% Personal work

#### References.

- 1. Richard Szeliski, Computer Vision: Algorithms and Applications, Springer Science & Business Media. (ISBN 978-1-84882-935-0)
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- 4. David G. Stork, « Computer Vision and Computer Graphics Analysis of Paintings and Drawings: An Introduction to the Literature », dans *Computer Analysis of Images and Patterns*, Springer Berlin Heidelberg, 2009.
- 5. Jay D. Aronson, « Computer Vision and Machine Learning for Human Rights Video Analysis: Case Studies, Possibilities, Concerns, and Limitations », *Law & Social Inquiry*, vol. 43, nº 04, 2018, p. 1188–1209.
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Institution: Mohamed Khider University – Biskra Title of the master: Images and Artificial Life Année

Semester: S1

Title of TU: Images

**Course Title: Fundamentals of computer graphics** 

Credits: 5 Coefficients: 2

# Teaching objectives.

This course represents a general introduction to the field of computer graphics, both chronological and didactic, it will present to students the hardware and software foundations of image synthesis, animation and virtual reality.

**Recommended prior knowledge (**(brief description of the knowledge required to be able to follow this course – Maximum 2 lines).

#### Content of the course.

#### 1- General Presentation.

- Domain Infographic.
  - Image synthesis,
  - Image processing and vision,

# 2- Modeling

- Principles of image generation.
- Models
  - Mathematical and Geometric Models.
  - Surface Models,
  - Volume models,
  - Modeling of natural objects,
  - Image-based and point-based model.
- Geometric transformations
- Z-Buffer visualization,

## 3- Realistic rendering.

- Local illumination models.
- Ray tracing algorithm.
- Acceleration methods,
- Global illumination
  - Simulation of lighting, shadows and transparency
  - Radiosity
  - Stochastic methods
  - Rendering equation

#### Evaluation mode.

50 % Exam + 50 % Practical work.

Institution: Mohamed Khider University – Biskra Title of the master: Images and Artificial Life Année

# References.

- 1. Van Dam A. & Feiner S. K., Introduction à l'infographie, Addison Wesley, 2000.
- 2. Peroche B. & Michelucci D., La synthèse d'images, Editions Hermès, 1990.
- 3. Bernard Péroche&Dominique Bechmann. **Informatique graphique et rendu**, Éditeur : Hermès Lavoisier. Date de parution : 09/02/2007.
- 4. Steve Marschner, Peter Shirley et all. **Fundamentals of Computer Graphics 5th Edition**. eBook Published 30 September 2021. Publisher: A K PETERS LTD (MA).
- 5. David J. Eck, Hobart and William Smith Colleges. **Introduction to Computer Graphics**. Version 1.3, August 2021.
- 6. Glassner A. S. An introduction to Ray Tracing, Morgan Kaufmann publishers, 2000.
- 7. Parent R., Computer animation, Morgan Kaufmann publishers,2002.
- 8. Fleming B., **3D Modeling and surfacing**, Morgan Kaufmann publishers, 1999.
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Semester: S1

Title of TU: English and entrepreneurship

Course Title: English 1

Credits: 1
Coefficients: 1

# **Teaching objectives**

Allows the student to learn to read, understand and write reports, articles, computer texts, and to present their work in English. To do this, the student will have to understand more about the rules of grammar and sentence composition while using the vocabulary of computer science in general and the Specialty in particular; in other words Make the student more efficient in the context of studies.

# Recommended prior knowledge

A technical English module was followed during cycle L of the system (LMD).

#### Content of the course.

- Use of computer vocabulary
- Master reading computer documentation
- Understand computer messages on Anglo-Saxon forums
- Writing computer messages on Anglo-Saxon forums
- Learn how to make IT support calls
- Description of technical problems
- Description of technical solutions

#### Evaluation mode.

70% Exam + 30% interrogations.

### References.

Any reference deemed useful..

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Semester: S1

Title of TU : Anglais et Entreprenariat

**Course Title: Entrepreneurship** 

Credits: 1
Coefficients: 1

# **Teaching objectives:**

Upon successful completion of this subject, the student is expected to have acquired an overview of creation processes, support for business creation and skills relating to the risks linked to entrepreneurial action, as well as skills relating to allowing you to carry out a market study, to analyze existing offers from competitors and to determine a strategy specific to your company.....

### Content of the course:

- 1. Context of entrepreneurship: (the entrepreneur, the characteristics favorable to entrepreneurship, the various forms of entrepreneurship, etc.)
- 2. Market study: (analysis of existing competitors' offers, etc.)
- 3. Synthesis of market knowledge and target choices.
- 4. Business plan: (formalization of the idea into the project, analysis of the process and the approach to business creation)
- 5. Strategic positioning of the offer
- 6. MarketingMix
- 7. Introduction to human resources management and management of relationships with stakeholders (customers, bankers, government, etc.)
- 8. Innovation and new business development strategy.

**Evaluation mode:** 50 % Exam + 50 % Tutorials

# References:

- 1. Tixier D., Mathe H. et Colin J., La logistique d'entreprise vers un management plus compétitif, Dunod (Gestion Sup),1998.
- 2. Cohen R., Concevoir et lancer un projet, Eyrolles (Editions d'Organisation), 2006.

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Semester: S2

**Title of TU: Modeling and Animation Techniques** 

**Course Title: Computer Animation** 

Credits: 5
Coefficients: 3

# **Teaching objectives**

This subject aims to give students the means to understand the concepts of computer animation with the aim of using them in the modeling of virtual environments populated by virtual humans.

# **Recommended Prerequisites.**

- Foundations of Computer Graphics
- Image Analysis, Processing, and 3D Vision

#### Content of the course.

- 1- Introduction
- 2- History
- 3- Types of Animation (Real-time, Frame-by-Frame)
- 4- Animation Methods
  - 4.1 Keyframe Animation
  - 4.2 Motion Capture
  - 4.3 Cinematic and Dynamic Animation
  - 4.4 Particle Systems
  - 4.5 Mass-Spring Model
- 5- Character Animation
  - 5.1 Character Representation
  - 5.2 Motion Control
  - 5.3 Motion Capture and Editing
  - 5.4 Animation Platforms
- 6- Animation Models
  - 6.1 Descriptive Model
  - 6.2 Generative Model
  - 6.3 Behavioral Model
- 7- Applications

### Evaluation mode.

50% Exam + 25% Tutorials + 25% Personal work

# References

- 1. Parent R., Computer animation, Morgan Kaufmann publishers, 2002.
- 2. Badler N. I. & Philips C. B., Simulatinghumans, Oxford UniversityPress, 1993.
- 3. Heudin J.C., Virtual Worlds, Springer LNCS/AI 1834, 2000.

Institution: Mohamed Khider University – Biskra Title of the master: Images and Artificial Life Année

Semester: S2

**Title of TU: Modeling and Animation Techniques** 

**Course Title: Modeling Techniques and Algorithmic Geometry** 

Credits: 5
Coefficients: 3

# Teaching objectives.

Geometric Modeling is the first step in the process of creating a computer-generated image. It brings together all the theories and techniques making it possible to represent and process complex shapes mathematically or geometrically.

The objective of this course is to present the elements of Modeling used in the various Domains of digital imaging.

# Recommended Prerequisites.

- Image Synthesis Techniques (TSI).
- Image Processing Techniques (TTI).

## Content of the course.

## I. Mathematics for computer graphics

- Introduction
- Matrices and linear systems
- Vector algebra
- Matrices, vector algebra and transformations
- Geometric primitives in 2D
- Geometric primitives in 3D

# II. Geometric modeling

- Introduction,
- Volume models (B-Rep, CSG, extrusion, etc.), meshes and octree,
- Simple primitives (Revolution, Extrusion, Torsion),
- Curves and Surfaces: Hermite's cubics,
- Curves and Surfaces: Bézier curves and B-Spline and NURBS curves,
- Curves and Surfaces: curves and surfaces of subdivision.
- Fractals.
- The levels of detail,
- Implicit equipotential surfaces,
- Surface deformations,
- Numerical methods for modeling (interpolation, approximation of points in space).

# III. Mesh and algorithmic geometry

#### - Meshes:

- Mesh generation, 3D reconstruction and virtual sculpture
- o Simplification and refinement of meshes
- Improvement of meshes, coding
- Differential properties on a mesh

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## - Geometric Calculation and Algorithmic Geometry:

- Basic notions of algorithmic geometry in 2D (planar maps, graphs, triangulation, convex hull)
- Construction of the convex hull in 2D: optimal algorithm (divide and construct)
   Incremental algorithms
- o Delaunay triangulation in 2D (and dual: Voronoi diagram): general definitions, properties
- o Power diagrams
- Optimal algorithm for constructing the Delaunay triangulation (divide and construct), and incremental algorithms

#### Evaluation mode.

50% Exam + 50% Practical work.

#### References.

- 1. Fleming B., **3D Modelling and surfacing**, Morgan Kaufmann publishers,1999.
- 2. Earnshaw E. & Vince J., Visualization and modelling, Academic Press, 1997.
- 3. Bartels H., **An introduction to splines**, R. Morgan Kaufmann publishers, 1987.
- 4. Bloomenthal J., Introduction to implicit surfaces, Morgan Kaufmann publishers, 1997
- 5. Gallier J., Curves and surfaces in geometric modeling, Morgan Kaufmann, Publishers, 2000.
- 6. Farin G., Curves and surfaces for CAGD, Morgan Kaufmann publishers, 1999.
- 7. Philip Schneider and David Eberly. Geometric Tools for Computer Graphics. The Morgan Kaufmann Series in Computer Graphics and Geometric Modeling Series Editor: Brian A. Barsky, University of California, Berkeley, 2003.

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Semester: S2

Title of TU: Machine learning et Simulation

**Course Title: Machine Learning for Image and 3D Vision** 

Credits: 5
Coefficients: 2

## **Teaching objectives**

This subject covers the fundamental aspects of Machine Learning. In particular, the functioning and learning of deep neural networks, the importance of convolution, as well as their use cases and applications in image processing. Practical work involves using machines with community-based learning datasets.

## **Recommended Prerequisites**

- Image Processing
- Computer Vision"

#### Content of the course.

## I Chapter 1 : General information on Machine Learning

- Definition of Machine Learning
- The development of a Machine Learning model.
- Types of Machine Learning (supervised, unsupervised and reinforcement)
- Use cases and applications

## **II Chapter 2 : Machine Learning Algorithms**

- Regression algorithms
- Classification Algorithms
- Clustering algorithms

## III Chapter 3: Deep Learning

- Artificial neural networks
- Learning using the multilayer perceptron
- Convolutional neural networks
- Deep learning architectures
- Deep learning for image processing

## IV Chapter4: Python Machine Learning Library

#### **Evaluation mode:**

50% Exam + 25% Practical work + 25% Personal work

Institution: Mohamed Khider University – Biskra Title of the master: Images and Artificial Life Année

#### References.

- 1. Md.Z. Alom and al. A state-of-the-art survey on deep learning theory and architectures. Electronics, 8:292, 03 2019.
- 2. Vincent Barra, Antoine Cornuéjols, Laurent Miclet, Apprentissage Artificiel : Concepts et algorithmes, Eyrolles, 2021 (ISBN 978-2-416-001-04-8).
- 3. Christopher M. Bishop, Pattern Recognition And Machine Learning, Springer, 2006 (ISBN 0-387-31073-8
- 4. Tom M. Mitchell, Machine Learning, McGraw-Hill International Editions, 1997, chap. 13 Reinforcement Learning, p. 367-390
- 5. Alpaydin, E. (2010). Introduction to Machine Learning. MIT Press.
- 6. Python Machine Learning, 3rd Edition, ISBN-10: 1789955750, ISBN-13: 978-1789955750, Paperback: 770 pages; ebook available in Kindle format, Epub, PDF, Packt Publishing Ltd (December 12th, 2019);

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Semester: S2

Title of TU : Machine learning et Simulation

**Course Title: Modeling and Simulation** 

Credits: 5
Coefficients: 2

## **Teaching objectives**

This subject is intended to deepen the student's knowledge in the field of modeling and simulation. In addition, it introduces performance evaluation techniques.

## **Recommended Prerequisites**

#### Content of the course.

- 1. Introduction
- 2. Dynamic systems
- 3. Automata
- 4. Continuous systems
- 5. Continuous linear systems
- 6. Continuous non-linear systems
- 7. Discrete-time systems
- 8. Statistical simulation
- 9. Discrete event simulation

#### **Evaluation mode:**

50% Exam + 25% Practical work + 25% Personal work

#### References.

- 1. Lavenberg S. S., Computer systems performance evaluation, Academic Press1983.
- 2. Mitrani I., Modelling **of computer and communication systems,** Cambridge University Press 1987.
- 3. Pidd M., Computer simulation in management science, J. Wiley and Sons Ed1984.
- 4. Trivedi K. S., **Probability and statistics with reliability, queuing and computer science applications**, Prentice Hall, 1982.
- 5. Cours de modélisation et simulation (in French). Gianluca Bontempi, Eythan Levy, Département d'Informatique, Faculté des Sciences. Université Libre de Bruxelles, ULB, Belgique. 5 janvier 2022

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Semester: S2

Title of TU : Programmation GPU et Complexité

**Course Title: GPU Graphics Programming** 

Credits: 4
Coefficients: 2

## **Teaching objectives**

The objective of this course is to give students an overview of GPUs (graphics pipeline architecture and programming), it also covers shaders.

## **Recommended Prerequisites**

Algorithms and Parallel Architecture.

#### Content of the course.

- 1. GPU Graphics Pipeline
- 2. Internal Architecture and Parallelism of GPUs
- 3. Graphic Primitives and Rasterization
- 4. GPU Programming with Shaders: Vertex Shader, Geometry Shader, Fragment Shader
- Textures and Their Usage: Texture Mapping, Procedural Textures, Noise, Aperiodic Tiling,
   Billboards, Image-Based Rendering, Environment Mapping, Bump Mapping, Displacement Mapping,
   Render to Texture.
- 6. Geometry Buffer and Deferred Rendering.

## **Evaluation mode**

50% Exam + 50% Practical.

## References

- 1. McCool, M., Du Toit, S., Popa, T., Chan, B., & Moule, K. (2004, August). Shader algebra. In ACM Transactions on Graphics (TOG) (Vol. 23, No. 3, pp. 787-795). ACM.
- 2. Upstill, Steve. The RenderMan Companion: A Programmer's Guide to Realistic Computer Graphics. Addison-Wesley. ISBN 0-201-50868-0.
- 3. Ebert, David S; Musgrave, F. Kenton; Peachey, Darwyn; Perlin, Ken; Worley, Steven. Texturing and modeling: a procedural approach. AP Professional. ISBN 0-12-228730-4.
- 4. Fernando, Randima; Kilgard, Mark. The Cg Tutorial: The Definitive Guide to Programmable Real-Time Graphics. Addison-Wesley Professional. ISBN 0-321-19496-9.

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Semester: S2

Title of TU: Programmation GPU et Complexité Course Title: Complexity and Optimization

Credits: 4
Coefficients: 2

## **Teaching objectives**

This subject allows students to deepen their knowledge of algorithms acquired in the second year of the degree, particularly with regard to exploration for the resolution of NP-Complete problems.

## **Recommended Prerequisites**

Algorithmic concepts.

#### Course content.

- 1. Course presentation
- 2. Fundamental notions: algorithmic and complexity
  - The basics of algorithm analysis
  - Complexity of an algorithm
    - The performance of the algorithm
    - The problem resolution strategy
    - Landau notions
  - Class and complexity of a problem: P, NP, PSPACE, EXPTIME
- 3. Recursion and the Divide and Conquer algorithm
  - Sorting algorithm analysis
  - Search algorithm
  - Graph algorithm
  - Tree algorithm
- 4. Complexity classes: P, NP, PSPACE, EXPTIME
  - Definition of Optimization
  - Combinatorial optimization:
    - Exact methods: Branch and bound
    - Approximate methods:
      - o Specialized heuristics: Glutons algorithm, hill climbing
      - Metaheuristics
- 5. Metaheuristics and Evolutionary algorithms
  - Single solution-based metaheuristics, trajectory methods
    - Local Search Algorithm
    - · Search Algorithm with Taboo
    - SIMULATED ANNEAL search algorithm
    - Algorithms based on solution population, Evolutionary algorithms, Genetic Algorithms

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## Evaluation mode.

50% Exam + 25% Tutorials + 25% Personal work

## References.

1. Leiserson C., Stein R., Introduction aux algorithmes. Seconde édition, Dunod,2002

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Semester: S2

Title of TU: Méthodologie

Course Title: Research methodology

Credits: 2 Coefficients: 1

## Teaching objectives.

The objectives of the research methodology subject are to provide students with the tools allowing them to write written reports and in particular their work reflecting their professional mission and their master's thesis during Semester 4.

## **Recommended Prerequisites**

None

#### Content of the course.

- I. SCIENTIFIC KNOWLEDGE
  - Specificity of scientific knowledge
  - Principles of scientific knowledge
  - Evolution of scientific knowledge
- II. METHODS AND PROCESSES OF SCIENTIFIC KNOWLEDGE, VALUE AND LIMITS
- III. SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH WITH A VIEW TO DEVELOPING FINANCIAL WORK
  - Phases of the creation process
- IV. PREPARATION OF THE END OF STUDY WORK
  - The documentation
  - Writing: steps
  - The bibliography; the ethical imperatives of borrowing ideas
  - Self-assessment and evaluation of the quality of the dissertation or thesis
- V. THE DEFENSE
  - Oral presentation
- VI. ETHICS OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH

#### Evaluation mode.

100 % Exam

## References.

- 1. Lacroix M., Initiation à la recherche, note de cours, Université deSherbrooke.
- 2. French, M., Invention and Evolution : Design in Nature and Engineering, Cambridge

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- University Press, 1994.
- 3. Blaxter, L. Hughes, C. & Tight, M. (1998) **How to Research,** Buckingham Open University Press.
- 4. Denscombe, M., **Ground Rules for Good Research Maidenhead**, Open University Press, 2002.
- 5. Constant A.S., Lévy A., **Mémentos LMD Réussir mémoire, thèse et HDR**, Edition Galino 4e édition, 2012.
- 6. Beaud M., L'art de la thèse Comment préparer et rédiger un mémoire de master, une thèse de doctorat ou tout autre travail universitaire à l'ère du Net, Editions LA DÉCOUVERTE,2006.

Institution: Mohamed Khider University – Biskra Title of the master: Images and Artificial Life Année

Semester: S3

Title of TU: Advanced rendering techniques

Course Title: Colorometry and global illumination techniques

Credits: 6
Coefficients: 3

## Teaching objectives.

This material allows you to review the fundamental notions of illumination (light sources, specularity, diffusion), then to expose the different global illumination techniques: stochastic techniques based on Monte Carlo and finally the techniques of global rendering in real time.

## **Recommended Prerequisites.**

- Image Synthesis Techniques.
- Graphics programming of GPUs

#### Content of the course.

#### Part 1: Light and color

- 1. Light and electromagnetic waves
- 2. The different optical models
- 3. Radiometry and photometry
- 4. Patterns of light emission and scattering
- 5. Basic mechanism of color vision
- 6. Perception of color mixtures
- 7. Color representation

#### Part 2: Global illumination

- 1. Rendering equation and path integral formulation
- 2. The Monte Carlo method
- 3. Preferential Sampling and Multi Importance Sampling
- 4. Lengths of light paths
- 5. Path Tracing.
- 6. Real-time global illumination

## Evaluation mode.

50% Exam + 50% Tutorials.

#### References.

- 1. Dutre, Philip, Kavita Bala, and Philippe Bekaert. **Advanced global illumination**.2<sup>nd</sup> edition AK Peters/CRC Press, 2018.
- 2. Akenine-Mo, Tomas, Eric Haines, and Naty Hoffman. **Real-time rendering.**4<sup>th</sup> edition, AK Peters/CRC Press, 2018.
- 3. Rolf G. Kuehni, **Color: An Introduction to Practice and Principles,** 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition, Wiley publishing, 2012.

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Semester: S3

Title of TU: Advanced rendering techniques

**Course Title: Artificial life** 

Credits: 6
Coefficients: 3

## **Teaching objectives**

This subject allows students to be made aware of the techniques of Artificial life, which, by taking their inspiration from "living things", make it possible to build complex evolving and adaptive systems. The goal is to easily describe the behavior of actors evolving in a virtual world..

## Recommended Prerequisites.

- Image Synthesis Techniques.
- Learning and development techniques.
- 1) Concept of complex systems and emergence.
- 2) Systems design approaches
- 3) "Artificial" Life" Panorama.
- 4) Generator Techniques
  - Reaction / diffusion;
  - · Cellular automata;
  - · L-Systems.
  - Genetic algorithms;
  - Genetic programming.
  - · Neural networks;
  - · Declassifier systems.
- 5) Generation of behaviors
- 6) Artificial Creatures and Ecosystems

#### Evaluation mode.

67% Exam + 33% Practical work

#### References.

- 1. Rennard J. P., Vie Artificielle, Vuibert Informatique, 2006.
- 2. Adamatzky A. & Komosinsky M., Artificial Life Models in software, SPRINGER, 2005.
- 3. Langton C., Artificial Life series, Addison WesleyPublishing.
- 4. Meyer J. A., From Animals to Animats series, The MITPress.
- 5. Heudin J.C., Virtual Worlds, Springer LNCS/AI 1834,2000.

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Semester: S3

Title of TU: Advanced rendering techniques

**Course Title: Virtual Environments and Humans** 

Credits: 6 Coefficients: 3

## **Teaching objectives**

This course presents the main models for the representation and control of the movement of animated virtual agents in 3D virtual environments. It describes the methods and techniques necessary to design, model, and animate virtual agents, which can be autonomous and equipped with communication capabilities, or multiple in adaptive environments (crowd simulation).

## Recommended Prerequisites.

- Image Synthesis Techniques.
- Computer animation.

#### Content of the course.

#### **Behavioral Animation**

- Presentation
- Virtual actors
- The virtual environment
- The decision loop
- Areas of application

#### Virtual humans

- Presentation
- Modeling of the virtual human
- Movement and motion control
- Individual and collective human behavior

#### **Virtual environments**

- Presentation
- Topological representation of the environment
- Path planning
- Informed environments

#### **Evaluation mode**

50% Exam + 50% Practical work.

#### References

- 1. Fuchs, P. (2006). Le traité de la réalité virtuelle (Vol. 2). Presses des MINES.
- 2. Rick Parent, Animatique Algorithmes et techniques. Vuibert, Paris,2003, chap. 6. Magnenat-Thalmann, N., & Thalmann, D. (Eds.). (2005). Handbook of virtual humans.

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- 3. Lamarche, F. (2003). Humanoïdes virtuels, réaction et cognition: une architecture pour leurautonomie (Doctoral dissertation, Université Rennes 1).
- 4. Van Welbergen, H., Van Basten, B. J., Egges, A., Ruttkay, Z. M., & Overmars, M. H. (2010,December). Real time animation of virtual humans: a trade- off between naturalness and control. In Computer Graphics Forum (Vol. 29, No. 8, pp. 2530-2554). Oxford, UK: BlackwellPublishing Ltd.
- 5. Yu, Q., & Terzopoulos, D. (2007). A decision network framework for the behavioral animation of virtual humans (Vol. 68, No. 05).
- 6. Burden, D., & Savin-Baden, M. (2019). Virtual humans: Today and tomorrow. Chapman and Hall/CRC.
- 7. Rios, A., Mateu, D., & Pelechano, N. (2018). Follower behavior in a virtual environment. VirtualHumans and Crowds for Immersive Environments (VHCIE), IEEE. IEEE.
- 8. Oyekan, J. O., Hutabarat, W., Tiwari, A., Grech, R., Aung, M. H., Mariani, M. P., ...& Dupuis, C. (2019). The effectiveness of virtual environments in developing collaborative strategies between industrial robots and humans. Robotics and Computer-Integrated Manufacturing, 55, 41-54.
- 9. Alizadehsalehi, S., Hadavi, A., & Huang, J. C. (2019). Virtual reality for design and constructioneducation environment. AEI 2019: Integrated Building Solutions—The National Agenda, 193-203.

Institution: Mohamed Khider University – Biskra Title of the master: Images and Artificial Life Année

Semester: S3

Title of TU: Augmented Reality and Virtual Reality

**Course Title: Augmented reality** 

Credits: 4
Coefficients: 2

## **Teaching objectives**

Present the different processes and algorithms for perception and inference and 3D monitoring of the environment, in order to enable the implementation of augmented reality applications..

## **Recommended Prerequisites**

- Image synthesis and processing
- Computer vision

#### Content of the course

- Augmented Reality issues: real-virtual mixing, realignment
- Mobile augmented reality
- Basics of projective geometry
- Modeling and calibration of sensors
- 3D inference methods
- PnP pose calculation methods
- Analytical and digital methods of 3D monitoring.
- Multi-view geometry
  - 2-view geometry: epipolar geometry and homographies
  - o 3-view geometry: trifocal tensor
  - N-view geometry.
- Automatic recognition
  - o automatic localization and mapping methods
  - o automatic object recognition methods: auto calibration

#### **Evaluation mode**

50% Exam + 25% Practical work + 25% Personal work

### References

- R. Horaud, "vision par ordinateur", hermes 1995
- David A. Forsyth, Jean Ponce "Computer Vision: A Modern Approach", Prentice Hall, 2002
- Richard Szeliski, Computer Vision: Algorithms and Applications, Springer 2010.

Institution: Mohamed Khider University – Biskra Title of the master: Images and Artificial Life Année

Semester: S3

Title of TU: Augmented Reality and Virtual Reality

**Course Title: Virtual reality** 

Credits: 4
Coefficients: 2

## **Teaching objectives**

Raise students' awareness of this new scientific and technical field, and present its technological and theoretical foundations. Learn the basics for designing VR applications and multimodal 3D interactions.

Also present the different paradigms of interaction and sensory feedback used in virtual and augmented reality as well as adapted technological solutions.

## **Recommended Prerequisites**

Computer animation.

## Content of the course

- 1- Basic concepts, history and applications of Virtual Reality
- 2- Sensorimotor channels and interfaces
- 3- VR application design principles
- 4- Basic concepts of human-machine interaction
- 5- 3D interactions, feedback and multimodality
- 6- User-centered design of interactive systems
- 7- 3D interactions: (Navigation; 3D selection; Manipulation; Application control)
- 8- Application: design of a 3D interaction technique for a VR application.

#### Evaluation mode.

50% Exam + 25% Tutorials + 25% Personal work

#### References.

- 1. Burdea G. &Coiffet P., La Réalité Virtuelle, Éditions Hermès, 1993.
- 2. P. Fuchs et al., Traité de la Réalité Virtuelle (3ème édition), Presses de l'Ecole des Mines de Paris, 2005.
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Semester: S2

Title of TU: Augmented Reality and Virtual Reality Course Title: Introduction to Bioinspired Systems

Credits: 2 Coefficients: 1

## **Teaching objectives**

The goal is to present the main principles of Bio-inspired computing and its applications. By "bio-inspired computing", we mean any system or architecture whose organizational principles come, directly or indirectly, from the knowledge we have on the (cognitive) functioning of living systems. These therefore include, among other things, neural networks (inspired by the cellular structure of the nervous system) but also approaches such as genetic algorithms or immuno-inspired algorithms.

## **Recommended Prerequisites**

Knowledge in the field of artificial intelligence, multi-agent systems, etc.

#### Content of the course.

The course includes thematic parts, dedicated to one or other of the bio-inspired techniques, but also more general parts during which these main principles will be stated, illustrated and discussed.

- Introduction to bio-inspired computing. Definitions, general principles of bio-inspired computing, areas of application, history.
- Overview of the different models. Diversity of sources of inspiration, diversity of models, examples of emerging mechanisms
- "Evolutionary" approaches. Genetic algorithms, genetic programming
- "Cellular" approaches. Neural networks and immune networks
- "Populational" approaches. Reactive and/or cognitive multi-agent systems, ant-based systems
- Artificial life. Can bio-inspired computing help biologists better understand living systems: from artificial intelligence to artificial life.
- Dynamic approaches
- Practical work. By using a prototyping tool intended for multi-agent programming and artificial life (NetLogo or Swarm type).

#### **Evaluation mode**

50 % Exam 50% Practical work.

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Semester: S3

Title of TU: English 2

**Course Title: Expression Technique in English** 

Credits: 2 Coefficients: 1

## Teaching objectives.

The aim of this course being the same as that of S1, it is the continuation of the presentation of the techniques and tools allowing the student to master the English language especially in the computer sector and in the applications of the Speciality.

## **Recommended Prerequisites**

Technical English was followed during cycle L of the system (LMD) and in S1.

#### Content of the course.

- Use of computer hardware vocabulary
- Master reading computer documentation
- Understand computer messages on Anglo-Saxon forums
- Writing computer messages on Anglo-Saxon forums
- Learn how to make IT support calls
- Description of technical problems
- Description of technical solutions

## Evaluation mode.

70 % Exam + 30 % interrogations

#### References

Any reference deemed useful.

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V- Agreements or conventions
Yes
No
(If yes, transmit the agreements and/or conventions in the paper training file)

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