



Universitat de Lleida

DEGREE CURRICULUM  
**ICT PROJECT:**  
**COMMUNICATION SERVICES**  
**AND SECURITY**

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Subject's general information

<b>Subject name</b>	ICT PROJECT: COMMUNICATION SERVICES AND SECURITY			
<b>Code</b>	103087			
<b>Semester</b>	2nd Q(SEMESTER) CONTINUED EVALUATION			
<b>Typology</b>	Degree	Course	Character	Modality
	Master's Degree in Informatics Engineering	1	COMPULSORY	Attendance-based
<b>Course number of credits (ECTS)</b>	9			
<b>Type of activity, credits, and groups</b>	<b>Activity type</b>	PRALAB	TEORIA	
	<b>Number of credits</b>	6	3	
	<b>Number of groups</b>	1	1	
<b>Coordination</b>	FERNÁNDEZ CAMÓN, CÈSAR			
<b>Department</b>	COMPUTER SCIENCE AND INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING			
<b>Teaching load distribution between lectures and independent student work</b>	6 ECTS = 25x6 = 150 working hours 30% --> 45 working hours at class/lab rooms 70% --> 105 non guided working hours			
<b>Important information on data processing</b>	Consult <a href="#">this link</a> for more information.			
<b>Language</b>	English			
<b>Distribution of credits</b>	Cèsar Fernández Camon 9			

Teaching staff	E-mail addresses	Credits taught by teacher	Office and hour of attention
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## Subject's extra information

The subject gives an overview of today's computer networks, dealing with their inherent congestion and mobility problems. At one hand, flow control, congestion and quality of service issues are studied, showing how requirements such as high demand, multimedia traffic and low delay are met. At the other hand, wireless technologies are explained, from technical solutions to security aspects, showing as well design and deployment issues, based on state-of-the-art technologies. Finally, it is shown how such a heterogeneous services (voice, data, video, ...) are integrated under a unique network architecture.

## Learning objectives

To understand flow control mechanisms in current data communications networks

To understand different quality of service mechanisms in current data communications networks

To configure and test quality of service solutions in network devices

To understand wireless communication technologies

To understand and analyze security mechanisms in wireless communications

To deploy and configure common communication services: authentication, DNS, DHCP, VoIP, ...

To design, configure and test wireless deployments

## Competences

### University of Lleida strategic competences

- UdL2. Master a foreign language
- UdL3. Master Information and Communication Technologies

### Degree-specific competences

- CE4. Capacity to draft, design, define architecture, introduce, manage, use, run and maintain computer applications, networks, systems, services and contents
- CE5. Capacity to comprehend and gain knowledge of using the internet and organize component models, intermediary software and services of new generation network technologies and protocols

### Degree-transversal competences

- EPS4. Capacity to draft, design and implement projects and/or give novel solutions, using engineering-related tools

## Subject contents

1. Network congestion control

- TCP operations
- TCP flow control
- TCP congestion control
- Service policies
- 2. Quality of Service (QoS):
  - Traffic classification
  - Congestion management
  - Congestion avoidance
  - Policing and shaping
  - RSVP
- 3. Wireless networks:
  - Wireless LAN
  - Security
  - Deployments
- 4. VoIP
  - Telephony essentials
  - Digital telephony
  - Solutions. Asterisk

## Methodology

Every topic of this subject is presented in master classes. Based on contents, a couple of practice problems per topic are proposed, as well a practical case. Both types of work are developed in group, partially advised by the professor at class time and finally subjected to avaluation.

## Development plan

Week 1. Theme 1. Congestion control  
 Week 2. Theme 1. Congestion control  
 Week 3. Practice 1. Congestion control  
 Week 4. Theme 2. QoS  
 Week 5. Theme 2. QoS  
 Week 6. Practice 2. QoS  
 Week 7. Theme 3. Wireless networks  
 Week 8. Holiday  
 Week 9. Theme 3. Wireless networks  
 Week 10. TIC project announcement  
 Week 11. Practice 3. Wireless networks  
 Week 12. Practice 3. Wireless networks  
 Week 13. Theme 4. VoIP  
 Week 14. Theme 4. VoIP  
 Week 15. Practice 4. VoIP  
 Week 16. TIC project defense

## Evaluation

- Week 3. Exercise 1 (5/42\*100 %)
- Week 3. Exercise 2 (5/42\*100 %)
- Week 6. Exercise 3 (6/42\*100 %)
- Week 8. Exercise 4 (6/42\*100 %)
- Week 10. Exercise 5 (5/42\*100 %)
- Week 11. Exercise 6 (5/42\*100 %)
- Week 12. Practical case (10/42%\*100 %)

Each of the above items are not mandatory. More than a 50% required to pass the subject

## Bibliography

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