II1302 Projects and Project Methods 7.5 credits

Projekt och projektmetoder

This is a translation of the Swedish, legally binding, course syllabus.

If the course is discontinued, students may request to be examined during the following two academic years

Establishment

On 2019-10-15, the Head of School of EECS has decided to establish this official course syllabus to apply from the spring semester 2020 (registration number J-2019-2098).

Grading scale

A, B, C, D, E, FX, F

Education cycle

First cycle

Main field of study

Information Technology, Technology

Language of instruction

The language of instruction is specified in the course offering information in the course catalogue.

Intended learning outcomes
On successful completion of the course, the student should, for small IT projects, be able to

- suggest and give an account of an appropriate, adapted and largely proven project method
- from the perspective of some management role state and with evidence, through a
collection to experience from a completed project, justify the strengths and weaknesses
of the method
- contribute with ideas and system development work
- based on some management role, practically suggest, plan, organise, lead and follow up
the work of the project group
- admit a socially including, encouraging and responsible approach to the project group
- relate to social aims, concerning e.g. sustainability, which are relevant for the project and
also for a developed product and product use.

Course contents

- Group dynamics, leadership and communication in practical work in project group about
3-8 individuals.
- Theoretical and practical project model according to established science and practice.
- Practical development, in groups, of an IT prototype with specification, architecture,
design, programming/design, implementation and test.
- Project economy in the form of budgeting, planning, evaluation and time reporting of the
work.
- Written system documentation, planning documentation and writing of report.
- When needed, analysis of sustainability aspects and working environment are included.

Specific prerequisites

Examination

- PRJ1 - Individual documents, 3.5 credits, grading scale: A, B, C, D, E, FX, F
- RAP1 - Group report, 3.0 credits, grading scale: A, B, C, D, E, FX, F
- UTV1 - Evaluation documents, 1.0 credits, grading scale: P, F

Based on recommendation from KTH’s coordinator for disabilities, the examiner will decide
how to adapt an examination for students with documented disability.

The examiner may apply another examination format when re-examining individual stu-
dents.

The main examination for RAP1 is a final written report common for the group.

The main examination for PRJ1 is done via two individual documents, a system documen-
tation and a management document. Both are submitted at the end of the course.
The main examination for UTV1 is done via several submitted evaluations in the project group.

**Other requirements for final grade**

Attendance requirement at project work (see specification in detailed course syllabus, "kurs-PM").

The reported total working hours in this course (including all, completed course-related time of the student) should be at least 180 hours.

**Transitional regulations**

Students who took the course 2019 or earlier and needs to complete one of the earlier test parts PRO1 or TEN1 should contact examiner to obtain re-examination assignment.

**Ethical approach**

• All members of a group are responsible for the group's work.

• In any assessment, every student shall honestly disclose any help received and sources used.

• In an oral assessment, every student shall be able to present and answer questions about the entire assignment and solution.