Description of the educational programme (Study Units)

Data Driven Decision Making in Business

2024-2025

Module Descriptions

DATRDRD05 - Project M3DMiB

1. General information	
Long English name of	Minor DDDM: Project
course	
Short English name of	Project M3DMiB
course	
Course code	DATDRD05 – Project M3DMiB
Degree programme and	Minor Data Driven Decision Making (M3DM)
cluster	Minor Data Driven Decision Making
Teaching period	P1 and P2 and P3 and P4
Method of enrolment	Via Osiris
for educational	
activities	
ECTS credits, study	Study load: 10 EC
load and contact hours	
	Scheduled contact time: 48.75 hours
	Expected self-study time: 231.25 hours
	Total assigned study load: 280 hours
Course entry	Approval from bachelor programme the student is enrolled in. Basic
requirements	knowledge on data management courses (e.g. Modelling, Statistics,
	Big Data) and research courses.
Prior knowledge	

2. Content and organisation	n
Professional task	Students will write a management report to the project commissioner. The report must include the solutions' script that can be run to simulate or prove that the solution is workable. The project is based on an actual assignment by a commissioner, who is either a company, research institute, or public sector institute. The management report must also include an executive summary. The students will present their findings and defend the decisions made.
Exit qualifications / Programme Learning Outcomes (PLO)	WT01: Use the process of thoughtful evaluation to deliberately formulate a reasonable conclusion WT02: Create innovative ideas in a changing business environment in a systematic fashion WW04: Communicate (business) messages effectively and persuasively using advanced English to an (un)informed audience WW06: Collaborate effectively with different kinds of stakeholders in different cultural, organisational and political landscapes to contribute to achieving agreed goals WW07: Produce management information from various data sources in an international business environment LW10: Formulate one's own position concerning ethical and social responsibility in a professional environment TWM24: Analyse a complex business problem in an international business setting with use of adequate research design, resulting in an evidence-based, feasible solution
General description	Project M3DMiB is the final project of students to apply their knowledge and skills obtained during the foundation and the various e - learning material that is available for them. The e-learning material contains various tools, and techniques, used in data science.

	The e-learning material is helpful is understanding or solving the problem within the project. Classes will be scheduled for the students to ask and get expert instruction on which tools are useful for which situations. Students questions will also be answered during those scheduled moments. During the project the students are expected to work independently with some supervision, both from the company as well as from the academic coach. The real - life company problem that the students must deal with involve any of the following business - related fields: Logistics/Supply chain, Marketing & Sales, Finance, and Human Resources. Each team will be assigned an academic coach. The project commissioner will also guide the students when information and/or data from the commissioner are required. The coach will guide the teams in the process of acquiring skills necessary for the project assignment. He will also answer students' questions related to the tools, skills and technique necessary for the project activities. The project teams will be as diverse as possible, both on culture, study
	programme, knowledge, and skills in data science.
Cohesion	The SU Data Driven Decisions Making in Business - Project is part of the minor Data Driven Decision Making in Business. The total programme consists of 6 Foundation courses to build the basis for the basic knowledge and understanding on Data Science. There are also 4 Electives courses the students choose depending on own interest and the project being executed as the knowledge from those subjects are necessary to execute the project.
Mandatory participation	It is mandatory to meet the academic advisor and the commissioner at
	the beginning and end of the project.
Maximum number of participants	28
Compensation options	N.A.
Activities and/or	Seminar / Tutorial / Working lecture
instructional formats	
Required literature /	Course Manual on Brightspace
description of learning	Powerpoint slide on Brightspace
material	Topic - specific articles/reports/etc (hand - outs to be found on Brightspace)
Required software /	Software is dependent on the requirement of the project.
required materials	
Extra contributions	N.A.

3. Examination	
DATDRD05_T01	Project - MDDDM

Exam code: DATDRD05_T01 (Assignment - Project M3DMiB)	
Name (modular) exam	DATDRD05 – Assignment Project M3DMiB
Code (modular) exam	DATDRD05_T01
Assessment criteria	A. The criteria for assessing the relevant (management) report is based on TMW24 (Business research) and WW7 (Management of Information as Digital Citizen). The students must demonstrate the ability to:
	 Clearly describe the management problem and project objectives using appropriate business terms. Do proper literature research on the current developments related to the given data driven decision making problem and

	on the relevant models that could potentially solve the given problem. Collect field data and analyze these data using the appropriate methodology, which will lead to meaningful results and conclusions. Derive the proper root causes to the problems using proper data analytic tools and a visual model, determining relevant objectives to be realized. Come up with relevant management solutions on how to improve the given data driven problem. Come up with a time planning to realise the proposed improvements. B. The criteria for assessing the oral presentation is based on WW4 (Communication). The student must demonstrate the ability to: Present the project in a creative, concise, and convincing way based on the target group. Communicate effectively (both presentation and orally) the outcome of the project, which is deemed acceptable by the target stakeholder. Defend the results of the project and its consequences in company processes in a logical and convincing way. Defend the relevance of the chosen solutions in a convincing way. C. The criteria for assessing collaboration is based on WW6 (Collaboration). The student must demonstrate the ability to: Demonstrates ability to work effectively and respectfully with diverse teams. Assumes shared responsibility for collaborative work, and values the individual contributions made by each
	team member.
Exam format	Assignment/professional product
Exam type, if written	N.A.
Individual / group	Group, Individual
Assessment periods	P2, P4
Duration exam	30 minutes
Permitted resources / aids	N.A.
Minimum result	5.5
Weight factor of modular exam	100%
Method of enrolment for exam	Enrolment
Discussion and review	Via Osiris
Other info	Management report + A3 reporting (code will follow later) Individual Peer Assessment.

Changes compared to	N.A.
last year	
Date from which the SU	N.A.
will no longer be	
offered	

DATDRD05 (MDDF-MST) - Foundation Math & Stats in R, Python

1. General information	
Long English name of	Minor DDDM: Foundation – Math & Statistics
course	
Short English name of	Foundation Math & Stats in R, Python
course	
Course code	DATDRD05 - Foundation – Math & Statistics
Degree programme and	Minor Data Driven Decision Making (M3DM)
cluster	Minor Data Driven Decision Making
Teaching period	P1 and P3
Method of enrolment	Via Osiris
for educational	
activities	
ECTS credits, study	Study load: 2.5 EC
load and contact hours	
	Scheduled contact time: 15.75 hours
	Expected self-study time: 54.25 hours
	Total assigned study load: 70 hours
Course entry	Approval from bachelor programme the student is enrolled in.
requirements	
Prior knowledge	

2. Content and organisation	
Professional task	A report showing a mastery in the scripting of Python in solving complex statistical problems.
Exit qualifications /	WT01: Use the process of thoughtful evaluation to deliberately
Programme Learning	formulate a reasonable conclusion
Outcomes (PLO)	WW07: Produce management information from various data sources in
	an international business environment
General description	This module is both a refresher course in basic mathematics and
·	statistics, and an introduction to use Python for solving basic
	mathematical and statistical problems.
Cohesion	Part of the minor MDD
Mandatory participation	N.A.
Maximum number of	28
participants	
Compensation options	N.A.
Activities and/or	Lecture
instructional formats	Self-study
	Seminar / Tutorial / Working lecture
Required literature /	Open source online work book available on Brightspace. Nield, T.
description of learning	(2022). Essntial Math for Data Science. O'Reilly Media, Inc.
material	
Required software /	R (available via https://cran.r - project.org/)
required materials	RStudio (available via https://rstudio.com/products/rstudio/download/)
Extra contributions	N.A.

3. Examination	
DATDRD05 T02	Assignment -Mathematics & Statistics in R or Python

Exam code: DATDRD05_T02 (Assignment - Mathematics & Statistics in R or Python - MDDDM)	
Name (modular) exam	DATDRD05 – Assignment Mathematics & Statistics in R or Python
Code (modular) exam	DATDRD05_T02

Assessment criteria	After studying this module, you should be able to understand and apply: - The basics of math and calculus - The principles of Probability Theory - The basic principles of descriptive and inferential statistics - Python or other data science script languages
Exam format	Assignment/professional product
Exam type, if written	N.A.
Individual / group	Individual
Assessment periods	P1, P3
Duration exam	4 hours
Permitted resources /	All resources permitted. Students can write the script/report from
aids	home.
Minimum result	5.5
Weight factor of	100%
modular exam	
Method of enrolment	Via Osiris
for exam	
Discussion and review	N.A.
Other info	

Changes compared to	N.A.
last year	
Date from which the SU	N.A.
will no longer be	
offered	

DATDRD05 (MDDF-DS) - Data science for business

1. General information	1. General information	
Long English name of	Minor DDDM: Foundation – Data Science	
course		
Short English name of	Data science for business	
course		
Course code	DATDRD05 – Data science for business	
Degree programme and	Minor Data Driven Decision Making (M3DM)	
cluster	Minor Data Driven Decision Making	
Teaching period	P1 and P3	
Method of enrolment	Via Osiris	
for educational		
activities		
ECTS credits, study	Study load: 2.5 EC	
load and contact hours		
	Scheduled contact time: 15.75 hours	
	Expected self-study time: 54.25 hours	
	Total assigned study load: 70 hours	
Course entry	Approval from bachelor programme the student is enrolled in.	
requirements		
Prior knowledge		

2. Content and organisation	
Professional task	Report and Presentation on describing data science challenges
	workflow for data driven decision making.
Exit qualifications /	WW04: Communicate (business) messages effectively and
Programme Learning	persuasively using advanced English to an (un)informed audience.
Outcomes (PLO)	WW06: Collaborate effectively with different kinds of stakeholders in
	different cultural, organisational and political landscapes to contribute
	to achieving agreed goals.
	WW07: Produce management information from various data sources in
	an international business environment.
	TWM24: Analyse a complex business problem in an international
	business setting with use of adequate research design, resulting in an
	evidence-based, feasible solution.
General description	The course will provide the student with a non - technical overview of
	data science, and types of data science techniques. The focus lies on
	critical thinking and the full DS process (based on CRISP).
Cohesion	This module provides relevant knowledge and skills in Data Science.
	The knowledge and skills are necessary for the execution of the project
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Mandatory participation	N.A.
Maximum number of	28
participants	AL A
Compensation options	N.A.
Activities and/or	Seminar / Tutorial / Working lecture / Self-study
instructional formats	Drovert E. 9 Favortt T. (2040). Data Gainna fan Droinnas IVIII at
Required literature /	Provost, F., & Fawcett, T. (2013). Data Science for Business: What
description of learning material	you need to know about data mining and data - analytic thinking. O'Reilly Media, Inc. All material, except for the book stated above
materiai	(Provost, F., & Fawcett), will be open source or freely available via the
	LMS (Brightspace).
Required software /	R and RStudio / Python / Visual Studio Code.
required materials	
Extra contributions	N.A.

3. Examination	
DATDRD05_T03	Presentation - Data science for business - the CRISP model for data
	mining

Exam code: DATDRD05	T03 (Presentation - Data science for business - the CRISP model for
data mining)	
Name (modular) exam	DATDRD05 – Presentation Data science for business - the CRISP
,	model for data mining
Code (modular) exam	DATDRD05_T03
Assessment criteria	 The student can perform a well-defined task independently in a relatively clearly arranged situation. The student can perform in a complex and unpredictable situation under supervision. The student can translate a business problem into an appropriate setup of the data mining process The student can list commonly applied data mining methods The students can determine the drivers of success for creating a data driven business.
Exam format	Presentation
Exam type, if written	N.A.
Individual / group	Group, Individual
Assessment periods	P1, P3
Duration exam	N.A.
Permitted resources / aids	N.A.
Minimum result	5.5
Weight factor of	100%
modular exam	
Method of enrolment	Via Osiris
for exam	
Discussion and review	Yes
Other info	N.A.

Changes compared to	N.A.
last year	
Date from which the SU	N.A.
will no longer be	
offered	

DATDRD05 (MDDF-STO) - Storytelling with Data

1. General information	1. General information	
Long English name of	Minor DDDM: Foundation – Storytelling with Data	
course		
Short English name of	Storytelling with Data	
course		
Course code	DATDRD05 – Storytelling with data	
Degree programme and	Minor Data Driven Decision Making (M3DM)	
cluster	Minor Data Driven Decision Making	
Teaching period	P1 and P3	
Method of enrolment	Via Osiris	
for educational		
activities		
ECTS credits, study	Study load: 2.5 EC	
load and contact hours		
	Scheduled contact time: 15.75 hours	
	Expected self-study time: 54.25 hours	
	Total assigned study load: 70 hours	
Course entry	Approval from bachelor programme the student is enrolled in.	
requirements		
Prior knowledge		

2. Content and organisation	
Professional task	Report transforming data sets into visual.
Exit qualifications / Programme Learning	WT02: Create innovative ideas in a changing business environment in a systematic fashion
Outcomes (PLO)	WW04: Communicate (business) messages effectively and persuasively using advanced English to an (un)informed audience WW07: Produce management information from various data sources in an international business environment TWM24: Analyse a complex business problem in an international business setting with use of adequate research design, resulting in an evidence-based, feasible solution
General description	This course is for students who are interested to extend their data analytics skills through visualization and compelling storytelling. The main focus of this course is not on hard-core analytics but on the translation of the analytical results in a simple and meaningful visual for storytelling in a business setting. Data visualization is a storytelling of data using graphical forms. In this course, the student will be exposed to data analysis and basic visualization techniques (e.g. principal component analysis and other
	clustering techniques) and to choosing the right graphical forms for data story telling. Workshops will also be given to level up the data storytelling skills of students.
Cohesion	This module provides relevant knowledge and skills in Data Science. The knowledge and skills are necessary for the execution of the project in this minor.
Mandatory participation	80% of the class must be attended by the students because of the nature of the teaching strategy (group work) and mutual dependence on group members. Mandatory participation and active participation curb piggybacking as well.
Maximum number of participants	28
Compensation options	N.A.

Activities and/or	Lecture
instructional formats	Seminar / Tutorial / Working lecture
Required literature /	Book: Cole Nussbaumer Knaflic. 2015. Storytelling with data: A data
description of learning	visualization guide for Business Professionals. All other materials will
material	be open source or freely available via the LMS (Brightspace).
Required software /	Excel and R - Studio
required materials	
Extra contributions	N.A.

3. Examination	
DATDRD05_T04	Storytelling with Data - the art of data visualization

Exam code: DATDRD05_	T04 (Presentation - Storytelling with Data - the art of data
visualization)	
Name (modular) exam	DATDRD 05 – Presentation Storytelling with Data - the art of data
	visualization
Code (modular) exam	DATDRD05_T04
Assessment criteria	Students should be able to:
	 justify the methodology (and/or used data analytics
	techniques) and analyze large data set based on the chosen
	methodology.
	- explain clearly the outcome of the visuals based on large data
	set and derive meaningful conclusions.
	- transform and present large data sets in simple and effective
	visuals.
	- communicate visuals based on large data in an effective and
	convincing ways using storytelling.
	defend the outcome of his presentation during oral
	examination.
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Exam format	Presentation
Exam type, if written	N.A.
Individual / group	Pairs
Assessment periods	P1, P3
Duration exam	30 minutes
Permitted resources /	N.A.
aids	
Minimum result	5.5
Weight factor of	100%
modular exam	
Method of enrolment	Via Osiris
for exam	
Discussion and review	With examiners
Other info	Oral presentation (Visual and oral presentations).

Changes compared to	N.A.
last year	
Date from which the SU	N.A.
will no longer be	
offered	

DATDRD05 (MDDF-BI) - Business Intelligence (BI)

General information	1. General information	
Long English name of	Minor DDDM: Foundation – Business Intelligence	
course		
Short English name of	Business Intelligence (BI)	
course		
Course code	DATDRD05 – Business Intelligence	
Degree programme and	Minor Data Driven Decision Making (M3DM)	
cluster	Minor Data Driven Decision Making	
Teaching period	S1 and S2	
Method of enrolment	Via Osiris	
for educational		
activities		
ECTS credits, study	Study load: 2.5 EC	
load and contact hours		
	Scheduled contact time: 15.75 hours	
	Expected self-study time: 54.25 hours	
	Total assigned study load: 70 hours	
Course entry	Approval from bachelor programme the student is enrolled in.	
requirements		
Prior knowledge		

2. Content and organisation	
Professional task	A report on Business Intelligence application or implementation in a business environment.
Exit qualifications / Programme Learning Outcomes (PLO)	WW04: Communicate (business) messages effectively and persuasively using advanced English to an (un)informed audience WW06: Collaborate effectively with different kinds of stakeholders in different cultural, organisational and political landscapes to contribute to achieving agreed goals WW07: Produce management information from various data sources in an international business environment TWM24: Analyse a complex business problem in an international business setting with use of adequate research design, resulting in an evidence-based, feasible solution
General description	Business Intelligence is playing an increasingly important role in informing employees in an organization. The role of Business Intelligence is crucial in managing processes and organizations. Business Intelligence is important for the future of many organizations. In this course you will learn to recognize the processes that can be improved by use of Business Intelligence. The organization of a BI environment (roles, processes and system) is also discussed. Also is considered the quality aspects of information. In addition, much attention is paid to the organization of Business Intelligence in one organization.
Cohesion	Students will spend 25% of the time on the application of business intelligence through software. This is in line with the lessons of Data visualization. (MDDFSDV1A.6, Storytelling with Data - the art of data visualization).
Mandatory participation	80% of the class must be attended by the students because of the nature of the teaching strategy (group work) and mutual dependence on group members. Mandatory participation and active participation curb piggybacking as well.
Maximum number of participants	28

Compensation options	N.A.
Activities and/or	Lecture
instructional formats	Seminar / Tutorial / Working lecture
Required literature /	All required materials will be open source or freely available via LMS
description of learning	(Brightspace).
material	
Required software /	Tableau
required materials	
Extra contributions	N.A.

3. Examination	
DATDRD05_T05	Written report - Business intelligence

Exam code: DATDRD05_	T05 (Written report - Business intelligence)
Name (modular) exam	DATDRD05 – Written report Business intelligence
Code (modular) exam	DATDRD05_T05
Assessment criteria	 Student must be able to analyze a complex business problem through the use of appropriate research methodology that will result in an appropriate business solution in their assigned project. The student provides an advice on how to improve Business Intelligence (BI) in an organization of student's choice. Alternatively, if an organization does not yet use BI, the student writes an advice on the set - up of BI for the organization. Student must be able to collaborate effectively with different stakeholders (students, commissioner, academic coach) and achieve a desirable output while considering individual stakeholder goals. Students must be able to communicate effectively (visually and orally) the results of their finding and solution to their target stakeholder. Student must be able to produce actionable management information as part of their data driven project.
Exam format	Assignment/professional product
Exam type, if written	N.A.
Individual / group	Pairs
Assessment periods	P1, P3
Duration exam	N.A.
Permitted resources / aids	N.A.
Minimum result	5.5
Weight factor of	100%
modular exam	10070
Method of enrolment	Via Osiris.
for exam	via Osiris.
Discussion and review	Yes. Contact the responsible lecturers once the grades are
Discussion and review	communicated.
Other info	
Other Info	Written Report

Changes compared to	N.A.
last year	
Date from which the SU	N.A.
will no longer be	
offered	

DATDRD05 (MDDF-DM) - Introduction to Data Mining

General information	1. General information	
Long English name of	Minor DDDM: Foundation – Data Mining	
course		
Short English name of	Introduction to Data Mining	
course		
Course code	DATDR05 – Introduction to Data Mining	
Degree programme and	Minor Data Driven Decision Making (M3DM)	
cluster	Minor Data Driven Decision Making	
Teaching period	P1 and P3	
Method of enrolment	Via Osiris	
for educational		
activities		
ECTS credits, study	Study load: 2.5 EC	
load and contact hours		
	Scheduled contact time: 15.75 hours	
	Expected self-study time: 54.25 hours	
	Total assigned study load: 70 hours	
Course entry	Approval from bachelor programme the student is enrolled in.	
requirements		
Prior knowledge		

2. Content and organisation	
Professional task	Describing and demonstrating the data science challenges and workflow for data driven decision making.
Exit qualifications /	WT01: Use the process of thoughtful evaluation to deliberately
Programme Learning	formulate a reasonable conclusion
Outcomes (PLO)	WT02: Create innovative ideas in a changing business environment in
	a systematic fashion
	WW04: Communicate (business) messages effectively and
	persuasively using advanced English to an (un)informed audience
	TWM24: Analyse a complex business problem in an international
	business setting with use of adequate research design, resulting in an
	evidence-based, feasible solution
Conoral description	Introduction to enecific data eciones alreadth as forcellity of data and the
General description	Introduction to specific data science algorithms (quality of data and the logic of using a specific model are assumed). Students learn about the
	intuitive appeal of the various algorithms, and gain a better
	understanding of when, why and how to use these techniques. The
	focus will be on models for classification and prediction (supervised
	learning).
Cohesion	This module provides relevant knowledge and skills in Data Science.
	The knowledge and skills are necessary for the execution of the project
	in this minor.
Mandatory participation	N.A.
Maximum number of	28
participants	
Compensation options	N.A.
Activities and/or	Lecture
instructional formats	Seminar / Tutorial / Working lecture
Required literature /	Provost, F., & Fawcett, T. (2013). Data Science for Business: What
description of learning	you need to know about data mining and data - analytic thinking.
material	O'Reilly Media, Inc. "All material, except for the book stated above
	(Provost, F., & Fawcett), will be open source or freely available via the LMS (Brightspace)"
Required software /	R and RStudio / Python / Visual Studio Code.
required materials	•
Extra contributions	N.A.

3. Examination	
DATDRD05_T06	Report - Introduction to data mining

Exam code: DATDRD05_	T06 (Report - Introduction to data mining)
Name (modular) exam	DATDRD05 – Report Introduction to data mining
Code (modular) exam	DATDRD05_T06
Assessment criteria	The student is able to:
	- prepare data for a given non - linear model.
	- train and test a non - linear model.
	- evaluate the quality of a trained model
Exam format	Assignment/professional product
Exam type, if written	N.A.
Individual / group	Group, Individual
Assessment periods	P1, P3
Duration exam	N.A.
Permitted resources /	N.A.
aids	
Minimum result	5.5
Weight factor of	100%
modular exam	
Method of enrolment	Via Osiris
for exam	
Discussion and review	Yes
Other info	Report

Changes compared to	N.A.
last year	
Date from which the SU	N.A.
will no longer be	
offered	

DATDRD05 (MDDF-MOD) - Introduction to Modelling

General information	1. General information	
Long English name of	Minor DDDM: Foundation – Introduction to Modelling	
course		
Short English name of	Introduction to Modelling	
course		
Course code	DATDR05 - Introduction to Modelling	
Degree programme and	Minor Data Driven Decision Making (M3DM)	
cluster	Minor Data Driven Decision Making	
Teaching period	P1 and P3	
Method of enrolment	Via Osiris	
for educational		
activities		
ECTS credits, study	Study load: 2.5 EC	
load and contact hours		
	Scheduled contact time: 15.75 hours	
	Expected self-study time: 54.25 hours	
	Total assigned study load: 70 hours	
Course entry	Approval from bachelor programme the student is enrolled in.	
requirements		
Prior knowledge		

2. Content and organisation	
Professional task	Building statistical models.
Exit qualifications /	WT01: Use the process of thoughtful evaluation to deliberately
Programme Learning	formulate a reasonable conclusion
Outcomes (PLO)	WW07: Produce management information from various data sources in
	an international business environment
General description	Introduction to regression analysis and some extensions. Focus is on
	understanding how they work and how they can be applied in R.
Cohesion	This module provides relevant knowledge and skills in Data Science.
	The knowledge and skills are necessary for the execution of the project
	in this minor.
Mandatory participation	N.A.
Maximum number of	28
participants	
Compensation options	N.A.
Activities and/or	Lecture
instructional formats	Self-study
	Seminar / Tutorial / Working lecture
Required literature /	All material will be open source or made available on Brightspace
description of learning	
material	
Required software /	R and Rstudio, MS Excel
required materials	
Extra contributions	N.A.

3. Examination	
DATDRD05_T07	Report - Introduction to modelling

Exam code: DATDRD05_T07 (Report - Introduction to modelling)	
Name (modular) exam	DATDR05 – Report Introduction to modelling
Code (modular) exam	DATDRD05_T07
Assessment criteria	 The student can independently build a regression model with the aim of testing hypotheses. The student is able to report the results of a regression built.

	The student is able to interpret the results of a regression model built correctly. The student is able to explain the implications of the results originating from a regression model that he has built.
Exam format	Assignment/professional product
Exam type, if written	N.A.
Individual / group	Individual
Assessment periods	P1, P3
Duration exam	N.A.
Permitted resources / aids	N.A.
Minimum result	5.5
Weight factor of	100%
modular exam	
Method of enrolment	via Osiris
for exam	
Discussion and review	With lecturer
Other info	Report

Changes compared to	N.A.
last year	
Date from which the SU	N.A.
will no longer be	
offered	

DATDRD05 (MDDS) - Data Science Tools and Techniques

1. General information	
Long English name of	Minor DDDM: Foundation – Data Science Tools and Techniques
course	
Short English name of	Data Science Tools and Techniques
course	
Course code	DATDRD05 - Data Science Tools and Techniques
Degree programme and	Minor Data Driven Decision Making in Business
cluster	Minor Data Driven Decision Making
Teaching period	P2 and P4
Method of enrolment	Via Osiris
for educational	
activities	
ECTS credits, study	Study load: 5 EC
load and contact hours	
	Scheduled contact time: 37 hours
	Expected self-study time: 103 hours
	Total assigned study load: 140 hours
Course entry	Approval from bachelor programme the student is enrolled in
requirements	
Prior knowledge	N.A.

2. Content and organisation	
Professional task	A Portfolio showcasing Data Science Techniques in a business case using relevant tools and justifying the choices made.
Exit qualifications / Programme Learning Outcomes (PLO)	WW04: Communicate (business) messages effectively and persuasively using advanced English to an (un)informed audience WW07: Produce management information from various data sources in an international business environment LW10: Formulate one's own position concerning ethical and social responsibility in a professional environment TWM24: Analyse a complex business problem in an international business setting with use of adequate research design, resulting in an evidence-based, feasible solution
General description	The course will provide the student the tools, techniques, and trainings which they will use to showcase the skills they have mastered, as an individual using a business case where big data and the CRISP - DM is the basis of their final individual product. By doing so, they are able to individually integrate the knowledge and skills that they have learnt in a business case.
Cohesion	This module provides the student the possibility to individually apply the CRISP model to a data science business problem using the various tools and techniques. The CRISP model was discussed in period and used throughout the minor. Includes its use in the project.
Mandatory participation	N.A.
Maximum number of participants	28
Compensation options	N.A.
Activities and/or instructional formats	Seminar / Tutorial / Working lecture / Self-study
Required literature / description of learning material	Professional training with certificates, other materials will be open source or freely available via the LMS (Brightspace).
Required software / required materials	R and RStudio / Python / Visual Studio Code / Disco / and other relevant Data Science Analytics Tools.
Extra contributions	N.A.

3. Examination	
DATDRD05_T08	Portfolio - Data Science Tools and Techniques

Exam code: DATDRD05_	T08 (Portfolio - Data Science Tools and Techniques)
Name (modular) exam	DATDRD05 - Data Science Tools and Techniques
Code (modular) exam	DATDRD05_T08
Assessment criteria	The student - Can apply the Data Science CRISP model to a data science problem - Can justify the choices made per step of the Data Science CRISP model - Can use appropriate data science analysis tools and techniques to solve a data related business problem - Perform a well - defined task independently in a relatively clearly arranged situation - Can perform in a complex and unpredictable situation under supervision - Can translate a business problem into an appropriate setup of the data mining process - Can list commonly applied data mining methods - Can determine the drivers of success for creating a data driven business solution.
Exam format	Portfolio
Exam type, if written	N.A.
Individual / group	Individual
Assessment periods	P2, P4
Duration exam	N.A.
Permitted resources / aids	N.A.
Minimum result	5.5
Weight factor of	100%
modular exam	
Method of enrolment	Via Osiris.
for exam	
Discussion and review	Yes. Contact the responsible lecturers once the grades are
	communicated. Resit takes place in the same period and not carried
	over to the next semester or academic year.
Other info	N.A.

Changes compared to	N.A.
last year	
Date from which the SU	N.A.
will no longer be	
offered	