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# ANX-PR/CL/001-01

## LEARNING GUIDE

### SUBJECT

**593000500 - Architectures And Service Platforms**

### DEGREE PROGRAMME

59AH - Master Universitario en Internet Of Things (iot)

### ACADEMIC YEAR & SEMESTER

2020/21 - Semester 1

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## 1. Description

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### 1.1. Subject details

<b>Name of the subject</b>	593000500 - Architectures And Service Platforms
<b>No of credits</b>	4.5 ECTS
<b>Type</b>	Compulsory
<b>Academic year of the programme</b>	First year
<b>Semester of tuition</b>	Semester 1
<b>Tuition period</b>	September-January
<b>Tuition languages</b>	English
<b>Degree programme</b>	59AH - Master Universitario en Internet Of Things (iot)
<b>Centre</b>	59 - Escuela Tecnica Superior de Ingeniería y Sistemas de Telecomunicación
<b>Academic year</b>	2020-21

## 2. Faculty

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### 2.1. Faculty members with subject teaching role

<b>Name and surname</b>	<b>Office/Room</b>	<b>Email</b>	<b>Tutoring hours *</b>
Vicente Hernandez Diaz	A4412	vicente.hernandez@upm.es	Sin horario. Tutoring by appointment
Jose Fernan Martinez Ortega (Subject coordinator)	A4407	jf.martinez@upm.es	Sin horario. Tutoring by appointment

\* The tutoring schedule is indicative and subject to possible changes. Please check tutoring times with the faculty member in charge.

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

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#### 3.1. Recommended (passed) subjects

- Distributed Systems For lot

#### 3.2. Other recommended learning outcomes

- Distributed Applications
- Software Architectures
- Knowledge and usage of telecommunication networking
- Communication Networks
- Systems and services programming skills

### 4. Skills and learning outcomes \*

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#### 4.1. Skills to be learned

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

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

CE.05 - Diseñar y desarrollar sistemas distribuidos para dar soporte a aplicaciones IoT, evaluando las tecnologías mas apropiadas de acuerdo con los diferentes contextos de aplicación como son dispositivos móviles, sistemas en tiempo real o sistemas ubícuos

CE.07 - Integrar diferentes dispositivos IoT en una arquitectura global teniendo en cuenta los protocolos empleados y los estándares internacionales

CE.08 - Diseñar y desarrollar soluciones tecnológicas para implementar servicios IoT capaces de interactuar con diferentes fuentes de información y dispositivos distribuidos incluyendo el diseño de estructuras de intercambio de

información eficientes

CG01 - Los alumnos demostrarán tener una visión del estado actual, las necesidades y los problemas que se plantean en el mundo de la IoT, así como de las arquitecturas y estándares más utilizados

CG03 - Los alumnos demostrarán tener las destrezas necesarias para integrar y aplicar los conocimientos adquiridos de forma que puedan desarrollar soluciones innovadoras y servicios IoT en general

CT.01 - Capacidad de uso de la lengua inglesa para el trabajo en contextos internacionales

## 4.2. Learning outcomes

RA26 - To explain the technological characteristics of the architectures, platforms, networks and protocols enabling IoT services and applications.

RA27 - To know the technological characteristics of the service architectures and the related platforms to learn how to design and carry out IoT based solutions to be run in such architectures and platforms.

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

## 5. Brief description of the subject and syllabus

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### 5.1. Brief description of the subject

The subject "*Architectures and Service Platforms*" addresses the IoT Reference Model and the Architecture Model that have been recently standardized by international organizations like ITU-T and others more specifically related to IoT. The proposed Domain Model for IoT is presented, going through all the concepts and elements that are common for every IoT based system, such as Physical Entity, Virtual Entity, User, Resources or Devices, and the relationships among them. That model is studied by means of analyzing several real use cases from real IoT based systems.

A methodology or guideline for planning and developing IoT based applications will be also studied by carrying out at least two use cases. The students will design and develop a small sized IoT based application that will be deployed in a real and well-known IoT platform that several manufacturers already use for exploiting their solutions.

## 5.2. Syllabus

1. Introduction
2. Internet of Things (IoT) and Ubiquitous Computing
  - 2.1. Ubiquitous computing and the impact on IoT
  - 2.2. Technologies preceding and enabling IoT
3. IoT Fundamentals
  - 3.1. IoT standardization
  - 3.2. IoT Domain Model
  - 3.3. IoT Functional Model
4. IoT Architectural Reference Model
  - 4.1. IoT basic architectural elements
  - 4.2. Overview of existing IoT platforms
5. Basic guideline for developing IoT based applications
  - 5.1. Introducing a basic guideline for developing IoT applications
  - 5.2. Developing of an IoT application

## 6. Schedule

### 6.1. Subject schedule\*

Week	Face-to-face classroom activities	Face-to-face laboratory activities	Distant / On-line	Assessment activities
1	<b>Introduction</b> Duration: 01:30  <b>Internet of Things (IoT) and Ubiquitous Computing</b> Duration: 02:00		<b>IoT Fundamentals</b> Duration: 02:00	
2			<b>IoT Fundamentals</b> Duration: 02:00	
3	<b>Description of the projects to be developed along the subject</b> Duration: 02:00	<b>Introduction to Lab. Development Environment</b> Duration: 01:30	<b>IoT Architectural Model Reference</b> Duration: 02:00	
4			<b>Basic guideline for developing IoT based applications</b> Duration: 01:30  <b>PART I: IoT Application Development</b> Duration: 02:00	
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7			<b>PART I: IoT Application Development</b> Duration: 07:00	<b>Use Case Report</b>  Continuous assessment and final examination Not Presential Duration: 00:10
8			<b>PART II: IoT Application Development</b> Duration: 03:00	<b>IoT Application Report I</b>  Continuous assessment and final examination Not Presential Duration: 00:10  <b>IoT Application Defense I</b>  Continuous assessment and final examination Not Presential Duration: 03:00  <b>IoT Application Functional Assessment I</b>  Continuous assessment and final examination

				Not Presential Duration: 01:00
9			<b>PART II: IoT Application Development</b> Duration: 03:30	
10			<b>PART II: IoT Application Development</b> Duration: 03:00	<b>IoT Application Report II</b>  Continuous assessment and final examination Not Presential Duration: 00:10  <b>IoT Application Defese II</b>  Continuous assessment and final examination Not Presential Duration: 03:00  <b>IoT Application Functional Assesment II</b>  Continuous assessment and final examination Not Presential Duration: 01:00
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Depending on the programme study plan, total values will be calculated according to the ECTS credit unit as 26/27 hours of student face-to-face contact and independent study time.

\* The schedule is based on an a priori planning of the subject; it might be modified during the academic year, especially considering the COVID19 evolution.



## 7. Activities and assessment criteria

### 7.1. Assessment activities

#### 7.1.1. Continuous assessment

Week	Description	Modality	Type	Duration	Weight	Minimum grade	Evaluated skills
7	Use Case Report		No Presential	00:10	20%	4 / 10	CT.01 CG01 CB09 CB08 CE.07 CG03
8	IoT Application Report I		No Presential	00:10	20%	4 / 10	CT.01 CB09 CE.05 CE.07 CG03 CE.08
8	IoT Application Defense I		No Presential	03:00	10%	4 / 10	CT.01 CB09 CE.05 CE.07 CG03 CE.08
8	IoT Application Functional Assesment I		No Presential	01:00	10%	4 / 10	CT.01 CB09 CE.05 CE.07 CG03 CE.08
10	IoT Application Report II		No Presential	00:10	20%	4 / 10	CT.01 CB09 CE.05 CE.07 CG03 CE.08
10	IoT Application Defese II		No Presential	03:00	10%	4 / 10	CT.01 CB09 CE.05 CE.07 CG03 CE.08

10	IoT Application Functional Assessment II		No Presential	01:00	10%	4 / 10	CT.01 CB09 CE.05 CE.07 CG03 CE.08
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### 7.1.2. Final examination

Week	Description	Modality	Type	Duration	Weight	Minimum grade	Evaluated skills
7	Use Case Report		No Presential	00:10	20%	4 / 10	CT.01 CG01 CB09 CB08 CE.07 CG03
8	IoT Application Report I		No Presential	00:10	20%	4 / 10	CT.01 CB09 CE.05 CE.07 CG03 CE.08
8	IoT Application Defense I		No Presential	03:00	10%	4 / 10	CT.01 CB09 CE.05 CE.07 CG03 CE.08
8	IoT Application Functional Assessment I		No Presential	01:00	10%	4 / 10	CT.01 CB09 CE.05 CE.07 CG03 CE.08
10	IoT Application Report II		No Presential	00:10	20%	4 / 10	CT.01 CB09 CE.05 CE.07 CG03 CE.08
10	IoT Application Defense II		No Presential	03:00	10%	4 / 10	CT.01 CB09 CE.05 CE.07 CG03 CE.08

10	IoT Application Functional Assessment II		No Presential	01:00	10%	4 / 10	CT.01 CB09 CE.05 CE.07 CG03 CE.08
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### 7.1.3. Referred (re-sit) examination

Description	Modality	Type	Duration	Weight	Minimum grade	Evaluated skills
Use Case report and defense		Face-to-face	00:40	30%	4 / 10	CG01 CB09 CB08 CE.07 CG03 CT.01
Project Functional Assessment		Face-to-face	02:30	50%	4 / 10	CT.01 CB09 CE.05 CE.07 CG03 CE.08
Project Defense		Face-to-face	02:00	20%	4 / 10	CT.01 CB09 CE.05 CE.07 CG03

## 7.2. Assessment criteria

The final mark for each student in this course will be a number between 0 and 10 points. The course is passed if the mark is equal or above 5 points.

The course is designed to be passed by means of a continuous assessment plan. The students following this plan will have to attend the face-to-face activities that will let professors check the correct progress of the students as well as provide them with the accurate feedback, so that they can achieve the objectives of the subject in a proper way. Nonetheless, the students that decide not to follow this continuous assessment plan and prefer an alternative one based on a Final Assessment Activity have to communicate to the subjects professors as soon as possible and are not obliged to attend the face-to-face activities. But they have to follow the same assessment activities schedule as the students that follow the regular continuous assessment plan.

The following criteria will be considered when assessing each of the evaluated activities:

- Written documents:
  - Technical correctness, completeness, originality and accuracy.
  - Presentation: correctness, clarity, grammar and format.
- Defense (oral) presentations:
- Execution: clarity, conciseness, correctness, faithfulness of the presentation to the written document, quality of the auxiliary means (power point slides, use of the blackboard, etc.).
  - Questions: accuracy and correctness when answering to questions.
- Practical work: correct functioning.
  - The service or application correctly functions as specified by the own students' practical work documents describing their application.
  - Questions: accuracy and correctness when answering to questions related to any aspect of their application .

The students that fail to pass this course have a second opportunity (Extraordinary Assessment) and they will have to repeat those failed assessment activities.

## 8. Teaching resources

### 8.1. Teaching resources for the subject

Name	Type	Notes
Enabling things to talk, A. Bassi, M. Bauer et al.	Bibliography	"Enabling Things to Talk. Designing IoT solutions with the IoT Architectural Reference Model", Bassi, A., Bauer, M., et al., 2013, Springer-Verlag Berlin Heidelberg, doi://10.1007/978-3-642-40403-0, <a href="https://www.springer.com/gp/book/9783642404023">https://www.springer.com/gp/book/9783642404023</a>
Personal Computer	Equipment	Personal computer with Internet connection for carrying out practical exercises.
IoT Platform	Equipment	IoT platform for developing IoT applications.
Networked sensors	Equipment	The sensors and communication platform previously studied in the subjects "Embedded systems and IoT devices" and "Sensor Networks" are to be used in this subject to provide the IoT platform with data.
Subject Moodle based web site	Web resource	UPM web site based on Moodle where short technical documents, bibliographic resources, practical exercises instructions and subject slides will be published. Several educational forums will be also available for discussions.

## 9. Other information

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### 9.1. Other information about the subject

#### Actions to prevent plagiarism and copying (cheating).

Anti-plagiarisms tools like Turnitin will be used whenever feasible in order to detect plagiarisms attempts. Should a student plagiarizes or cheats during an assessment activity, such assessment activity will be graded with 0 points, and even the assessment activity might be interrupted.

The subject's academic board or the Chair of the Department could report such events to the University Rector so that corresponding disciplinary actions could be taken.

#### Disclaimer

The information in this learning guide is illustrative and so might be changed due to typos, omissions, unpredictable events that might occur along the course or whenever required for the proper progress of the subject.