

UČNI NAČRT PREDMETA / COURSE SYLLABUS (leto / year 2017/18)											
Predmet:	Aproksimacijski in naključnostni algoritmi										
Course title:	Approximation and randomized algorithms										
Študijski program in stopnja Study programme and level	Študijska smer Study field		Letnik Academic year	Semester Semester							
Interdisciplinarni magistrski študijski program Računalništvo in matematika	ni smeri		1 ali 2	prvi							
Interdisciplinary Master's study programme Computer Science and Mathematics	none		1 or 2	first							
Vrsta predmeta / Course type	izbirni / elective										
Univerzitetna koda predmeta / University course code:											
Predavanja Lectures	Seminar Seminar	Vaje Tutorial	Klinične vaje work	Druge oblike študija	Samost. delo Individ. work	ECTS					
45		30			105	6					
Nosilec predmeta / Lecturer:	prof. dr. Borut Robič										
Jeziki / Languages:	Predavanja / Lectures:	slovenski / Slovene									
	Vaje / Tutorial:	slovenski / Slovene									
Pogoji za vključitev v delo oz. za opravljanje študijskih obveznosti:	Prerequisites:										
Vpis v letnik študija.	Enrolment in the programme.										
Vsebina:	Content (Syllabus outline):										

Predmet bo vseboval naslednje vsebine:	The course will offer the following themes:
Uvod: Računska zahtevnost odločitvenih in optimizacijskih problemov NP-polni in NP-težki problemi Heuristični algoritmi, kakovost suboptimalnih rešitev, (ne)obstoj zagotovila za kakovost	Introduction: Computational complexity of decision and optimization problems NP-complete and NP-hard problems Heuristic algorithms, quality of suboptimal solutions, (non)existence of a guarantee of quality
Približno reševanje NP-težkih problemov: Aproksimacijski algoritmi Kakovost približnih rešitev Razred APX Tehnika z vrzeljo Aproksimacijske sheme Razreda PTAS in FPTAS Meje približnega reševanja	Approximate solving of NP-hard problems: Approximation algorithms Quality of approximate solutions The class APX Gap technique Approximation schemes The classes PTAS and FPTAS Limits of approximate solving
Razvoj aproksimacijskih algoritmov: Požrešna metoda Osredotočanje na podporobleme Zaporedno razdeljevanje Dinamično programiranje	The design of approximation algorithms: Greedy method Focusing on subproblems Iterative partitioning Dynamic programming
Naključnostno reševanje NP-težkih problemov: Las Vegas in Monte Carlo algoritmi Razredi RP, co-RP, ZPP, PP, BPP	Randomized solving of NP-hard problems: Las Vegas and Monte Carlo algorithms The classes RP, co-RP, ZPP, PP, BPP
Razvoj naključnostnih algoritmov: Naključno vzorčenje Zagotavljanje obilice prič Naključno preurejanje vhoda Zgoščanje Enakomerno porazdeljevanje bremen	The design of randomized algorithms: Random sampling Establishing abundance of witnesses Random reordering Hashing Load balancing

#### **Temeljni literatura in viri / Readings:**

- B. Robič, Aproksimacijski algoritmi, Založba FE in FRI, 2.izd., 2009.
- D.P. Williamson, D.B. Shmoys, The Design of Approximation Algorithms, Cambridge University Press, 2011.
- V. V. Vazirani, Approximation Algorithms, Springer, 2004.
- D. Hochbaum, Approximation Algorithms for NP-hard Problems, Course Technology, 1996.
- R. Motwani, P.Raghavan, Randomized Algorithms, Cambridge University Press, 1995.
- M. Mitzenmacher, E. Upfal, Probability and Computing: Randomized algorithms and Probabilistic Analysis, Cambridge University Press, 2005.

**Cilji in kompetence:**

Slušatelji bodo na teoretičnem nivoju in prek praktičnih primerov osvojili znanja za približno in naključnostno reševanje praktičnih problemov, ki so v razumnem času drugače neobvladljivi.

**Objectives and competences:**

Students will learn, both theoretically and through practical examples, how to use approximation and randomization techniques to solve practical yet intractable computational problems.

**Predvideni študijski rezultati:**

Znanje in razumevanje:  
Študent bo usposobljen za reševanje neobvladljivih računskih problemov, ki se pojavljajo v praksi.

**Intended learning outcomes:**

Knowledge and understanding:  
The student will be able to tackle intractable problems that often appear in practice.

**Metode poučevanja in učenja:**

Predavanja, domače naloge, seminarски način dela pri vajah.

**Learning and teaching methods:**

Lectures, homeworks, and exercise groups.

Delež (v %) /

Weight (in %)

**Assessment:**

Način (pisni izpit, naloge, projekt)		Type (examination, coursework, project):
Sprotno preverjanje (domače naloge, praktično delo)		Continuing (homework, practical work)
Končno preverjanje (pisni izpit)		Final (written exam)
Ocene: 6-10 pozitivno, 1-5 negativno (skladno s Statutom UL)	50 %	Grading: 6-10 pass, 1-5 fail (in accordance with the rules of the University of Ljubljana)
	50 %	

**Reference nosilca / Lecturer's references:**

- ROBIČ, Borut. The foundations of computability theory. Heidelberg [etc.]: Springer, cop. 2015. XX, 331 str., ilustr. ISBN 978-3-662-44807-6. ISBN 978-3-662-44808-3. [COBISS.SI-ID 1536557251]
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- MIHELIČ, Jurij, MAHJOUB, Amine, RAPINE, Christophe, ROBIČ, Borut. Two-stage flexible-choice problems under uncertainty. European journal of operational research, ISSN 0377-2217. [Print ed.], Mar. 2010, vol. 201, no. 2, str. 399-403, ilustr. [COBISS.SI-ID 7087444]

MIHELIČ, Jurij, ROBIČ, Borut. Flexible-attribute problems. Computational optimization and applications, ISSN 0926-6003. [Print ed.], 2010, vol. 47, no. 3, str. 553-566, ilustr. [COBISS.SI-ID 7087700]

TROBEC, Roman, ŠTERK, Marjan, ROBIČ, Borut. Computational complexity and parallelization of the meshless local Petrov-Galerkin methods. Computers & Structures, ISSN 0045-7949. [Print ed.], 2009, vol. 87, no. 1/2, str. 81-90. [COBISS.SI-ID 21895463]