

SYLLABUS MLE5072

1. Information regarding the programme

1.1 Higher education institution	Babeş Bolyai University
1.2 Faculty	Faculty of Mathematics and Computer Science
1.3 Department	Department of Computer Science
1.4 Field of study	Computer Science
1.5 Study cycle	Bachelor
1.6 Study programme / Qualification	Computer Science

2. Information regarding the discipline

2.1 Name of the discipline	System and Network Administration						
2.2 Course coordinator	Lect.PhD. Radu DRAGOS						
2.3 Seminar coordinator	Lect.PhD. Radu DRAGOS						
2.4. Year of study	3	2.5 Semester	6	2.6. Type of evaluation	E	2.7 Type of discipline	optional

3. Total estimated time (hours/semester of didactic activities)

3.1 Hours per week	4	Of which: 3.2 course	2	3.3 seminar/laboratory	1
3.4 Total hours in the curriculum	36	Of which: 3.5 course	24	3.6 seminar/laboratory	12
3.7 Total individual study hours	164				
3.8 Total hours per semester	200				
3.9 Number of ECTS credits	5				

4. Prerequisites (if necessary)

4.1. curriculum	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Operating Systems ● Computer Networks
4.2. competencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Average programming skills
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●

5. Conditions (if necessary)

5.1. for the course	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Video projector
5.2. for the seminar/lab activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Computers

6. Specific competencies acquired

Professional competencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understanding and working with basic concepts in networking and system administration; • Proficient use of networking equipment • Knowing the specifics of main networking architectures
Transversal competencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professional communication skills; concise and precise description, both oral and written, of professional results, • Independent and team work capabilities; able to fulfill different roles • Capability of analysis and synthesis;

7. Objectives of the discipline (outcome of the acquired competencies)

7.1 General objective of the discipline	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Know and understand fundamental concepts of system administration. • Know and understand fundamental concepts of network administration.
7.2 Specific objective of the discipline	<p>At the end of the course, students</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • know the main concepts and principles of installing major operating systems • know the main concepts and principles of configuring major operating systems • are able to install and configure networking services on major operating systems • are able to install and configure main networking equipment devices

8. Content

8.1 Course	Teaching methods	Remarks
1. Introduction to Sysadmin and NetworkAdmin concepts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • motivation • objectives • real life examples 	Exposure, description, explanation, case studies	
2. Installing an operating system	Exposure, description,	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Linux • BSD • Microsoft Windows Server 	explanation, case studies	
3. Configure networking for an operating system <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Linux/BSD/Windows Server 	Exposure, description, explanation, case studies	
4.1 DHCP configuration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Linux/BSD/Windows Server 4.2 Static/dynamic bindings and lease times	Exposure, description, explanation, case studies	
5. DNS configuration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Linux/BSD/Windows Server 5.2 DNS zones, delegation, master/slave, dynamic updates, recursion	Exposure, description, explanation, case studies	
6.1 HTTP configuration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Linux/BSD/Windows Server 6.2 Name based Virtual Hosting	Exposure, description, explanation, case studies	
7.1 MAIL+MX configuration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Linux/BSD/Windows Server 7.2 Mail retrieval <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • POP3/IMAP/Webmail 	Exposure, description, explanation, case studies	
8. NetworkSecurity (firewall) configuration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Linux/BSD/Windows Server 	Exposure, description, explanation, case studies	
9. Virtualization solutions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oracle VirtualBox • Wmware • HyperV • Xen Hypervisor 	Exposure, description, explanation, case studies	
10. Networking appliances configuration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • managed switches • layer 3 switches • home/small business switches • routers 	Exposure, description, explanation, case studies	
11. Dedicated Internet services appliances <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MX and AntiSpam • Firewalls • Network packet analyzers 	Exposure, description, explanation, case studies	
Bibliography: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Computer Networks, Andrew S. Tanenbaum & David J. Wetherall 2. Computer Networks: A Systems Approach, Larry L. Peterson & Bruce S. Davie 3. The Internet and Its Protocols: A Comparative Approach, Adrian Farrel 		
8.2 Seminar / laboratory	Teaching methods	Remarks

9. Corroborating the content of the discipline with the expectations of the epistemic community, professional associations and representative employers within the field of the program

10. Evaluation

- Laboratory activity 20%
- Practical implementation 50%
- Written exam 30%