

# *Scientific Data Visualization*

*Vizualizarea Stiintifica a Datelor*

*Vizualizarea datelor stiintifice  
Modelare, Simulare, Vizualizare*

Ziua	Ora	Sala	Sapt.	Tip	Form.
<i>Miercuri</i>	16~18	L320	*	C	<u>1 C.I.Per.~Engl.</u>
	18~20	L321	<b>S2</b>	<i>Sem.</i>	

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Semestrul I	Per	Act.	Dur.	
	03.10 - 23.12	Act. Did.	12 Săpt.*	
	* 30.11.2016	Sfântul Andrei	Liber	<a href="#">Grafică pe Calculator</a> <a href="#">Decision Support Systems</a>
	* 01.12.2016	Ziua Națională	Liber	<a href="#">Info-Didactic: Tehnologia informaiei (pentru perfecționarea profesorilor)</a> <a href="#">Util.Soft.Spec. ( EFS~SPM, IFR )</a>
	26.12 - 08.01	Vacanță	2 Săpt.	<a href="#">Proiect Colectiv</a>
	09.01 - 22.01	Act. Did.	2 Săpt.	<a href="#">Fundamentele Programării</a> <a href="#">Fundamentele Programării (Sem. Lab.)</a>
	23.01 - 12.02	Sesiune	3 Săpt.	<a href="#">Project Individual</a>
	13.02 - 19.02	Vacanță	1 Săpt.	<a href="#">Progr. Calc.</a>
	20.02 - 26.02	Restanțe	1 Săpt.	

Semestrul II	Săpt.	S	NeTer.	
	27.02 ~ 16.04	S1-S7	Act. Did.	<a href="#">Prelucrarea Imaginilor (Cr Re Im)</a>
	17.04 ~ 23.04	V1	Vacanță	<a href="#">Scientific Data Visualization Mos</a>
	24.04 ~ 11.06	S8-S14	Act. Did.	
	12.06 ~ 2.07	E1-E3	Ses. Ex.	
	03.07 ~ 9.07	V2	Vacanță	
	10.07 ~ 16.07	R	Restanță	

Semestrul II	Săpt.	S	Ternu.	
	27.02 ~ 16.04	S1-S7	Act. Did.	<a href="#">Verificarea si validarea sistemelor soft</a>
	17.04 ~ 23.04	V1	Vacanță	<a href="#">Util.Soft.Spec. ( Kineto, IFR )</a>
	24.04 ~ 28.05	S8-S12	Act. Did.	<a href="#">Project Colectiv</a>
	29.05 ~ 11.06	E1-E2	Ses. Ex.	<a href="#">Visualization and Validation in Simulation</a>
	20.06 ~ 2.07	P1-P2	Preg. Ld	<a href="#">Structuri de Date și Algoritmi</a>
	03.07 ~ 9.07	Ldi	Ex. Ld	<a href="#">Project Individual</a>
	10.05 & 5.06		Liber	<a href="#">Op</a>

# *Specializarea:*

*Calcul de înalță performanță și analiza volumelor mari de date*

## *Semestrul II*

Discipline oferite pentru curs optional 1

Disciplina

Cadru didactic

*Vizualizarea datelor științifice*

*Lect. dr. Vasile Prejmerean*

# General data

3.1 Hours per week	<b>3</b>	Of which: 3.2 course	<b>2</b>	3.3 seminar/laboratory	<b>1</b>
3.4 Total hours in the curriculum	<b>42</b>	Of which: 3.5 course	<b>28</b>	3.6 seminar/laboratory	<b>14</b>
Time allotment:					hours
Learning using manual, course support, bibliography, course notes					<b>36</b>
Additional documentation (in libraries, on electronic platforms, field documentation)					<b>36</b>
Preparation for seminars/labs, homework, papers, portfolios and essays					<b>36</b>
Tutorship					<b>18</b>
Evaluations					<b>18</b>
Other activities: Project					<b>14</b>
3.7 Total individual study hours	<b>158</b>				
3.8 Total hours per semester	<b>200</b>				
3.9 Number of ECTS credits	<b>7</b>				

## • Course objectives

To assimilate visualization and simulation techniques and the simulation as a method of studying the real phenomenon. To gain skills related to problem solving through simulation. To teach the students the concepts used in the field of modeling and simulation and to acquire the methods for validation of simulation.

After promotion the students should be able to use simulation as a method of solving real problems. They will know to verify their programs and to validate the simulation results.

# Course contents

1. Simulation.
2. The Steps of a Simulation Study.
3. Verifying and validating a simulation model.
4. Techniques for validation.
5. Inspection. Testing.
6. Sensitivity analysis.
7. Calibration.
8. Input analysis.
9. Output analysis: output data analysis for simulations.
10. Statistical techniques needed for validation - data analysis and visualization
11. Visualization and simulation techniques
12. Interactive simulation and visualization

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<http://www.ubmail.ubalt.edu/~harsham/simulation/sim.htm>
2. BALCI, O., Validation, Verification, and Testing Techniques throught the Life Cycle of a Simulation Study, Annals of Operations Research, 1994, no.12, pp.1-49
3. BLAGA P., Statistica prin MATLAB, Presa Universitara Clujeana, 2002.
4. DODESCU Gh., Simularea sistemelor, Ed.Militara, Bucuresti.
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# Additional references

- O1. Jack P.C. Kleijnen, Five-stage procedure for the evaluation of simulation models through statistical techniques, Proceedings of the 1996 Winter Simulation Conference, p.248-254.
- O2. Kleijnen J.P.C., Sensitivity analysis and optimization, Proceed. of the 1995 Winter Simulation Conference, p.133-140, 1995.
- O3. Kleijnen J.P.C., Validation of models: statistical techniques and data availability, Proceed. of the 1999 Winter Simulation Conference, 1999.
- O4. RACEANU, E., Limbaje de simulare, Ed.Militara, Bucuresti, 1981
- O5. SANDERSON D.P., R.SHARMA, R.ROZIN, and S.TREU, The Hierarchical Simulation Language HSL: A Versatile Tool for Process-Oriented Simulation, ACM Trans.on Modeling and Computer Simulation, Vol.1, no.2, 1991, pp.113-153.
- O6. T.I. Oren, Concepts and Criteria to Asses Acceptability of Simulation Study : a frame of reference, Comm.ACM, vol.24(1981), no.4, 180-184.
- O7. Papers on Software Metrics from the Journals:
  - a. IEEE Software.
  - b. IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering.
  - c. Transactions on Modeling and Simulation, ACM.
  - d. Software -- Practice and Experience, Wiley.

# Assessment

A mark S is given for the activities at the seminars during the term. Then, a written examination must be given (mark W). The final grade is :

$F = (W + S) / 2$  rounded according to the presences at the activities during the term.

Presence to the seminars is needed. The mark A reflects the activity of the student during the term and cannot be improved at exams.

$S \rightarrow (\text{Paper, Application} \sim \text{Project (Progr.+Doc.)}) = 2 * (\text{P}^*15\% + \text{A}^*35\%)$

$F = (\text{Ref.}^*15\% + \text{Apl.}^*35\% + \text{W}^*50\%)$

## 10. Evaluation

Type of activity	10.1 Evaluation criteria	10.2 Evaluation methods	10.3 Share in the grade (%)
10.4 Course	- know the basic elements and concepts of the Scientific Data Visualization;	Written exam	50%
10.5 Seminar / Project	- complexity, importance and degree of timeliness of the synthesis made	Paper presentation	15%
	- apply the course concepts - problem solving	Project presentation	35%
10.6 Minimum performance standards			
➤ At least grade 5 at written exam, paper presentations and project realised.			

# Homework (Examples)

- Railway Station & Transportation → TimpMediuAst., NrMedCal (st)
- Warehouse & Customer → Cost (1 an)
- Traffic
- Epidemic
- ...

Examples in *Labor*

## Resources and Links

We recommend the following resources and links:

- The INFORMS Web site : [informs.org](http://informs.org).
- OR/MS Today : [orms-today.com](http://orms-today.com).
- COIN-OR : [coin-or.org](http://coin-or.org).
- COIN-OR : [coin-or.org](http://coin-or.org).
- NEOS Server for Optimization : [neos.mcs.anl.gov/neos/index.html](http://neos.mcs.anl.gov/neos/index.html).
- H.Arsham's Modeling & Simulation Resources page: [home.ubalt.edu/ntsbarsh/Business-stat/RefSim.htm](http://home.ubalt.edu/ntsbarsh/Business-stat/RefSim.htm).
- Decision Science Resources page : [home.ubalt.edu/ntsbarsh/Business-stat/Refop.htm](http://home.ubalt.edu/ntsbarsh/Business-stat/Refop.htm).
- Jay Aronson's DSS Sofware Web page: [terry.uga.edu/people/jaronson/dss/DSS-Software.htm](http://terry.uga.edu/people/jaronson/dss/DSS-Software.htm).
- Decision Analysis Society : [faculty.fuqua.duke.edu/daweb/dasw6.htm](http://faculty.fuqua.duke.edu/daweb/dasw6.htm).
- Interactive Linear Programming group: [faqs.org/faqs/linear-programming-faq/](http://faqs.org/faqs/linear-programming-faq/).

- The Society for Modeling & Simulation International ~ JDMS: The Journal of Defense Modeling & Simulation  
~ <http://www.scs.org/jdms>
- Ali M. Niknejad, Analysis, Simulation, and Applications of Passive Devices on Conductive Substrates
- Prof. Stephen G. Powell, Applications of Simulation ~ [stephen.g.powell@dartmouth.edu](mailto:stephen.g.powell@dartmouth.edu), Tuck 210
- EXPLORING MONTE CARLO SIMULATION APPLICATIONS FOR PROJECT MANAGEMENT, Young Hoon Kawak and Lisa Ingall, Department of Decision Sciences, School of Business, The George Washington University , Washington , DC , USA, IBM Systems Technology Group , Silver Spring , MD
- Application of simulation techniques for accident management training in nuclear power plants, IAEA - TECDOC-1352, International Atomic Energy Agency, May 2003.

[http://upm.ro/intranet/ecalin/cd\\_educational/cd/book/book.html](http://upm.ro/intranet/ecalin/cd_educational/cd/book/book.html)

### Capitolul 1- Introducere

O privire generală

Scopul cartii

Ideea principală

Structura cartii

### Capitolul 2 - Problematica vizualizării

Problematica generală

Cadrul științific

Problema specifică

### Capitolul 3 - Vizualizarea științifică

Asupra terminologiei

Probleme actuale în vizualizarea științifică

Modelul de referință în procesul de vizualizare științifică

Condițiile fundamentale ale vizualizării științifice

Modele pentru date

Exprimarea unor condiții suplimentare pentru funcția de vizualizare

Nivelul vizualizare logica

Nivelul vizualizare fizica

Cu privire la ordonarea obiectelor geometrice virtuale

Relaxarea condițiilor procesului de vizualizare

Concluzi

## Capitolul 4 - Modelarea datelor

Despre modelare

Reprezentarea datelor

Modelarea volumelor

Modelarea datelor distribuite neuniform

Modelarea prin triangulatie

Concluzii

## Capitolul 5 - Tehnici de vizualizare a datelor experimentale

O taxonomie a tehnicilor de vizualizare a datelor experimentale

Maparea culorilor

Generarea de izocontururi si izosuprafete

Deformari geometrice

Vizualizarea datelor multidimensionale

Vizualizarea vectorilor

Reducerea seturilor de date

Vizualizarea datelor distribuite neuniform

## Capitolul 6 - Tehnologii si sisteme de vizualizare

Sisteme de vizualizare

Tehnologia Java

Biblioteci pentru vizualizare

Vizualizari pe Web

Concluzii

## Capitolul 7 - Construirea sistemelor de vizualizare cu VTK

VTK - O prezentare generală

Modelul grafic VTK

Obiecte VTK

Vizualizari cu VTK

## Capitolul 8 - Aplicații

Reconstructia 3D a reliefului

Vizualizarea zacamintelor pe baza datelor de foraj

Vizualizarea datelor experimentale sincronă și comparativă

Anexa A - Resurse privind vizualizarea științifică

Anexa B - Sisteme pentru vizualizare

Anexa C - Resurse VTK

Anexa D - Tcl/Tk

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