#### **SYLLABUS**

# 1. Information regarding the programme

| 1.1 Higher education  | Babeş-Bolyai University                     |
|-----------------------|---|
| institution           |   |
| 1.2 Faculty           | Faculty of Mathematics and Computer Science |
| 1.3 Department        | Department of Computer Science              |
| 1.4 Field of study    | Computers and Information Technology        |
| 1.5 Study cycle       | Bachelor                                    |
| 1.60.1                | Information Fundamentary                    |
| 1.6 Study programme / | Information Engineering                     |
| Qualification         |   |

# 2. Information regarding the discipline

| 2.1 Name of the discipline |             | Ne  | Network and system administration  |   |             |          |
|----------------------------|-------------|-----|------------------------------------|---|-------------|----------|
| (en)                       |             | Ac  | Administrare de sistem şi de reţea |   |             |          |
| (ro)                       |             |     |                                    |   |             |          |
| 2.2 Course coordinator     |             |     | Lect. Dr. Radu DRAGOŞ              |   |             |          |
| 2.3 Seminar coordinator    |             |     | Lect. Dr. Radu DRAGOŞ              |   |             |          |
| 2.4. Year of study 4       | 2.5 Semeste | 1 8 | 2.6. Type of                       | C | 2.7 Type of | Optional |
|                            |             |     | evaluation                         |   | discipline  | DS       |
| 2.8 Code of the            | MLE5072     |     |                                    | • |             | •        |
| discipline                 |             |     |                                    |   |             |          |

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

| 3.1 Hours per week  | 5  | Of which: 3.2 course | 2  | 3.3                | 1 LP, |
|---|----|----------------------|----|--------------------|-------|
|   |    |                      |    | seminar/laboratory | 2 P   |
| 3.4 Total hours in the curriculum   | 70 | Of which: 3.5 course | 28 | 3.6                | 42    |
|   |    |                      |    | seminar/laboratory |       |
| Time allotment:   |    |                      |    |                    | hours |
| Learning using manual, course support, bibliography, course notes                     |    |                      |    | 15                 |       |
| Additional documentation (in libraries, on electronic platforms, field documentation) |    |                      |    |                    | 15    |
| Preparation for seminars/labs, homework, papers, portfolios and essays                |    |                      |    |                    | 15    |
| Tutorship   |    |                      |    | 3                  |       |
| Evaluations   |    |                      |    | 7                  |       |
| Other activities:   |    |                      |    | -                  |       |
| 2.7 T-4-1 : 1!: 11 -4 1 1   |    | 55                   |    |                    |       |

| 3.7 Total individual study hours | 55  |
|----------------------------------|-----|
| 3.8 Total hours per semester     | 125 |
| 3.9 Number of ECTS credits       | 5   |

# **4. Prerequisites** (if necessary)

| 4.1. curriculum   | Operating Systems; Computer Networks           |
|-------------------|--|
| 4.2. competencies | <ul> <li>Average programming skills</li> </ul> |

## **5. Conditions** (if necessary)

| 5.1. for the course       | •                         |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| 5.2. for the seminar /lab | Laboratory with computers |
| activities                |                           |

6. Specific competencies acquired

|                                     | e competences acquired  |
|-------------------------------------|---|
|                                     | • C4.1 Identifying and describing technologies, programming environments and various  |
| al                                  | concepts that are specific to programming engineering   |
| <b>Professional</b><br>competencies | <ul> <li>C4.3 Developying specifications and designing information systems using specific<br/>methods and tools</li> </ul>                              |
| F                                   | C4.5 Developing, implementing and integrating software solutions  |
|                                     |   |
| S                                   | • CT1 Honorable, responsible, ethical behavior, in the spirit of the law, to ensure the   |
| sal<br>cie                          | professional reputation   |
| Transversal competencies            | <ul> <li>CT3 Demonstrating initiative and pro-active behavior for updating professional,<br/>economical and organizational culture knowledge</li> </ul> |

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

| 7.1 General objective of the discipline  | <ul> <li>Know and understand fundamental concepts of system administration.</li> <li>Know and understand fundamental concepts of network administration.</li> </ul>  |
|--|--|
| 7.2 Specific objective of the discipline | At the end of the course, students  • 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             | • Interactive exposure   |         |
| NetworkAdmin,                               | Explanation              |         |
| Concepts, motivation, objectives, real life | Conversation             |         |
| examples                                    |                          |         |
| 2. Virtualization sollutions                | Interactive exposure     |         |
| Oracle VirtualBox                           | • Explanation            |         |
| WMware                                      | Conversation             |         |
| HyperV                                      |                          |         |
| 3. Installing an operating system           | • Interactive exposure   |         |
| • Linux                                     | Explanation              |         |
| • BSD                                       | Conversation             |         |
| Microsoft Windows Server                    | Didactical demonstration |         |
| 4. Configure networking for an operating    | • Interactive exposure   |         |
| system                                      | Explanation              |         |
|   | Conversation             |         |

| Linux/BSD/Windows Server  | Didactical demonstration  |
|---|---|
| 5. DHCP configuration Linux/BSD/Windows Server Static/dynamic bindings and lease times  | <ul> <li>Interactive exposure</li> <li>Explanation</li> <li>Conversation</li> <li>Didactical demonstration</li> </ul> |
| 6. DNS configuration Linux/BSD/Windows Server DNS zones, delegation, master/slave, dynamic updates, recursion   | <ul> <li>Interactive exposure</li> <li>Explanation</li> <li>Conversation</li> <li>Didactical demonstration</li> </ul> |
| 7. HTTP configuration Linux/BSD/Windows Server Name based Virtual Hosting   | <ul> <li>Interactive exposure</li> <li>Explanation</li> <li>Conversation</li> <li>Didactical demonstration</li> </ul> |
| 8. MAIL+MX configuration Linux/BSD/Windows Server Mail retrieval POP3/IMAP/Webmail  | <ul> <li>Interactive exposure</li> <li>Explanation</li> <li>Conversation</li> <li>Didactical demonstration</li> </ul> |
| <ul> <li>9. NetworkSecurity (firewall) configuration Linux/BSD/Windows Server</li> <li>intrusion prevention</li> <li>intrusion detection</li> <li>penetration testing</li> <li>service isolation</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Interactive exposure</li> <li>Explanation</li> <li>Conversation</li> <li>Didactical demonstration</li> </ul> |
| 10-11 Networking appliances configuration ● managed switches ● layer 3 switches ● home/small busines switches ● routers   | <ul> <li>Interactive exposure</li> <li>Explanation</li> <li>Conversation</li> </ul>                                   |
| 12-13 Dedicated Internet services appliances MX and AntiSpam Firewalls Network packet annalyzers  | <ul> <li>Interactive exposure</li> <li>Explanation</li> <li>Conversation</li> <li>Didactical demonstration</li> </ul> |
| 14 Evaluation   |   |

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| 8.2 Seminar / laboratory                    | Teaching methods           | Remarks |
|---|----------------------------|---------|
| 1. Hardware preparations                    | Explanation/demonstrations |         |
| 2. Virtualization solution                  | Explanation/demonstrations |         |
| 3. Operating systems                        | Explanation/demonstrations |         |
| 4. Networking                               | Explanation/demonstrations |         |
| 5.Conectivity                               | Explanation/demonstrations |         |
| 6. Services                                 | Explanation/demonstrations |         |
| 7.Security                                  | Explanation/demonstrations |         |
| Project                                     |                            |         |
| 1-2 BIOS configurations for virtualization. | Explanation/demonstrations |         |
| Host OS preconfigurations.                  |                            |         |

| 3 Install/Configure VirtualBox/HyperV/VmWare        | Explanation/demonstrations |  |
|---|----------------------------|--|
| 4-5 Install/Configure Linux/BSD/Windows             | Explanation/demonstrations |  |
| 6-7 IP static/dynamic configurations. Remote shell, | Explanation/demonstrations |  |
| file transfer.                                      |                            |  |
| 8-9 Services: HTTP, DB, e-mail                      | Explanation/demonstrations |  |
| 10-11 Docker  | Explanation/demonstrations |  |
| 12-13 Intrusion prevention/detection                | Explanation/demonstrations |  |
| 14 Evaluation                                       |                            |  |

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# 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

• The content of the course covers the most important aspects necessary for a system administrator

#### 10. Evaluation

| Type of activity                                    | 10.1 Evaluation criteria | 10.2 Evaluation methods | 10.3 Share in the |
|---|--------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
|   |                          |                         | grade (%)         |
| 10.4 Course   |                          | Project                 | 50                |
| 10.5 Seminar/lab activities                         |                          | Practical exam          | 50                |
| 10.6 Minimum performance standards                  |                          |                         |                   |
| At least grade 5 for the project and practical exam |                          |                         |                   |

Date Signature of course coordinator Signature of seminar coordinator

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