Study programmes: Bachelor studies - Informatics

Course name: R225 - Operating systems

Lecturers: Miroslav Marić and other lecturers from the Department of Computer Science and Informatics

Status: Compulsory

ECTS: 6

Attendance prerequisites: P100, P101

Course aims: Acquisition of general and specific knowledge of the theory of operating systems and the principles of their operation.

Course outcome: Student has knowledge of algorithms, policies and principles of the execution of operating systems and of resource management.

Course content:

- Introduction to operating systems: basic concepts; historical overview.
- Process management: concurrency, process states and state diagrams; operating system structures (process control block, queues, etc.); schedulers and context switching.
- Process scheduling: scheduling policies; processes and threads.
- Process synchronization: the critical section problem. Deadlocks: prevention, avoidance and detection; recovery: models and policies.
- Memory management: physical memory and memory management hardware; overlays, swapping, partitioning; paging and segmentation; algorithms for page swapping.
- IO management: properties of parallel and serial devices; buffering; direct memory access; recovery from errors.
- File Systems: basic concepts; directory and disk structure; file system implementation;

Literature:

- 1. Abraham Silberschatz, Peter Baer Galvin, Greg Gagne, Operating Systems Concepts, Wiley, 9th Edition.
- 2. Raphael A. Finkel, An Operating Systems Vade Mecum, Prentice Hall, 2nd Edition.
- 3. Andrew S. Tanenbaum, Modern Operating Systems 3rd Edition.
- 4. Marić M., Operativni sistemi, Univerzitet u Beogradu Matematički fakultet, 2. izdanje. (The lecturer can choose any other appropriate literature)

Number of hours: 5 Lectures: 3 Tutorials: 2 Laboratory: -

Teaching and learning methods : Frontal, interactive and exercises.			
Assessment (maximal 100 points)			
Course assignments	points	Final exam	points
Lectures	-	Written exam	70
Exercises / Tutorials	-	Oral exam	-
Colloquia	30	Written-oral exam	-
Essay / Project	-		

Research: -