

Study Programme

Academic year 2025-2026

Faculty of Sciences

Exchange Programme in Computer Science (master's level)

Language of instruction: English

Programme version 9

1 General Courses

The exchange programme contains a preferred list of English courses taught at UGent of the Master of Science in Computer Science. Most of the courses in the main programme are taught in Dutch, but many of these can be followed based on e.g. English course material and guidance. For courses taught in Dutch you should contact the lecturer of the course to check whether it can be followed.

Tips for completing your Learning Agreement:

- Please check the departmental rules for incoming students.
- A minimum number of 20 ECTS per semester (or 40 ECTS per year) should be chosen.
- Short or long term (up to 1 year) research projects can be chosen. Students should have an agreement with a promoter at the faculty of Sciences (UGent) prior to sending their learning agreement, and include the letter of acceptance with their application.

Nr Course		CRDT Ref MT1	Session	Study
1 C003758	Machine Learning Yvan Saeys Department of Mathematics, Computer Science and Statistics	6	A:1	180
2 E017930	Parallel and Distributed Software Systems Jan Fostier Department of Information Technology	6	A:1	180
3 C000627	Computability and Complexity Giovanni Solda Department of Mathematics: Analysis, Logic and Discrete Mathematics	6		165
4 E019170	Internet of Things Jeroen Hoebeke Department of Information Technology	6	A:1	180
5 E019370	Robotics Tony Belpaeme Department of Electronics and Information Systems	6	A:1	180
6 C003711	Computational Challenges in Bioinformatics Jan Fostier Department of Information Technology	6	A:2	180
7 E003600	Information Theory Heidi Steendam Department of Telecommunications and Information Processing	6	B:2	180
8 E017920	Design of Multimedia Applications Glenn Van Wallendael Department of Electronics and Information Systems	6	A:2	180
9 E010220	Speech Processing Kris Demuynck Department of Electronics and Information Systems	4	A:2	120
10 F000918	Deep Learning Seppe vanden Broucke Department of Business Informatics and Operations Management	6	A:2	180
11 E061341	Natural Language Processing Thomas Demeester Department of Information Technology	6	A:2	180
12 E031251	Design Methodology for FPGAs Dirk Stroobandt Department of Electronics and Information Systems	6	A:1	180
13 E016712	Computer Graphics Danilo Babin Department of Telecommunications and Information Processing	6	A:2	180
14 E004720	Network Modelling and Design Mario Pickavet Department of Information Technology	4	B:2	120
15 E018520	Compilers Bjorn De Sutter Department of Electronics and Information Systems	6	A:2	180
16 C004413	Causal Machine Learning Stijn Vansteelandt Department of Mathematics, Computer Science and Statistics	5	A:2	150
17 E031800	AI Research Seminar Tijl De Bie Department of Electronics and Information Systems	3	A:1	90

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18 E061350	Deep Generative Models Bart Dhoedt Department of Information Technology	4	A:2	120
19 E034500	Sustainable Computing Lieven Eeckhout Department of Electronics and Information Systems	3	A:2	90
20 E017942	Software Hacking and Protection Bjorn De Sutter Department of Electronics and Information Systems	6	A:1	180
21 E017950	Secure Software and Systems Bart Coppens Department of Electronics and Information Systems	6	A:2	180
22 E008711	Network Hacking and Protection Bruno Volckaert Department of Information Technology	6	A:1	180
23 E018130	NoSQL Databases Antoon Bronselaer Department of Telecommunications and Information Processing	3	A:2	90
24 E018700	Data Quality Antoon Bronselaer Department of Telecommunications and Information Processing	3	A:1	90
25 E017310	Cloud Storage and Computing Bruno Volckaert Department of Information Technology	4	A:2	120
26 C003242	Research Project	0	A:1, C:J, B:2	0

Teaching

When a course is not taught (solely) in the programme's language of instruction, the effectively used languages are indicated in square brackets following the cours name, using the following ISO codes:

bg: Bulgarian de: German es: Spanish ja: Japanese pl: Polish sh: Kroatian/Serbian zh: Chinese pt: Portuguese cs: Czech el: Greek fr: French nl: Dutch sl: Slovene

it: Italian ru: Russian da: Danish en: English no: Norwegian sv: Swedish

Semester

Semesters are indicated by their number (1 or 2); semester 3 represents the summer period and J indicates a course spanning semesters 1 and 2. When a capital letter precedes a semester number, the course has multiple offerings. The letter indicates the offering concerned. When a semester is shown in brackets, the course in not offered this year in the specific offering.

The offering frequency and first year of offering are indicated by the following codes:

c: annually, from 2026-2027 f: annually, from 2027-2028 i: annually, from 2028-2029 a: bi-annually g: bi-annually, from 2027-2028 j: bi-annually, from 2028-2029 d: bi-annually, from 2026-2027 b: tri-annually h: tri-annually, from 2027-2028 e: tri-annually, from 2026-2027 k: tri-annually, from 2028-2029

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