

Kursrapport

Course report

Course name	Capstone project in Applied Data Science
Course code	DA637E
Semester	HT21
Number of students registered	17
Course responsible	Reza Malekian

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Course report is published on Canvas-site
<input type="checkbox"/>	Course report is published on course webpage

Course evaluation

Number of answers on obligatory course evaluation	0
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Obligatory course evaluation has been done through:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Simplest standard template via SSR (Sunet Survey and Report)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Standard template with added questions via SSR
<input type="checkbox"/>	Own way of evaluation by course responsible
If own way, describe how:	

Any further evaluations during the course:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Separate survey
<input type="checkbox"/>	Oral in class
<input type="checkbox"/>	Oral in smaller groups
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other way
If other way, describe how:	

Comments to student course evaluations

None of the students participated and filled out the questionnaire in the course evaluation. It could be great if more students could participate in filling the questionnaire and provide possible comments, if there is any, for the improvements.
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Examination result

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Examination result is like expected
<input type="checkbox"/>	Examination result is not like expected

The students' results and examination marks in the course are very satisfactory. The lecturer appreciated the large participation of the students in the project presentation, opposition, and public discussion during the project seminar. All the students were provided constructive comments for their project proposals, and they have successfully completed the presentation and public discussion (1 credit). It is notable to mention that six students received a "A" on the project report part of the course (6.5 credit) because their reports met all of the criteria included in the project assessment form, well-written, and featured comprehensive results and detailed analysis, as well as comparisons to the state-of-the-art.

Recommendations and priorities for course evaluation

The students were given the opportunity to present and discuss their project during the seminar day with the opportunity for much deeper discussions into the context, which they found it interesting to have fruitful discussion that helps all with knowledge acquisition in various domains of data science, as the projects were in different areas of data science. Several of the students will continue working on the same project that they developed in this course for their master's thesis. Majority of the students were satisfied with the regular updates, reminding of the deadlines, and clear project evaluation form that was developed for the final project report. It could be great if more students could participate in filling the questionnaire and provide possible comments, if there is any, for the improvements. Furthermore, this year majority of the students work individually for the projects, which team-working may also be beneficial for some of them e.g., with a better planning and project management to meet the deadlines.