

## COURSE OUTLINE

### (1) GENERAL

<b>SCHOOL</b>	SCHOOL OF INFORMATION SCIENCES & TECHNOLOGY		
<b>ACADEMIC UNIT</b>	DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS		
<b>LEVEL OF STUDIES</b>	1st Cycle (UNDERGRADUATE)		
<b>COURSE CODE</b>	6125	<b>SEMESTER</b>	6 <sup>th</sup>
<b>COURSE TITLE</b>	<b>Simulation</b>		
<b>INDEPENDENT TEACHING ACTIVITIES</b>		<b>WEEKLY TEACHING HOURS</b>	<b>CREDITS</b>
Lectures		4	7
Workshops			
Labs		2	
<b>COURSE TYPE</b>		Elective – General Background	
<b>PREREQUISITE COURSES:</b>			
<b>LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION and EXAMINATIONS:</b>		GREEK	
<b>IS THE COURSE OFFERED TO ERASMUS STUDENTS</b>		YES	
<b>COURSE WEBSITE (URL)</b>		<a href="https://www.dept.aueb.gr/en/stat/content/simulation-7-ects">https://www.dept.aueb.gr/en/stat/content/simulation-7-ects</a>	

### (2) LEARNING OUTCOMES

<b>Learning outcomes</b>
After successfully completing the course, the students will be able to understand elements of stochastic simulation and implement it on pc.
<b>General Competences</b>

### (3) SYLLABUS

<p>Generating uniform random variables, reductive generators, random number tests, methods of generating random numbers. The inversion method, the rejection method, component method, other methods. Methods for specific distributions. Dispersion reduction techniques and the Monte Carlo integration: Monte Carlo simulation, significance sampling, opposite random variables, control random variables. Generating dependent random variables: ranked sample,</p>
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exponential spaces, multivariate normal distribution, Poisson process, Markov chains, random Markov fields, Gibbs sampler, Particle filtering.

#### (4) TEACHING and LEARNING METHODS - EVALUATION

<b>DELIVERY</b> <i>Face-to-face, Distance learning, etc.</i>	Face-to-face	
<b>USE OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY</b>	YES	
<b>TEACHING METHODS</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Semester workload</b>
	Lectures	55
	Studying and Analyzing Bibliography	30
	Tutorial	40
	Project	25
	Assignment	25
	<b>Course Total</b>	<b>175</b>
<b>STUDENT PERFORMANCE EVALUATION</b>	Assignment: 40% Written Assignment (Project): 60%  Information is available at eclass	

#### (5) ATTACHED BIBLIOGRAPHY

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