

MODULE DESCRIPTOR

Module Title

Advanced Artificial Intelligence

Reference	CM4107	Version	5
Created	September 2023	SCQF Level	SCQF 10
Approved	August 2017	SCQF Points	15
Amended	April 2024	ECTS Points	7.5

Aims of Module

To improve understanding of modern artificial intelligence (AI) by learning to code, debug and train machine learning algorithms. Students will learn about the theory as well as the implementation of state-of-the-art supervised and unsupervised algorithms. The module will use popular examples to showcase AI applications in reasoning and decision-making, language understanding, image and activity recognition tasks.

Learning Outcomes for Module

On completion of this module, students are expected to be able to:

- 1 Question the principal theories, concepts and methods used in the development of intelligent systems.
- 2 Conceptualise complex machine learning algorithms.
- 3 Operate a wide range of AI models for real-world problems.
- 4 Argue the importance of data quality and awareness of ethics and transparency issues related to AI.
- 5 Critique relevant literature in AI.

Indicative Module Content

Fundamentals of logic, reasoning and machine learning. Supervised and unsupervised machine learning including neural nets, support vector machines, decision trees, probabilistic learning, instance-based learners, metric learning and clustering algorithms. Real-World Applications for instance in the areas of classification, Image analysis, Natural language understanding.

Module Delivery

Key concepts are introduced and illustrated through lectures and directed reading. The understanding of students is tested and further enhanced through interactive tutorials. In the laboratories, the student will progress through a sequence of exercises to develop sufficient knowledge and skills in Artificial Intelligence.

Indicative Student Workload

	Full Time	Part Time
Contact Hours	30	N/A
Non-Contact Hours	120	N/A
Placement/Work-Based Learning Experience [Notional] Hours	N/A	N/A
TOTAL	150	N/A
<i>Actual Placement hours for professional, statutory or regulatory body</i>		

ASSESSMENT PLAN

If a major/minor model is used and box is ticked, % weightings below are indicative only.

Component 1

Type:	Coursework	Weighting:	100%	Outcomes Assessed:	1, 2, 3, 4, 5
Description:	A coursework based on a case study and critical analysis.				

MODULE PERFORMANCE DESCRIPTOR**Explanatory Text**

The student must achieve a D in C1.

Module Grade	Minimum Requirements to achieve Module Grade:
A	The student must achieve an A in C1.
B	The student must achieve a B in C1.
C	The student must achieve a C in C1.
D	The student must achieve a D in C1.
E	The student must achieve an E in C1.
F	The student must achieve an F in C1.
NS	Non-submission of work by published deadline or non-attendance for examination

Module Requirements

Prerequisites for Module	CM3038 Artificial Intelligence For Problem Solving or equivalent.
Corequisites for module	None.
Precluded Modules	None.

INDICATIVE BIBLIOGRAPHY

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