

ROMANIAN ACADEMY**School of Advanced Studies of the Romanian Academy (SCOSAAR)****BRIEF COURSE DESCRIPTION: „PARALLEL AND DISTRIBUTED COMPUTING” 2022****1. Programme information**

1.1 Department	Doctoral School of Engineering Sciences, Mechanics and Computer Science
1.2 Institution	Romanian Academy
1.3 Field of study	Computers and Information Technology
1.4 Study cycle	Doctoral studies

2. Course information

2.1 Course title	Parallel and Distributed Computing						
2.2 Course instructor	C.S. I Dr. Cristian Sminchişescu						
2.3 Seminar instructor	C.S. I Dr. Cristian Sminchişescu						
2.4 Laboratory instructor							
2.5 Year of study	I	2.6 Semester	I	2.7 Type of assessment	E*	2.8 Course category	DF**

3. Estimated total time (hours per semester of teaching activities)

3.1 Number of hours per week	4	Of which:					
3.2 lecture	2	3.3 seminar	2	3.4 laboratory		0	
3.5 Total hours in the curriculum	56	Of which:					
3.6 lecture	28	3.7 seminar	28	3.8 laboratory		0	
Allocation of time:							hours
Study based on textbook, course materials, bibliography and notes							60
Additional study in the library, on specialized electronic platforms and in the field							100
Preparation for seminars/laboratories, assignments, reports, portfolios and essays							100
Tutoring							55
Examinations							4
Other activities:							—
3.9 Total individual study hours	319						
3.10 Total hours per semester	375						
3.11 Number of credits	15						

4. Learning outcomes and specific competencies acquired

1. Mastery of the material taught in the course;
2. Ability to use the presented results in new contexts;
3. The knowledge and skills acquired in this course will provide a foundation for future scientific research and teaching activities.

5. Assessment

Type of activity	5.1 Assessment criteria	5.2 Assessment methods	5.3 Weight in final grade
5.4 Lecture	Acquired knowledge	Written examination	65%
5.5 Seminar	Activity	Case study presentations	35%
5.6 Laboratory			
5.7 Minimum performance standard: Knowledge of 70% of the information contained in the course			

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*E = Examination. C = Colloquium.

**DF = Fundamental Course. DS = Specialized Course.