

General information	
Academic subject	Informatics
Degree course	Science and Management of Maritime Activities
Academic Year	II
European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System (ECTS)	9
Language	italian
Academic calendar (starting and ending date)	II semester
Attendance	

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Syllabus	
Learning Objectives	acquire the skills necessary for the autonomous use of computer systems of common use and software resources made available and implement the skills related to the development of Computational Thinking.
Course prerequisites	
Contents	<p><i>Theoretical part</i></p> <p><i>Part I Hardware</i></p> <p><i>What is a computer?</i></p> <p><i>Bits and bytes. The representation of information</i></p> <p><i>Analog and digital</i></p> <p><i>Conversion from analog to digital</i></p> <p><i>Bit, byte and binary</i></p> <p><i>Computer architecture</i></p> <p><i>The main memory</i></p> <p><i>The processor</i></p> <p><i>Secondary memory</i></p> <p><i>Input / output devices</i></p> <p><i>Part II Software</i></p> <p><i>Operating systems</i></p> <p><i>How an operating system works</i></p> <p><i>Other operating systems</i></p> <p><i>File system</i></p> <p><i>Applications</i></p> <p><i>Part III Communications</i></p> <p><i>Networks</i></p> <p><i>Local and Ethernet networks</i></p> <p><i>Internet</i></p> <p><i>An overview on the Internet</i></p> <p><i>Domain names and addresses</i></p> <p><i>TCP / IP protocols</i></p>

	<p><i>Copyright on the Internet</i>  <i>The Internet of Things</i>  <i>The World Wide Web</i>  <i>How the Web Works</i>  <i>Cookies</i>  <i>Active content on web pages</i>  <i>Viruses, worms and trojans</i>  <i>Web security</i>  <i>How to defend yourself</i>  <i>Data and information</i>  <i>Research</i>  <i>Tracking</i>  <i>Social network</i>  <i>I cloud computing</i>  <i>Privacy and security</i>  <i>Encryption</i>  <i>Anonymity</i>  <i>How to defend against tracking</i>  <i>Practical part</i>  <i>Introduction to computational thinking</i>  <i>Basic exercises for developing programming skills</i>  <i>Flowchart</i>  <i>Pseudocoding.</i></p>
<b>Books and bibliography</b>	<i>Brian W. Kernighan, Informatica. Orientarsi nel labirinto digitale – Egea, 2019</i>
<b>Additional materials</b>	

<b>Work schedule</b>			
Total	Lectures	Hands on (Laboratory, working groups, seminars, field trips)	Out-of-class study hours/ Self-study hours
<b>Hours</b>			
225	72		153
<b>ECTS 6</b>			
<b>Teaching strategy</b>		<i>Frontal lessons</i>	
<b>Expected learning outcomes</b>			
<b>Knowledge and understanding on:</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Know the fundamental concepts for a wise use of ICT technologies in the company.</li> </ul>	
<b>Applying knowledge and understanding on:</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Autonomy in decisions about the right software / service to be used in the company</li> </ul>	
<b>Soft skills</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Autonomy of judgment</i></li> <li>• <i>Show that you have acquired autonomy of judgment on the choices in relation to the design of a Company Information System.</i></li> <li>• <i>Communication skills</i></li> <li>• <i>Show to be able to communicate in an appropriate way the technical characteristics of a Company Information System.</i></li> </ul>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Ability to learn independently</i></li> <li>• <i>Show that you have developed the ability to independently learn further insights on topics relating to ICT resources that can be used in Company Information Systems.</i></li> </ul>
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<b>Assessment and feedback</b>	
Methods of assessment	<i>written exam</i>
Evaluation criteria	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Knowledge and understanding:</li> <li>• Show that you have developed the ability to independently learn further insights on topics relating to ICT resources that can be used in Company Information Systems.</li> <li>• Applied knowledge and understanding:</li> <li>• Show that they have developed the ability to independently apply the concepts relating to ICT resources that can be used in Company Information Systems.</li> <li>• Autonomy of judgment:</li> <li>• Show that you have developed evaluation skills in real contexts</li> <li>• Communication skills:</li> <li>• Show that you have developed the ability to communicate what you have learned in a clear and rigorous way.</li> <li>• Ability to learn:</li> <li>• Show that you have acquired a learning methodology</li> </ul>
Criteria for assessment and attribution of the final mark	<i>The results obtained, of all the expected learning criteria, will be evaluated through appropriate questions included in the exams.</i>
<b>Additional information</b>	