







Advanced Information Systems and Business Analytics for Air Transportation

Introduction to the Course

M.Sc. Air Transport Management






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Course materials

- No main textbook: most course material is new!
- Materials from following textbooks will be used in some of the analytics lectures:
 -  Saxena and Srinivasan, Business Analytics: A Practitioner's Guide, 2013, Springer
 -  Kantdarzic, Data Mining: Concepts, Models, Methods and Algorithms, 2011, Wiley
- All materials posted on the course website and available in the course pack
 -  Syllabus
 -  Class slides, notes
 -  Cases

Academic assessment

Project	30%	Application of IT/IS
Case Study	10%	Data in Excel
Final Exam	50%	3 hrs
Participation	10%	Engage, quality of contribution
Working in teams		3-4 people per team
<i>Ad hoc</i> Homework		Important for applying concepts

Learning objectives

- What is IT/IS?
 - ✈ The role of IT/IS
 - ✈ IT/IS in aviation
 - GDS, RM
 - Operations
 - Maintenance, etc.
 - ✈ Developing IS
- What is data analytics?
 - ✈ Analytics in Excel and other software
 - ✈ Aviation cases
 - ✈ Forecasting, simulations
 - ✈ Optimization
 - ✈ Machine learning
 - ✈ Visualization
- Application
 - ✈ Develop/propose an IS/Analytics solution

