IMADA Teaching Committee in Data Science

Time and place: 2 November 2023, 12:30-14:00, Pavillion 3, C4VDS Meeting Room
Participants: Stefan Jänicke (SJ), Birgit Debrabant (BD), Johanne Kirkmand (JK)

Topics

1. Approval of the agenda

2. News from the Teaching Coordination Group

3. NAT courses for Data Science

4. Human informatics profile

5. DS in Kolding

6. Any other business

1   Approval of the agenda

- agenda approved

- BD takes notes, SJ consolidates minutes

2   News from the Teaching Coordination Group

- 30% of NAT master/kandidat degrees will in future follow the business-oriented masters degree (75ECTS instead of 120ECTS)

- when courses are discontinued, still three exam attempts need to be possible

- Re-exam period in spring: Pharmacy proposes to reserve the week after Easter for re-examination **Feedback:** The DS TC supports the idea to do this for the whole faculty.

- Choice of electives: too much freedom in choice of electives - so the administration requests a reduced drop-down menu. **Concern:** courses on the list have a benefit of being chosen more often compared to other courses that e.g. have never been offered

3 NAT courses for Data Science

- the suitability of courses from LSUL for DS students is discussed:

- we decide to include the courses NAT817 (Oral Science Communication) and NAT818 (Project management ín Science)

- we decide to not include NAT805 (Fagdidaktik, fag og fagsamspil i naturvidenskab) that is designed for teachers

- **Task:** NAT817 and NAT818 will be added to the list of elective courses in the studieordning

4 Human informatics profile

- HUM lacks resources to teach DS819 (Data driven applications) and DS838 (Web development)

- targeted offer is: DS838 in spring (2nd semester) and DS819 in fall (3rd semester)

- IMADA offers to take over DS838, HUM tries to cover DS819

5 DS in Kolding

- Tina Ellehuus Larsen requests videos (from the current DS-degree) – SJ gives access to corresponding Teams-group

- For the new DS degree in Kolding: we consider to implement some changes compared to the Odense-DS-curriculum - wait for approval of Kolding DS before concretizing

- Consider extending the DS-committee by a new member to cover Kolding DS

6 Any other business

- Comments from JK: Students from ICT profile not too happy about constitutent electives – Maybe evaluating the profiles at the end of the study

- Comments from BD: Might consider some measures to increase communication amongst teachers of DS-degree, especially those from non-IMADA profiles - will be discussed further later.

- SJ reports that Marie Rosenfeldt Zibrandtsen decided to leave TC, she offered to participate in the study evaluation

- Next Meeting: 1 December 2024, 9:30-11:00