

# M AP-i 2013-14: Academic Calendar and Timetable

September 24, 2013

## Academic Calendar 2013-14

**Opening** : Doctoral Symposium: 10-11 October.

- 10 October, 11h: Invited Lecture, Opening Session, Lunch
- 11 October: 9h: Introduction to the MAP-i Courses for 2013-14 (see below)

### Classes and breaks

- **1st Semester:** 10/10/2013 - 22/02/2014  
The 1st Semester is divided in two blocks of 8 lecturing weeks. Each Curricular Unit will run along one of these blocks with 4 lecturing hours per week.
  - **1st Block:** 14/10/2013 - 6/12/2013
  - **2nd Block:** 9/12/2013 - 14/2/2014
  - **1st Semester Exams:** 17/2/2014 - 22/2/2014
- **2nd Semester:** 24/2/2014 - 13/6/2014
- Christmas break: 23/12/2013 - 4/1/2014
- Easter break: 14/4/2014 a 22/4/2014

### Thesis Selection Procedure

- 24/01/2014: Thesis proposals published
- 7/2/2014: Student's selection and application
- 21/2/2014: Selection approval and nomination of tutoring team

### MAP-i Doctoral Symposium (attendance is mandatory for all students)

- 15/7/2014: Progress Report submission - all but 1st year students (strict deadline)
- 15/7/2014: Pre-thesis submission - 1st year students (strict deadline)
- 25-26/9/2014: MAP-i Doctoral Symposium

### February Pre-thesis assessment (for specific cases)

- 24/1/2014: Pre-thesis submission (strict deadline)
- 17-21/2/2014: Pre-thesis public discussion

## 1st Semester: Course structure and timetable

Courses will take place at Departamento de Informática (Universidade do Minho, Campus de Gualtar, Braga) according to the following timetable (scheduling may change slightly on the completion of the course selection procedure by October, 11).

### 1st Block (14/10/2013 - 6/12/2013)

Hours	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
09.00 - 13:00	<b>P: KDD</b> (DI-A2)      - (DI-A2)	<b>P: STAQE</b> (DI-A2) <b>T: ABI</b> (DI-A2)	Seminar
14.00 - 18:00	<b>T: IRO</b> (DI-A2) <b>F: DCO</b> (DI-A2)	<b>F: AA</b> (DI-A2) <b>T: CVI</b> (DI-A2)	Seminar

### 2nd Block (09/12/2013 - 14/02/2014)

Hours	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
09.00 - 13:00	<b>F: CIS</b> (DI-A2)      - (DI-A2)	<b>P: DWS</b> (DI-A2) <b>P: SCAM</b> (DI-A2)	Seminar
14.00 - 18:00	<b>P: MMC</b> (DI-A2) <b>T: ICS</b> (DI-A2)	<b>F: ACMSD</b> (DI-A2) <b>T: CGR</b> (DI-A2)	Seminar

### P, F & T: Elective courses offered in 2013-14

#### P - Computing Paradigms

**DWS** - Data Warehousing Systems  
**KDD** - Knowledge Discovery from Data Bases  
**MMC** - Multi-Core and Many-Core Computing  
**SCAM** - Source Code Analysis and Manipulation  
**STAQE** - Software Test Automation and Quality Engineering

#### F - Theory and Foundations

**AA** - Automata and Applications  
**ACMSD** - Algebraic and Coalgebraic Methods in Software Development  
**CIS** - Cryptography and Information Security

**DCO** - Distributed Computing

**T - Information Technologies**

**ABI** - Adaptive Business Intelligence

**CGR** - Computer Graphics

**CVI** - Computer Vision

**IRO** - Intelligent Robotics

**ICS** - Interactive Computing Systems

<b>Introduction to Elective Courses</b>
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MAP-i academic activities start on October 10, at 11h.

In the following day, 11 October, at 9h, there will be a brief presentation of all elective courses offered in 2013-14. Full descriptions of each course are already available from the MAP-i webpage.

By the end of the day, each student is expected to report on her/his preferences choosing 1 course in each of the three areas (Foundations, Paradigms and Technologies) plus a fourth one in *any* of those areas (which corresponds to 4 slots). In case a student is unable to participate in this session, she/he should communicate to [mapi@map.edu.pt](mailto:mapi@map.edu.pt) her/his preferences (providing an ordered list of 3 courses for each of the four slots) until October, 11th.

Formal lectures will start on Monday, October 14th.

09:00	<b>Welcome and general course information</b>
	<b>Computing Paradigms</b>
09:20	<b>DWS:</b> <i>Data Warehousing Systems</i>
09:30	<b>KDD:</b> <i>Knowledge Discovery from Data Bases</i>
09:40	<b>MMC:</b> <i>Multi-Core and Many-Core Computing</i>
09:50	<b>SCAM:</b> <i>Source Code Analysis and Manipulation</i>
10:00	<b>STAQE:</b> <i>Software Test Automation and Quality Engineering</i>
	<b>Theory and Foundations</b>
10:10	<b>AA:</b> <i>Automata and Applications</i>
10:20	<b>ACMSD:</b> <i>Algebraic and Coalgebraic Methods in Software Development</i>
10:30	<b>CIS:</b> <i>Cryptography and Information Security</i>
10:40	<b>DCO:</b> <i>Distributed Computing</i>
	<b>Information Technologies</b>
10:50	<b>ABI:</b> <i>Adaptative Business Intelligence</i>
11:00	<b>CGR:</b> <i>Computer Graphics</i>
11:10	<b>CVI:</b> <i>Computer Vision</i>
11:20	<b>IRO:</b> <i>Intelligent Robotics</i>
11:30	<b>ICS:</b> <i>Interactive Computing Systems</i>

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