INF121:
Functional Algorithmic and Programming
Lecture 0: general information

Academic Year 2014 - 2015

Practical information

Lecture sessions:

- Frederic Bouquet
- Wednesday, 8am - 9:30am

Exercise sessions (TD):

- Laurent Mounier
- Thursday, 5:00pm - 6:30pm

Practice sessions (TP):

- Laurent Mounier
- Wednesday, 1:30pm - 4:45pm

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Practical information
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Web pages:

- http://www-verimag.imag.fr/~mounier/
  Enseignement/INF121/
- http://inf121.github.io/

Meetings are possible (on appointment)

Each week:

- ▶ 1 Lecture session (Courses): 1h30 in B006
- ▶ 1 Exercise session (TD): 1h30 in D103
- ▶ 1 Practice session (TP): 1H30 in A102
- ▶ A lot of Personal Work:
    - ▶ 1 Practice session on your own
      (finishing practical assignments, project, . . .)
    - ▶ Autonomous Work

Teaching Material

- Lecture Notes (slide handouts)
- Exercise and Machine dev
- Website
- OCaml interpreter

> DEMO: command-line & online: `http://tinyurl.com/ocamltop`

- References

Assessment
continuous

- Quicks
- Mid-term exam (week 8)
- Project
- Final Exam

Final Grade $= 60\%.$Final Exam $+ 20\%.$CC1 $+ 20\%.$CC2

CC1$=$ $40\%.TP + Quicks + 60\%.Project$

CC2$=$ Midterm Exam

Some Advice
Sounds naive but they are the key to your success

Pay attention in the lectures: *Never get out of a lecture room without having an understanding of everything. Exercise sessions are not purposed to understand the lectures but to practice*

Ask questions: *If you have a question, at least two of your fellows have the same question*

Work hard and on a regular basis: *Thinking that you can assimilate the content one week before the exam is illusory*

Don't hesitate to contact me if you are lost on something:

- *I am available and willing to help*

Don't get lost in the middle of the semester / Never give up

"*I hear, I forget,*
I see, I remember,
I do, I understand"
Confucius

References

- Guy Cousineau et Michel Mauny. *Approche fonctionnelle de la programmation*. Ediscience (Collection Informatique), Paris, 1995, ISBN 2-84074-114-8.
- Emmanuel Chailloux, Pascal Manoury et Bruno Pagano. *Développement d'applications avec Objective Caml*. Editions O'Reilly, Paris, 2000, ISBN 2-84177-121-0.
- Xavier Leroy et Pierre Weis. *Manuel de référence du langage Caml*. InterEditions, Paris, 1993, ISBN 2-7296-0492-8. Version electronique
- Ocaml Inria web site
- Ocaml Reference Manual
- Ocaml Interpreter (online or not)
- Programming Conventions in Ocaml:
  - http://caml.inria.fr/resources/doc/guides/guidelines.fr.html
  - http://www.seas.upenn.edu/~cis500/cis500-f06/resources/programming_style.html

Lecture Agenda
4 main parts

- ► Types, expressions, functions
- ► Recursion
- ► Lists
- ► Polymorphism
- ► Higher-order (functions)
- ► Tree-based Structures

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