Master of Science on Engineering Technologies for Strategy and Security, Modelling, Simulation, Data Analysis, AI/IA for Strategies on Operations and Systems

Course: Advanced Methods of Monitoring and Design of Systems
SSD ING-IND/09

Credits: 4

Schedule & Timetable:

Schedule 1st Year, 1st Semester
2 Lectures (3 and 2 hours) per week for 8 weeks, Timetable To be Finalized (TBF)

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Education Objectives:
Foundation on Design under Uncertainty. Transfer of knowledge about design under uncertainty and its methodologies. Transfer of capabilities to model and design energy systems when uncertainties are considered. Acquisition of skills in statistics. Acquisition of skills in combining uncertainty quantification method with optimization methods. Acquisition of skills in data driven monitoring.
Course Program & Elements:

Introduction to statistics. Definition of the main statistician parameters and statistical analysis.

Uncertainty quantification subject: motivation, different kind of uncertainties, possible methodologies to be applied, Monte Carlo method, response sensitivity analysis, polynomial chaos, design of experiment, response surface methodology, backward and forward analysis.

Robust design subject: fundamentals, optimization algorithm, combination with uncertainty quantification method.

Data-Driven Approaches for Industrial Process Monitoring: multivariate statistical approaches as Principal Component Analysis (PCA), Partial Least Square (PLS) and perspective on the dynamic extension of such methodologies. Statistical Classifiers: Bayes classifier, Neural Network.

Example of modelling of energy systems: application of uncertainty quantification methods to several case studied, from simple one to real systems.

Example of design of energy systems: case studied related to a real industrial field.

Simulation in Matlab/Simulink environment.

Simulation with Design Expert.

Teaching Approach:

Frontal Lectures presenting Theory and practical application of Methodologies of monitoring. Individual and Team Work Exercises in developing models and methodologies to be tested at simulation level.

Evaluation and Final Exam:

Final Exam will be carried out by Oral Exam including review of the exercised performed during the course.

Time Zone:

*Italy (CET), GMT+1*
Prerequisites:

The Course does not require specific prerequisites, being accessible to University students with a background equivalent to those provided by the general educational objectives of all three-year university degree in classes of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Information Engineering, and Industrial Engineering.

References

- Ralph C. Smith (2013) "Uncertainty Quantification: Theory, Implementation, and Applications"