

## COURSE DETAIL

### SIMULATION

**Country**

Sweden

**Host Institution**

Lund University

**Program(s)**

Lund University

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Computer Science

**UCEAP Course Number**

148

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

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**UCEAP Transcript Title**

SIMULATION

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

## Course Description

The purpose of the course is to introduce discrete event simulation, basic optimization approaches, and heuristic methods such as simulated annealing, tabu search, and evolutionary algorithms. The course begins by studying discrete event simulation. Students learn to write process-oriented and event-scheduling simulation programs in general programming languages. Estimation of accuracy, random number generation, methods for studying rare events, verification and validation are also covered. The next topic covered is optimization techniques. Linear programs (LP) and the simplex algorithm are studied. This is followed by integer programming (IP) and Mixed Integer Programming (MIP), the relation between IP and LP, and the branch-and-bound method for IP. Finally, heuristic and meta-heuristic methods for combinatorial optimization problems are viewed as optimization through simulation. The local search and its most common variations are explained along with the Monte Carlo techniques.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

EITN95

## Host Institution Course Title

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## Host Institution Course Details

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## Host Institution Campus

Engineering

## Host Institution Faculty

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

Engineering - Electrical and Information Technology

**Course Last Reviewed**

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