Master’s Degree Programme
Computer Science

Revised 13 October 2017
Structure of Master’s Degree Programme

- Specialization:
  - Two 30 ECTS specializations

- Elective:
  - Recommendation is a 3rd specialization.
  - A small number of elective courses in computer science is offered in addition to specializations. Project work (partly) is also a possibility.
  - Elective courses may be supportive rather than core computer science, e.g. extra mathematics courses.
  - There may be requirements for the composition of the study program in connection with possible admission. In this case mandatory courses replace the elective courses (partly).

- Thesis: Written within the area of specialization 1 or 2
Current specializations

- Specializations are taught by active researchers in the corresponding field

- Current offerings
  - Algorithmics (30 ECTS)
  - Cryptology (30 ECTS)
  - Human-computer Interaction (30 ECTS)
  - Programming Languages (30 ECTS)
  - Ubiquitous Computing and Interaction (30 ECTS)
  - Bioinformatics (30 ECTS)

- For more than a single specialization in bioinformatics apply for the special Master’s Degree Programme in Bioinformatics
Algorithmics

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<td>1st Sem (Fall)</td>
<td>Computational Geometry: Theory and Experimentation (10 ECTS)</td>
<td>LA + PA</td>
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<td>Advanced Data Structures (10 ECTS)</td>
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<td>Theory of Algorithms and Computational Complexity (10 ECTS)</td>
<td>KAH + TDH</td>
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- Semesters have progression
  - First semester is prerequisite for second semester
  - Third semester may be replaced with Advanced Data Management and Analysis (10 ECTS) from the Data-intensive Systems group

Algorithms and Data Structures
- Lars Arge
- Gerth Stølting Brodal
- Peyman Afshani
- Kasper Green Larsen
- Kristoffer Arnsfelt Hansen
- Thomas Dueholm Hansen
Cryptology

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<td>Cryptology (10 ECTS)</td>
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<td>Cryptographic Computing (10 ECTS)</td>
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  - First semester is prerequisite for the other semesters
  - Second and third semester can be taken in any order

Cryptography and Security
- Ivan Bjerre Damgård
- Jesper Buus Nielsen
- Claudio Orlandi
Human-Computer Interaction

| 1st Sem (Fall) | Interactivity and Computer Mediation – Concepts, Theories, Methods, Cases (10 ECTS) | SB |
| 2nd Sem (Spring) | Designing Interactive Technologies (10 ECTS) | SB |
| 3rd Sem (Fall) | Multimodal Interaction (10 ECTS) | EH |

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  - First or third semester is prerequisite for the second semester

Computer Mediated Activity
- Susanne Bødker
- Olav Bertelsen
- Eve Hoggan

Use, Design and Innovation
- Morten Kyng
## Programming Languages

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<td>1st Sem (Fall)</td>
<td>Program Analysis and Verification (10 ECTS)</td>
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<td>Anders Møller, Michael Schwartzbach</td>
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<td>Language-based Security (10 ECTS)</td>
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### Programming Languages
- Anders Møller
- Michael Schwartzbach

### Logic and Semantics
- Lars Birkedal
- Aslan Askarov
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<td>Building the Internet of Things with P2P and Cloud Computing (10 ECTS)</td>
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- 3rd semester (taught from 2018 onwards) may be part of the Algorithmics specialization

**Ubiqitous Computing and Interaction**
- Kaj Grønbæk
- Niels Olof Bouvin
- Marianne Graves Petersen
- Jo Vermeulen

**Data-intensive Systems**
- Ira Assent
- Panagiotis Karras
Specializations from Master’s degree Programme in Bioinformatics (offered by Bioinformatics Research Centre)

Contact: Christian Storm Pedersen — Thomas Mailund—

### Algorithms and Programming

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### Statistics and Data

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For more info about the Master's program in bioinformatics, see [http://www.birc.au.dk/Studies](http://www.birc.au.dk/Studies)
Elective Courses (CS)

- Elective courses (apart from specialisations) offered in Computer Science in 2017/18:

  - Fall
    - First 7 weeks: Science-based IT Entrepreneurship and Innovation (5 ECTS)
    - Last 7 weeks: Context Awareness (5 ECTS)
    - Machine Learning (10 ECTS) (bachelor course)

  - Fall & Spring:
    - Project work in Computer Science (5 or 10 ECTS)

  - Summer
    - (30 July - 17 August 2018): Identity and Privacy (5 ECTS)
Guidance/Questions

- Guidance for your personal study program?
- Questions about rules for composition of the study program?

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- Gerth Stølting Brodal