



COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

Faculty	Science and Information Technology				
Department	Software Engineering	NQF level	6		
Course Title	System Analysis and Design	Code	503381	Prerequisite	
Credit Hours	3	Theory	3	Practical	0
Course Leader	Dr. Arwa Zabian	email	arwa@jadara.edu.jo		
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Lecture time	1.00-2.30	Classroom	Distance learning		
Semester	Second	Production		Updated	2020-2021
Awards	Bachelor Degree	Attendance	Fulltime		

Short Description

This course introduces established and evolving methodologies for the analysis, design, and development of an information system. Emphasis is placed on system characteristics, managing projects, prototyping, CASE/OOM tools, and system development life cycle phases. Upon completion, students should be able to analyze a problem and design appropriate solution using a combination of tools and techniques.

Course Objectives

Upon completion of this course, students should be able to:
 Understand what does mean system and its components
 Analyze any existent system, define the system components
 Identify the requirements needed for any system
 Define the relationships between the system components, design new systems and implements their plans

Learning Outcomes

A. Knowledge - Theoretical Understanding

a1: Define and describe the five phases of the system development life (K1)
 a2: How systems analysts interact with users, management, and other information systems professionals (K3)

B. Knowledge - Practical Application

a3: Develop data flow diagrams and decision tables (K4)

C. Skills - Generic Problem Solving and Analytical Skills

b1: Take part in solving a wide range of problems related to the analysis, design and construction of information systems (S1)

D. Skills - Communication, ICT, and Numeracy

E. Competence: Autonomy, Responsibility, and Context
Teaching and Learning Methods
Distance Learning
Assessment Methods
By quizzes, home works and exams

Course Contents					
Week	Hours	CLOs	Topics	Teaching & Learning Methods	Assessment Methods
1,2	6	a1	System analysis fundamentals , system role and development methodologies	Distance learning	quiz
3,4	6	a2	Understanding and modeling organizational systems , use case modeling , UML methodology	Distance learning	quiz
5	3	a1	Project management	Distance learning	assignment
6	3	a1	Information gathering :interactive methods, interviewing , JAD, using questionnaires	Distance learning	quiz
7	3	a3, a1, a2	System development models waterfall, big-bang , V-model, incremental , iterative, spiral prototype	Distance learning	Mid Term
8	3	a3	Agile modelling and prototyping	Distance learning	quiz
9	3	a3	The analysis process: using data flow diagrams	Distance learning	quiz
10	3	b1	Process specification and structured decisions	Distance learning	
11	3	b1	Object oriented system analysis and design using UML	Distance learning	Project (if possible)
12 13	6	b1	designing accurate data entry procedure	Distance learning	
14 15	6	b1	quality assurance and implementation	Distance learning	
16	2	a1,a2, a3,b1	Final exam	Online exam	Final exam

Infrastructure	
Textbook	System Analysis and Design, Kenneth E. Kendall, Julie E Kendall, Pearson, 2017, 10th
References	ISBN-10: 0-273-78710-1
Required reading	
Electronic materials	Available on : http://elearning.jadara.edu.jo/CourseContent/index/10765/
Other	

Assessment Method		Grade				
			a1	a2	a3	b1
First (Midterm)		30	10	10	10	
Second (if applicable)						
Final Exam		50	10	10	10	20
Coursework		20	5	5	5	5
Coursework assessment methods	Assignments					5
	Case study					
	Discussion and interaction					
	Group work activities					
	Lab tests and assignments					
	Presentations					
	Quizzes	20	5	5	5	
Total		100	25	25	25	25

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