

# Software architecture

## Study guide

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## 1.1 Presentation

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This document contains a list of contents for the Software architecture course (https://arquisoft.github.io/) with some annotations.

The goal of this document is to contain a guide of the contents given in the course which can facilitate its search. It also contains some references or annotations for further reading.

In each lesson we include a link to the slides in English and Spanish. The web page also contains the video recordings of the lecture classes.

The content that appears in blue color is content that has not been taught in the 2020-21 course.

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## 1.2 Software Architecture – definitions

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- What is architecture?
- Vitruvius "De architectura"

Firmitas (Durability)

Utilitas (Utility)

Venustas (Elegance/Beauty)

- What is software architecture?
  - Formal definition ISO/IEC/IEEE 42010:2011
  - Popular definition
  - Other definitions
- Buildings vs Software architecture
  - o Similarities and differences
- Other disciplines which are similar
  - o Civil engineering, mechanical engineering, aeronautics
- Other architectures
  - o Business, enterprise, systems, information, data...
  - o Common thing: Structure and vision
- Architecture vs design
- Benefits of software architecture
- Challenges of software architecture
- Laws of software architecture
  - o 1st law: Everything is a trade-off
  - o 2nd law: Why is more important than how
- Agile software architecture
- Architecture drivers (inputs)
  - Design objectives
- Different systems
- Functional requirements
- Quality attributes
- Constraints
- Concerns
- Method vs creativity
- Types of systems
  - o Greenfield systems in novel domains
  - o Greenfield in a mature domains
  - Brownfield



## 1.3 communicating software architecture

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More info: (Clements et al., 2010)

- 1.3.1.1 Architecture is more than code
- 1.3.1.2 Goal of documentation
- 1.3.1.3 Documentation requirements
- 1.3.1.4 Rules for good documentation
- 1.3.1.5 Problem vs solution space
- 1.3.1.6 Views and viewpoints

More info: (Clements et al., 2010)

- 1.3.1.7 Documenting views
- 1.3.1.8 Tools for diagrams

More info: (Brown, 2018)

- 1.3.1.8.1 Sketches
- 1.3.1.8.2 Drawing tools for diagrams
- 1.3.1.8.3 Text-based diagramming tools
- 1.3.1.8.4 Modeling tools
- 1.3.1.8.5 Reverse engineering the model
- 1.3.1.8.6 Architecture description languages (ADL)
- 1.3.1.9 Software architecture templates and methodologies
- 1.3.1.9.1 Kruchten 4+1
  - Logical view
  - Development view
  - Process view
  - Physical view
  - Scenarios view



### 1.3.1.9.2 Views and beyond More info: (Clements et al., 2010)

#### 1.3.1.9.3 C4 model

#### 1.3.1.9.4 Arc42

- Introduction and goals
- ConstraintsContext & scope
- Solution strategy
- Building block view
- Runtime view
- Deployment view
- Crosscutting concernsArchitectural decisions
- Quality requirements
- Risks and technical debt
- Glossary

#### Architecturally evident coding style 1.3.1.10

More info: (Fairbanks, 2010)



## 1.4 Role of Software architect and stakeholders

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#### 1.4.1 Role of software architect

#### 1.4.1.1 Expectations of an architect

- Make architectural decisions
- Continually analyse the architecture
- Keep current with existing trends
- o Ensure compliance with existing decisions
- Diverse exposure and experience
- o Have business domain knowledge
- o Possess interpersonal skills
- Understand and navigate politics

### 1.4.1.2 Working in teams

More info: (Winters et al., 2020)

#### 1.4.1.2.1 Social interactions

- Hiding and The Genius myth
- The Bus factor
- The 3 pillars of social interactions
  - Respect
  - o Trust
  - Humility

#### 1.4.1.2.2 Architect personalities

More info: (Richards & Ford, 2020)

- Control freak vs Armchair architect
- 3 legs of software architect
  - o Skill
  - Leadership
  - Impact

#### 1.4.1.3 Team topologies

More info: (Matthew Skelton, 2019)

#### 1.4.1.3.1 Conway's law

#### 1.4.1.3.2 Inverse Conway Maneuver

#### 1.4.1.4 Team size

- Process loss
- Pluralistic ignorance
- Diffusion of responsibility



## 1.4.1.5 Leveraging checklists

More info: (Gawande, 2011)

## 1.4.2 Stakeholders

- 1.4.2.1 Identifying stakeholders
- 1.4.2.2 Stakeholders' expectations
- 1.4.2.3 Stakeholder map
- 1.4.2.4 Business goal statements



## 1.5 Quality attributes/architecture characteristics

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## 1.5.1 Types of requirements

- 1.5.1.1 Functional requirements
- 1.5.1.2 Quality attribute requirements
  Also known as: Non-functional requirements
- 1.5.1.3 What is quality?
- 1.5.1.4 Quality attributes and trade-offs

## 1.5.2 Specifying quality attributes

- 1.5.2.1 Quality attribute scenarios
- 1.5.2.1.1 Components of a quality attribute scenario

  Source, stimulus, artifact, response, response measure, environment



- 1.5.2.1.2 Types of quality attribute scenarios
- 1.5.2.1.3 Prioritizing quality attribute scenarios
- 1.5.2.2 Types of quality attributes
- 1.5.2.2.1 Operational
- 1.5.2.2.2 Structural
- 1.5.2.2.3 Cross-cutting
- 1.5.2.3 Finding quality attributes
- 1.5.2.3.1 Quality attribute workshops
- 1.5.2.3.2 Formal checklists: ISO 25010
- 1.5.2.3.3 Quality attribute tree

## 1.5.3 Measuring quality attributes

- 1.5.3.1.1 Operational measures
- 1.5.3.1.1.1 Absolute numbers vs Statistical models
- 1.5.3.1.1.2 Structural measures

Example: Cyclomatic complexity

- 1.5.3.1.1.3 Process measures
  - Example: Code coverage
- 1.5.3.1.1.4 Governing quality attributes
  - o Fitness functions



## 1.6 Achieving software architecture

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#### 1.6.1 How much architecture?

More info: (Keeling, 2017)

- Total project = Development time + Architecture and risk reduction time + Rework time (fixing defects, rewrites, mistakes)
- Design sweet spot

## 1.6.2 esign concepts

More info: (Keeling, 2017)

- Design thinking
- 4 principles
  - Design for humans
    - All design is social in nature
  - Design for change
    - Architecture minimalism
    - Delay decisions until the least responsible moment
  - Design is redesign
    - Exploring patterns and past designs
  - Make ideas tangible
    - Communicate the architecture
- Adopting a design mindset
  - Understand the problem
  - Explore ideas
  - o Make it real
  - Evaluate fit
- 4 questions of every design (More info: (Berkun, 2020)
  - What are you trying to improve?
  - Who are you trying to improve it for?
  - o How do you ensure you are successful?
  - Who might be hurt by your work, now or in the future?
- MECE (Mutually Exclusive, Collectively Exhaustive) lists
  - More info: (Hewitt, 2018)
  - Wikipedia
- Logic tree, Ishikawa diagram or fishbone diagram, 5 whys
  - Find the root cause

## 1.6.3 ADD: Attribute driven design

- ADD 3.0
- More info: (Humberto Cervantes, 2016)



## 1.6.4 Risk based approach

## 1.6.5 Making decisions

- Record design decisions
  - o Architecture decision records
    - Links
      - https://adr.github.io/
      - https://github.com/joelparkerhenderson/architecture\_decision\_record
  - Architecturally significant decisions
  - o Delay decisions to the least responsible moment

### 1.6.6 Architectural issues

- Risks
  - Risk assessment matrix
  - 2 ways to reduce risks
    - Reduce the probability
    - Reduce the impact
- Unknowns
- Problems
- Technical debt
- · Gaps in understanding
- Architectural erosion
- Contextual drift

#### 1.6.7 Architectures evaluation

- Evaluation ATAM: Architecture Trade-off Analysis Method
- Cost Benefit Analysis Method



## 1.7 Architectural techniques and taxonomies

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### 1.7.1 Definitions

#### 1.7.1.1 Tactics

o More information: (Bass et al., 2012)

### 1.7.1.2 Architectural styles

o Are there pure styles?

### 1.7.1.3 Architectural pattern

#### 1.7.1.4 Pattern vs style

#### 1.7.1.5 Pattern languages and catalogs

## 1.7.1.6 Reuse vs create

#### 1.7.1.6.1 Reference architectures

#### 1.7.1.6.2 Externally developed components

- Technology stacks
- Products
- Application frameworks
- Platforms
- Libraries



### 1.8 Construction and maintenance

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- 1.8.1 Software: product vs service
- 1.8.2 Configuration management
- 1.8.3 Software construction
- 1.8.3.1 Overview of methodologies
- 1.8.3.1.1 Incremental piecemeal
- 1.8.3.1.2 Waterfall
- 1.8.3.1.3 V model
- 1.8.3.1.4 Big design up front
- 1.8.3.1.5 Iterative models
- 1.8.3.1.6 Overview of agile methodologies
  - Adapt change
  - Test-driven development
    - Types of testing:
      - Unit testing, integration, acceptance, performance/capacity, regression testing
      - Manual vs automated
    - Acceptance testing and Behavior driven development
    - FIRST principles
    - Test doubles
    - o Environments: development, testing, production, staging
  - Pair programming and code reviews
  - Simplicity
  - Refactoring
  - Collective ownership of code
  - Continuous integration
    - Best practices for CI
    - Tools
  - On-place customer
  - Continuous delivery
  - Sustainable pace
  - Clean code & code conventions
  - Soma agile methods: Scrum, kanban, etc.

## 1.8.4 Configuration management

Version control



- o Releases and versions
- Version naming
  - Semantic versioning
- Publishing releases
- Continuous delivery
  - Continuous deployment
- DevOps

#### 1.8.5 Construction tools

- Construction languages
- Coding aspects
  - Naming conventions
- Testing
- Construction for reuse
- Construction with reuse
  - COTS
  - o FOSS
- Tools
  - o Text editors, IDEs, GUIs, QA tools
- Quality assurance tools
  - o Tests, assertions, code reviews
  - Code analysis
    - Static vs dynamic code analysis
    - Debuggers
    - Profilers
    - Test-coverage tools
    - Program slicing

### 1.8.6 Control version systems

- Repository, baseline, delta, trunk/master, branch, tag
- Checkout, commit, merge
- Branching styles
- Centralized vs distributed version control systems
- Git
- o Definitions and components

## 1.8.7 Dependency management

- Dependency graph
- Cumulative component dependency (CCD)
- Cyclic dependencies
- Models for dependency management
- DSM Design-structure matrix

## 1.8.8 Build management

- Automation vs manual building
- Types of build automation
- Build automation tools
  - o Make, ant, sbt, gradle, npm
  - o Other tools: pants, bazel, buck



## 1.9 Modularity

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### 1.9.1 Big ball of mud

## 1.9.2 Modularity definitions

Module, interface, body

### 1.9.3 Modularity recommendations

#### 1.9.3.1 SOLID principles

- Single responsibility principle
- Open/Closed principle
- Liskov substitution principle
- Interface segregation principle
- Dependency injection principle

### 1.9.3.2 High Cohesion

Definition of cohesion

#### 1.9.3.2.1 Cohesion principles

More info: (Martin, 2017)

- 1.9.3.2.1.1 Reuse/release equivalent principle (REP)
- 1.9.3.2.1.2 Common reuse principle (CRP)
- 1.9.3.2.1.3 Common closure principle (CCP)
- 1.9.3.2.2 Cohesion metric
- 1.9.3.2.2.1 LCOM (Lack of Common Methods) metric

More info: (Richards & Ford, 2020)

#### 1.9.3.3 Low Coupling

- Coupling principles
  - Acyclic dependencies principle (ADP)
  - Stable dependencies principle (SDP)
  - Stability metrics:
    - fan-in/fan-out, instability
  - Stable abstractions principle (SAP)



## 1.9.3.4 Connascence

#### 1.9.3.5 Robustness principle: Postel's law

#### 1.9.3.6 Demeter's law

#### 1.9.3.7 Fluid interfaces

#### 1.9.3.8 Other modularity recommendations

- Facilitate external configuration
- Default implementation
- GRASP principles
- DRY
- YAGNI, KISS

## 1.9.4 Module systems

- Java: OSGi, Jigsaw
- .Net assemblies
- NodeJs: CommonJs

## 1.9.5 Modularity styles

#### 1.9.5.1 Layers

- Layers ≠ modules
- Layers ≠ tiers
- Variants
  - Virtual machines
  - o 3-layers, n-layers
- Sink-hole antipattern?

#### 1.9.5.2 Aspect Oriented

- Crosscutting features and concerns
- Aspects and aspect weaving
- Applications
- Variants: Data-Context-Interaction

#### 1.9.5.3 Domain based

- Technical vs domain partitioning
- Data models and domain models

#### 1.9.5.3.1 Domain Driven Design

- o Bounded context and ubiquitous language
- o Entities
- Value objects
- Aggregates
- Repositories
- Factories
- Services



- 1.9.5.3.2 Hexagonal architecture
  - Data model
  - Adapters
- 1.9.5.3.3 Clean architecture
  - Entities
  - Use cases
  - Controllers/gateways/presenters
- 1.9.5.3.4 Data centered
  - Semi-automatic generation
- 1.9.5.3.5 Naked objects



## 1.10 Runtime – Basic and Monolith styles

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https://arquisoft.github.io/slides/course2021/ES.ASW.Te10 Comportamiento Monolito.pdf Spanish

1.10.1 Data flow

1.10.1.1 Batch

1.10.1.2 Pipes and filters

Challenges:



**Back**pressure

Resistance or force opposing the desired flow of data through the pipes

See: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I6eZ4ZyI1Zg

1.10.1.2.1 Pipes and filters with uniform interface

1.10.1.2.2 Variants

1.10.1.2.2.1 Flow based programming

Flow based programming

1.10.1.2.2.2 Stream programming

- Example:
  - **Graph DSL from Akka**
- 1.10.1.3 Job organization
- 1.10.1.4 Master-slave
- Interactive systems 1.10.2
- 1.10.2.1 **MVC**

Also known as Model-View-Controller Variants of MVC: MVU (Model-view-update)?

1.10.2.2 PAC

Also known Presentation-Abstraction-Control



Repository 1.10.3 1.10.3.1 Shared data 1.10.3.2 Blackboard TupleSpace 1.10.3.3 Rule based 1.10.4 Invocation 1.10.4.1 Call-return 1.10.4.2 Client-server Variants o Stateless Replicated server With cache Event driven architecture 1.10.5 1.10.5.1 Publish-subscribe 1.10.5.2 Actor models CQRS: Command query responsibility segregation 1.10.5.3 1.10.5.4 **Event sourcing** Event store **Event driver**  Snapshots Adaptable systems 1.10.6 1.10.6.1 **Plugins** 1.10.6.2 Microkernel 1.10.6.3 Reflection

Interpreters and DSLs

DSLs = Domain specific languages

1.10.6.4



## 1.10.6.5 Mobile code

- Code on demand
- Remote evaluation
- Mobile agents
- 1.10.6.6 Cooperation systems



## 1.11 Runtime - Distributed and Big Data systems

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### 1.11.1 Distributed systems

#### 1.11.1.1 Integration styles

1.11.1.1 File transfer

1.11.1.1.2 Shared database

1.11.1.1.2.1 Variants

1.11.1.1.2.1.1 Data warehousing

1.11.1.1.2.1.2 ETL

#### 1.11.1.1.3 Remote procedure call (RPC)

- 8 fallacies of distributed computing
- gRPC

#### 1.11.1.1.4 Messaging

- Asynchronous communication
- Topologies
  - o Hub & spoke
  - o Bus
    - ESB Enterprise Service Bus
    - Message Oriented Middleware (MOM)

#### 1.11.1.2 Broker pattern

- Elements: Broker, Client, Server, Bridge
- Applications: CORBA, Android

#### 1.11.1.3 Peer-to-peer

- Variants: Super-peers
- Applications:
  - Blockchain



### 1.11.1.4 Service Oriented Architectures (SOA)

- Elements:
  - o Provider/consumer
  - Endpoint
  - o Contracts
  - Messages
  - Policies
  - Registries

#### 1.11.1.4.1.1 WS-\*

- SOAP
- WSDL
- UDDI

#### 1.11.1.4.1.2 REST

- Definitions: resources
- RESTful vs RPC hybrid
  - o REST as a composed style
    - Uniform interface
      - MIME types
      - HATEOAS
- REST as a composed style

#### 1.11.1.4.2 Service based architecture

#### 1.11.1.5 Microservices

- Microservices and Conway's law
- Features/advantages
  - Heterogeneity
  - o Resilience
  - Scalability
  - Deployability
  - Organizational alignment
    - Inverse Conway Maneuver
  - Decentralized data management
  - Optimizing for replaceability
- Challenges
  - Structural decay
- Variants:
  - Self-contained systems (SCS)

#### 1.11.1.6 Serverless

- Function as a service
- Backend as a service



- Rich clients
- Single Page Applications

## 1.11.2 Scalable and Big data

### 1.11.2.1 Space architecture

Wikipedia: <a href="https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Space-based\_architecture">https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Space-based\_architecture</a>
TupleSpace

#### 1.11.2.2 MapReduce

- Algorithm description: mapper, reducer, merge & sort
- File system: HDFS: data node, name node

#### 1.11.2.3 Lambda architecture

• Elements: Batch layer, speed layer, serving layer

### 1.11.2.4 Kappa architecture

• Elements: append-only immutable log, service databases



## 1.12 Allocation & deployment

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### 1.12.1 Packaging, distribution and deployment

#### 1.12.1.1 Packaging & distribution

- Parts of a software package:
  - o compiled code
  - configuration files
  - o libraries & dependencies
  - o user manuals and docs
  - installation scripts
- The problem of shipping software
  - Dependencies
  - o Developer's environment vs production environment
- Distribution channels
  - o Physical distribution
  - o Web based distribution
  - Application markets

### 1.12.2 Deployment

#### 1.12.2.1 Deployment view

1.12.2.1.1 UML deployment diagrams

More info: (Clements et al., 2010)

#### 1.12.2.2 Software computing options

1.12.2.2.1 On premises

1.12.2.2.2 Cloud computing

Software as a Service Pet vs cattle metaphor

- 1.12.2.2.3 Edge computing
- 1.12.2.2.4 Fog computing

#### 1.12.2.3 Execution environments

#### 1.12.2.3.1 Physical hosts

#### Lots of possibilities

- Commodity computer
- Super computer
- Server-farms



- End-user devices
- 1.12.2.3.2 System virtual machines
- 1.12.2.3.3 Containers and docker

# Operating system level virtualization Elements:

- Container descriptions (images)
- Containers
- Platform that runs containers
- Container registries

#### 1.12.2.3.3.1 Docker architecture

- Docker client
- Docker server (DOCKER HOST)
- Docker registry
- Containers
- Images
  - o Layered architecture
- Docker daemon
- 1.12.2.3.3.2 Mutable vs immutable infrastructure
- 1.12.2.3.3.3 Container management
- 1.12.2.3.3.3.1 Docker-compose
- 1.12.2.3.3.3.2 Container orchestration
  - Kubernetes
  - Docker swarm

## 1.12.3 Deployment pipeline

- 1.12.3.1 Manual vs Automatic deployment
- 1.12.3.2 Continuous deployment

More info: (Jez Humble, 2010)

#### 1.12.3.2.1 Patterns

- Patterns
  - o Infrastructure as code
  - Keep everything in version control
  - Align development and operations
- Best practices: 12 factor
  - o Codebase
  - o Dependencies
  - o Config
  - Backing services
  - o Build, release, run
  - Processes
  - o Port binding



- Concurrency
- Disposability
- Dev/prod parity
- Logs
- Admin processes

### 1.12.4 Software in production

More info: (Nygard, 2018)

#### 1.12.4.1 Quality attributes in production

o Configurability, observability, availability, stability, reliability

#### 1.12.4.2 Configurability

- Configurable properties
- Config files
- Sensitive information

#### 1.12.4.3 Observability

#### 1.12.4.3.1 Logging

Log locations Logging levels

#### 1.12.4.3.2 Monitoring

#### 1.12.4.3.3 Profiling

### 1.12.4.3.4 Data in production

- High availability and data replication
- Database schemas and change requests
- Data purging
- Sensible data in production

#### 1.12.4.3.5 System problems

- Fault
- Error
- Failure
- Law of large systems

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- 1.12.4.4 In-production patterns
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- 1.12.4.4.12Chaos engineering



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- 1.12.4.5.1 Integration points
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- 1.12.4.5.3 Cascading failures
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- 1.12.4.6 Testing in production

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- 1.12.4.6.1 Canary releases
- 1.12.4.6.2 Feature toggles
- 1.12.4.6.3 Types of tests
- 1.12.4.6.3.1 A/B testing
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## 1.13 Software architecture and enterprise environment

Slides

English Spanish https://arquisoft.github.io/slides/course2021/EN.ASW.TE13\_EnterpriseSoftware.pdf

https://arquisoft.github.io/slides/course2021/ES.ASW.Te13 Empresarial.pdf

### 1.13.1 Software architect at enterprises

- Role of software architect
  - Architectural drivers
  - Designing software
  - Technical risks
  - o Architecture evolution
  - Coding
  - Quality assurance
- Expectations of software architect
- Understand and navigate positics
  - Software architect elevator
    - More info: (Hohpe, 2020)
- Some types of companies
  - Product-based companies in software
  - o Product-based companies in other domains
  - Consulting or service-based companies
  - Startups and entrepreneurs
- Other architects
  - Enterprise architect
  - Solutions architect
  - Business architect
  - Software architect
  - Others: data architect, application architect, technology architect,...
- Enterprise architecture
  - o 2 main approaches
    - Zachman framework
    - TOGAF
- · Software architecture and trends
  - Gartner hype cycles
  - Soft skills

## 1.13.2 Enterprise software

- Enterprise software taxonomy
  - CRM (Customer relationship management)
  - SCM (Supply chain management)
  - WMS (Warehouse management system)
  - PLM (Product lifecycle management)
  - B2B (Business to business)
  - o BPM (Business Process Management)
  - ECM (Enterprise Content Management)
  - ERP (Enterprise Resource Planning)
  - EAI (Enterprise Application Integration)



## 1.13.3 Software product lines

- Product lines
- Automatic system generation

## 1.13.4 Software and enterprise services

- Trend toward services
- Service terminology
  - Service level indicators
  - Service level objective
  - Service level agreement
- Service governance
  - o Release management and deployment
    - Reliability
    - API management
    - Monitoring
  - Production support
    - Incidence response
    - On-call rotations
  - Cost model
  - Client onboarding
- Software evolution
  - Lehman's laws on software evolution
    - Continuing change
    - Increasing complexity
    - Other laws
- Software refactoring
- Legacy projects
- Behavioral code analysis
  - System hotspots
- Evolutionary architectures
  - o Evolvability: Incremental, guided change
  - Fitness functions



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## 3 Calendar 2020/21

- Class 1, 3-Feb, 2h:
  - Presentation
  - Basic definitions
  - Seminar 0 (5-Feb)
- Class 2, 10-Feb,
  - 1h Conference Empathy
  - 1h Documenting Software architecture
- Class 3, 17-Feb, 2h: Quality attributes
  - Seminar 1 (19 Feb)
    - S1. Architecture decision records
    - S2. Agile architecture
  - Week 22-26 Feb Deliverable lab assignment 1 (documentation)
- Class 4, 24-Feb, 2h: Achieving software arch. Building (part 1)
- Class 5, 3-March, 2h: Building (part 2), Modularity
  - Seminar 2 (5 Mar)
    - S3. Continuous delivery
    - S4. Branching models
- Class 6, 10-Mar, 2h: Runtime Monolith
  - Deliverable lab assignment 2 (1st prototype)
- Class 7, 17 March, 2h: Runtime Monolith
  - Seminar 3 (19 Mar)
    - S5. Clean architecture
    - S6. Event sourcing
- Class 8, 24 March, 2h: Distributed and big data
  - Easter break.



- Class 9, 7-Apr, 2h: Allocation & deployment
  - Seminar 4: 9 April
    - S7. Fallacies of Microservices
    - S8. Circuit breaker
    - Deliverable lab 3 (documentation/prototype)
- Class 10, 14-Apr, 2h: <<Conference Jorge Manrubia: Fighting the merchants of complexity>>
- Class 11, 21-Apr, 1h: Enterprise
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    - S09. Chaos engineering
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