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Info

■ Lectures schedule

- Friday 14:00 - 19:00 (5 breaks) → Friday 15:00 - 19:00 (1 break)

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Lectures

- Classical (theory) lectures and practical (lab) activity
- The lab activity will be based on the use of Packet Tracer emulator (Cisco)
 - You need to register to the course so that to have a Cisco Netacad account and to be able to download the software.
- You need your own PC during lab activity (at least groups of two persons)
- The teaching material is available at
 - <https://web.uniroma1.it/netlab> (Teaching section)



Course Subscription

- Subscribe to the mailing list

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- On the website you will find the teaching material and info
 - Lectures pdf
 - Exam dates
 - Lectures Schedule modifications



Exams

- Two Midterm exams or a classical exam
- Exams (midterms or classical) will require the execution of configuration procedures on your own PC (Cisco Packet Tracer software)
- Midterm exam:
 - final score (accepted or not);
 - first exam date of June (18/06) not available.



Objectives

- The main aim of the LNDC course is to provide practical approach for the management of an Internet Service Provider (ISP) network and of a LAN network.
- More in details:
 - to configure an IP network from addressing to routing and troubleshooting
 - to provide advanced configurations of an Ethernet network from Virtual LAN to security solutions
- The course (6 CFU), is composed of two parts
 - Part I (3 CFU): router IP
 - Part II (3 CFU): switch Ethernet



Lectures schedule

Date	Topic
1/3/19	Course Introduction - Networking fundamentals
8/3/19	Cisco Packet Tracer software - Router IP Configuration
15/3/19	RIP routing protocol
22/3/19	OSPF routing protocol
29/3/19	DHCP and NAT
5/4/19	Training lab activity - part I
12/4/19	Midterm exam part I
19/4/19	Easter holiday
26/4/19	?
3/5/19	Ethernet - Virtual LAN (VLAN)
10/5/19	Inter-VLAN Routing - Port Security
17/5/19	Access Control List (ACL)
24/5/19	Training lab activity - part II
31/5/19	Midterm exam part II



Pre-requirements

- The following topics must be known (an overview will be provided today):
 - IPv4 protocol
 - TCP/IP protocol stack
 - IP routing
 - LAN
 - MAC protocols



Cisco Academy certification

- It is possible, after the exam completion, to have a fast track (with discount) access to Cisco Netacd Certification
 - CISCO CCNA Routing and Switching (R&S) 1
 - CISCO CCNA Routing and Switching (R&S) 2
- More details during the course.



Thesis projects

■ Research activities:

- Segment Routing (SR) (Cisco Grant):
 - Implementation of advanced features on VPP (open source implementation of a SR router)
 - Assessment of the Traffic Matrix of an ISP exploiting SR counters
 - Network anomalies detection using Machine Learning techniques
- Network Function Virtualization (NFV):
 - New protocols to support Service Function Chaining (SFC)
 - Dynamic resources allocation in SFC-enabled networks