

## Assignment 5

### Elaboration time

Remember the time you need for the elaboration of this assignment and document it in Moodle.

## Priority Queue with Heaps

For this assignment, please submit the PDF of the pen-and-paper-work (example 2) and the source code of your `min_heap.py` implementation (example 1). As usual, don't change the given interface, but you can add auxiliary methods and reuse code where possible.

### 1. Priority Queue using a MinHeap

**12 points**

Implement the abstract data type **Priority Queue** using a **MinHeap** (where the smallest key is placed in the root) in `min_heap.py`, based on the provided skeleton. For implementing the **MinHeap**, use a python list to store and index data, as explained in the exercise material.

**Make sure to implement and provide a working solution, as you need a working heap implementation for the next assignment 6 (sorting).**

To make your code more readable, we recommend using methods as suggested below.

```
up_heap(index)
down_heap(index)
parent(index)
left_child(index)
right_child(index)
swap(index1, index2)
```

