

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)
```

[illegible]