Project Description: Developing a mobile application with Android

Overview:

This semester-long project aims to create a mobile application using Android. Students will form **groups of four** and have the freedom to choose any theme for their application, provided it meets the outlined requirements. The project will be evaluated based on the project sources, a report and an oral defense where each group presents their work.

Project Requirements:

1. Mobile application

- Application Theme: Students have the freedom to select a theme of their choice.
- User-Friendly Interface: The application must be intuitive and user-friendly.
- Multi-User Capability: Implement features allowing multiple users to interact.
- **Service or Product Proposal:** The application should either provide a service or showcase products.

• Additional Technical Requirements:

- The application must run on an Android emulator (mandatory).
- o Bonus points for functionality on a real Android device.

2. Project report guidelines

Each group must submit a detailed report documenting their project. The report should include, but is not limited to, the following key sections:

• Project Specification

- Description of the chosen application theme.
- Target users and expected use cases.
- o Functional and non-functional requirements.

• Conceptualization of the Application

- System architecture and main components.
- o UML diagrams (use case diagram, activity diagram, etc.).
- o Database schema (if applicable).

• Implementation Details

- Technologies and tools used.
- o Key functionalities and how they were implemented.
- Main challenges encountered.

• Screenshots and User Interface

Screenshots of the final application.

- Description of the main interfaces and user experience flow.
- <u>Testing and Results</u>
 - o Test scenarios and how the application was validated.
 - Bugs encountered and how they were resolved.
- Conclusion and Future Improvements
 - Summary of the overall experience.
 - o Potential enhancements or future developments for the application.

Important dates:

- Groups and project proposal submission deadline: Sunday 16 March 23:59
- Final project submission deadline (Code Sources + Report): Tuesday 10 June 23:59
- Oral defense date: **Wednesday 18/06/2025** and **Thursday 19/06/2025** (During the TD Sloat).

Evaluation criteria

Oral Defense Format: Each group will have 15 minutes, including 10 minutes for their presentation and 5 min of questions and discussion. The presentation should cover:

- Introduction to the application purpose and features.
- Main steps taken during development.
- Key activities and challenges faced.
- Live demonstration.

Projects will be evaluated based on creativity, technical complexity, user interface design, functionality, and the quality of the **code**, **presentation**, **and demonstration**.

Note: The project accounts for 60% of the total SY43 grade, with 40% allocated to the project source code and report, and 20% to the presentation.