Virtual Communities

**Course level:** Master (M1)  
**Track(s):** CPS2

**ECTS Credits:** 4

**Course instructors:** Pierre Maret

**Education period:** 2nd semester  
**Language of instruction:** English

**Expected prior-knowledge:** None

**Aim and learning outcomes:** Students will know about types of communities, the techniques used, the existing platforms or systems, the promises of VCs.

**Keywords:** e-community, user, on line support, profile, techniques for VC

**Syllabus:** Definitions, Types of virtual communities, Examples of VCs, Techniques for VCs

**Organisation and timetable:** Lectures: 10h, Tutorial 10h, Lab sessions 10h

**Form(s) of Assessment:** 1 written exam (2h)


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