

MODULE SPECIFICATION

Part 1: Information						
Module Title	Mobile and Physical Computing					
Module Code	UFCF9G-30-2	Level	Level 5			
For implementation from	2018-19					
UWE Credit Rating	30	ECTS Credit Rating	15			
Faculty	Faculty of Environment & Technology	Field	Computer Science and Creative Technologies			
Department	FET Dept of Computer Sci & Creative Tech					
Contributes towards						
Module type:	Standard					
Pre-requisites Audio Technology 20		118-19, Introductory Audio Programming 2018-19				
Excluded Combinations	None	None				
Co- requisites	None	None				
Module Entry requireme	nts None	None				

Part 2: Description

Overview: Pre-requisites: Students must take one of Introductory Audio Programming UFCFF4-

30-1 or Audio Technology UFCFH4-30-1.

Educational Aims: See Learning Outcomes.

Outline Syllabus: The syllabus includes:

Hardware interfacing: sensor electronics, units and properties

Software interfacing: graphical user interface, design and implementation

HCI in context: editing/offline, performance

Traditional HCI methods; "standards", benefits and limitations

Interaction mechanisms and programming responses

Tailoring interfaces for specific audio purposes

Hardware and software methods and limitations; sensor techniques, new interfaces

Application to specific target devices

Wired and wireless communication technologies and protocols

STUDENT AND ACADEMIC SERVICES

Teaching and Learning Methods: Theoretical and conceptual aspects of the module will be introduced by lecture on a weekly basis and, where appropriate, contextualised with practical demonstrations of application. Relevant reading material and sections from the course text should be read in preparation for each lecture. On average this will require a total of 3 hours study each week.

Learners will apply the conceptual elements of taught material in weekly practical sessions where abilities in problem solving and implementation surrounding audio technology concepts will be developed. Learners are required to complete exercises, extend ideas, and develop further understanding independently of the timetabled sessions. On average this will require a total of 4 hours study each week.

Assignments will be staged throughout the year which will require students to complete additional unsupervised learning. Typically this will require 4 hours study each week although it should be anticipated that the majority of this time will be biased towards the assignment deadlines.

Contact Hours:

Contact time: 72 hours

Assimilation and development of knowledge: 148 hours

Exam preparation: 20 hours Coursework preparation: 60 hours Total study time: 300 hours

Part 3: Assessment

The examination will be used to establish learners' understanding of the module content as described in lectures and reading materials.

The assignments will be used to assess learners' practical skills in the application of music and audio technology systems. This will involve demonstrating an ability to create an extended piece of work beyond the examples seen in lectures and practicals. The assignment activity will be staged in order to allow progressive development of skills and understanding.

Formative assessment will be provided as part of the practical sessions. Individual feedback will be provided on the assignment and group (generic) feedback on the exam.

Marking of any group components of assignment work will include an opportunity for students to indicate individual contributions.

Assessment criteria will be supplied with the assignment specification and in example exam papers.

First Sit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Practical Skills Assessment - Component B		25 %	Assignment 1
Practical Skills Assessment - Component B		25 %	Assignment 2
Examination - Component A	✓	50 %	Exam (2 hours)
Resit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Practical Skills Assessment - Component B		50 %	Assignment 1 (individual work)
Examination - Component A	✓	50 %	Exam (2 hours)

Part 4: Teaching and Learning Methods							
Learning Outcomes	On successful completion of this module students will be able to:						
	Module Learning Outcomes						
	MO1 Design and create interactive music and audio systems using embedded and mobile technologies						
		Identify, contrast and utilise a range of electronic and graphical methods for acquiring and representing control data within music and audio contexts					
		Recognise and evaluate a range of programmatic interaction mechanisms and select appropriate methods for divergent audio applications					
		Analyse, apply and compare physical and graphical interactive methods within the context of Human Computer Interaction					
Contact Hours	Contact Hours						
	Independent Study Hours:						
	Independent study/self-	-guided study	228				
		Total Independent Study Hours:	228				
	Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:						
	Face-to-face learning	72					
	Total Schedi	uled Learning and Teaching Hours:	72				
	Hours to be allocated		300				
	Allocated Hours		300				
Reading List	The reading list for this module can https://uwe.rl.talis.com/modules/u	an be accessed via the following link: fcf9g-30-2.html					