

NETWORKS AND DISTRIBUTED SYSTEMS LAB

Software Defined Networking

"**Software Defined Networking**" is a course for **M.Sc.** students of Computer Science (and related study programs). It is held as combination of a ›lecture ([https://lsf.ovgu.de/qislsf/rds?](https://lsf.ovgu.de/qislsf/rds?state=verpublish&status=init&vmfile=no&moduleCall=webInfo&publishConfFile=webInfo&publishSubDir=veranstaltung&veranstaltung.veranstid=127052)

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and ›exercises ([https://lsf.ovgu.de/qislsf/rds?](https://lsf.ovgu.de/qislsf/rds?state=verpublish&status=init&vmfile=no&moduleCall=webInfo&publishConfFile=webInfo&publishSubDir=veranstaltung&veranstaltung.veranstid=126601)

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Hours per week:	2 + 2
Credits:	6
Lecture:	Thursday, 11:15 - 12:45, Location: G02-311
Exercises:	Thursday, 15:15 - 16:45, Location: G29-334 Friday, 13:15 - 14:45, Location: G29-334
Exam:	In case of few registrations, an oral exam will be held.
Languages:	English/German

Course Description

The course deals with cutting edge topics in the area of software defined networking (SDN):

- ▶ SDN Architecture (Application, Control, Infrastructure Layer)
- ▶ SDN Interfaces (North/South-bound vs. East/West-bound interface)
- ▶ SDN Applications and Use Cases (e.g. Multicasting)
- ▶ Network Virtualization and Slicing (e.g. FlowVisor)
- ▶ Network Function Virtualization (NFV) and Network Service Chaining
- ▶ SDN Security
- ▶ Network Operating Systems and Languages
- ▶ OpenFlow Controller (e.g. NOX, Beacon, etc.)
- ▶ Hardware Switches (e.g. NEC IP8800, Pronto) vs. Software Switches (e.g. NetFPGA, OpenVSwitch)
- ▶ SDN in Wireless Networks (e.g. OpenWRT)

Students will get a deep insight into Software Defined Networking and its applications.

Literature

Textbooks as indicated.

Slides and paper copies as necessary.

Requirements

Basic courses of the first 4 semesters are required. Knowledge of lectures Communication and Networks are recommended.

Resources

The course material will be made available using the **Moodle platform**:

› <https://elearning.ovgu.de/course/view.php?id=4303> (<https://elearning.ovgu.de/course/view.php?id=4303>)
