

IT8101

Games Development



Course Aim The course introduces advanced game development concepts using a commercial game engine to allow students to develop practical skills in constructing game components and integrating them to a playable game demo (developed using rapid prototyping)

Short Title

Faculty EDICT

Polytechnic Level

Credits 15

Pre-requisites IT7008 (ITB6008)

Co-requisites NONE

Anti-requisites NONE

Version 1

Effective From February 2016

Indicative NQF Level 8

Student Contact hrs 90

Self-directed hrs 60

Other directed hrs 0

Total learning hrs 150

Learning Outcomes On successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

- 1 Apply Computer Graphics principles in a specialised game environment
- 2 Create games to a given brief using rapid prototyping
- 3 Follow best practice, industry standards, professional ethics, programming and documentation conventions during the programming process

NQF Sub-strand

Practical
Application of
knowledge
Generic, Problem
Solving and
Analytical Skills
Practical
Application of
knowledge