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Advanced course • Curriculum

Advanced Python Programming for Data Scientist

Course for **object-orientiented programming (OOP)** with **Python**



The goal of this course is to learn object-oriented programming (OOP) with Python. In addition, you will also learn basics in Bash and Git, enabling you to use and create code collaboratively in a team.

Automating digital processes and analyzing big data often requires customized solutions for use in a company. For this reason, Data Scientists should be able to generate production-ready code collaboratively in a team.

In a nutshell:

- Creating and modifying modules, classes and objects in the Python framework
- > Working on and presenting software projects independently
- > Using Git and bash for collaborative work on software projects

At a glance.



Prerequisites

Solid knowledge of Python basics (using basic data types and flow control concepts)

Target group

The course is suitable for you and your career if you have completed a degree, ideally in the fields of mathematics, computer science, natural sciences, technology, business administration, (business) informatics or a comparable qualification or previous experience in a similar field.



Week 1

Introduction

Objectives:

- > Navigating through folder structures using the command line
- > Viewing and searching text documents in the command line
- > Running scripts and installing programs
- > Writing clean code that follows recognized standards

Content:

- > Introduction
 - Getting to know each other
 - Course schedule and look at the building blocks
 - Introduction to the learning environment
- > Bash basics

- Command line
- Navigating through folder structures
- Creating, copying and deleting files and folders
- Filtering text files and scripts
- · Connecting commands with the pipe operator
- Nano editor
- Installing programs
- Running Python scripts
- Environment variables
- Rights management
- Bash script
- > Advcanced Python basics
 - Defining functions
 - Flow control
 - List and dict comprehensions
 - Clean code & PEP 8



Week 2

Introduction to Git and Object-Oriented Programming

Objectives:

- > Creating and updating projects with Git
- > Using Git collaboratively

Content:

- > Introduction to Git
 - Explanation of term: version control
 - How Git functions
 - Creating and cloning projects
 - Git workflow
 - Branching & merging
 - Resolving merge conflicts
- > Introduction to object-oriented Programming
 - The principles of object-oriented programming
 - Classes and instances
 - Attributes
 - Methods

Week 3

Recap of OOP, Inheritance and Composition in Python, Unit Testing

Objectives:

- Defining and using classes and assumptions about assertions
- > Creating and using unit tests

Content:

- > Recap: Introduction to object-oriented programming
- > Inheritance and composition in Python
 - Simple inheritance
 - Multiple inheritance
 - Composition
 - Inheritance hierarchy
- > Unit testing
 - Explanation of term: unit test
 - Conventions for test naming
 - Test assertions
 - Set-up methods



Week 4

Advanced Object-Oriented Programming with Python

Objectives:

- > Using and defining decorators
- > Selecting and using external modules for typical tasks
- > Presenting and discussingresults using specialist terminology
- > Writing clean code by following recognized standards

Content:

- > Advanced object-oriented programming with Python
 - Operator overloading
 - Decorators
 - Special methods

- > Modules from the Python standard library
 - OS
 - pickle
 - json
 - zipfile
 - collections
 - difflib
- > Project: fitting transformers in the machine learning pipeline
- > Final examination



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Coaching

- > Assessment
- > Final project and evaluation
- > 1:1 project feedback consultation
- > Official certificate of completion

Personal mentoring

- > Kick-off session
- > Webinars with other course participants
- > Support via email or phone
- > Online forum

Career services

- > CV and application coaching
- > Talent pool and career intros
- > Data community
- Career events



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