# IS450a - Space systems architecture

From the Advanced Master TAS ASTRO (Space Systems Engineering)



## **Highlights**

- · Spacecraft architecture
- Interdisciplinary design
- Simulation tools

This module provides an interdisciplinary approach for preliminary design of an Earth Observation micro-satellite. Participants will use simulation tools to design all subsystems and perform budgets (mass, power, performances...).

### **Prerequisites**

- Master level
- Orbital mechanics fundamental concepts

## Key elements

Period: Late February to Early February

Estimated duration: 20 hours

For whom:

recent graduates, jobseekers and experienced employees

Location:

ISAE-SUPAERO, Toulouse

Language: English

### **Learning objectives**

After completing this course, participants will be able to:

- Create an optimal spacecraft architecture, applying an interdisciplinary approach;
- Model the satellite with a simulation tool.

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#### **Course content**

#### Mission analysis

- Orbitography
- Access
- Coverage
- Tracking error analysis

#### Radio communications

- Satellite emitter power
- Station emitter power
- Link budget calculation

#### Thermal analysis

- External flux analysis
- Temperatures calculation

#### Power subsystem

- Solar panel sizing
- Battery sizing
- Global analysis

#### Attitude control system

- External torques analysis
- Performance requirements
- Architecture definition
- Actuators and sensors sizing

### **Teaching methods**

Teaching methods	Yes
Lectures / tutorial	X
Collaborative learning	
Flipped classroom	
Blended learning (online and face to face)	
Learning by doing	
Project-based	
Simulation	X
Case study	

#### **Assessment**

- Written test
- MCQ
- Marked Practicals