

## **SATBUSS Minutes, 6 November 2024**

Attending: Jens Christian Felumb, Rikke Budolfson, Louise Harder Fischer, Oliver Krancher, Liselotte Lagerstedt, Anne Jensen (secretary to SATBUSS)

- **Approval of agenda**
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- **Changes to specialisations on DIM**
  - Suggestion to change the specialisations on DIM and make them more flexible for the students - introduce “pools of specialisation courses” and individualised specialisations. Inspired by the CS department and the MSc in DDIT programme.
  - DIM Faculty and Employers Panel supports the changes.
  - Changes to prerequisites for the Service Design specialisation will be made to make it possible for students to take the second part of the specialisation without having taken the first part (course) of the specialisation.
    - Prerequisites will guide students to what specific courses requires the students to do rather than having specific courses that students need to complete before registering for a specialisation course.
  - Comments from SATBUSS:
    - How will the level of the courses match each other if students can pick and choose between courses?
      - The level of the courses will not be an issue, since most of the courses are working on the same level but with different prerequisites – so the prerequisites determine the entry point and difficulty rather than an overall level difference depending on which semester the courses are on.
  - SATBUSS support the changes to the DIM specialisations.
- **News from Board of Studies**
  - For this week’s Board of Studies we will look through the new IT system coming to ITU and we will look at the new proposal for adjusting the specialisations at MSc in DIM.
  - At last Board of Studies meeting the delayed grades issue was discussed again. This is still not an issue at the Business IT department.
- **News from the programmes**
  - **GBI**
    - All is good at GBI. No news.
  - **DIM**

- Changes have been made on Computational Literacies based on midterm evaluations.
  - Employers Panel meeting in October was a success.
- **ILM**
  - No news from ILM.
- **AOB**
  - TA hiring process for spring 2025 has begun.