# SATBUSS Minutes, September 5th 2023

**Attending:** Anne Jensen (Secretary), Jens Christian Felumb, Oliver Krancher, Irina Papazu, Louise Klitgaard Torntoft, Liselotte Lagerstedt, Fie Crusell Pedersen.

- **Approval of agenda**

  - Approved

- **Course evaluations from Spring 2023 – DIM and ILM**

  - Discuss survey report (contains average scores by course, study programme, department and ITU)
  - ILM – everything looks good.
  - DIM – overall it looks good. Two courses are below average, Enterprise Architecture and Process Innovation.
    - Enterprise Architecture had a lot of start-up issues due to change of teachers, but even though there were some challenges to begin with the results are good and comments show that the contents of the course are good.
    - Process Innovation had some issues with communicating the framework of the course to the students and give an idea of what to expect for the exam. There are some balancing issues with the practical and theoretical in the course, and this will be looked at and improved for next year.

- **Programme specific ILOs for final projects**

  - ITU currently has the same intended learning outcomes (ILOs) for all bachelor projects, theses, and the final project on the professional master.
  - The external examiners have continuously pointed out the need to have a clear distinction of the different levels (BSc, MSc and Professional Master), and preferably also a distinction between the different study programmes, for them to be able to assess the exams accordingly. So by request from the External Examiner Corps it has been decided to implement programme specific ILOs for all final projects from the spring semester 2024 and forward.
  - All new ILOs will be discussed in the respective SATs and then taken to the Board of Studies for approval.
  - BIT HoSPs have discussed the ILOs and aligned according to BSc and MSc. Each HoSP has also talked to faculty about the ILOs.
  - GBI: Emphasis has been placed on research skills and to be able to reflect on the case/problem which is the basis of the project.
  - DIM: Emphasis on independence, reflection and argumentation on choice of literature and methods, clearly state that there are different ways of going about a thesis (processing of primary and secondary sources or the development of an artefact).
  - Comments: Good to see that there is a clearer distinction between the bachelor and master programmes.

- **News from the programmes**
  - **GBI**
    - Oliver thanks for all the feedback on the GBI Revision. Every comment has been considered when making the last changes. We have had a hearing of the Business IT Employers Panel and it has been approved by ITU's Education Group. The revision will be presented for approval at Board of Studies on September 6. If approved, the new study programme will be in effect from admissions for 2024.
    - Good study start and motivated new students.
  - **DIM**
    - Focus on green competences in the DIM courses.
    - Study start for new DIM students and a bigger cohort of students this year.
    - There has been some confusion about the DIM specialisations and some specialisations have had a drop in registrations on the second part. The DIM HoSPs will look at and revise the communication about specialisations. Comment: The issues on the specialisations with few registrations might be due to the expectations and workload on these specific specialisation courses. Students have had problems with understanding when to register and if they had to register, plus they were confused about whether or not they were able to change their specialisation for the second part.

  - **ILM**
    - Still some worries about the decline in applications. ILM will consider whether it is necessary to make some changes in the programme to attract more applicants.
    - The programme is stronger with a bigger cohort, which makes it a problem if there are fewer students than expected.
- **AOB**
  - Level issues with IT and Green Transitions. It is a very mixed course.
    - Some subjects are addressed mostly to MSc students and leaves some BSc students outside of the discussions.
    - The ILOs for bachelor and master is very similar – only one extra ILO for master students.

- DIM will be offering a new summer course for Summer University 2024: Cybersecurity and Risk Management. This course will be open to both bachelor and master students, so GBI students will also be able to take the course as an elective.