

Erlang **as supporting technology for teaching** **Software Architecture**

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South Pacific Ocean

North Atlantic Ocean

South Atlantic Ocean

Indian Ocean

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2 bachelor degrees (3 academic years)

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1 university degree (5 academic years)

1 degree (4 academic years)

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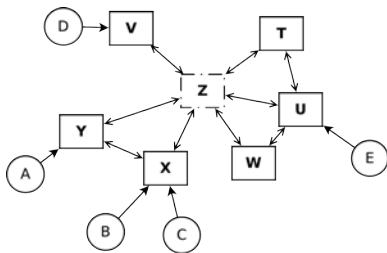
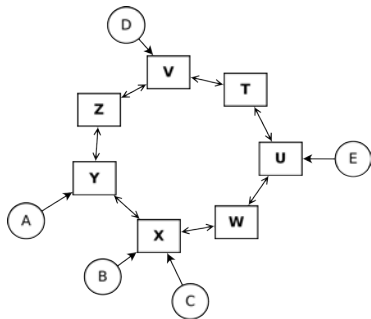
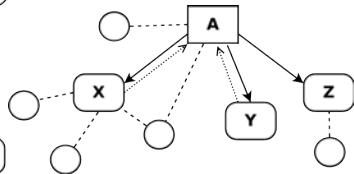
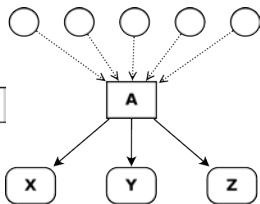
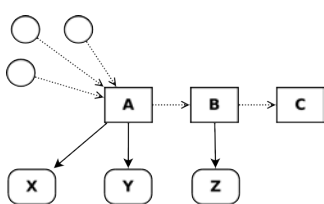
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ping/echo **availability** heartbeat active
redundancy **scalability** shadow
operation pasive redundancy monitor
fault tolerance event ratio **robustness**
event queues fixed priority limited
exposure **efficiency** dynamic priority
facade wrapper **security** proxy cache
notifier dispatcher **adaptability**



Erlang as a rapid prototyping tool



Agile approach



Individual work + Team work



*“We **dared** to do things far more complex that
we usually do”*



*“I was a bit **lost at the beginning**, the exercises were easy but being unfamiliar with FP made me **progress very slowly**. But then, during the team project, we found ourselves **building things very quickly**.”*



*“I **thought** working with so many **processes** was going to be a **nightmare**”*



*“I wish we had a few more weeks, we all could have made our projects **even more awesome**”*



Student's projects

- Games (poker, trivia,...)
- IM systems
- Web crawlers
- Text analyzers
- Ship-to-shore crane control
- Smart-city sensor information



Student's evaluation

- Almost 0 drop-outs
- All students passed
- Most students got B scores




*“Loved the iterations, you know exactly what
you have to do”*

“It forces you not to give up on the course”







Whosoever holds
this hammer, if
he be worthy,
shall possess the
power of...

THOR



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Thanks for your attention

I hope this has been interesting!

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time_for(Questions) ->  
  [ speaker ! Q || Q <- Questions ].
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