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The new regulations for Master's degree programs from winter semester 2024/2025

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From winter semester 24/25, the General Examination Regulations for the Master's degree programs in conjunction with the respective Special Examination Regulations for the individual degree programs will apply to all enrolled Master's students.

The main reason for the introduction of the new examination regulations was that the regulations from the Corona Statutes, or the currently valid supplementary statutes, are firmly adopted in our Master's degree programs.

The revisions have resulted in changes, which are briefly described here.

We have marked information that is new for you with  **NEW**.

If you have any questions, please contact the [Examinations Office](#).

1 FOR ALL DEGREE PROGRAMS



Terms

MODULE EXAM

Module examinations conclude the respective module and should be taken in the semester specified for them in the module catalog. Module examinations should generally relate to the competence objectives of the module and should demonstrate that the content and methods taught in the module have essentially been mastered and that the skills acquired can be applied. The module examinations usually consist of one performance, but can also include several performances. Module examinations can be [written](#), [oral](#), [electronic](#) or [in another form](#). They can be [repeated indefinitely](#) or to a [limited extent](#).

COURSEWORK

Coursework is used to monitor individual learning progress and usually takes place during the semester. In justified exceptional cases, they may be a prerequisite for admission to module examinations. Attendance may be required as an academic achievement. Whether and which coursework is required to pass the module examination is specified in the module catalog excerpt; in particular their respective type, scope and duration.



NEW

- In the Faculty of Business, Economics and Social Sciences, the term "coursework" is no longer used to indicate the repeatability of a module examination or the organization of the examination.
- The former coursework will be converted into module examinations, which can be repeated indefinitely.
- The term examination achievement no longer exists in the new examination regulations.



Change in HohCampus



NEW

When selecting degree programs, your Master's degree program will (in many cases) appear twice if you use the stud

y planner. This has to do with the change to the examination regulations in your course of study.

2 FOR ALL BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS DEGREE PROGRAMS



Master's thesis



SUPERVISOR



NEW

There is now only one examiner for the Master's thesis. This is the supervisor. A second examiner will only be appointed if students request assessment by two examiners when registering.

3 FOR THE DEGREE PROGRAM EARTH AND CLIMATE SYSTEM SCIENCE



Master's thesis



DEFENSE



NEW

The Master's thesis consists of a written paper (Master's thesis) and, as a rule, an additional oral defense (presentation and discussion).