

OFFICIAL TRANSLATION OF

Änderung der Promotionsordnung der Fakultät für Mathematik, Informatik und Naturwissenschaften der Universität Hamburg vom 1. Dezember 2010, zuletzt geändert am 6. Mai 2020

Vom 15. Dezember 2021

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Amendment to the Doctoral Degree Regulations of the Faculty of Mathematics, Informatics and Natural Sciences dated 1 December 2010, last amended 6 May 2020

dated 15 December 2021

On 14 February 2022, in accordance with Section 108 subsection 1 of the Hamburg higher education act (Hamburgisches Hochschulgesetz, HmbHG) dated 18 July 2001 (HmbGVBl p.171) as amended on 17 June 2021 (HmbGVBl. p.468), the Executive University Board ratified the amendment to the doctoral degree regulations dated 1 December 2010, last updated 6 May 2020, adopted by the Faculty Council of the Faculty of Mathematics, Informatics and Natural Sciences on 15 December 2021 in accordance with Section 91 subsection 2 no. 1 HmbHG.

I.

The Doctoral Degree Regulations dated 1 December 2010, last amended 6 May 2020, are amended as follows:

1. In Section 4 subsection 3 sentence 2, the words “in writing” are deleted.

2. In Section 4, the following is added as subsection 6:

“The Faculty of Mathematics, Informatics and Natural Sciences at Universität Hamburg processes doctoral procedures electronically. As part of

admission to the doctoral procedure, all parties (i.e., the Faculty of Mathematics, Informatics and Natural Sciences, the doctoral researcher, and all persons involved in procedural or administrative matters of the doctoral procedure) are authorized to communicate by electronic means for its duration (i.e., until issuance of the doctoral diploma, or, where appropriate, termination of the procedure without a doctorate being awarded). This includes the transmission of documents such as letters for informational purposes, official notices, evaluations, and the doctoral dissertation. The same applies to rejections of applications for admission to a doctoral procedure; the Faculty of Mathematics, Informatics and Natural Sciences is authorized to electronically communicate its decision to reject an application.”

3. In Section 6 subsection 9 sentence 6, the words “in writing” are deleted.

4. Section 7 subsection 6 shall read as follows:

“The doctoral dissertation must be submitted electronically to the subject doctoral committee responsible for the doctoral procedure; a printed bound copy must also be submitted. The doctoral candidate must ensure both versions are identical. Each reviewer and each member of the examination commission will receive an electronic copy of the dissertation for assessment, while the printed bound copy remains archived with the faculty. The doctoral researcher must provide an additional printed bound copy should a member of the subject doctoral committee or an assessor so request. This printed copy must contain a declaration written and signed by the doctoral candidate, declaring that the electronic documents provided electronically to the subject doctoral committee and the printed document are identical.

The subject doctoral committee may reach an agreement on the format(s) of the dissertation to be submitted.”

5. In Section 10 subsection 3 sentence 2, the words “in writing” are deleted.

6. In Section 10 subsection 5 sentence 2, the words “in writing” are deleted.

7. In Section 11 subsection 5 sentence 2, the words “in writing” are deleted.

8. In Section 12 subsection 3 sentence 1, the words “in writing” are deleted.

9. In Section 12 subsection 4 sentence 2, the words “in writing” are deleted.

10. In Section 19 subsection 1 sentence 3, the words “in writing” are deleted.

II.

These amendments become effective on the day following official publication by Universität Hamburg.

Hamburg, 9 March 2022

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