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Announcement of the

Executive Board Decision

of the Georg Agricola University of Applied
Sciences

State-recognized university of the DMT-
Gesellschaft für Lehre und Bildung mbH

to meet the challenges posed by the coronavirus
SARS-CoV-2-epidemic in teaching and studying
in the winter semester 2021/2022

On the basis of §§ 2 para. 4 and 82a of the Law on Higher Education Institutions of the State of North Rhine-Westphalia (Hochschulgesetz -HG) in conjunction with the Corona Epidemic University Regulations, the Executive Board of the Georg Agricola University of Applied Sciences has issued the following regulations concerning teaching, studies, and examinations for the examinations of the winter semester 2021/2022 by decision dated 05.11.2021.

These regulations are intended to accomplish the goals described in the Corona Epidemic University Regulations and to address the study, teaching, and examination challenges posed to THGA by the Coronavirus SARS-CoV-2 epidemic. The existing examination regulations will remain in effect; however, the differing regulations listed below will take precedence in each case.

1. Registration and Examination Periods

The following registration and examination periods apply for the winter semester:

<u>Pre-term:</u>	31.01.2022 to 12.02.2022
<u>Post-term:</u>	14.03.2022 to 26.03.2022

Registration period (3 weeks prior).

Withdrawals from exams remain possible beyond the registration period until one week before the respective exam as well as for important reasons.

2. Examinations

Examinations shall be conducted in attendance in compliance with the hygiene policy in effect at the THGA at the time of the examination. Oral examinations may be conducted as videoconferences.

The form of the examination regulated in the examination regulations can no longer be replaced by another form of examination. The same applies to the duration of the examination as defined in the examination regulations. The form of examination "written examination" also includes the online test to be carried out in presence at computer workstations of the THGA.

In deviation from § 10 para. 3 sentence 2 of the Bachelor's and Master's examination regulations (HPO), the examination board shall determine the form and duration of the examination 6 weeks before an examination date.

If the pandemic situation does not allow examinations to be held in presence, the examinations will be held in the announced examination form and time as a distance examination in online format.

3. Withdrawal from Examinations

In the event of an examination withdrawal or missed examination, only the regulations in the THGA examination regulations apply; the withdrawal regulations of the Corona Epidemic University Regulations, as amended from time to time, do not apply.

4. Retaking of Examinations

For examinations that have been taken and not passed, the regulations of the university examination regulations of the THGA apply. Any regulations to the contrary in the Corona Epidemic University Regulations, as amended from time to time, do not apply.

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