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To all participants of in-class exams in Business and Economics

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## Important information and rules of conduct for in-class exams

Dear student,

You are registered for an in-class exam taking place on campus. In the current situation, our top priority is to ensure the health of everybody involved in the in-class exams taking place on campus.

Therefore, we would like to provide you with important information and rules of conduct for the inclass exams, compliance with which is mandatory:

- If you test positive for the SARS-CoV-2 virus or show symptoms relevant to COVID-19 (e.g., odor/taste disorders, fever, cough, sore throat, general weakness or unspecific general symptoms), we must exclude you from the exam. In such a case, you must stay at home and <u>under no circumstances</u> must you appear at the exam location. This also applies if you have been in contact with people with proven COVID-19 disease (category I or II contact persons) in the last 14 days.
- 2. The exam room (usually a lecture hall or the "Spielhalle") is opened 45 minutes before the exam begins. We recommend that you be close to the exam room in good time before the exam begins, as it will take some time to organize admission.
- 3. You are obliged to wear a mouth-nose cover ("community mask") when you arrive at the exam location. This obligation applies until the supervisors allow you to take off the mask immediately before the exam begins. After the end of the exam you will be asked to put the mask back on.
- 4. At all times keep a distance of at least 1.5 m from all other people.
- 5. The Examination Office has informed you of your exam room. For rooms with several entrances, you have also been informed which entrance you must use. The use of exactly this entrance is mandatory.
- 6. No queues of more than 10 persons may form at the entrance to the exam room. If there are already 10 people lined up, you must wait at a reasonable distance until the queue is shorter.
- 7. You are asked to wash your hands thoroughly with soap and for more than 30 seconds before entering the exam room. It is also advisable to take a lavatory break before entering the exam room, as s taking a bathroom break during the exam may be more difficult than normal and therefore more time-consuming due to the distance requirements.
- 8. A supervisor will be seated behind a Plexiglas panel at the entrance to the respective room. Please show your student ID without being asked.

- 9. Take the shortest route to the seat which the Examination Office has notified you of by e-mail. There will be no notice of seat allocation on site to prevent groups forming before such a notice.
- 10. Do not touch any other than your own exam materials and table.
- 11. When you arrive in the exam room, the exam booklets will already be placed face down on your table. Do not turn them over until you are asked to do so by a supervisor. At the end of the exam you will be asked to turn the documents over again <u>immediately</u>. Turning over before the start of the exam and not turning over immediately at the end of the exam is considered an attempt to cheat.
- 12. Any questions can only be asked aloud during the exam.
- 13. At the end of the exam, the supervisors will inform you when and in which order you may leave the exam room.

In order to comply with the official requirements, the supervisors must punish violations strictly and, in particular, call the police immediately if the distance is below the minimum distance and queues form. We must point this out to you.

Failure to comply with these rules will result in immediate exclusion from the exam, which will then be failed.

We are under strict supervision of the respective authorities. In the worst case scenario, it is possible that all further exams of this and also the main exam phase cannot be carried out any longer after a breach of the rules.

We are really sorry that we have to burden you with these strict regulations and the strict enforcement in addition to the "normal stress" of an exam. However, we are obliged to do so and also convinced that these measures contribute to all our health. Therefore, we thank you already now for your cooperation.

The team of the Dean's Office wishes you good luck for the exam and, of course, good health.

Best regards,

Friedrich Sommer