Welcome Day for International Students, Faculty of Mathematics and Computer Science, Universität Göttingen

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General Structure

- Free selection of courses
- Erasmus: At least 51% of ECTS at our faculty
- Classes for Master students are held in English (by default)
- Different types of classes
  - Lecture ("Vorlesung"): once or twice a week
  - Seminar ("Seminar"): once a week, every student gives a talk for one session
  - Exercise session ("Übung"): In addition to lecture, presentation of exercises in smaller groups, solving problems, discussion/explanation of lecture
  - Practical course ("Praktikum"): Working on a project with a group on your own time during the semester and giving a presentation about the project at the end of the semester
Regulations for the examination

- lectures: one exam (oral or written) at the end of the semester/during the vacation
- examination method differs from lecture to lecture and will be clarified in the first week
- seminars: credit points and grade are given for the talk
- if there are exercises, 50% of the points are a prerequisite for admission to the exam (successful participation of the exercises, 50% rule)
- registration for exams/seminars/exercises via FlexNow is mandatory
Online Tools

- **UniVZ**: list of classes provided at the entire university and information about them
- **StudIP**: upload of exercises, notes, etc. for classes you registered for, most frequently used tool during the semester
- **FlexNow**: registration for exams, seminars, exercise sessions, overview over grades, issuing your academic record
- **ECampus**: unifies all of those, further tools: email-account, booking of rooms in the LSG, administration
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StudIP

- www.studip.uni-goettingen.de
- login with student data (typically firstname.lastname or initialoffirstname.lastname and password)
- after selection of courses registration via StudIP
- Please register in ”Forum für Studierende der Mathematik und Informatik” to receive important information!
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ECampus

- www.ecampus.uni-goettingen.de
- login data: see StudIP

- Self-Service
- Generation of Certificates, Re-registration, etc.

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▶ www.ecampus.uni-goettingen.de
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- [www.flexnow2.uni-goettingen.de](http://www.flexnow2.uni-goettingen.de)
- check UniVZ for the deadline for registration for exams
- cancellation of registration until the day before (oral 7 days before)
Contact for Support

- **Math Institute**
  - Hartje Kriete ("Studienreferent"), Study Officer Mathematics (Wed & Fri 09-11), kriete@math.uni-goettingen.de
  - Denise Krempasky ("Studienberatung"), Study advisor Mathematics (Mon & Wed 13-15, Tue & Thu 09-11), studienberatung@math.uni-goettingen.de

- **CS Institute**
  - Henrik Brosenne ("Studien- und Prüfungsberatung") B.Sc./M.Sc. Study officer and study advisor Computer Science (Thu 9:00-10:30), brosenne@informatik.uni-goettingen.de
  - Anne-Kathrin Schultz ("Studien- und Prüfungsberatung") M.Sc. Study officer and study advisor Computer Science (Thu 9:00-10:30), schultz@informatik.uni-goettingen.de
Other Contact for Support

▶ Karin Otto ("Prüfungsamt"), FlexNow registrations (Wed, 09:30-11:30, Bunsenstr., Tue 14-16, Fri 09:30-11:30, north campus),
karin.otto@zvw.uni-goettingen.de

▶ Fachschaftsrat (students’ representatives) (Mon 18-19),
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How to enjoy Göttingen

- Semesterticket: free use of most busses in Göttingen, and regional trains (e.g. to Kassel, Hannover, Hamburg, Bremen)
- Kulturticket: free/reduced entrance to theaters, clubs, exhibitions, concerts
- Hochschulsport: University’s sports center (cheap membership) with gym, swimming pool, team sports, courses, soccer league
- Unikino: university’s cinema, movies partly in original version, 4 times a week
- At our faculty
  - Stammtisch: Come together with faculty students/members, first Wednesday of every month
  - Game Night, every Friday from 18:00 CS Institute
  - game nights etc, announcements at door of Übungssaal, StudIP course: Forum für Studierende der Mathematik und Informatik
Thank you for your attention!