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Transitional regulations

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1 General

These transitional regulations refer only to the selective changes in the curriculum (i.e. any changes in the modules and the areas in a study program). All other changes and additions within the context of the introduction of the new framework ordinance (RVO22) are not part of these transitional regulations.

2 Major Programs in Business and Economics

2.1 Major Economics (M_90_ECON)

Compulsory area	The compulsory modules do not change.
Core elective area	In the core elective area, only 24 instead of 30 ECTS credits from the areas ECON 1 to ECON 3 have to be acquired.
	The conditions for the core elective area are dropped effective immediately.
Elective area	Newly, 6 ECTS credits can be acquired from the free elective area.

2.2 Major Banking and Finance (M_90_BF)

Compulsory area	The compulsory modules do not change.
Core elective area	In the core elective area, all 18 ECTS credits must be acquired from the areas BF 2 to BF 5. The areas BWL 1 and ECON 1 to ECON 3 are omitted.
	Students who have already completed modules from BWL 1 and ECON 1 to ECON 3 prior to HS22 may continue to transfer them towards the core elective area of this major.
	The conditions for the core elective are dropped effective immediately.
Elective area	The elective area does not change.



2.3 Major Management and Economics (M_90_ME)

Compulsory area	The module Empirical Methods continues to be a compulsory module. The module Applied Empirical Methods for Business Administration is no longer available for selection as an alternative. Those who have already taken Applied Empirical Methods for Business Administration prior to HS22 may use it as a compulsory module instead of
	Empirical Methods. Those who have already booked Applied Empirical Methods for Business Administration prior to HS22 but have not passed, or who have withdrawn from the assessment on short notice, may repeat the module in HS22/FS23 and can credit it as a compulsory module.
	All others must take the module Empirical Methods as a compulsory module starting in HS22.
Core elective area	Modules from the core elective area ECON 1 can now also be taken.
Elective area	This program does not have an elective area.

3 Major Programs in Informatics

3.1 Master's thesis in informatics

As of HS22, the Master's thesis must be completed in the area of the major program. *Example: Students with a major in Software Systems must complete the Master's thesis in the area of Software Systems (the subject allocation is made via the registration form).*

This requirement does not apply to students of informatics who begin their Master's thesis by July 31, 2022 (as the start date). For them, as before, the thesis must be completed with a faculty member of the Department of Informatics and, if possible, should be completed in the area of the major program.

4 Minor Programs for Students of Business and Economics

4.1 Minor Behavioral Economics (M_30_BE)

Compulsory area	-
Core elective area	The conditions for the core elective area are dropped effective immediately.
Elective area	-

4.2 Minor Economic Policy (M_30_EP)

Compulsory area	This minor is now called Development and Economic Policy.
Core elective area	The conditions for the core elective area are dropped effective immediately.
Elective area	-



4.3 Minor Business Administration (M_30_BWL)

Compulsory area	-
Core elective area	The conditions for the core elective area are dropped effective immediately.
Elective area	-

4.4 Minor Banking and Finance (M_30_BF)

Compulsory area	The compulsory area now comprises only 6 ECTS credits.
	The module Empirical Methods is now the only compulsory module. The modules Advanced Banking, Advanced Corporate Finance I, Advanced Financial Economics or Quantitative Finance are no longer available as alternatives.
	Those who have already taken Advanced Banking, Advanced Corporate Finance I, Advanced Financial Economics, or Quantitative Finance before HS22 may use it as a compulsory module instead of Empirical Methods.
	Those who have already booked Advanced Banking, Advanced Corporate Finance I, Advanced Financial Economics or Quantitative Finance prior to HS22 but have not passed, or who have withdrawn from the assessment at short notice, may repeat the module in HS22/FS23 and credit it as a compulsory module.
	All others must take the module Empirical Methods as a compulsory module starting in HS22.
Core elective area	In the core elective area, 24 ECTS credits are now to be acquired from the areas BF 2 to BF 5 instead of the previous 18.
Elective area	-

4.5 Minor Banking (M_30_B)

Compulsory area	The compulsory area now comprises only 12 ECTS credits. The modules Advanced Banking and Empirical Methods are still compulso-
	ry modules.
	The module Advanced Corporate Finance I is no longer a compulsory module.
Core elective area	Those who have already completed Advanced Corporate Finance I before HS22 can credit it towards the core elective area BF 2. As of HS22, Advanced Corporate Finance I can be credited towards the core elective BF 3: Those who complete it as of HS22 can therefore not use it for this minor.
	In the core elective area, 18 ECTS credits must now be earned from BF 2 instead of the previous 12.
Elective area	-



4.6 Minor Corporate Finance (M_30_CF)

Compulsory area	The compulsory area now comprises only 12 ECTS credits. The modules Advanced Corporate Finance and Empirical Methods are still compulsory modules.
	The module Advanced Banking is no longer a compulsory module.
Core elective area	Those who have already completed Advanced Banking prior to HS22 can credit it towards the core elective area BF 3. As of HS22, Advanced Banking can be credited towards the core elective area BF 2: Those who complete it as of HS22 can therefore not use it for this minor.
	In the core elective area, 18 ECTS credits are now to be acquired from BF 3 instead of the previous 12.
Elective area	-

4.7 Minor Financial Economics (M_30_FE)

Compulsory area	The compulsory area now comprises only 12 ECTS credits.
	The modules Advanced Financial Economics and Empirical Methods are still compulsory modules.
	The module Quantitative Finance is no longer a compulsory module.
Core elective area	Those who have already taken Quantitative Finance before HS22 can credit it towards the core elective area BF 4. From HS22 onwards, Quantitative Finance can be credited towards the core elective area BF 5: Those who complete it as of HS22 can therefore not use it for this minor. In the core elective area, 18 ECTS credits must now be earned from BF 4 instead of the previous 12.
Elective area	-



4.8 Minor Quantitative Finance (M_30_QF)

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Compulsory area	The compulsory area now comprises only 12 ECTS credits.
	The modules Quantitative Finance and Empirical Methods are still compulsory modules.
	The module Advanced Financial Economics is no longer a compulsory module.
Core elective area	Those who have already completed Advanced Financial Economics before HS22 can credit it towards the core elective area BF 5. From HS22 onwards, Advanced Financial Economics can be credited towards the core elective area BF 4: Those who complete it as of HS22 can therefore not use it for this minor.
	In the core elective area, 18 ECTS credits must now be earned from BF 5 instead of the previous 12.
Elective area	-

5 Minor Programs for Students in Informatics

5.1 Minor Business Administration (M_30_BWL_INF)

Compulsory area	The compulsory area now comprises only 6 ECTS credits.
Compulsory area	The compulsory area now comprises only 6 ECT3 credits.
	The module Applied Empirical Methods for Business Administration is now the only compulsory module.
	The module Advanced Microeconomics for Business Administration is no longer available for selection as an alternative.
	Those who have already taken Advanced Microeconomics for Business Administration prior to HS22 may use it as a compulsory module instead of Applied Empirical Methods for Business Administration.
	Those who have already booked Advanced Microeconomics for Business Administration before HS22 but have not passed, or who have withdrawn from the assessment at short notice, may repeat the module in HS22/FS23 and credit it as a compulsory module.
	All others must take Applied Empirical Methods for Business Administration as a compulsory module beginning in HS22.
Core elective area	-
Elective area	-



5.2 Minor Banking and Finance (M_30_BF)

Compulsory area	The compulsory area now comprises only 6 ECTS credits.
	The module Empirical Methods is now the only compulsory module.
	The modules Advanced Banking, Advanced Corporate Finance I, Advanced Financial Economics, or Quantitative Finance are no longer available as alternatives.
	Those who have already taken Advanced Banking, Advanced Corporate Finance I, Advanced Financial Economics, or Quantitative Finance before HS22 may use it as a compulsory module instead of Empirical Methods.
	Those who have already booked Advanced Banking, Advanced Corporate Finance I, Advanced Financial Economics or Quantitative Finance prior to HS22 but have not passed, or who have withdrawn from the assessment at short notice, may repeat the module in HS22/FS23 and credit it as a compulsory module.
	All others must take the module Empirical Methods as a compulsory module starting in HS22.
Core elective area	In the core elective area, 24 ECTS credits are now to be acquired from the areas BF 2 to BF 5 instead of the previous 18.
	Students who have already taken Advanced Banking, Advanced Corporate Finance I, Advanced Financial Economics, or Quantitative Finance prior to HS22 may credit it towards the core elective area of this minor.
Elective area	-