

First Amendment to the Study Regulations

for the Master's Degree Programme in "Integrated Natural Resource Management" (University Gazette – *AMB* no. 89/2014)

In accordance with § 17 para. 1 (3) of the constitution of Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin as amended on 24 October 2013 (University Gazette of Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin no. 47/2013) the Faculty Board of the Faculty of Life Sciences adopted the first amendment to the study regulations on ... *:

Article I

1. In § 5 (a), the titles of the compulsory modules CM 1, CM 2 and CM 4 shall be amended as follows:
 - CM 1: Agroecosystems, Environment and Sustainable Natural Resource Use (6 CP)
 - CM 2: Environmental and Resource Economics (6 CP)
 - CM 4: Institutional Economics and Political Economy (6 CP)
2. In § 5 (b), the titles of the modules FM 7, FM 9, FM 10, FM 12 and FM 14 shall be amended as follows:
 - FM 7: Advanced Environmental and Resource Economics (6 CP)
 - FM 9: Economics of Agricultural and Rural Development (6 CP)
 - FM 10: Cooperation and Cooperative Organizations (6 CP)
 - FM 12: Advanced Empirical Methodology for Social-Ecological Systems Analysis (6 CP)
 - FM 14: Public Policy Analysis: Agriculture and Food Policy (6 CP)

3. § 5 (b) para. 3 shall be replaced by the following:

(3) Compulsory elective modules can be grouped cross-disciplinarily into six priority areas, of which the students have to elect two. These priority areas allow for a focus on a thematically coherent group of subjects and have to be reported in writing to the Examination Office by the students during the second semester at the latest.

4. § 5 (b) para. 4 shall be replaced by the following:

In each of the two selected priority areas, three modules (18 CP) from the selection lists below must be completed.

5. In § 5 (b), the modules listed in the selection lists of the six priority areas shall no longer be printed in italics.

6. § 5 (c) shall be replaced by the following:

Interdisciplinary elective modules with a workload of 12 CP are to be completed from designated module catalogues of other subjects or central institutions of Humboldt-Universität or in the form of modules from other universities at the student's choice.

7. § 6 shall be replaced by the following:

The following interdisciplinary elective module is offered for other master's degree programmes:

FM 9 (ÜF): Economics of Agricultural and Rural Development (10 CP)

University Management approved the first amendment of the study regulations on ____.

The German version shall apply.

8. In "Appendix 1: Module Descriptions" the module descriptions of the following modules shall be replaced according to Appendix 1 of the present amendment regulations:
 - CM 1: Agroecosystems, Environment and Sustainable Natural Resource Use (6 CP)
 - CM 2: Environmental and Resource Economics (6 CP)
 - CM 4: Institutional Economics and Political Economy (6 CP)
 - FM°5 Practices and Organization of Organic Farming (6 CP)
 - FM 7: Advanced Environmental and Resource Economics (6 CP)
 - FM°8: Participatory Rural Innovation and Knowledge Systems°(6 CP)
 - FM°9: Economics of Agricultural and Rural Development (6 CP)
 - FM 9 (ÜF): Economics of Agricultural and Rural Development (10 CP)
 - FM 10: Cooperation and Cooperative Organizations (6 CP)
 - FM 12: Advanced Empirical Methodology for Social-Ecological Systems Analysis (6 CP)
 - FM 14: Public Policy Analysis: Agriculture and Food Policy (6 CP)
 - FM 16: Environmental Management and Information Systems (6 CP)
 - FM 18: Biodiversity and Conservation Management°(6 CP)
 - FM°21: International Forest Use and Management°(6 CP)
 - FM 24: Study Project (12 CP)
9. The following module descriptions shall be deleted without replacement in "Appendix 1: Module Descriptions":
 - FM 5 (ÜF): Practices and Organization of Organic Farming (10 CP)
 - FM 10 (ÜF): Co-operation and Co-operative Organizations (10 CP)
 - FM 22 (ÜF): The Role of Gender for Sustainable Resource Management (10 CP)
10. "Appendix 2: Ideal Study Plan without Semester Abroad" and "Appendix 3: Ideal Study Plan with Semester Abroad" shall be combined and replaced according to Appendix 2 of the present amendment regulations. Appendix 3 shall be deleted without replacement.

Article II

(1) The first amendment to the study regulations shall come into force on the day following its publication in the University Gazette of Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin.

(2) The subject-specific study regulations as amended by the present amendment regulations shall apply to all students who begin their studies after the present amendment regulations have come into force as well as to all students who have changed their university, programme or course of studies or continue their studies by re-enrolment.

(3) Students who began their studies prior to the commencement of the present amendment regulations or who have continued their studies by way of a change of university, programme or course of studies or by re-enrolment shall continue their studies on a transitional basis in accordance with the regulations previously applicable to them. Alternatively, such students can also choose to study under the subject-specific study regulations dated 15 September 2014 (University Gazette of Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin no. 89/2014) in accordance with the present amendment regulations. If they choose to do so, their choice shall be declared in writing at the Examination Office and shall be irreversible. As of the winter semester 2019/20, the study regulations of 15 September 2014 will apply without exception as amended by the present amendment regulations. In the transition to the study regulations of 15 September 2014 as amended by the present amendment regulations, students' already completed coursework will be taken into account according to § 110 ZSP-HU.