HNE Eberswalde Hochschule für nachhaltige Entwicklung

Information for students regarding time allowed for final theses

In accordance with sec. 19, para. 5 of the Framework University and Examination Regulations (RSPO) 2016, and

also in accordance with all earlier versions of RSPO of HNEE, it is ruled that if applied for by the student the time

allowed for final theses may be extended on account of reasons for which the student is not responsible. The

upper limit for the extension of the time allowed is one month for Bachelor degree programmes and two months

for Master's degree programmes. In addition to practical cases, including hardship cases, an illness is also

considered to be a reason for which the student is not responsible.

If the extension of the time allowed is necessary for practical reasons or for reasons other than health reasons,

please make a written, substantiated and signed application accompanied by an endorsement from the first

assessor to the Examination Committee Office.

If you become ill while working on your final thesis, you must immediately notify the Student Support Service and

International Office and provide evidence.

For practical reasons, including hardship case reasons, and also for illnesses the maximum extension of the time

allowed is one month for Bachelor theses and two months for Master theses.

For students, who have a disability or who have a long-term illness before or during the time allowed, there is the

possibility of making an application to compensate for disadvantage to the Examination Committee. You can

obtain more information from the Student Support Service & International Office or the Academic Affairs Office /

Examination Committee Office.

If due to illness and/or additional further practical or other reasons, a hardship case occurs and as a result the

maximum possible extension is not sufficient, you can make an application for a hardship case to the

Examination Committee (written application with signature, reason and proof of the reason, in the case of illness

with medical certificate from a specialist doctor (a certificate of incapacity to work is NOT sufficient!!!) and an

endorsement from the first assessor).

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