

Email communication with students: FST, WT 20/21 – hybrid formats

Dear FST students,

We are still living in particular times of global pandemics and COVID requires further adaptation of our FST study program. As you have been informed by our HNEE president, the corona crises management team and our dean, we will continue with our online study formats in this semester.

In addition to the previous semester, we opt to offer as many classes as possible as hybrid format to allow especially our international students to participate in the modules. This means for FST that we have capacities for about 12 students to be present in class (FST seminar room 11.102) for interaction. In case we are more than 12 students in the seminar room, we will establish a rotation system. All input presentations, debates and interactions will be streamed online to allow all students to equally participate in the module.

Therefore it is important that all students, also the ones in the seminar room, **have their computers** with them and log into our virtual classroom for interaction. Please don't forget your charger!

We will organise in class how to best allow for interactions, i.e. assigning sponsorships for the chat, the cameras etc. This is a new situation for all of use and we will have to be flexible and open for mutual adjustments, ready for adaptation and learning!

Please also take note of our safety measures, which you find condensed in the document

"Start of studies_Master Programmes_WiSe_2020-21".

As usual, you find further information on the organisation of single modules, i.e. the daily program, assignments, material and links to virtual classrooms in the respective teaching rooms in Emma.

All the best, take care and enjoy!

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