

Based on § 20 (1) sentence 1, (2) sentence 1, § 23 (2) sentence 1, § 24 (1) sentence 2 and § 81 (2) sentence 1 no. 1 of the Brandenburg Higher Education Act (*Brandenburgisches Hochschulgesetz*; BbgHG) of 9 April 2024 (GVBl. I/24, No. 12), in conjunction with § 1 (1) of the Ordinance on the Organization of Examination Regulations to Ensure the Equivalence of Studies, Examinations and Degrees (University Examination Ordinance [*Hochschulprüfungsverordnung*; HSPV]) of 4 March 2015 (GVBl. II/15, No. 12) amended by Article 3 of the Act of 09 April 2024 (GVBl. I/24, [No. 12]) in conjunction with § 13 (5) No. 1 of the Basic Regulations of the European University Viadrina Frankfurt (Oder) of 04/09/2019, last amended on 06/11/2019 (Gazette of the European University Viadrina Frankfurt (Oder) No. 02/2020 in conjunction with § 1 (2) of the General Study and Examination Regulations for Bachelor's and Master's Degree Programmes (*Allgemeine Studien- und Prüfungsordnung für Bachelor- und Masterstudiengänge*; ASPO) as amended on 13 July 2022 (Gazette of the European University Viadrina Frankfurt (Oder) No. 04/2022), the Faculty Councils of the Faculty of Law, Faculty of Cultural Studies and Faculty of Economics of the European University Viadrina Frankfurt (Oder) issue the following program-specific regulations:¹

First bylaws amending the study and examination regulations for the Master of Digital Entrepreneurship (Master of Arts) degree program of 16/03/2023 (1st amendment bylaws) of 29/05/2024

Article 1

The study and examination regulations for the Master of Digital Entrepreneurship (Master of Arts) degree program of 16/03/2023 are amended as follows:

1. The module overview table in § 5 (1) sentence 4 has been adapted as follows:

Practic e modul e	D Entrepreneurship Labs	24	2	30 hours	690 hours	module- specific	720 hours	Research Lab, graded
								not graded

2. § 10 is amended as follows:

a) Sentence 1 of paragraph 3 is rephrased as follows:

¹The Master's thesis shall generally be 22,000 - 30,000 words in length.

b) The following new sentence 2 and sentence 3 are inserted in paragraph 3:

²The student shall be informed of this by the first assessor when the topic is issued.

³One-time deviations require an application from the first assessor in individual cases, to be submitted to the Examination Board for information.

3. § 12 (3) is amended as follows:

The overall grade is calculated as follows:

75%	Course-related assessments (modules A to C + D-Research Lab)
25%	Final module E

4. The following changes are made to Annex 1 (Module Catalogue) under II Module Descriptions:

a) The weighting of the grade in the overall grade is changed as follows for modules A1, A2.1, A.2.2, A3, A4, A5, A6, B1, B2, B3, B4, and C:

Weighting of the grade in the overall grade	graded (modules A to C + D-Research Lab = 75%)
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b) The weighting of the grade in the overall grade is changed as follows for Module D:

Weighting of the grade in the overall grade	Project Lab and Professional Practice Lab ungraded; Research Lab graded (Modules A to C + D-Research Lab = 75%)
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c) The weighting of the grade in the overall grade is inserted as follows for Module E:

Weighting of the grade in the overall grade	Graded (Master's thesis 20% + final colloquium 5% = 25%)
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5. In Annex 3 (Internship Policy), the following paragraph shall be inserted as the penultimate paragraph:

Procedure for crediting mandatory internships

Academic recognition of an internship/work placement as coursework is applied for by submitting an application to the MoDE Examination Board for the recognition of coursework and examinations for the MoDE degree program in practical module D (internship). The form will be provided to the student on the ENS website or upon request to the ENS Student Counselling Service and must be signed by the student upon submission. The application must be accompanied by an internship certificate issued and signed by the internship provider on business stationery (company logo, company stamp if applicable). The internship certificate must also provide the following details:

- Term of the internship
- Framework of weekly working hours (full-time/part-time)
- Description of tasks
- Contact details of internship provider

All applications are subject to a preliminary review by the ENS student counselling service

and only complete applications will be forwarded to the Audit Committee. Once the compulsory internship has been completed and the maximum number of ECTS credits has been awarded, no further internships will be recognized, and no further compulsory internship certificates will be issued. Once internships have been entered in viaCampus and thus recognized as coursework, they will not be removed from viaCampus for the duration of the student's studies.

Article 2

These amending statutes shall enter into force on the day following their publication in the Official Announcements of the European University Viadrina Frankfurt (Oder).