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According to the law on higher education institutions in the free state of Saxony (Saxon law on higher education institutions – SächsHSFG) of 15 January 2013 (SächsGVBl. p.900), last changed by the Finance Act on the two-year budget 2015/2016 (Haushaltsbegleitgesetz 2015/2016- HBG 2015/2016) of 29 April 2015 (SächsGVBl. p.387), the University of Leipzig has enacted on 14 July 2017 the following examination regulations.

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I. General Regulations

§ 1

Purpose of the Master's Examination

The master's examination assesses whether and to which extent the following aims of the study programme have been met:

1. Development of specific expertise (specialized and/or career-specific knowledge and skills) on and deepened understanding of different approaches to the phenomenon of globalization, its basic tenets and problem areas as well as the ability to independently work on interdisciplinary problem areas and the adequate presentation, in written and oral form, of the knowledge gathered.
2. Independent work on an extensive scientific or practical problem with a thematic focus of scientific nature and/or related to the relevant professional fields.

§ 2

Standard Period of Study

The standard period of study is four semesters, two of which have to be spent abroad.

§ 3

Structure of Examinations

(1) The master's examination consists of the module examinations of the study programme and the master's thesis.

(2) One module examination consists of no more than two examination performances. The examination performances for each module examination will be carried out during the course of studies. The table of examinations (annex) indicates in particular the allocation of module examinations to the modules and the weighting of examination performances within each module.

§ 4

Deadlines and Free Attempt

(1) The master's examination shall be taken within the standard period of study. A master's examination that is not taken within four semesters after completion of the standard period of study is considered a failed attempt.

(2) A failed module examination can only be retaken within one year after the first examination attempt. The examination will be considered as failed after expiry of this period of time. The first repeat examination may take place in the same semester, but not earlier than 14 days after the results have been initially announced. A second repeat examination can only be taken upon request at the next possible examination date.

(3) For part-time students, deadlines as given in §4 (1) and the first sentence of §4 (2) will be extended depending on the proportion of their part-time studies. The board of examiners will decide on the proportion of the part-time studies following a request submitted by the student.

(4) The examination dates will be announced on the notice-board and electronically. The announcement is usually made four weeks before the respective examination date.

(5) The examination results will always be announced on the notice-board and electronically.

(6) Failures to meet the deadlines for which the student is not responsible shall not be taken into account when calculating the deadlines. This also holds true for periods of maternity and parental leave.

(7) Module examinations counting towards the master's examination and the master's thesis can be taken before expiration of the deadlines set forth in the present regulations if the admission requirements are fulfilled and a request is submitted to the responsible examination board according to § 36 para. 5 sentence 2 SächsHSG. In this case, a failed module examination or a failed master's thesis is considered as not performed (free attempt). Examination performances that are graded 'sufficient' (4.0) or better can be credited in a new examination procedure. Passed module

examinations graded 'sufficient' (4.0) or better, performed in accordance with sentence 1, can be repeated upon request of the examination candidate at the next regular examination date for the purpose of improving the grade. In these cases, the better grade will be considered. This does not apply if the student has received for at least one examination performance in the module the grade 'insufficient' (5.0) according to § 13 para.3 or an examination has not been passed or subsequently declared as failed according to § 13 para.3 or 21 para.1.

§ 5

General Requirements for Admission

(1) The master's examination and the master's thesis can only be taken by students who

1. are enrolled for the master's programme Global Studies and
2. can account for a proper course of study.

(2) The registration for a module is at the same time the registration for the module examination. Withdrawal from the module and thus from the module examination can be effected no later than

four weeks before the end of the lecture period without giving any reasons by notice in writing to the responsible examination office. With the withdrawal effected in due date, any examination performances rendered in the module will be deemed not to have been rendered. Withdrawal from examinations after expiry of the deadline is only possible with good cause and requires a written notification and the written authorization of the board of examiners.

(3) The admission to the module examinations and the Master thesis can only be denied if

1. the prerequisites listed in Paragraph 1 are not fulfilled or the rules of procedure according to Paragraph 2 are not followed;
2. the required documents are not complete;
3. the examination candidate has definitively failed the master's examination in this or in a similar study programme that is similar by the provisions of state law or is currently in the process of such an examination;
4. the examination candidate has lost by the provisions of state law his/her right to examination after exceeding the deadlines for the registration for the respective examination or after exceeding the deadline for taking the respective examination.

§ 6

Pre-Examination Requirements

Pre-examination requirements (Requirements that are necessary for the admission to the module examination) are not required.

§ 7

Examination Requirements

- (1) Examination Requirements or Examination Performances are to be rendered
 1. orally (§ 8) and/or
 2. as written tests (§ 9) and/or
 3. as project work (§ 10).
- (2) Furthermore, alternative examination performances can be taken according to § 11.
- (3) Written examination performances do not include the multiple choice format.
- (4) If the examination candidate can plausibly prove that he or she is unable to partially or entirely complete the required examination performances in the foreseen timeframe or in compliance with other examination modalities due to a handicap or chronic disease, the examination candidate will be granted permission to complete the examination during an extended period of time or in a different manner. In these cases, a doctor's note and—in cases of doubt—a note from a public medical officer may be required. The same applies to course assignments.

§ 8

Oral Examinations

- (1) In oral examinations the candidate is expected to show that he or she can recognize the way in which different aspects of the subject of examinations interrelate and that he or she is able to contextualize specific questions within these correlations. Furthermore, the candidate is expected to show that he or she has basic knowledge corresponding to the state of studies.
- (2) Oral examinations will either be conducted by several examiners or by one examiner and an observer knowledgeable in the field (§ 18 para. 1 sentence 4); the examination can be held individually or in a group. A record shall be kept of the examination process, documenting the fundamental topics and results of the examination. Before determining the grade, the examiner must consult the observer.
- (3) The duration of the oral examination is determined in the annex to the examination regulations.
- (4) The result is to be disclosed to the candidate after the oral examination.

§ 9

Written Examinations

- (1) In the written examinations the participants are expected to show that they are able to recognize and solve problems, applying the common methods of the study subject,

in a limited amount of time and with limited aids. The candidates can be given different topics to choose from.

(2) The duration of the written examination is determined in the annex to the examination regulations.

(3) The examinations will generally be assessed by two examiners. The final grade of the written examination will be calculated as follows. If the grades of both examiners are 'sufficient' (4.0) or better and do not diverge by more than 2.0, the final grade will be calculated as the average of both grades. If both grades are 'insufficient' (5.0) or if both grades diverge by more than 2.0, the head of the board of examiners will appoint a third examiner. The final grade is then calculated as the average of the two better grades, if those are 'sufficient' (4.0) or better. If two of the three grades are 'insufficient' (5.0), the final grade is 'insufficient' (5.0). The assessment procedure may not exceed a period of four weeks.

§ 10

Project Work

(1) In project work the candidates are expected to prove their ability to work in a team and to develop, implement and present concepts. The candidate is expected to show that he or she is able to define goals for a large-scale assignment and define interdisciplinary approaches and concepts. An instance of project work generally consists of the oral presentation and the written report or documentation of results.

(2) The provisions § 8 para. 2, 4 and § 9 para. 3 shall apply by analogy to the assessment of project works.

(3) The duration of the oral presentation is 20 min. The time allowed for the written report or documentation of the results is generally six weeks.

(4) The candidate's individual contribution to a project work carried out as group work must be clearly recognizable and evaluable and fulfil the requirements established in paragraph 1.

§ 11

Alternative Forms of Examination

(1) Alternative forms of examination (AFE) are essay, internship report and portfolio. The time allowed for the essay is four weeks; the time allowed for the internship report is six weeks. Portfolios are combined examination forms that should reflect the different topics of the course. Examples for tasks in a portfolio: presentation, book review, reaction papers. The composition of a portfolio will be announced by the lecturer at the beginning of the module.

(2) The provisions § 8 para. 2-4 and § 9 para. 3 shall apply by analogy to the assessment of alternative forms of examination.

§ 12

Assessment of Examination Results, Composition and Weighting of Grades

(1) The grade of the master's examination is the arithmetic mean of the grades of the module examinations and the master's thesis weighted by credit points. Modules that are not graded are not taken into account for the calculation of the final grade.

(2) The examination office will calculate module grades on the basis of the respective examination performances. The grades for the individual examination performances are set by the examiners responsible. For the assessment of examination performances the following grades are to be given:

- 1 = very good = exceptional performance
- 2 = good = a performance that is considerable above average
- 3 = satisfactory = a performance that corresponds to the average requirements
- 4 = sufficient = a performance that, in spite of its shortcomings, still meets the requirements
- 5 = insufficient = a performance that, due to considerable shortcomings, no longer meets the requirements

(3) For a more differentiated assessment, individual grades can be raised or lowered to intermediate values by 0.3. The marks 0.7 and 4.3 as well as 4.7 and 5.3 are not permitted.

(4) If a module examination consists of several examination performances, the module grade will be the arithmetic mean of the grades of the examination performances weighted as set forth in the annex to the examination regulations. A faithful reflection of the weighting of individual examination performances will be arrived at with the help of multiples.

Individual examination performances of the module examination may generally offset and compensate for one another. If the module examination is passed, the corresponding credit points will be allocated and registered with the examination office.

(5) When computing the module grade, only the first decimal is taken into account; all other decimals are struck without rounding.

The module grades are:

- 1. with an average of 1.0 = excellent
- 2. with an average of 1.1 up to and including 1.5 = very good
- 3. with an average of 1.6 up to and including 2.5 = good
- 4. with an average of 2.6 up to and including 3.5 = satisfactory
- 5. with an average of 3.6 up to and including 4.0 = sufficient
- 6. with an average of over 4.0 = insufficient

(6) If sufficient data are available, the German grades for the master's examination will be supplemented by an ECTS grade according to the following scheme:

ECTS grade	Percentage of students who generally receive this grade
A	The best 10 %
B	The next 25 %
C	The next 30 %
D	The next 25 %
E	The next 10 %
F	-

(7) Examination performances in the module 06-008-GS-0850 and 06-008-GS-0950 will not be graded, but assessed with ‚pass‘ and ‚fail‘. The examination performance is passed if it satisfies the requirements. An examination performance is failed if due to considerable shortcomings it does not satisfy the requirements.

§ 13

Non-attendance, Withdrawal, Deception, Breach of Regulations

(1) An examination is assessed with the grade ‚insufficient, (5.0) if the candidate misses an examination without valid reason, or withdraws from the examination without valid reason. § 5 para. 2 shall remain unaffected. Sentence 2 is applicable if a written or alternative examination performance is not rendered within the given timeframe. In the case of a non-graded examination performance, it will be considered a ‚fail‘.

(2) The reason for withdrawal or failure to attend must be submitted in writing and must be plausible. If the candidate is ill, a doctor's note or, in cases of doubt, a note from a public medical officer may be required. As far as deadlines for the initial application for examination (generally corresponding to the student's registration for a particular course whose completion depends on passing an examination), the repetition of examinations, the reasons for non-attendance or withdrawal are concerned, the candidate's own illness, as well as the illness of a close family member primarily in the sole care of the candidate shall be deemed equivalent reasons. If the reason is accepted, the examination will be rescheduled. The results from prior examinations are to be credited.

(3) If the candidate attempts to manipulate the result of the examination by cheating or using inadmissible aids, the corresponding examination performance is assessed as ‚insufficient‘ (5.0). In the case of a non-graded examination performance, the examination will be considered a ‚fail‘. In serious cases the examination board can

declare the entire module examination as a ‚fail‘. Any candidate who disturbs the proper course of examination can be banned from

continuing the examination by the examiner or proctor; in this case the examination performance will be assessed as ‚insufficient‘ (5.0). In serious cases, the examination board can ban the candidate from rendering further examination performances. The candidate shall be granted a hearing before the decision.

(4) Incriminating decisions must be communicated to the applicant immediately in writing, stating the reasons for the decision and specifying the legal remedies.

§ 14

Pass and Fail

(1) The master’s examination has been passed if the required study performances have been accomplished, the module examinations of the master’s examination have been passed and the master’s thesis has been graded ‚sufficient‘ (4.0) or better.

(2) If the candidate did not pass the master’s examination, at the request of the candidate a certificate showing the graded and non-graded pieces of work successfully passed and the grades received will be issued. Issuance of such a certificate, which will also attest that the master’s programme was not completed, is dependent upon the presentation of the required documentation as well as the certificate of deregistration.

(3) A module examination has been passed if the module grade is ‚sufficient, (4.0) or better. A non-graded module examination has been passed if the examination performances have been passed.

(4) By way of derogation from § 12 para. 4, the examination performances that are specially marked in the annex must be assessed ‚sufficient‘ (4.0) or better. These examination performances themselves cannot be compensated if they are graded worse than ‚sufficient‘ (4.0), but they are to be taken into account for the compensation of other examination performances of the module examination.

(5) An examination performance that is not graded ‚sufficient, (4.0) or better does not bar the student from continuing the module examination.

(6) In case a module examination has not been passed or the master’s thesis has received a grade less than ‚sufficient, (4.0), the candidate will be notified in written form. The candidate will also receive information on whether and to which extent and to which deadline the examination performance or the master’s thesis can be repeated.

§ 15

Results of Module Examinations

(1) The repetition of the entire master’s examination within the meaning of § 3 para. 1 is not possible. Where a module examination of an obligatory module was definitively failed, the master’s examination is also definitively failed unless the module is replaced according to paragraph 3.

(2) Where a module examination is failed, only the examination performances graded with „insufficient, (5.0) can be repeated. Where a non-graded module examination is failed, only the examination performances assessed as ‚fail‘ must be repeated. In the case of § 13 para. 3

sentence 2, all examination performances of the module examination are to be repeated. § 4 para. 2 shall remain unaffected.

(3) If the module examination in an optional compulsory module is definitively failed, this can be compensated by passing another optional compulsory module.

(4) Failed attempts at other German Universities and institutions of higher education shall be taken into account.

§ 16

Recognition of and Credit for Study Periods, Academic and Examination Performances

(1) Periods of study and examination performances rendered at a higher education institution are recognized upon application unless they differ substantially in terms of the competencies acquired by the student. To that end, students shall produce the necessary documents.

(2) For academic and examination performances obtained in state-approved distance-learning organizations and other education institutions as well as for multimedia-based academic and examination performances paragraph 1 applies accordingly.

(3) Qualifications gained outside the study programme will be credited in so far as they are equivalent to parts of the study programme in terms of content and requirements and can thus replace those unless this exceeds 50% of the credits foreseen in the curriculum.

(4) Where academic and examination performances are credited, the grades—in so far as the grade systems are comparable—shall be transferred and included in the calculation of the overall grade. If the grade systems are not comparable, prior academic and examination performances are registered by affixing a ‚pass‘. Identification of credit transfer in the diploma is permissible. The transferred performances can be marked in the degree certificate.

(5) If achievements are not recognized this requires a written statement of grounds.

§ 17

Board of Examiners

(1) The board of examiners is to be formed at the Faculty for Social Sciences and Philosophy (Fakultät für Sozialwissenschaften und Philosophie).

(2) The board of examiners consists of a chairperson, his or her deputy and up to five further members. The faculty council appoints the chairperson and up to three further board members from the body of full-time university professors (hauptamtliche

Hochschullehrer/innen), up to two members from the body of research associates (wissenschaftliche Mitarbeiter/innen) and one member from the student body. The appointment of student board members occurs in accordance with the respective student council (Fachschaftratsrat). Furthermore, a substitute has to be appointed for every member of the board of examiners from his or her group. The full-time university professors have the majority of votes. The period of office is three years for university professors and research associates and one year for students. The board members elect the chairperson and his/her deputy from the group of university professors.

(3) The board of examiners monitors the compliance with the rules as laid down in the examination regulations and offers suggestions as to potential reforms of the examination and study regulations. The board of examiners constitutes a quorum if the meeting has been duly and orderly called and the majority of voting members are present. The board shall act by majority vote of those present. Student members are not involved in the setting of examination questions.

(4) The chairperson prepares and executes the decisions reached by the board of examiners. He/she reports to the faculty council on the activities of the board, in particular on the development of study time and the distribution of grades. The board may delegate part of its competencies to the chairperson.

(5) All members of the board of examiners are entitled to attend examinations.

(6) The members of the board of examiners are subject to official secrecy. Insofar as they are not in public service, they are to be committed to secrecy by the chairperson.

§ 18

Examiners and Proctors

(1) Only university professors and other persons authorized by federal state law to administer examinations—those who have been awarded the teaching licence in the field relevant to the examination or those who are entitled to independently perform teaching functions—shall be appointed as examiners. Where it is appropriate in view of the subject matter of the examination, persons who are entitled to independently perform teaching functions only in some area of the examination subject may be appointed as examiners. In exceptional circumstances, teachers for special tasks (Lehrkräfte für besondere Aufgaben) as well as persons skilled in professional training or practice may be appointed as examiners, provided that this line of action is appropriate to the nature of the university exam. Examiners and proctors/observers must have at least the qualification that is to be ascertained in the examination or have an equivalent qualification.

(2) The names of the examiners shall be disclosed to the examination candidate at least four weeks prior to the exam date. Justified deviations are possible and need to be approved by the board of examiners.

(3) For the examiners and proctors/observers, § 17 para. 7 shall apply accordingly.

§ 19

Master's Thesis

(1) The master's thesis is to show that the candidate is able to independently work on a problem from the field of Global Studies in a given period of time and in compliance with scientific standards. It is expected of the candidate to present the pertinent state of research, to distinguish his/her own approach and expound on why it was chosen.

(2) The master's thesis is supervised by a professor or another person authorized by federal state law to administer examinations, provided that this person is working at the University of Leipzig in a field relevant to the master's programme Global Studies. The master's thesis may also be supervised by an authorized professor at a partner university in the course of a study abroad period.

(3) The master's thesis corresponds to a workload of 15 CP; as a general rule, it is to be produced during studies in the third and fourth semester. The working time for the master's thesis amounts to 40 weeks.

(3) On request of the examination candidate, the board of examiners shall issue the topic of the thesis no later than at the end of the lecture period of the third semester. Topic and date are to be recorded. The candidate is free to express desired topics. The topic can only be returned once and only within two weeks of issue.

(5) The master's thesis can also be produced in the form of group work, provided that the requirements of para. 1 are met and that the candidate's contribution is clearly distinguishable and assessable by the indication of sections, page numbers or other objective criteria that allow a clear distinction.

(6) The date of submission is to be recorded. Upon submission, the candidate must guarantee that he/she has authored his/her thesis independently—in the case of group work his/her portions of the work that are to be marked accordingly—and that no other aids and sources than those indicated have been used.

(7) Three hard copies and one electronic copy of the scientific master's thesis are to be handed in.

(8) The master's thesis shall be evaluated by two examiners independently. One of them should be the supervisor of the master's thesis.

(9) The final score of the thesis is obtained as follows. Where the grades of the two reports are "sufficient" (4.0) or better and no more than 2.0 apart, the final grade is calculated as the average of the two grades. Where both grades are "not sufficient" (5.0), the examination has not been passed. Where one of the two grades is "not sufficient" (5.0), or if the grades of the two reports are more than 2.0 apart, the chairperson of the board of examiners shall appoint a third referee. The final grade is then calculated as the average of the best and second best grades, provided they are "sufficient" (4.0) or better. If two out of the three grades are "not sufficient" (5.0), the final grade is "not sufficient" (5.0).

(10) Where the evaluation of the master's thesis is worse than "sufficient" (4.0), the thesis may be repeated once within a year. A second re-examination is possible only

upon request at the earliest possible date. A return of the topic of the master's thesis in the period referred to in para. 4 shall be permitted only if the candidate has not previously availed himself/herself of this option.

(11) The evaluation process of the master's thesis should not exceed a period of six weeks.

§ 20

Diploma and Certificate

(1) Without delay, preferably within four weeks, the candidate shall receive a diploma in German and English testifying to his/her having passed the master's examination. The transcript (Transcript of Records) reflecting the grades awarded (German grades and ECTS grades), the credit points of the individual modules of the master's programme as well as the overall grade is to be appended to the diploma..

(2) The certificate bears the date of the day on which the last examination was performed and the date the certificate is issued. Further, the student's name, date of birth and place of birth, the topic and the grade of the master's thesis and the final grade of the examination shall be included in the diploma. The certificate is designed in accordance with the corporate design of the University of Leipzig and in accordance with the requirements of the "Partnership and Cooperation Agreement" of the EMGS Consortium.

(3) The University of Leipzig issues a Diploma Supplement (DS) according to the "Diploma Supplement Model" of the European Union/Council of Europe/UNESCO.

(4) Along with the master's diploma, the candidate receives the master's certificate with the date of the diploma in German and English. This certificate attests to the award of the master's degree. The certificate is signed by the dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences and Philosophy and stamped with the seal of the Faculty of Social Sciences and Philosophy. In accordance with the provisions of the "Degree Agreement" of the consortium "Global Studies - A European Perspective", or – in the case of students with a focus on "Peace and Security in Africa" – the "Degree Agreement" with the University of Addis Ababa, the student receives the proper combined degree with the corresponding partner university/universities (double degree or joint degree).

§ 21

Invalidity of the Master's Examination

(1) If the candidate has cheated in an examination and this fact becomes known only after issuance of the certificate, the grade of the examination can be corrected in accordance with § 13 para. 3. Potentially, the module examination and the final examination may be declared as failed.

(2) If the prerequisites for taking a module exam were not met, with no intent to deceive on the part of the candidate, and this fact becomes known only after issuance of the certificate, these faults shall be remedied by passing the module exam. If the candidate

has obtained the admission to the module examination by intentionally deceitful means, the module exam and the final examination will be declared as failed.

(3) The candidate is to be given opportunity to be heard prior to a decision.

(4) Para. 1 through 3 apply for the master's thesis accordingly.

(5) An incorrect diploma is to be withdrawn and, if applicable, a new one is to be issued. Along with the incorrect diploma, the master's certificate, the transcript and the diploma supplement are to be withdrawn. Decisions according to para. 1 and para. 2, sentence 2, are undue after a period of five years starting with the date of the diploma.

§ 22

Access to Examination Files

Within one year after completion of the examination procedure, upon request and in due time, the candidate shall be granted access to his/her written examinations, the related reports and the examination protocols.

§ 23

Responsibilities of the Board of Examiners

The board of examiners is responsible for all tasks laid down in these regulations unless otherwise specified.

The board of examiners is specifically responsible for decisions

1. concerning the consequences of breaches of examination regulations (§ 13),
2. concerning the passing and failing (§ 14),
3. concerning the recognition, credit and transfer of study periods, study and examination performances (§ 16),
4. concerning the appointment of examiners and proctors (§ 18) and the authority to issue the master's thesis (§ 19)
5. concerning the invalidity of the master's examination (§ 21) and
6. concerning contradictions in the examination procedure (§ 24).

§ 24

Right to Object

(1) Incriminating decisions are to be supplemented with information on legal remedies.

(2) The candidate may file an objection against incriminating decisions within a month of their announcement. The appeal must be filed in writing or for record at the Faculty for Social Sciences and Philosophy.

(3) The board of examiners will make a decision on the objection within a period of three months.

II. Specific Regulations

§ 25

Workload

(1) The total amount of student workload for the successful completion of the master's programme Global Studies is 120 credit points (CP). In addition to the contact hours (Präsenzstudium), this includes self-study and examination periods. One credit point corresponds to a workload of 30 hours. That applies to all modules including the Master's thesis.

(2) In each academic year, 60 credit points are usually earned for passed module exams.

§ 26

Subject, Nature and Scope of the Master's Examination

(1) The master's examination consists of examinations on the modules listed in the appendix and the master's thesis.

(2) The master's programme has a scope of 120 CP, of which 15 CP are allotted to the master's thesis.

(3) The modules

06-008-GS-0710 (Global History)

06-008-GS-0720 (International Studies)

06-008-GS-0730 (Methods for the Study of Globalisation)

06-008-GS-0850 (Global Studies Colloquium 1, Summer School)

06-008-GS-0950 (Academic Writing and Research Skills)

06-008-GS-1010 (World Orders under the Global Condition)

06-008-GS-1020 (Cultural transfers under the Global Condition) and

06-008-GS-1030 (Global Studies Colloquium 2)

are compulsory modules;

Out of the modules

06-008-GS-0810/910 (Regions in Globalisation Processes: Africa and the Near East)

06-008-GS-0820/920 (Regions in Globalisation Processes: The Americas)

06-008-GS-0830/930 (Regions in Globalisation Processes: Asia and the Middle East),

06-008-GS-0840/940 (Regions in Globalisation Processes: Europe)

two are to be elected.

§ 27

Master's Degree

Upon successful completion of the Master examination, the student is awarded the academic degree of "Master of Arts" (abbreviated: M.A.) by the Faculty.

§ 28

Entry into Force, Transitional Provisions and Publication

(1) These examination regulations were approved by the faculty council of the Faculty of Social Sciences and Philosophy on 8th February 2012. The senate of the University of Leipzig stated its position on (...). These examination regulations were approved by the rectorate on (...). They will be published in the Official Bulletin of the University of Leipzig.

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(3) In case that students have failed a module exam affected by these examination regulations before their coming into effect.

Soweit Studierende vor dem Inkrafttreten dieser Prüfungsordnung eine von ihr betroffene Modulprüfung nicht bestanden haben, ist diese nach den Regelungen der Prüfungsordnung in der bei Anmeldung zur Modulprüfung gültigen Fassung zu wiederholen.

Notes on Placeholders in the Appendices to Study and Examination Regulations:

General Explanation

Placeholder:

In the overview, these indicate free choices that students can make. In each case, the amount of CP of the modules to be selected is specified.

Selection placeholders are to be filled with courses from the attached catalogue of selection modules in accordance with the stipulations of the study regulations.

Specific Explanation

Selection placeholders:

These stand for the selection modules of the study programme that can be studied in the extent specified there. The examination regulation stipulates which selection modules have to be elected.