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Dear students,

With today's letter, we would like to inform you about the plans for teaching in the summer semester 2021 and share with you the results of the last meetings of the President's Office.

In principle, the President's Office continues to regard the implementation of teaching in presence as a high priority and is in favor of and supports all measures that enable the implementation of teaching in presence, insofar as this is justifiable in the context of the pandemic and complies with the current regulations of the state NRW.

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Information on the organization of teaching

- 1. The lecture period remains from 12.04.2021 to 23.07.2021.
- 2. Sport practical courses and comparable courses (i.e. seminars with high sport practical parts) will be held in presence from 12.04.2021.
- 3. Seminars and similar courses:
 - a. Up to and including 21.05.21, seminars (except those previously mentioned) will be conducted as online offerings (regardless of the room indication in LSF).
 - b. From 31.05.21 onwards, seminars shall be held in presence. The decision about which seminars and exercises of the study program will be held in presence under which conditions (see next point) will be made by the heads of the study program in consultation with the module leaders and/or teaching staff (e.g. at study program conferences).
- 4. Organization of seminars in presence: Seminar rooms may still only be used with the designated number of participants. The implementation of presence in seminars is possible from 31.05.21, especially in the rolling system (see explanations on p. 3/4 of this information). In the LA and sports science BA programs, the resulting attendance weeks are defined by the code table on page 4. In the sports science MA programs, separate regulations for presence can be specified. The rolling system can also be implemented as a hybrid course (i.e., the students who are not present are "connected" online).
- 5. Large lectures take place online during the whole summer semester (i.e. those with > 30 students registered in the LSF).
- 6. Small lectures (up to approx. 30 students) are handled like seminars and tutorials in terms of organization and hygiene (see above).

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Information about the aptitude test

- 1. The dates for the aptitude tests are confirmed once again: They will take place between 26-28.05.2021 (only for students already enrolled) and 17-24.07.2021 (for all applicants).
- 2. Classes will be cancelled during this period (17.-24.07.2021) for
 - Courses whose rooms/gym halls are used for the ET (alternative online offer possible).
 - Courses whose teachers are used as examiners as part of the ET.
 - Students participating in the ET may be absent from concurrent courses without disadvantage. Affected students must provide the respective teachers with proof of ET enrollment.
- 3. Examinations or learning success checks ("LEK") should take place in the penultimate week of lectures if possible. If exams or learning outcome assessments must necessarily take place during the ET week, ET-participating students must be given an option of an alternative exam date.
- 4. Due to the increased volume of students on campus during ET week, it is recommended that courses refrain from presence teaching during that week.

Free practice / tutorials

As the possibilities for free practice are limited to exam preparation (and not possible without supervision) also in the summer semester 2021, the university will offer additional sports practical tutorials. In addition to the 45 regularly scheduled tutorials, a large number of additional tutorials will be offered.

Student workstations

During SoSe 2021, online seminars and online lectures will continue to take place immediately before, after or between face-to-face events. Student workstations required for this purpose will be provided as follows until further notice:

- 1. 70 workstations will be provided for students in the Central Sports Library from 10:00 to 17:00 (Monday to Saturday) from March 15, 2021 (booking via the ZBSport library system).
- 2. The lecture halls (especially Hö 1) will be made available as a place for students to stay, analogous to the winter semester.
- 3. A smaller number of rooms in the guest house (Hockey-Judo-Center) will be made available as working space for special teaching-learning situations (e.g. for presentations).

Strategy on rapid tests

Rapid testing strategies are currently under consideration between universities and the State Department, as well as nationwide.

Notes on the rolling system

(for seminars or similar courses in attendance after 31.05.2021)

The rolling system regulates the presence of Bachelor students at the respective lecture or calendar weeks on the basis of their matriculation number (practical sports events are regulated in presence regardless of this). The assignment in the rolling system is prescribed by the following mode:

- Bachelor students with an even last digit in their matriculation number (i.e.: 0, 2, 4, 6, 8 at the end) have their presence time in the week of 31.05.2021-04.06.2021 (week 22) (i.e. even last digit = presence in even calendar week).
- Bachelor students with odd last digit (i.e. 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 at the end) will have their presence time
 (i.e. odd last digit = presence in odd calendar week) in the week of 19.04.2021-23.04.2021
 (KW23).

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- This system continues throughout the semester, alternating accordingly (see table).
- The teacher decides how to proceed with the group that is not present in (e.g.: join via synchronous Webex, asynchronous alternative assignment, etc.).

Presence dates in the "rolling system" according to matriculation number (SoSe 2021)

Last digit Matr. No.	Attendance in lecture week	cw
even (0, 2, 4, 6, 8)	31.05.2021 - 04.06.2021	22
odd (1, 3, 5, 7, 9)	07.06.2021 - 11.06.2021	23
even (0, 2, 4, 6, 8)	14.06.2021 - 18.06.2021	24
odd (1, 3, 5, 7, 9)	21.06.2021 - 25.06.2021	25
even (0, 2, 4, 6, 8)	28.06.2021 - 02.07.2021	26
odd (1, 3, 5, 7, 9)	05.07.2021 - 09.07.2021	27
even (0, 2, 4, 6, 8)	12.07.2021 - 16.07.2021	28
odd (1, 3, 5, 7, 9)	19.07.2021 - 23.07.2021	29