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**Second statutes amending
the examination and study regulations of the
Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München
for the doctoral program
Systemic Neurosciences (2010)**

From August 31, 2018

On the basis of the second sentence of Article 13 (1) in conjunction with Article 58 (1), first sentence, and 61 (2) sentence 1 of the Bavarian Higher Education Act (BayHSchG), the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München issues the following statutes:

§ 1

The Examination and Study Regulations of the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München for the Doctoral Program Systemic Neurosciences (2010) of 15 March 2010, corrected on 6 June 2011 and changed by the statutes of 31 March 2017, are amended as follows:

1. The table of contents is changed regarding the information on paragraph 21 as follows:

„Paragraph 21 (not occupied)“

2. Paragraph 20 is amended as follows:

„Paragraph 20 Publication of the dissertation

(1) After the dissertation has been completed, the dissertation must be made accessible to the scientific public within a year in an appropriate manner. In special cases, the doctoral committee may postpone the deadline, sentence 1 up to a total of three years, if a reasoned application is received by the student before the expiry of the publication period. If the obligation under sentence 1 is not fulfilled within three years after the disputation has been completed, all rights acquired through the successful completion of the disputation and the doctoral degree program expire.

(2) The title page must contain the name "Dissertation of the Graduate School of Systemic Neurosciences of the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München". In addition, the date on which the dissertation was submitted must be indicated. At the inside of the dissertation the supervisor and the second supervisor and the day of the distribution are to be listed.

(3) If acceptance of the dissertation is subject to conditions pursuant to paragraph 18 (6), the modified version of the doctoral committee must be submitted before printing and a confirmation must be obtained from the doctoral committee confirming that the requirements have been met. Other changes to the dissertation prior to printing are also only permitted with the approval of the doctoral committee.

(4) A dissertation is made accessible to the scientific public in an appropriate manner if it is easily accessible at the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München and is sufficiently available to the specialist public. In order to make a dissertation easily accessible at the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München and/or to prove that the dissertation is sufficiently available to the specialist public, the University Library must be provided with two printed and bound copies of the dissertation free of charge. In addition, the dissertation must be published either

1. in a magazine,
2. in a series of publications,
3. as a single publication in a commercial publishing house with a minimum circulation of 150 copies guaranteed by the publisher or

4. in an electronic version

The versions according to sentence 2 and sentence 3 must agree in content. The electronic version according to sentence 3 no. 4 is to be uploaded to the server for electronic dissertations of the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München. The University Library shall be granted the right to produce and distribute further copies of the dissertation within the scope of the statutory duties of the University Library and to make the dissertation publicly accessible in data networks. The University Library may impose further, in particular technical requirements both on the versions according to sentence 2 and those according to sentence 3. In special cases, the Doctoral Commission other than those mentioned in sentence 3. The University Library confirms the actions of the student to fulfill the duties set out in sentences 1 through 8.

(5) The Doctoral Commission may also consider the obligation to make the dissertation adequately accessible to the scientific public as fulfilled, if the requirements regarding section 1 are fulfilled with delay due to a blocking notice because of

1. a patent application process or
2. a publication in a journal

The prerequisite for this is that the requirements specified in section (1) have been fulfilled in full, the time at which publication takes place at the latest is stated in the blocking notice, and the dissertation can be independently published by the University Library. Section 1 sentences 2 and 3 as well as paragraph 4 sentence 9 shall apply mutatis mutandis.

(6) Paragraphs 1 to 4 also apply to cumulative dissertations. Instead of repeating parts that have already been published elsewhere or that have been accepted for publication elsewhere, it is sufficient to give the corresponding references in cumulative dissertations."

3. Paragraph 21 is amended as follows:

**„Paragraph 21
(not occupied)"**

4. Paragraph 36 is amended as follows:

**"Paragraph 36
Protective provisions according to the Maternity Protection Act,
according to the Federal Parental Allowance and Parental Leave Act
as well as the Long-Term Care Act**

(1) The use of the protective provisions of the Act for the Protection of the Working Mother (Maternity Protection Act, MuSchG) in the respective valid version, in accordance with the deadlines of the Parental Allowance and Parental Leave Act (Bundeselterngeld- und Elternzeitgesetz, BEEG) in its current version on parental leave and for the care of a close relative within the meaning of paragraph 7 section 3 of the Act on the period of care (Pflegezeitgesetz - PflegeZG) in the respective valid

version, who is in need of care within the meaning of paragraphs 14, 15 of the Eleventh Book of the Social Code (SGB XI) in the respective valid version is possible.

(2) The doctoral committee determines which of the courses with fix schedule, place and program are not obligatory for pregnant or nursing students. The same applies to internships obligatory as part of the higher education. Pregnant or nursing students shall inform the examination office about their pregnancy as soon as possible. The doctoral committee determines immediately together with the course manager the defense measures necessary according to the occasion independent hazard assessment and informs the pregnant or nursing students respectively. Furthermore, the course manager offers a meeting to the pregnant or nursing student regarding further amendments of study and examination conditions, which correspond to the necessities of the pregnant or nursing student. Disadvantages due to pregnancy, birth or nursing period are to be avoided or compensated. The general regulations of disadvantage compensation remain unaffected. An examination registration does not constitute an explicit explication to waive the term of protection, also if it was presented after having duly declared the pregnancy or nursing period according to sentence 2.”

§ 2

(1) These Statutes enter into force on 1 October 2018.

(2) Those who are enrolled for the first time in the winter semester 2018/2019 in the doctoral program Systemic Neurosciences at the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München will study on the basis of the examination and study regulations of the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München of the doctoral program Systemic Neurosciences (2010) of 15 March 2010, corrected on 6 June 2011, and amended by the statutes of 31 August 2018.

(3) Students who are already enrolled in the doctoral program Systemic Neuroscience at Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München in the summer semester 2018 will continue their studies on the basis of the current version of the statutes, according to which they are currently studying.

(4) Students according to para. 3 can declare that they want to continue their studies on the basis of the Examination and Study Regulations of the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München for the doctoral program Systemic Neurosciences (2010) of 15 March 2010, corrected on 6 June 2011 and lately amended by the statutes of 31 August 2018. This statement must be submitted in writing to the course coordinator by 31 March 2019 at the latest (deadline!). It is irrevocable. If such a declaration is presented, the statutes mentioned in sentence 1 are also valid for the studies before their entry into force.

Issued on the basis of the resolutions of the Senate of the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München of 12 June 2018 as well as on the approval of the President of the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München dated 31 August 2018, No. I.3-456.19:04.

Munich, 31 August 2018

signed.

Prof. Dr. Bernd Huber
President

The statutes were laid down on 31 August 2018 at the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München, the deposition was announced on 31 August 2018 by placard at the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München. The date of the announcement is therefore 31 August 2018.