

Translation of the regulations amending the Doctorate Regulations of the Faculties of Natural Sciences and Technology of Saarland University

Please note: only the German version of these regulations as published in the official gazette is binding. This translation is to be used only as guidance for foreign doctoral candidates.

Regulation amending the Doctorate Regulations of the Faculties of Natural Sciences and Technology of Saarland University

of October 28, 2010

The Faculties of Natural Sciences and Technology of Saarland University have issued the following regulation amending the doctorate regulations of the Faculties of Natural Sciences and Technology based on section 64 of the law no. 1556 concerning Saarland University (university law – UG) of June 23, 2004 (official gazette p. 1782), last amended by the law no. 1706 concerning the end of the collection of the Saarland university fees of February 10, 2010 (official gazette p. 28) which is hereby pronounced after being approved by the senate and the university board.

Section 1

The Doctorate Regulations of the Faculties of Natural Sciences and Technology of Saarland University of January 11, 2007 (official gazette p. 254) is amended as:

Section 8 (1) is replaced by the following version:

“(1) A scientific colloquium (section 9) will take place before an examination board after the acceptance of the thesis. The members of the examination board must include at least two professors of the faculty. It shall consist of:

1. A professor of the faculty who may not be reporter, as chairman or chairwoman
2. The reporters
3. A research assistant of the faculty with a doctorate. On application to the doctorate committee, in exceptional cases research assistants with a doctorate of cooperating research institutions can be appointed as members of the examination board. The list of the cooperating research institutions in this sense is defined by binding mutual agreement between the three Faculties of Natural Sciences and Technology. It can be supplemented with other institutes and research institutions after agreement of all three faculties. Changes and additions must always be in writing.

Section 2

These regulations shall come into force on the day after their announcement in the official gazette of the universities of Saarland.

Saarbrücken, November 19, 2010

The university president
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