BUILDING CONSTRUCTIONS - RULES OF EXAMS

in spring semester 2021 (distance learning)

Regarding to the extraordinary circumstances, the Department of Building Constructions will apply the following rules and measurements during spring semester 2021 with approval of CAO (Central Academic Office) including some derogation from the Code of Studies and Exams of BME.

1. REPETITION TESTS

The date and time of the repetition tests are published in the Microsoft Teams groups.

2. OFFERED MARK INSTEAD OF EXAM

This semester, exams defined in requirements and the Subject Data of BME are replaced by offered marks (not setting a precedent) for every student who fulfilled requirements of the signature in the subject during the ongoing semester in frames of distance learning. The final grade of the semester is calculated by weighted average of the semester projects and tests, in case of late submission -10% of penalty will be taken into account.

Offered mark is not obligatory to be accepted. Accepting the offered mark is declared by registering to a special 'technical exam occasion' is dedicated for offered marks via NEPTUN. Any other registration means the refusal of the offered mark.

Offered mark can't be given repeatedly. In case of refusing it by a registration to a normal, common exam occasion, the credit can be achieved exclusively only by taking the exam. There is no way of validation of offered mark after registration to normal exam occasion or taken exam with unsuccessful or lower graded result.

3. ORAL EXAMS INSTEAD OF WRITTEN EXAMS

The option of offered mark doesn't concern to students on course code "ENV" in Neptun system. Exam course students and those who refuse offered mark will have to participate on oral exam in this semester. The exam consists of 5 questions to be answered in orally via TEAMS meeting with audio and video connection. Each questions are evaluated by marks. The result of the exam is calculated by the weighted average of the questions' grade. In case of 3 failed questions out of 5, the exam is not succeeded. In case of successful oral exam, the subject's final grade is calculated by the average (arithmetic mean) of the overall semester result and the oral exam.

4. ONE-DAY COMPREHENSIVE EXAMS

After experiences of fall semester, comprehensive exams will be held in one day as a one-day long exam. No other exam can be completed during that day. Comprehensive Exam in BC-s (BMEEPEST899) takes place the same way as during the last (fall) semester: written part in the morning, after the correction and evaluation the oral part is held in the afternoon via TEAMS before a committee. Due to unexpected organisation problems, oral parts can be on a different day which will be published via Teams after the written part, with the agreement of the students.

5. CUMULATIVE EXAM IN BC-S (BMEEPEST899)

On the base of the methodology of the spring semester the MSC final exam will be held in 'reverse order'. It means oral 'entry' theoretical exam in the morning, that also serves as checking personal identity. It consists of 'pulling' 3 topics that must be answered before a

committee of 2 teachers via TEAMS meeting with audio and video connection. The topics must be answered orally in 3x5 min after short thinking. The nature of the questions will be summing-thinking with focus on checking the student's understanding of the correlations of the subjects' material.

After announcement of the result of the oral exam, the questions of the written exam will only be given to the students with successful oral exam. The written exam will take 120 min.

The overall grade of the final exam will be announced immediately after the evaluation of the written part via TEAMS. The evaluation of the written part will be discussed together in the afternoon of the following day.

This announcement might have several modification. This is the version of 14.05.2021.! Please note possible modifications.

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