

Transcript of Courses

Name of Student:	
Date of Birth:	
Degree:	(bspw. Bachelor of Science / Master of Arts etc.)
Study Program /no. of semesters:	
	2. (ggf. 2. Hauptfach bzw. Nebenfach)
Date	

COURSES ATTENDED

Semester	Type of Course	Title of Course	ECTS	Grade
otal ECTS / C	Overall Grade Avera	ge:		

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Explanatory Supplement

Grading

Students receive documents verifying successful participation in a course, the so-called *Scheine*, to be submitted when registering for major examinations. They are usually graded; if not – as sometimes in the natural sciences – students are awarded a "passed successfully" which is not to be compared with a pass/fail modus.

grade	in words	corresponding to
1.0 – 1.5	sehr gut	excellent (seldom achieved)
1.6 – 2.5	gut	very good (well above average)
2.6 – 3.5	befriedigend	satisfactory (fulfilling all normal requirements)
3.6 – 4.0	ausreichend	sufficient (meeting requirements despite weakness; last passing grade)
4.1 +	mangelhaft	fail

Type of Courses

lecture (Vorlesung)	(LEC)	No active participation of students, no control of attendance; (normally) no grades awarded.
seminar (Seminar)	(SEM)	Active participation required; grading occurs on the basis of a paper(s) and/or written examination (<i>Klausur</i>); in most cases an oral presentation on a topic is also required.
laboratory (Laborpraktikum)	(LAB)	a. Laboratory course in the natural sciences b. Language course in the language lab Require active participation and are usually graded.
exercise course (Übungen)	(EXC)	Supplementary course in connection with lectures, (more applied and in-depth); require active participation and are usually graded.

Degree Courses – Types of Examinations

Vordiplom or Zwischenprüfung (pre-diploma or intermediate examination)	Examination confirming successful completion of stage I studies (<i>Grundstudium</i>), usually awarded after 3-5 semesters which gives access to stage II studies (<i>Hauptstudium</i>); in most cases graded.
1. und 2. Staatsexamen (First and Second State Board Examination)	 a. Academic qualification for teaching in secondary education (humanities, natural sciences, behavioural sciences); two majors. b. Academic qualification for professions like law, medicine, pharmacy, dentistry, etc.
Bachelor	Bachelor programmes lay the academic foundations, provide methodological skills and lead to qualifications related to the professional field. The Bachelor degree is awarded after 3 to 4 years and includes a thesis requirement.
Master	Master is the second degree after another 1 to 2 years. Master study programmes may be differentiated by the profile types "practice-oriented" and "research-oriented". The Master degree study programme includes a thesis requirement.