Important Changes of the PO 2017

1. No more mandatory basic internship is required.

2. The participation at „Projects“ (TuB and DI) as well as „Projects“ (TCM) is only possible when (almost all) modules of the first two semesters are completed. More precisely these are the following modules in the respective degree programmes:
   a. TuB: 10, 20, 40, 60, 70, 80, 90, 100 und 110
   b. DI: 10, 20, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80 und 90
   c. TCM: 1 to 11

3. Introduction of „Verbesserungsprüfungen“ (corresponding “Improvement examinations”), which means examinations in already passed subjects / examinations with the following conditions:
   - The possibility only exists two times during the whole degree programme.
   - The possibility is only offered when the first trial took place latest during the regular study period as scheduled by the examination regulations. (Regelstudium)
   - The „Verbesserungsprüfung“ (corresponding “Improvement Examination”) takes place within a year.
   - In case you receive a worse mark in the „Verbesserungsprüfung“ (corresponding “Improvement Examination”) compared to the mark of the first trial the better one of both trials counts.
   - The regulation is NOT valid for Master degree programmes.

4. Number of Pages: reduced upper limits for final Bachelor and Master theses
   BA: usually 60‐120 (until now – 150)
   MA: usually 80‐150 (until now – 180)

5. For the Master degree programmes the following precondition for studying is eliminated:

   the proof of appropriate practical experience in an engineering occupation (at least 20 weeks) or
   the proof of a semester abroad

6. The weighting of the marks of module examinations/BA-thesis/colloquium when calculating the final Bachelor mark changes from 80/15/5 to 75/20/5

Remarks on the Curricula

1. The names in the English degree programmes are only in English
2. For the degree programmes „Textil- und Bekleidungstechnik“ and „Design-Ingenieur“ different basic study plans do exist for each study direction
3. In the English electives („Wahlpflichtmodul“) only bigger groups of modules were combined in the “catalogue” until now, out of which 5 had to be chosen. This restriction was eliminated. 10 of the 16 offered modules have to be selected, no matter which ones.
4. The “Workshop Scientific Methods” is reduced from 6 CPs to 4 CPs. However, no more language courses will be accepted for this anymore. Furthermore, there will be a module called „Scientific Working and Study Tools“ for all Bachelor students, comprising 2 CPs, which has to be passed as Ungraded Certificate and it consist of several partial performances. Partially, it replaces the computer applications practical training.
5. The code- (and therefore the examinations-) numbers are alphanumerical. Although if this is not available in the examinations database yet, it is expelled like this in the PO
6. For the electives catalogues no more exemplary subject combination will be demonstrated anymore but the following hint is given:
   „The electives are offered up-to-date every semester and are published by the Examinations Board in the form of lists. Additionally, lectures which are listed as electives from other study emphases can be chosen as electives as well.“
7. In both Master degree programmes the Research & Development Project is marked.

Expiration of the old PO

Bachelor:
1. Examinations of the basic / foundation studies (“Grundstudium”) until SS 2020
2. Ultimate end 28.2.2022

Master:
1. Ultimate End 29.2.2020