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# Welcome and Information Meeting Master's Program Nanoelectronic Systems (NES)

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# Welcome and general information

Get to know each other

Useful information for your studies

# Welcome by dean of studies

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# Nanoelectronics in Saxony

## Technology

### GLOBALFOUNDRIES

- Infineon
- X-FAB
- ...

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## Design

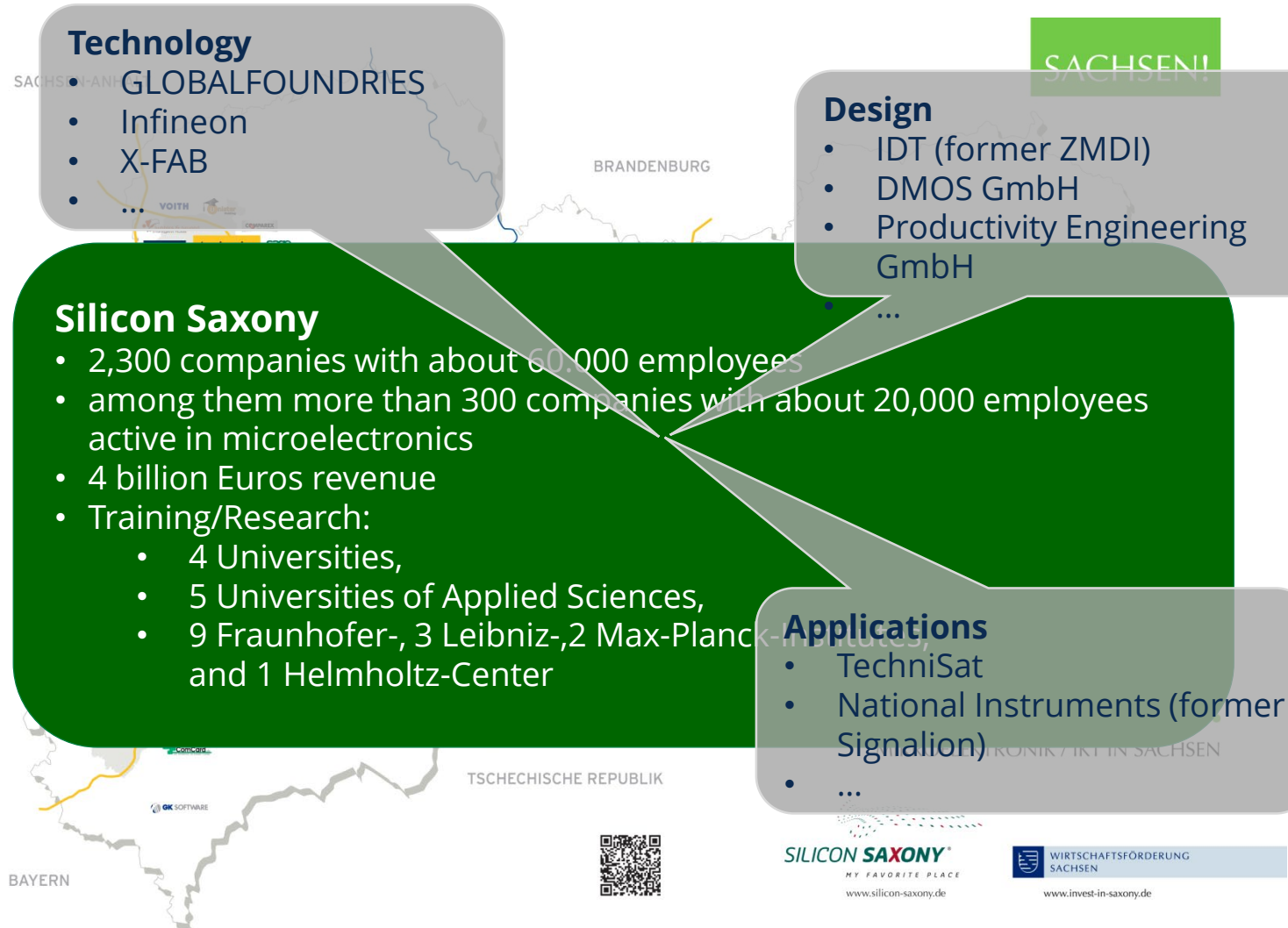
- IDT (former ZMDI)
- DMOS GmbH
- Productivity Engineering GmbH
- ...

## Silicon Saxony

- 2,300 companies with about 60,000 employees
- among them more than 300 companies with about 20,000 employees active in microelectronics
- 4 billion Euros revenue
- Training/Research:
  - 4 Universities,
  - 5 Universities of Applied Sciences,
  - 9 Fraunhofer-, 3 Leibniz-, 2 Max-Planck- and 1 Helmholtz-Center

## Applications

- TechniSat
- National Instruments (former Signalion)
- ...



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[www.silicon-saxony.de](http://www.silicon-saxony.de)

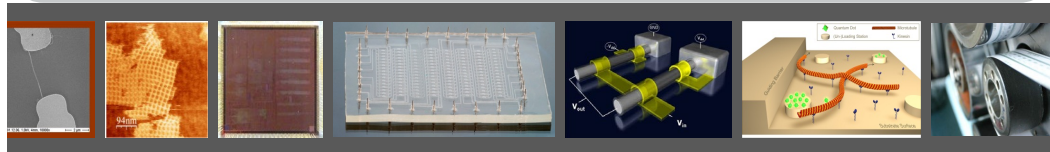
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[www.invest-in-saxony.de](http://www.invest-in-saxony.de)

# Nanoelectronics in research



## „Advancing Electronics“

- New perspectives for modern electronics
- Overcoming the CMOS bottlenecks with complementary technologies



Electrical  
Engineering

Computer  
Science

Expertise:

Physics

Chemistry

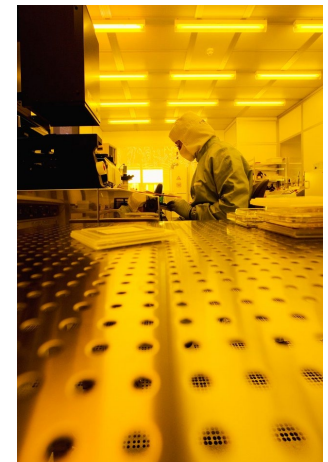
Biology

Mathematics

Engineering and natural sciences

# Nanoelectronics at TU Dresden

- **Micro-, Opto- and Nanoelectronics** is one research focus of TU Dresden
- **Faculty of Electrical and Computer Engineering**
  - one of the oldest faculties for electrical engineering in Europe
  - one of the largest faculties for electrical engineering in Germany
  - Prof. Barkhausen was the founder of the first Low Power Technology Institute
- **Institute of Semiconductors and Microsystems (IHM)**
  - 411 m<sup>2</sup> Clean Room Laboratory (built 2006, extended 2013)
  - NaMLab gGmbH (2009)
- **Institute for Applied Physics** (Photo Physics, Semiconductor Physics)
- **Institute for Material Science**



# Faculty of Electrical and Computer Engineering

## Faculty Facts

- 28 full professors
- 4 junior professors
- 420 PhD Students
- 400 scientific employees
- 2.300 Students
- approx. 25 million Euro third party funding every year

## Research Fields

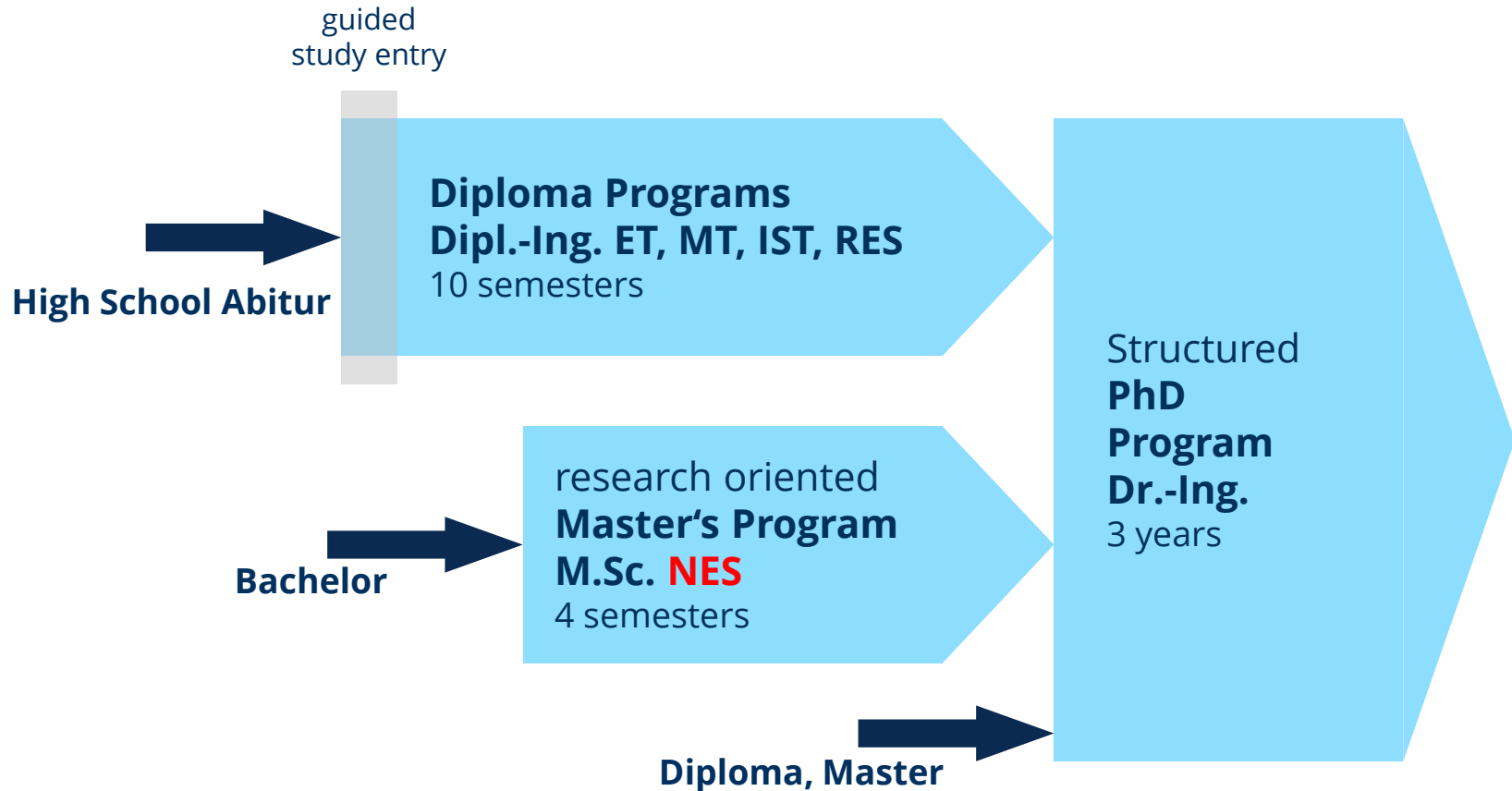
- Automation, Measurement & Control
- Communications Engineering
- Electrical Power Engineering
- Electromechanical and Biomedical Systems
- Information Electronics
- Micro-Opto-Nano Electronics





# Faculty of Electrical and Computer Engineering

## Scientific and research oriented education



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## **Get to know each other**

### Useful information for your studies

# Get to know each other

## Sort by given name

- Short information about your person (name, age, family, hobbies...)

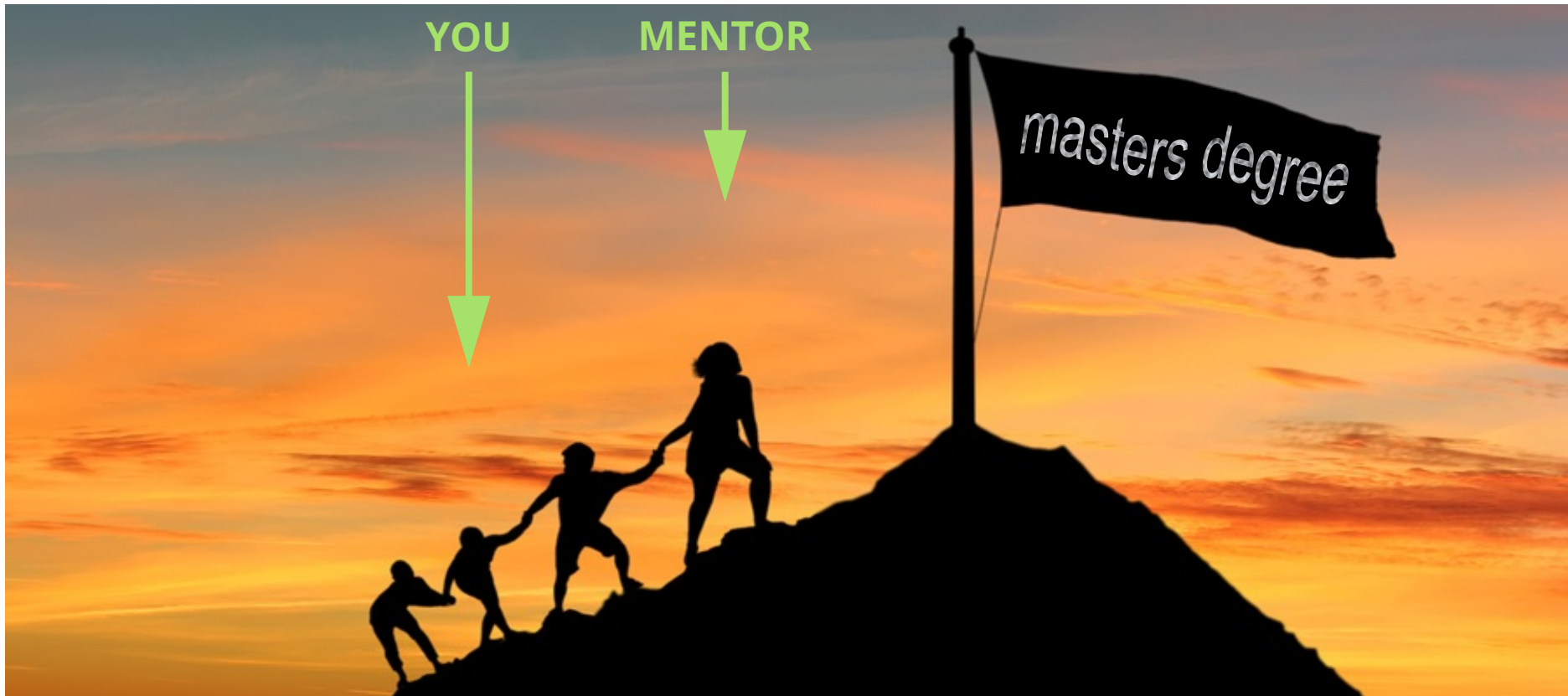
## Sort by distance of your home town from the TU Dresden

- Where do you come from?
- Why did you come to Dresden?
- What did you do before (School, Studying, Work)?

## What is your interest in the master's program?

- What is your motivation for studying Nanoelectronic Systems?
- What is your main interest?

# NES student mentoring program

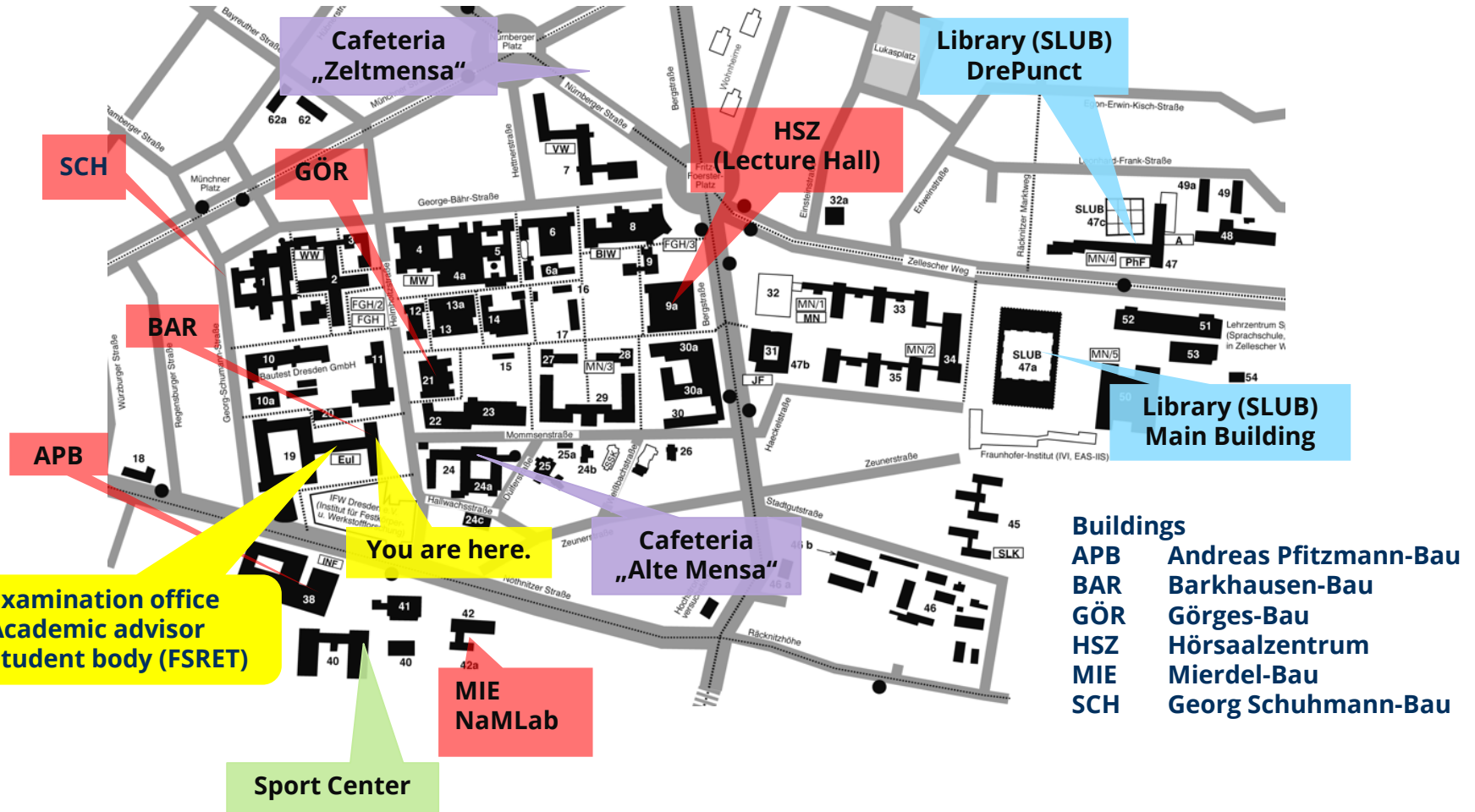


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# Orientation on TUD main campus



<https://navigator.tu-dresden.de/>

# Important dates of the academic year

## Winter Semester 2019/2020

01.10.2019 - 31.03.2020

- Courses and lectures: **14.10.2019 - 21.12.2019**  
**06.01.2020 - 08.02.2020**

- Lecture-free periods and bank holidays:

31.10.2019

Reformation Day

20.11.2019

Day of Prayer and Repentance

22.12.2019 - 05.01.2020

Turn of the year

10.02.2020 - 31.03.2020

Lecture-free period

- **Main exam period: 10.02.2020 – 07.03.2020**

# Time system

## Day

Double Session (Doppelstunde DS)

- 1. DS: 07:30 - 09:00
- 2. DS: 09:20 - 10:50
- 3. DS: 11:10 - 12:40
- 4. DS: 13:00 - 14:30
- 5. DS: 14:50 - 16:20
- 6. DS: 16:40 - 18:10
- 7. DS: 18:30 - 20:00
- 8. DS: 20:20 - 21:50

## Schedule

Semester periods per week

(Semesterwochenstunden, SWS)

1 SWS = 45 minutes      1 DS = 2 SWS = 90 minutes

## **Example:**

*Memory Technology (4/0/2/0/0)*

- 4** SWS    Lecture (Vorlesung, V)
- 0** SWS    Tutorial (Übung, Ü)
- 2** SWS    Seminar (Seminar, Se)
- 0** SWS    Language course (Sprachkurs, Sp)
- 0** SWS    Lab Course (Praktikum, P)



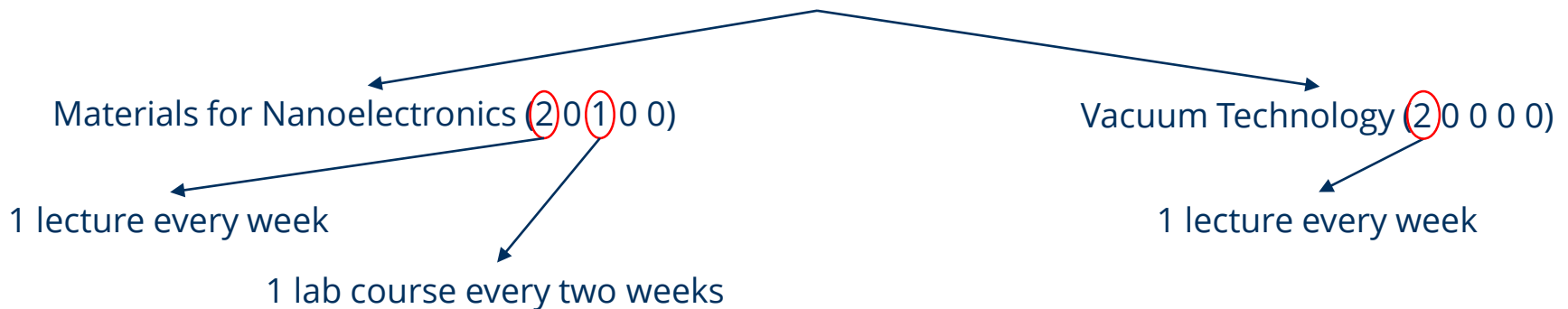
# Time system

## Week

- Odd calendar week (1<sup>st</sup> week or 1. Kalenderwoche or 1. KW)
- Even calendar week (2<sup>nd</sup> week or 2. Kalenderwoche or 2. KW)
  
- Start of courses and lectures (winter semester 2019/2010): Monday, 14.10.2019  
→ 42<sup>nd</sup> calendar week = even calendar week (2<sup>nd</sup> week)

## Example

*NES-12 12 01-14.1 Materials for Nanoelectronics and Vacuum Technology (4 0 1 0 0)*



# How to get your schedule

- Schedule provided by the faculty for all study courses (German version!)

[www.tu-dresden.de/et](http://www.tu-dresden.de/et) → Studies → Studying at the Faculty → Courses → Timetables → EuIMN-1-01

- **Schedule provided by NES study course (English version!)**

[www.tu-dresden.de/et](http://www.tu-dresden.de/et) → Studies → Studying at the Faculty → Study Programmes →  
**Nanoelectronic Systems → Students**

# Timetable 1st semester (winter term 19/20)

Time/Day	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 DS 7:30 - 9:00		E: German Language and Culture TUDIAS NES-30 GLC-14.1 German Language and Culture			
2 DS 9:20 - 10:50	P: Materials for Nanoelectronics Richter NES-12 12 01-14.1 Materials for Nanoelectronics and Vacuum Technology		L: Principles of Dependable Systems Fetzer NES-11 06 02-14.1 Principles of Dependable Systems APB/E008/U	L: Semiconductor Technology 1 Bartha NES-12 12 02-14.1 Semiconductor Technology BAR/0106/H	
3 DS 11:10 - 12:40	L: Systems Engineering 1 Fetzer NES-11 06 06-14.1 Distributed Systems Engineering APB/E23/U			L: Materials for Nanoelectronics Richter NES-12 12 01-14.1 Materials for Nanoelectronics and Vacuum Technology GÖR/0127/U	E: Systems Engineering 1 Fetzer NES-11 06 06-14.1 Distributed Systems Engineering APB/E23/U
4 DS 13:00 - 14:30		L: Semiconductor Technology 1 Bartha NES-12 12 02-14.1 Semiconductor Technology BAR/0106/H	E: Stochastic Signals and Systems Kortke NES-12 09 01-14.1 Stochastic Signals and Systems GÖR/0229/U	E: Principles of Dependable Systems Fetzer NES-11 06 02-14.1 Principles of Dependable Systems APB/E008/U	P: RoboLab Fetzer NES-11 06 01-19.1 Lab Sessions APB/E048
5 DS 14:50 - 16:20	P: Materials for Nanoelectronics Richter NES-12 12 01-14.1 Materials for Nanoelectronics and Vacuum Technology	L: Stochastic Signals and Systems Kortke NES-12 09 01-14.1 Stochastic Signals and Systems GÖR/0127/U	E: Hardware Modelling and Simulation Göhringer NES-11 20 20 Hardware Modelling and Simulation APB/E006/U		E: German Language and Culture TUDIAS NES-30 GLC-14.1 German Language and Culture
6 DS 16:40 - 18:10		L: Vacuum Technology Bartha NES-12 12 01-14.1 Materials for Nanoelectronics and Vacuum Technology BAR/106/H	L: Fundamentals of Estimation and Detection Rave NES-12 10 01-14.1 Fundamentals of Estimation and Detection BAR/0106/H	E: Fundamentals of Estimation and Detection Rave NES-12 10 01-14.1 Fundamentals of Estimation and Detection BAR/0106/H	V: Hardware Modelling and Simulation Göhringer NES-11 20 20 Hardware Modelling and Simulation APB/E006/U

The timetable is subject to changes!

L = Lecture  
E = Exercise  
P = Practical Lab Course

Date: 1st October, 2019

Mandatory Modules	
NES-11 06 01	Lab Sessions
NES-11 06 02	Principles of Dependable Systems
NES-12 10 01	Fundamentals of Estimation and Detection
NES-12 12 02	Semiconductor Technology

Elective Modules	
NES-30 GLC-14.1	German Language and Culture
NES-11 06 06-14.1	Distributed Systems Engineering
NES-12 09 01-14.1	Stochastic Signals and Systems
NES-12 12 01-14.1	Materials for Nanoelectronics and Vacuum Technology
NES-11 20 20	Hardware Modelling and Simulation

1st week: odd calendar week  
2nd week: even calendar week

# Curriculum – compulsory modules

		1 <sup>st</sup> Sem.	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sem.	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sem.	4 <sup>th</sup> Sem.
<b>Compulsory Modules</b>					
NES-11 06 01 - 19.1	Lab Sessions	5 CP			
NES-11 06 02 - 14.1	Principles of Dependable Systems	6 CP			
NES-12 10 01 - 14.1	Fundamentals of Estimation and Detection	6 CP			
NES-12 12 02 - 14.1	Semiconductor Technology	9 CP			
NES-12 08 02 - 14.1	Radio Frequency Integrated Circuits		7 CP		
NES-12 10 03 - 14.1	Hardware/Software Co-design		4 CP		
NES-12 ASW - 14.1	Academic and Scientific Work			4 CP	
NES-12 PW - 14.1	Project Work			10 CP	
	Master Thesis and Defense				30 CP
<b>Elective modules</b>		6 CP	17 CP	16 CP	
<b>Total credits</b>		<b>30 CP</b>	<b>30 CP</b>	<b>30 CP</b>	<b>30 CP</b>

# Curriculum – compulsory modules

EMM-nano students

Nanoscience and Nanotechnology

		1 <sup>st</sup> Sem.	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sem.	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sem.	4 <sup>th</sup> Sem.
<b>Compulsory Modules</b>					
NES-12 ASW - 14.1	Academic and Scientific Work			4 CP	
NES-12 PW - 14.1	Project Work			10 CP	
	Master Thesis and Defense				30 CP
<b>Elective Modules</b>				16 CP	
<b>Total credits</b>		30 CP	30 CP	30 CP	30 CP

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# Curriculum – compulsory modules

## Lab Sessions – RoboLab Autumn Course

<b>Task</b>	Create and program your own robot using LEGO Mindstorm <i>Understand Hamming Codes and create a Stack Machine</i>
<b>Schedule</b>	Friday every week, <b>4. DS</b> 13:00 - 14:30     1 pm - 2:30 pm Room: <b>APB/E046</b> (and E044 if needed)
<b>Introduction</b>	We start on <b>Friday, October 18th, 2019</b>
<b>Enrollment</b>	HISQIS, Module „ <b>NES-11 06 01 Lab Sessions</b> “ (140701) until <b>November 2nd, 2019</b>
<b>Details</b>	<a href="https://se.inf.tu-dresden.de/roboLab2">https://se.inf.tu-dresden.de/roboLab2</a>

# Curriculum – elective modules

## NES students

- 30 elective modules with 185 credit points
- You have to select modules with at least **39 credit points**
- You can choose modules of the catalogue by your own choice.  
The classification of modules (Application, Technology, Design) is a guideline for you only

## EMM students

- No further action required

## Current study guide with module descriptions

<https://tu-dresden.de/ing/elektrotechnik/ressourcen/dateien/studium/master-nes/Modulkatalog-NES-eng>

# German language and culture

## German Language and Culture (Module NES-30 GLC-14.1 )



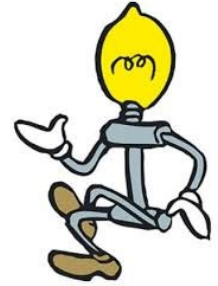


# Study documents

- Current study guide with module descriptions
- Examination regulations
- Study regulations
- Examination schemes

<https://tu-dresden.de/ing/elektrotechnik/studium/beratung-und-service/studiendokumente-und-ordnungen/master-nes>

# Solving problems



- Visit the website of the program  
<https://tu-dresden.de/ing/elektrotechnik/studium/studieren-an-der-fakultaet/master-nes>
- Ask fellow students or your mentor
- Contact the academic advisor (study course, general problems,...)

**Manuela Tetzlaff**, BAR 161

Office hours:            Tuesday: 13:00 – 14:00  
                                  Thursday: 13:00 – 14:00

Email: [master-nes@mailbox.tu-dresden.de](mailto:master-nes@mailbox.tu-dresden.de)

- Contact the examination office (questions about exams, (de-)registration, grades, ...)

**Uta Stempel**, BAR 177a

Office hours:            Tuesday: 13:00 – 17:30  
                                  Thursday: 13:00 – 15:30

- Contact the international office (questions about enrollment, visa, leave of absence, ...)

Email: [studium.international@mailbox.tu-dresden.de](mailto:studium.international@mailbox.tu-dresden.de)

# Examination regulations and procedures

## Additional meeting in November

→ Manuela will send around an invitation

# Studying in Germany

- 15 weeks lectures, tutorials and lab courses, 4 weeks exams afterwards
- Learning during the exam weeks only is not enough!
  - attend all classes every week, participate actively and start working on problems during the semester
  - treat your study like a 40hour, full-time-job

## Workload for each module is given in the module description

- Rule of thumb: 1 credit point is earned through 30 hours of work!
- Example: 180 hours (6 CP) for „Fundamentals of Estimation and Detection“

Lectures (2 hours x 15 weeks)	30
Tutorials (2 hours x 15 weeks)	30
Preparation for exam (38 hours)	38
Exam (2 hours)	2

- Rework transcript after lecture
- Read transcript before next lecture
- Solve exercises
- Discuss issues with fellow students
- Studying related books
- etc.

# German culture

- What do you consider as typical characteristics of Germans, which have you heard about?
- Which German characteristics have you encountered?
- Choose one German characteristic and explain the difference to the culture of your home country?

# German culture

- Come to appointments and lectures in time (and observe deadlines!)
- Salutation with title and surname (especially for people that are hierarchically higher than you)
- More subject- and work-oriented than people-oriented
- Direct criticism → no loss of face
- If you have any questions: don't be afraid to ask!

# Study commission



**Prof. Thomas Mikolajick  
(Dean of Studies)**



**Prof. Gerhard Fettweis**



**Prof. Kambiz Jamshidi**

## Student representatives

- **Shaif Grover**
- **Eashika Gosh**
- **Shruthi Mudiyunur Narahari**

## Consulting members (without a vote)

- **Prof. Christof Fetzer**
- **Ellen Töpfer (Examination Office)**
- **Manuela Tetzlaff (Study Advisor)**

# Miscellaneous



## TUD Email

- xxx@tu-dresden.de
- **IMPORTANT: check this Email on a regular basis (at least once a week)**  
→ **forward this to your regular mail account**
- Important for OPAL (ask your mentor or corresponding professor for further details)

## Faculty PC Pool

- BAR I/61

## Wireless LAN

- [www.tu-dresden.de/zih](http://www.tu-dresden.de/zih) → A-Z → WiFi networks (WLAN)

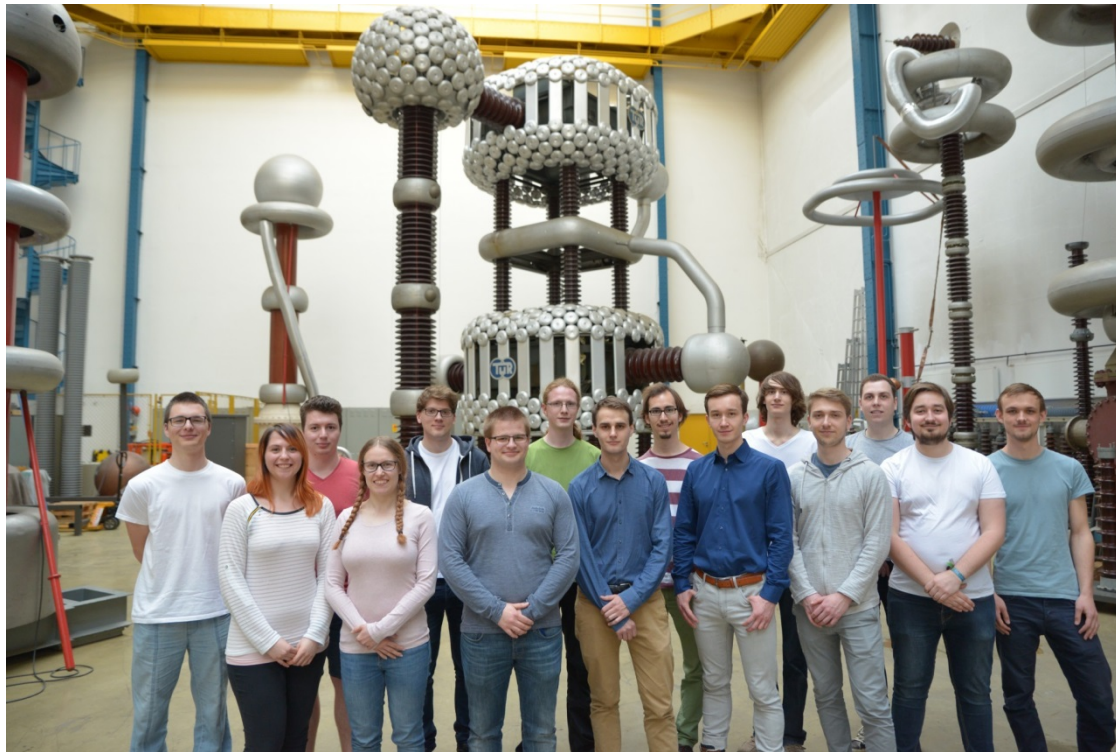
## Library

- Zellescher Weg 18, 01069 Dresden  
[www.slub-dresden.de](http://www.slub-dresden.de)





# Student body of the faculty



[www.fsret.de](http://www.fsret.de)

# Welcome to Dresden!

## Offers of the Student Council (Fachschaftsrat)

- October 8th:
  - 14:10 LaborTour (registration needed; meeting point: in front of BAR)
  - 20:00 ClubTour(meeting point: Wu5)
- October 11th:
  - 18:00 ESEFETE (first semester party, BAR)



# Have a good start!

YOU

