

Dear students of the Faculty of Mechanical Engineering,

the semester is flying by at more than a rapid pace. The Dies Academicus is already behind us, and we will soon be able to count the remaining weeks of lectures on one hand. This means that the examination period is approaching, and with it comes some important news:

- The **examination schedule**, including locations and times, has now been published at (<https://tud.link/gagksd>) and is updated regularly.
- The **examination period** itself will run from Monday, July 27, to Saturday, August 22, 2026.
- As mentioned several times before, the registration deadlines are particularly important:
  - On **Monday, June 22**, the second registration phase begins and runs **until Friday, July 3, 2026**. This phase is required for **language examinations**. It applies to examinations conducted by TUDIAS and extends the registration period for all language examinations within the various curriculum contexts (MW-MB-07 / MW-VNT-04 / MW-WW-03; MW-MB-15, MW-VNT-18, or MW-WW-24), for which the additionally required second registration can be completed until Monday, July 13, 2026. (Language examination registration information: (<https://tud.link/64hju8>)).
  - The **third registration phase** then runs **from Monday, June 29, until Monday, July 13, 2026**, for all examination components except those listed above.

And today there is another topic I would like to address. Studying can sometimes be very stressful. If additional problems arise, it can easily happen that someone finds themselves struggling with their mental well-being. This happens to many people, and as a faculty we want to support our students in such situations. Since this semester, Ms. Dr. Jaros, Ms. Herzog-Schaudick, Ms. May, and Ms. Schaaf have been **certified Mental Health First Aiders**. If you find yourself experiencing significant psychological stress or mental health challenges, please do not hesitate to contact one of them. We want you to enjoy your studies and to spend your time at the faculty successfully, healthily, and with a positive sense of well-being.

That is all for today — I wish you a hopefully sunny, but not too hot weekend!

Yours

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