Hygiene concept for courses with mandatory attendance at the Faculty for Mathematics in winter semester 2020/21

Regarding to the current Corona protection ordinance¹ and in consideration of the measure concept during the Corona pandemic of TU Dresden² this hygiene concept is written for courses with mandatory attendance at the Faculty for Mathematics in winter semester 2020/21.

Should new regulations come into force in the meantime, for example from Saxony, the TU Dresden, the city of Dresden, the local health department or comparable institutions, which include a tightening of the following hygiene regulations, these will be used immediately.

The following rules and measures should be complied by persons being involved in courses with mandatory attendance at the Faculty for Mathematics.

General hygiene regulations

1. Only persons without any respiratory symptoms and without any contact to persons with a SARS-CoV-2 infection within the last 14 days are allowed to attend.
2. Anyone displaying symptoms typically associated with COVID-19 (for example fever or cough) must stay at home and consult a doctor.
3. Whenever it is possible keep a distance of at least 1,5 m between 2 persons. If it is not possible to keep the distance, cover your mouth and nose with a suitable protective cloth or mask.
4. In the buildings and on entering and leaving the rooms you have to cover your mouth and nose with a mask. This is also valid, if you leave the seat during a course, e.g. for visiting sanitary rooms. You do not also³ have to wear a mouth-nose-mask on the seat, except especially if it is not possible to keep the distance of at least 1,5 m. An example for the latter could be, if the lecturer comes to a student for answering questions.
5. Lecturers, who can keep the distance to other persons, for example at the panel, do not have to wear a mouth-nose-mask.
6. Crowds of people, e.g. in waiting lines, at entrances and exits or in front of sanitary rooms have to be avoided.
7. In every room attention must be paid to the maximum number of persons being allowed.
8. Wash your hands regularly and thoroughly, follow cough and sneeze etiquette and avoid shaking hands.

¹ URL: https://www.coronavirus.sachsen.de/amtliche-bekanntmachungen.html
³ changed according to the circular mail of the University Executive Board of November 11th 2020
Specific measures

1. In lecture halls seats with labels can be used. The markings were made for keeping the distance of at least 1,5 m between the students.

2. In seminar rooms you can find tables and chairs. At every table 1 student can take a seat. The tables are placed for guaranteeing the distance between 2 students of 1,5 m. It is not allowed to change the arrangement of the tables.

3. Teaching rooms with more than 1 doors the entrances and exits are marked separately. Every person being involved in courses with mandatory attendance has to adhere to the markings.

4. At the entrance area of every teaching room you can find hand and surface disinfectants as well as paper towels or similar for cleaning the surfaces. The lecturer is responsible for supplying the disinfectants. Therefore every student has the chance to disinfect hands and sitting place.

5. After every course all students leave the room (and the building) before the students of the next course enter the room – unless they do not visit another course in the building.

6. Between double lessons the rooms will be ventilated extensively, if it is structurally possible. During the lessons the rooms will be ventilated regularly every 20 minutes.

7. The students of every single course sign up for the groups in OPAL, so there is the possibility to contact students in case of infection.

8. The number of students in each OPAL group shall not exceed the number of persons allowed to be in the rooms regarding to the room capacities defined by the administrative departments 4 and 8.

9. If a student participates an OPAL course without registration, the student has to give name and e-mail address to the lecturer, who will add the dates in OPAL. A participation without registration is only possible, if there are less registered students in the room at the beginning of the course than the capacity is regulated.
**Announcement**

This hygiene concept will be forwarded via e-mail to every lecturer of the Faculty of Mathematics before the courses start on October 26th 2020. Furthermore an instruction on file about this concept will take place.

This concept will be forwarded punctual to the students by the OPAL courses of the Faculty for Mathematics.

Currently information about COVID-19 will be published on the websites of TU Dresden\(^4\) and the associated FAQ\(^5\). In the latter you can find information about how to proceed in case of infection.

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