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Fakultät Physik der TU Dresden

Welcome and Introduction to the Master's Programme in Physics

- Introduction to the Master of Science in Physics
- Information on the Study Support Programme
- Information and Support by the Student Council



TU Dresden

- 29.000 Students
- 8.300 Employees
- 600 Professors
- 120 Study Courses
- 17 Departments
- 5 Schools

School of Science

School of Humanities and Social Sciences

School of Engineering Sciences

School of Civil and Environmental Engineering

School of Medicine



School of Science

Bereich Mathematik und Naturwissenschaften



Mathematics



Physics



Chemistry



Biology



Psychology

Department of Physics

Fakultät Physik - Recknagelbau



Department of Physics

~ 1000 Students

- 350 Bachelor students
- 200 Master students
- 300 Students in teacher training in physics
- 220 Ph.D. students

~ 50 Lectures per year

~ 10 Seminars per year

~ Laboratory courses

Exzellenz cluster

- Complexity and Topology in Quantum Matter
- Physics of Life

Research networks

- DFG - German Science Foundation: Sonderforschungsbereiche, Forschungsgruppen, Schwerpunktprogramme, Graduiertenkollegs
- International Max Planck Research School, International Helmholtz Research School
- Federal Ministry of Education and Research: Forschungsschwerpunkte, Forschungsinfrastrukturen



Institutes at the Department of Physics

Applied
Physics



Solid State and
Materials Physics



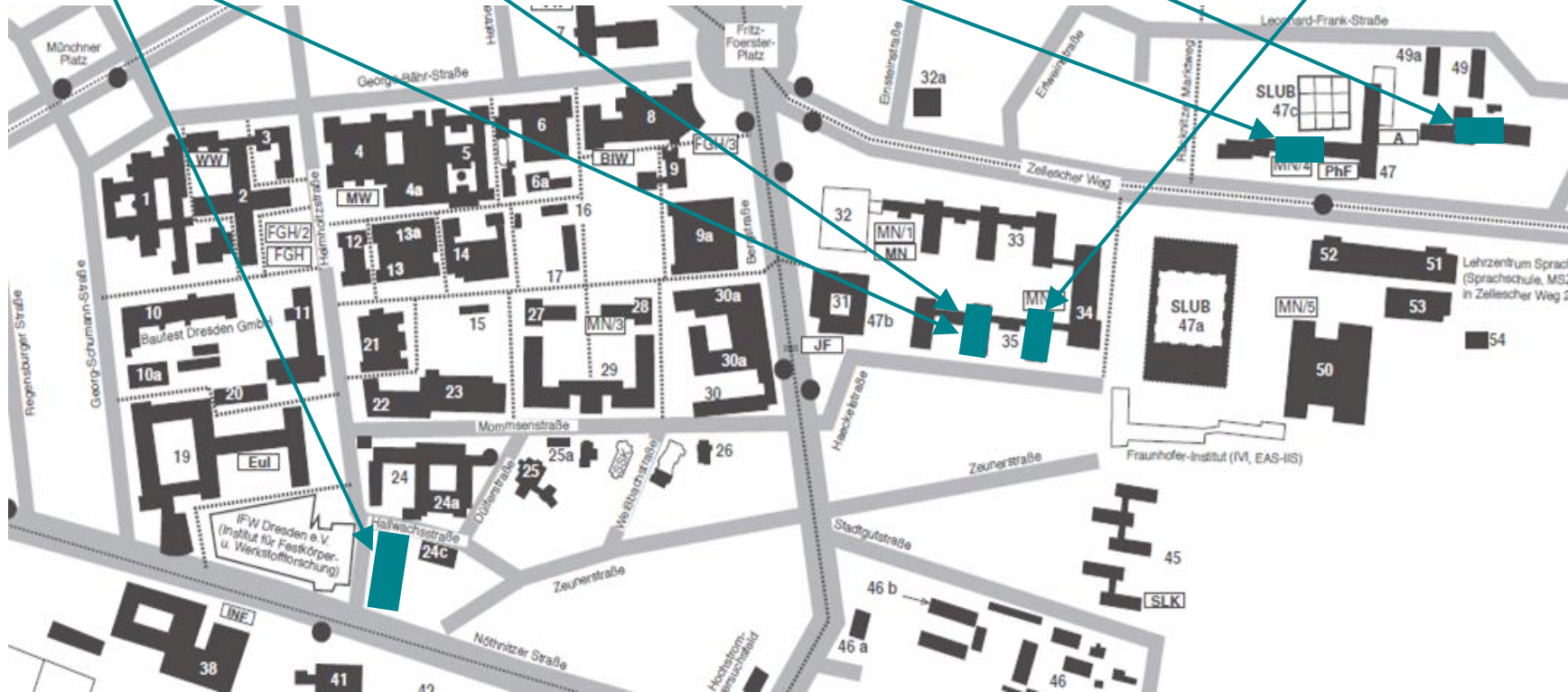
Theoretical
Physics



Nuclear and
Particle Physics



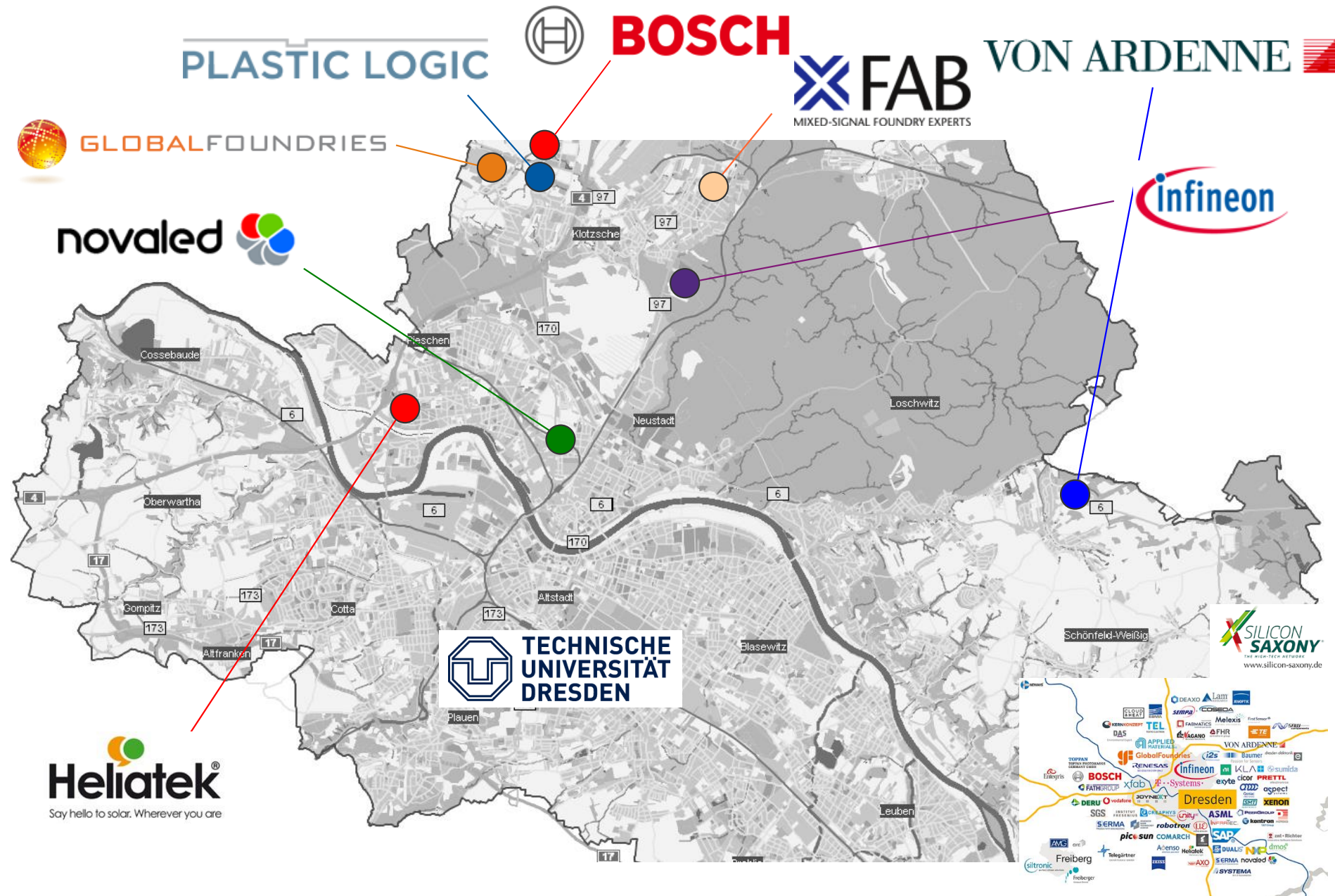
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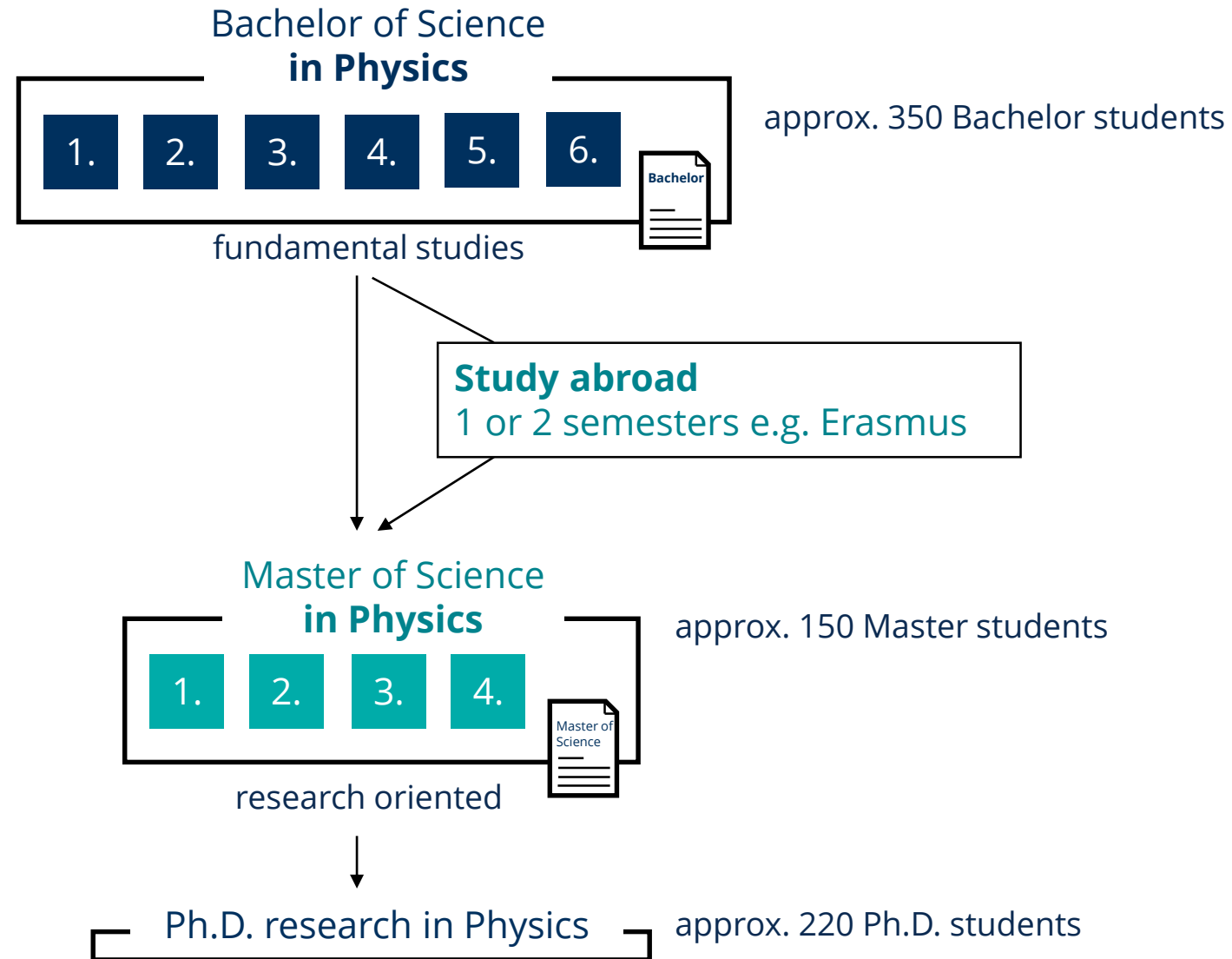
Research Institutions in Dresden



Research Oriented Industry in Dresden



Physics @ TU Dresden



Master of Science in Physics

Semester	experimental	theoretical	applied	elective courses	
1	Experimental Physics	Theoretical Physics	Advanced Scientific Seminar	Specialisation Physics: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Applied Solid State Physics and PhotonicsSolid State and Material PhysicsSoft Condensed Matter and Biological PhysicsParticle and Nuclear PhysicsTheoretical Physics	Non-physics supplementary courses
2					
3	Scientific Studies				
4	Master Thesis				

Study Plan Start in Summer term

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Phy-Ma-WisStu	Scientific Studies			0/0/0/0/0/0/22,5 weeks 1xEx		30
					Master Thesis	30
Elective Compulsory Field Non-Physics Supplement ¹						
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CP		30	30	30	30	120

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University: Research and Education

Department of Physics

Research

<https://tu-dresden.de/mn/physik/forschung>



Teaching

<https://tu-dresden.de/mn/physik/studium>

- Lectures
- Tutorials
- Seminars
- Lab courses
- Scientific theses
- ...

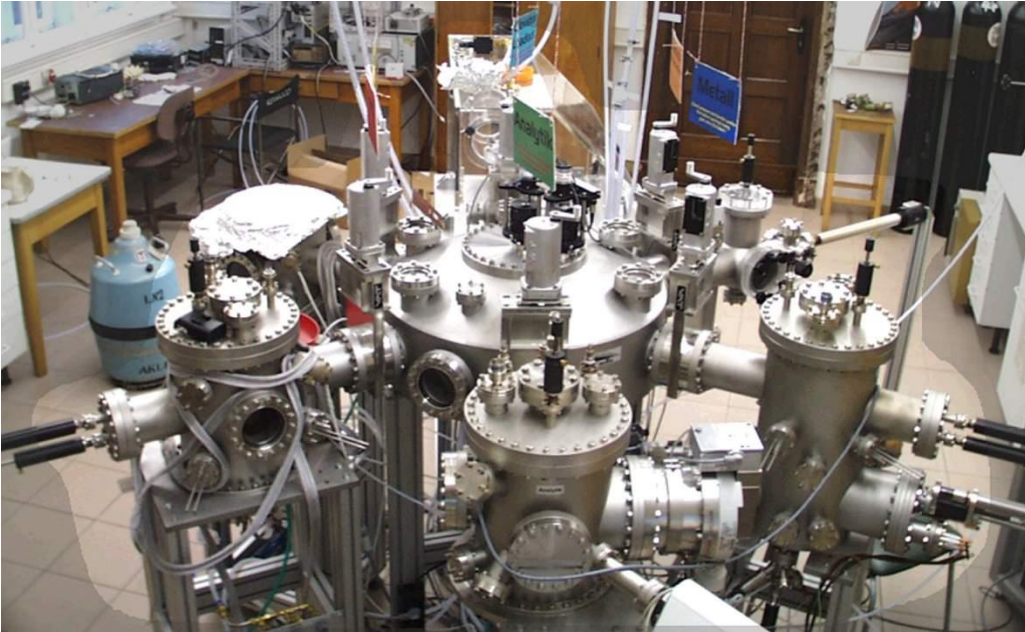
Department / Organisation

<https://tu-dresden.de/mn/physik/die-fakultaet>

- Dean (Prof. Pospiech)
- Dean of Studies Bachelor's Physics (Prof. A. Chernikov)
- Dean of Studies Master's Physics (Prof. Straessner)
- Department (Dr. Grafström, Dr. Brose, Fr. Ristau, Fr. Pätzold)
- Examination Office
- Student Council Physics <https://www.pfsr.de/>
- Coordination of Master Programme (Dean of Studies, MA: Peter Fischer)
- Academic Advisor (Dr. Dörr)

Specialization Area: Applied Physics and Photonics

- Organic electronics:
LEDs, solar cells, transistors, ...
- Nano optics



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Specialization Area: Solid State Physics and Materials

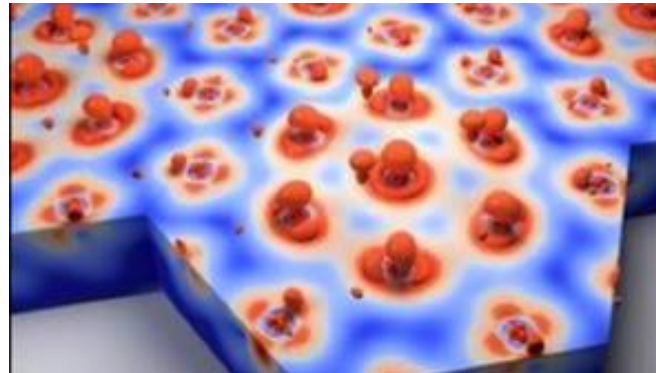


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**Intense magnetic field
laboratory Dresden**

Materials with exotic properties:

- Superconductors
- Magnetism
- Low-dimensional quantum systems

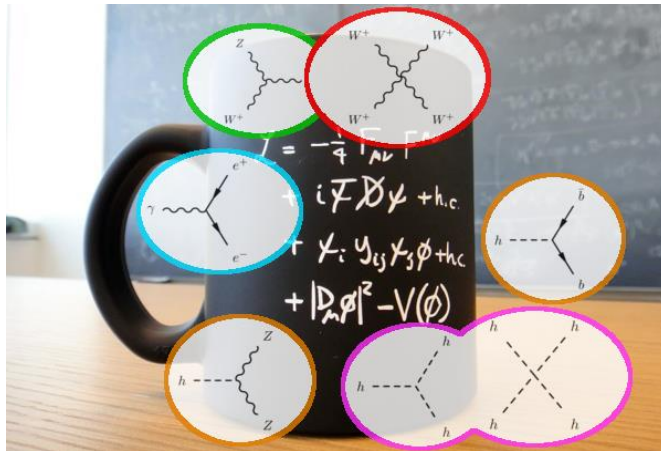


Specialization Area: Nuclear and Particle Physics

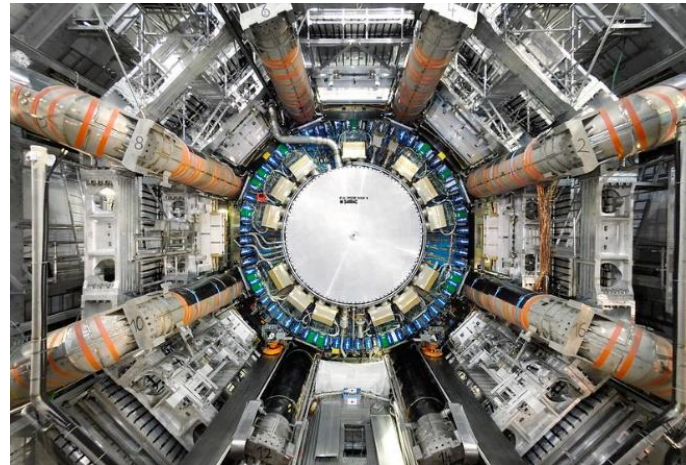
- High energy physics at the LHC:
 - Standard Model physics, Higgs physics, ...
- Neutrino physics
- Nuclear astrophysics, astrophysics
- Medical physics and particle beams
- Particle physics theory



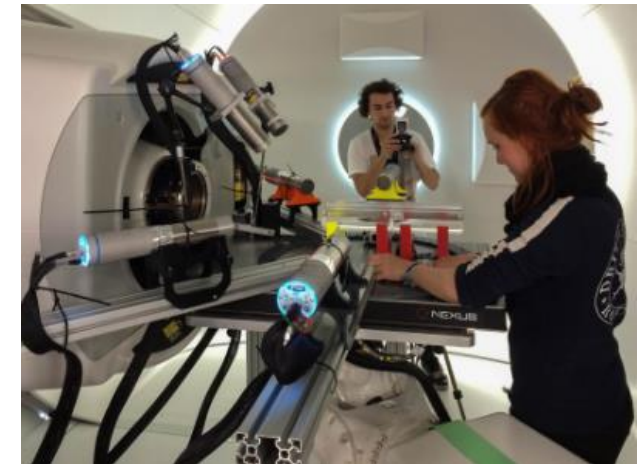
SNO+ Detector in Sudbury



Standard Model of Particle Physics



ATLAS Detector at CERN



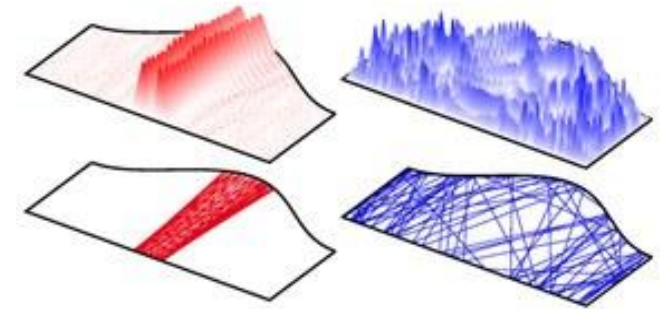
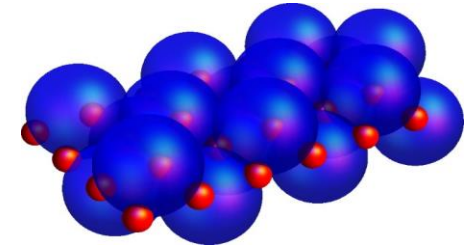
Particle Detectors for Medical Physics

Specialization Area: Theoretical Physics



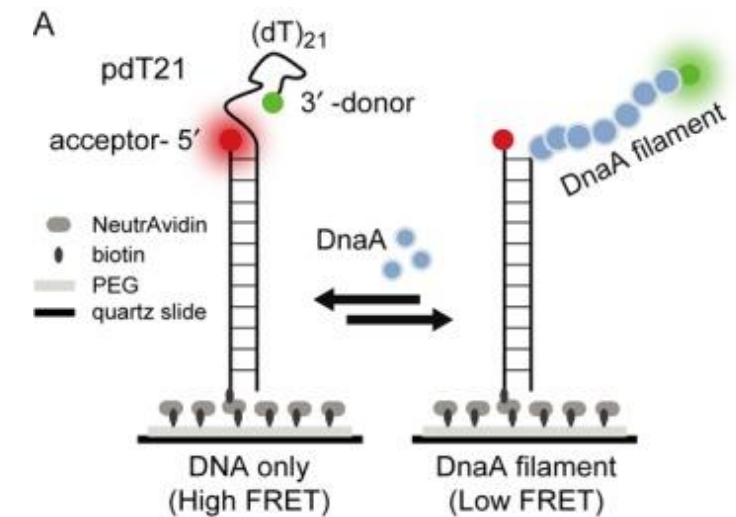
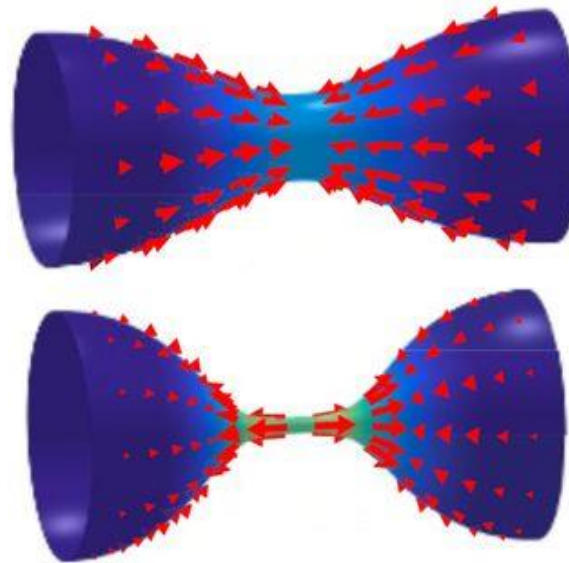
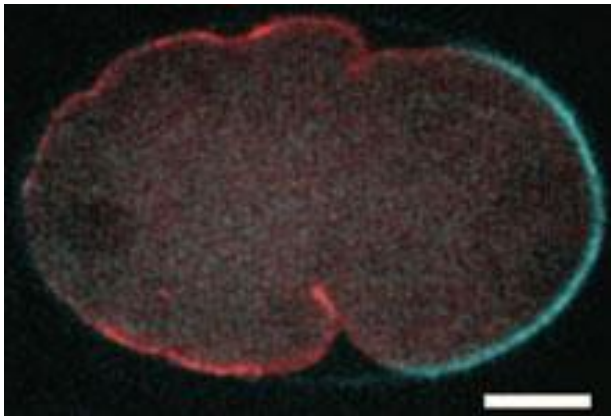
Broad spectrum:

- Solid state and many-body physics
- Quantum optics
- Non-linear dynamics
- Statistical physics
- Elementary particle physics
- Theory of complex networks



Specialization Area: Biophysics, soft condensed matter physics

- Dynamics of bio molecules
- Mechanics of cells
- Tissue organisation
- Experiment und theory



Quelle: Cheng *et al.*, Nucl. Acids Res. **43**, 396 (2015)

Specialisation Physics

- 5 specialisation areas:
 - Applied Solid State Physics and Photonics
 - Solid State and Material Physics
 - Soft Condensed Matter and Biological Physics
 - Particle and Nuclear Physics
 - Theoretical Physics
- Online catalogue of courses:
 - <https://tu-dresden.de/mn/physik/studium/lehrveranstaltungen/vertiefungsgebiete-bachelor-und-master>
 - <https://selma.tu-dresden.de>
- Some courses are valid for more than one specialisation areas
- Naming scheme:
 - **W**: course for Master and Bachelor students
 - **Wm**: course preferentially for Master students
 - **F**: optional course, cannot be selected for examination
- The courses define the possible topics of the oral exam in the specialisation area: 2 topics need to be selected for the exam
- The language of all oral exams can be English or German



Example

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Welcome

Application

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List of Lectures

SuSe 2024

WiSe 2023/24

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List of Lectures

Overview > School of Science > Faculty of Physics > Specialisation Physics Bachelor and Master > **solid state and materials physics**

Module / Course offering
Module Owner / Instructors
Time period

Event type

> **K0200-V2Wfx2hV Molecular Nanostructures (L)**
Prof. Dr. rer. nat. habil. Bernd Büchner
Mon, 8. Apr. 2024 [09:20] - Mon, 15. Jul. 2024 [10:50]

Lecture

> **K0200-V2WMx2gV Magnetism II (L)**
Prof. Dr. rer. nat. Dmytro Inosov
Tue, 9. Apr. 2024 [13:00] - Tue, 16. Jul. 2024 [14:30]

Lecture

> **K0200-V2Wxx2aV Superconductivity 1 (L)**
Prof. Dr. rer. nat. Joachim Wosnitza
Wed, 10. Apr. 2024 [14:50] - Wed, 17. Jul. 2024 [16:20]

Lecture

W = this lecture topic can be selected for the oral exam

Specialisation Physics

- 5 specialisation areas:
 - Applied Solid State Physics and Photonics
 - Solid State and Material Physics
 - Soft Condensed Matter and Biological Physics
 - Particle and Nuclear Physics
 - Theoretical Physics
- Master and Bachelor studies are independent
- You may select specialization topics in the (oral) Master examinations which you already had selected as specialization in your Bachelor studies
- However, the examination results of the Bachelor course cannot be recognized as examination results of the Master
- You can take courses from more than one specialization - only at the time of inscription for the oral Master exam you select "your" specialisation

Specialisation Physics

- The **examination prerequisite** is a "portfolio of written problem solutions" which is comprised of
 - **Applied Solid State Physics and Photonics:**
 - laboratory practical reports
 - **Solid State and Material Physics:**
 - laboratory practical reports
 - **Soft Condensed Matter and Biological Physics**
 - computer or laboratory practical reports
 - **Particle and Nuclear Physics**
 - reports from a mix of lab and QFT practical work
 - **Theoretical Physics**
 - written problem solutions completed in each of (at least) three courses, e.g. as part of the tutorials

Study Plan Advanced Scientific Seminar

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- **Advanced scientific seminars** are offered by the physics institutes of the department
- Seminar can be taken in Winter and Summer term
- Seminar topics are announced each semester in the course catalog

Study Plan Advanced Scientific Seminar - Selma View

Overview > School of Science > Faculty of Physics > Master Physics Advanced Scientific Seminars

Module / Course offering Module Owner / Instructors Time period	Event type
<p>> K0200-XHSMaPhS PHY Main Seminar: Contemporary Issues of Mathematical Physics (S) Prof. Dr. rer. nat. habil. Arnd Bäcker; Prof. Dr. rer. nat. Ralph Chill; Dr. rer. nat. habil. Anke Kalauch; Prof. Dr. rer. nat. Walter Strunz Th, 10. Apr. 2025 [09:20] - Th, 17. Jul. 2025 [10:50]</p>	Additional Events
<p>> M0200-M0Hse Advanced seminar Physics N.N.</p>	SoSe 2025
K0200-M0Hse1S Wissenschaftliches Hauptseminar – Angewandte Festkörperphysik und Photonik (S)	
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K0200-M0Hse2S Wissenschaftliches Hauptseminar – Festkörper- und Materialphysik (S)	
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Study Plan Advanced Scientific Seminar - Detailed information

Course Details >

K0200-M0HsexS Advanced seminar Physics (S)

Instructors:	Prof. Dr. rer. nat. Alexey Chernikov; Prof. Dr. phil. Lukas Eng; Prof. Dr. rer. nat. Manfred Helm; Prof. Dr. rer. nat. habil. Karl Leo; Prof. Dr. rer. nat. Sebastian Reineke
Event type:	Seminar
Org-unit:	Faculty of Physics
Hours per week:	2
Language of instruction:	German/English
Alternativtitel:	all infos in OPAL https://bildungsportal.sachsen.de/opal/auth/RepositoryEntry/23113826376?14
OPAL-Kurs:	https://bildungsportal.sachsen.de/opal/auth/RepositoryEntry/23113826376?14

- Recommendation: go to the first seminar session to hear about the seminar organization!

Appointments

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Study Plan Advanced Scientific Seminar - Selma View - Menu

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2 selma

1 Sitzung läuft ab in 14:34 Minuten ABMELDEN

Herzlich willkommen,

Aktivitäten für den 11.11.2020 > Export > Stundenplan

Veranstaltungsart	Name	von	bis
Kurse und Übungen	> Städtebau (Ü)	09:20	12:40

Eingegangene Nachrichten > Nachrichten

Sie haben keine neuen Nachrichten!

i Information
Die neu eingegangenen Nachrichten sind hier 14 Tage für Sie sichtbar. Danach können sie unter dem Menüpunkt Nachrichten eingesehen werden.

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- 3 Your name
- 4 Navigation

<https://tu-dresden.de/mn/studium/selma/index>

This block shows a close-up of the 'Module | Lehrveranstaltungen' menu item in the navigation bar. Below it, the sub-menu items 'Anmelden | Abmelden' and 'Wahlpflichtbereich' are visible.

Modules
Register/Deregister

- **first register for the module**
- then you can register for the lectures/seminars/exercises/... **and** for the exams

This block shows a close-up of the 'Prüfungen' menu item. The sub-menu items 'Anmelden | Abmelden' and 'Ergebnisse' are listed below it.

Examinations
Register/Deregister

- may only be active during examination registration period;
- some examinations can only be registered for at the examination office
- in case of doubts: studienbuero.mn@tu-dresden.de

Study Plan Experimental and Theoretical Physics

Modul number	Modul name	1st Semester (M)	2nd Semester	3rd Semester	4th Semester	CP
		L/E/T/S/P/St/SW	L/E/T/S/P/St/SW	L/E/T/S/P/St/SW	L/E/T/S/P/St/SW	
Compulsory Field						
Phy-Ma-Vert	Specialisation Physics	*/*/0/0/*/*/0 1xPW	*/*/0/0/*/*/0 1xEx			15
Phy-Ma-Hsem	Advanced Scientific Seminar	0/0/0/2/0/1/0 1xEx				6
Phy-Ma-Exp	Experimental Physics	0/0/1/0/0/3/0	3/1/0/0/0/0/0 1xEx			13
Phy-Ma-Theo	Theoretical Physics	0/0/1/0/0/3/0	3/1/0/0/0/0/0 1xEx			13
Phy-Ma-WisStu	Scientific Studies			0/0/0/0/0/0/22,5 weeks 1xEx		30

- Experimental and Theoretical Physics:
 - Winter term: lectures and tutorials
 - Summer term: tutorials and self-studies
- Oral examination can be taken in every term
- Module examinations taken prior to the semesters specified in the study schedule allow for a "free attempt":
 - Upon request, module examinations or examined assessments graded at least “pass” (4.0) in the free attempt may be repeated once the next time the examination is regularly held in order to improve the grade. In this case, the better assessment counts.

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- **Experimental Physics:**
 - key concepts of experimental physics
 - common strategies in the experimental investigation of structures and excitations of physical systems at different scales of size and energy
 - correlate physical concepts and methods of different experimental fields
- **Theoretical Physics:**
 - overview of the fields of theoretical physics and their interrelations
 - describe theoretical descriptions of selected physical phenomena in a comprehensible way
 - combine theoretical fundamentals and methods
 - independently explore complex physics questions

Study Plan Non-physics Supplement

Elective Compulsory Field Non-Physics Supplement¹

Phy-Ma-NpErg-MAT	Non-Physics Supplementary Course Mathematics	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*
Phy-Ma-NpErg-BIM	Non-Physics Supplementary Course Biomathematics	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*
Phy-Ma-NpErg-CHE	Non-Physics Supplementary Course Chemistry	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*
Phy-Ma-NpErg-BIO	Non-Physics Supplementary Course Biology	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*
Phy-Ma-NpErg-MBE	Non-Physics Supplementary Course Molecular Bioengineering	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*
Phy-Ma-NpErg-INF	Non-Physics Supplementary Course Computer Science	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*
Phy-Ma-NpErg-PHI	Non-Physics Supplementary Course Philosophy	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*
Phy-Ma-NpErg-ELT	Non-Physics Supplementary Course Electrical Engineering	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*
Phy-Ma-NpErg-MSB	Non-Physics Supplementary Course Mechanical Engineering	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*
Phy-Ma-NpErg-WSW	Non-Physics Supplementary Course Materials Science	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*
Phy-Ma-NpErg-BWL	Non-Physics Supplementary Course Business Administration	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*
Phy-Ma-NpErg-VWL	Non-Physics Supplementary Course Economics	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*	*/**/*/*/*/*/* Ex*

Mathematics
 Biomathematics
 Chemistry
 Biology
 Molecular Biology
 Computer Science
 Philosophy
 Electrical Engineering
 Mechanical Engineering
 Materials Science
 Economics
 Business Administration

- Elective Compulsory Non-Physics Supplement:
 - 25 topics in 12 non-physics areas
 - typically 8 SWS (double periods of lecture/tutorial/seminar/lab) and 13 credit points
 - The module exam consists of 2 or 3 course assessments
 - The module grade will be calculated from the individual grade of each examination weighted 1:1(:1)
 - All oral exams are conducted in German or English, at the student's discretion.
 - All written examinations take place in the language of instruction.
 - If a module grade yields "not passed", instead of repeating the exam, also another topic and/or another minor can be chosen.

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- Elective Compulsory Non-Physics Supplement:
 - Catalogue and further information:
 - https://tu-dresden.de/mn/physik/studium/master/lehrveranstaltungen/nichtphysikalische_ergaenzung_master?set_language=de

Study Plan Non-physics Supplement - The Selma View

List of Lectures

Overview > School of Science > Faculty of Physics > Master Wahlpflichtbereich - Nichtphysikalische Ergänzung

Module / Course offering Module Owner / Instructors Time period	Event type	Start semester
> M0200-M0MAT Non-Physics Supplementary Course Mathematics N.N.		SoSe 2024
K0108-22222xV Analysis - Funktionentheorie (V)		
> K0108-22222xV Analysis - Complex Analysis (L) Prof. Dr. rer. nat. Ralph Chill Tue, 9. Apr. 2024 [09:20] - Fri, 19. Jul. 2024 [10:50]	Lecture	
K0108-22222xÜ Analysis - Funktionentheorie (Ü)		
> K0108-22222xÜ Analysis - Complex Analysis (E) Prof. Dr. rer. nat. Ralph Chill Tue, 16. Apr. 2024 [09:20] - Tue, 9. Jul. 2024 [10:50]	Exercise	
K0108-22522xV Numerische Mathematik - Iterationsverfahren (V)		
> K0108-22522xV Numerical Mathematics - Iterative Methods (L) Prof. Dr. rer. nat. habil. Andreas Fischer Mon, 8. Apr. 2024 [14:50] - Fri, 19. Jul. 2024 [12:40]	Lecture	

Example

Study Plan Scientific Studies and Master Thesis

Modul number	Modul name	1st Semester (M)	2nd Semester	3rd Semester	4th Semester	CP
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					Master Thesis	30

- Scientific Studies and Master Thesis:
 - research oriented project, usually in the field of the specialization area
 - oral presentation at the end of the scientific studies
 - The module Scientific Studies is the introduction and preparation to the research project of the Master thesis.
 - The Scientific Studies and the Master thesis deal with a common, overarching research topic.

Master of Science in Physics

- Please, use these web pages for further information, study documents, catalogues and more:
 - <https://tu-dresden.de/mn/physik/studium/master>
- If you find inconsistencies or unclear information, please, contact me.
- In the annotated course catalogue:
 - <https://selma.tu-dresden.de>
 - inscription to seminars, tutorial groups, .. for organization
 - course material,
 - links to OPAL pages for additional information or more detailed course organization (seminar topic selection, ...)
- Inscription to examinations must be done through the Selma web pages

List of Lectures

Overview > School of Science > Faculty of Physics

- Bachelor Physics (2nd Semester)
- Bachelor Physics (4th Semester)
- Bachelor Physics (6th Semester)
- Specialisation Physics Bachelor and Master
- Master Physics Regular Courses
- Master Physics Advanced Scientific Seminars
- Master Wahlpflichtbereich - Nichtphysikalische Ergänzung

Master of Science in Physics Examinations and Preparation

- Not graded:
 - Advanced scientific seminar (can be taken in any term)
 - Lab and computer courses as part of the "examination prerequisite" in the physics specialisation
 - Oral presentation of the Scientific Studies
- 3 oral exams, can be taken in any term, but typically at the end of the 2nd term:
 - experimental and theoretical physics
 - physics specialisation
- Preparation:
 - lectures, tutorials, self-study
 - **recommendation: preparation for oral exams is best done in learning groups / teams!**
- No formal inscription to lectures needed
- Specialisation area is selected only at the time of inscription to the corresponding oral exam

Master of Science in Physics Credit Points and Grades

- Credit points and grading weights are independent
- Weights for the final grade:
 - 35% Master's thesis (30 CP)
 - 26% Physics Specialization (15 CP)
 - 13% Experimental Physics (13 CP)
 - 13% Theoretical Physics (13 CP)
 - 13% Elective compulsory module of the non-physics supplement (13 CP)
- Specialisation : Experimental Ph.: Theoretical Ph. : Non-physics suppl.= 2:1:1:1
- Specialisation + Master thesis = 61%
- "key concept" lectures (exp. + theor.) = 26%

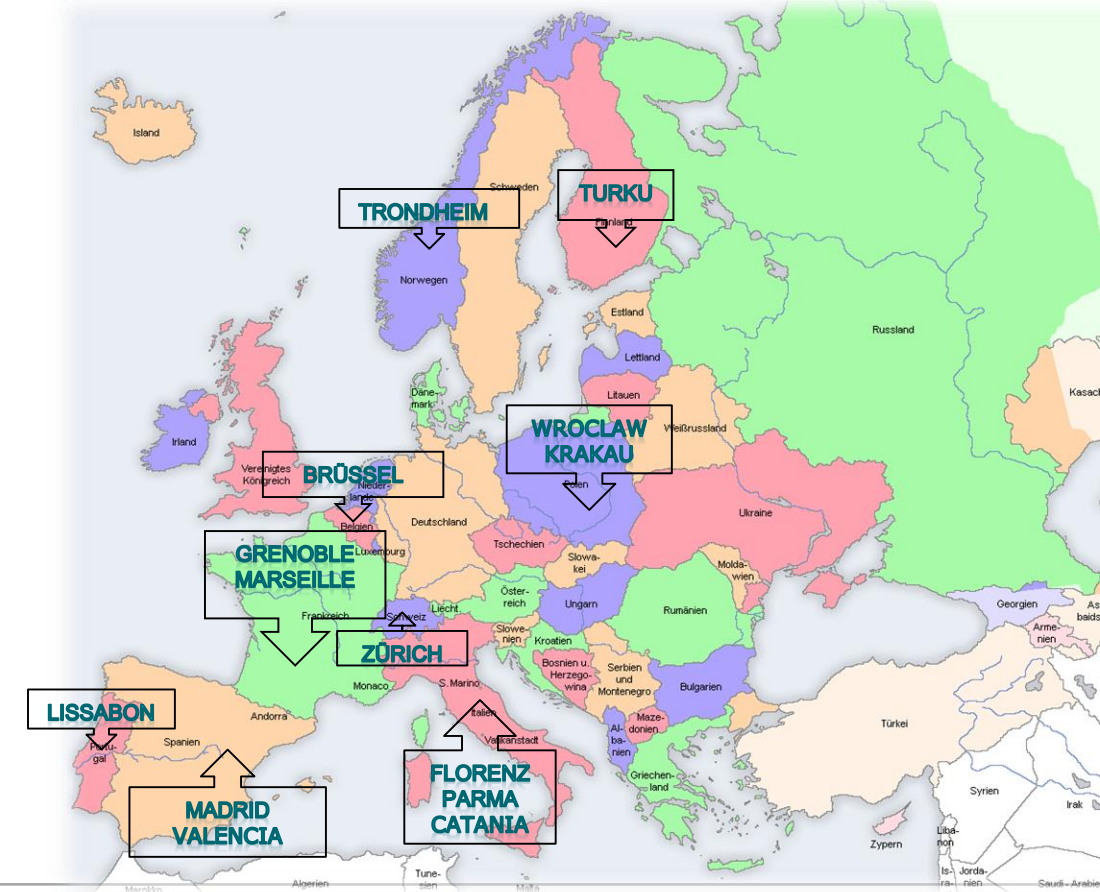
Master of Science in Physics Study abroad



- Courses taken abroad can be integrated in the specialisation area (can also be one of the 2 topics in the oral exam)
- At foreign Universities you do not need to take graded examinations (oral exams in Dresden)
- 2 semesters abroad:
 - better integration at foreign University
 - more easy organisation in case of full-year exchange studies (sometimes obligatory in ERASMUS programme)
- 1 semester abroad:
 - summer term is recommended
- experimental and theoretical physics courses may be completed within 1 semester
- More information: <https://tu-dresden.de/mn/physik/studium/beratung-und-service/internationales>

Study abroad

- e.g. Erasmus+: partner Universities in Belgium, Finland, France, Italy, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Spain, Switzerland
- Check Erasmus information pages of the Physics Faculty:
<https://tu-dresden.de/mn/physik/studium/beratung-und-service/internationales/erasmus>
- Further contacts:
- **Erasmus Coordinator (Europe)**
 - Prof. W. Strunz, ERASMUS.Physik@tu-dresden.de
- **International Officer Physics** (weltweit, insb. nicht-EU)
 - Prof. J. Budich, iop@tu-dresden.deor at the International Office TU Dresden
- Internships abroad: Leonardo Office Sachsen www.leo.tu-dresden.de



Support for you!

- Student council PFSR: <https://www.pfsr.de/>
- **Learning room Physics (Mon-Thu, 6+7. DS, REC/D16)**
- Academic Advisor - Physics Master: Dr. M. Dörr
- Examination Office
- Coordination of the Physics Master studies:
contact: Peter Fischer, Prof. Arno Straessner

Φ LERNRAUM
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Welcome and Introduction to the Master of Science in Physics Programme

- Introduction to the Master of Science in Physics Programme
- Service and Support by TU Dresden
- TUDIAS Language Programme
- Information and Support by the Student Council

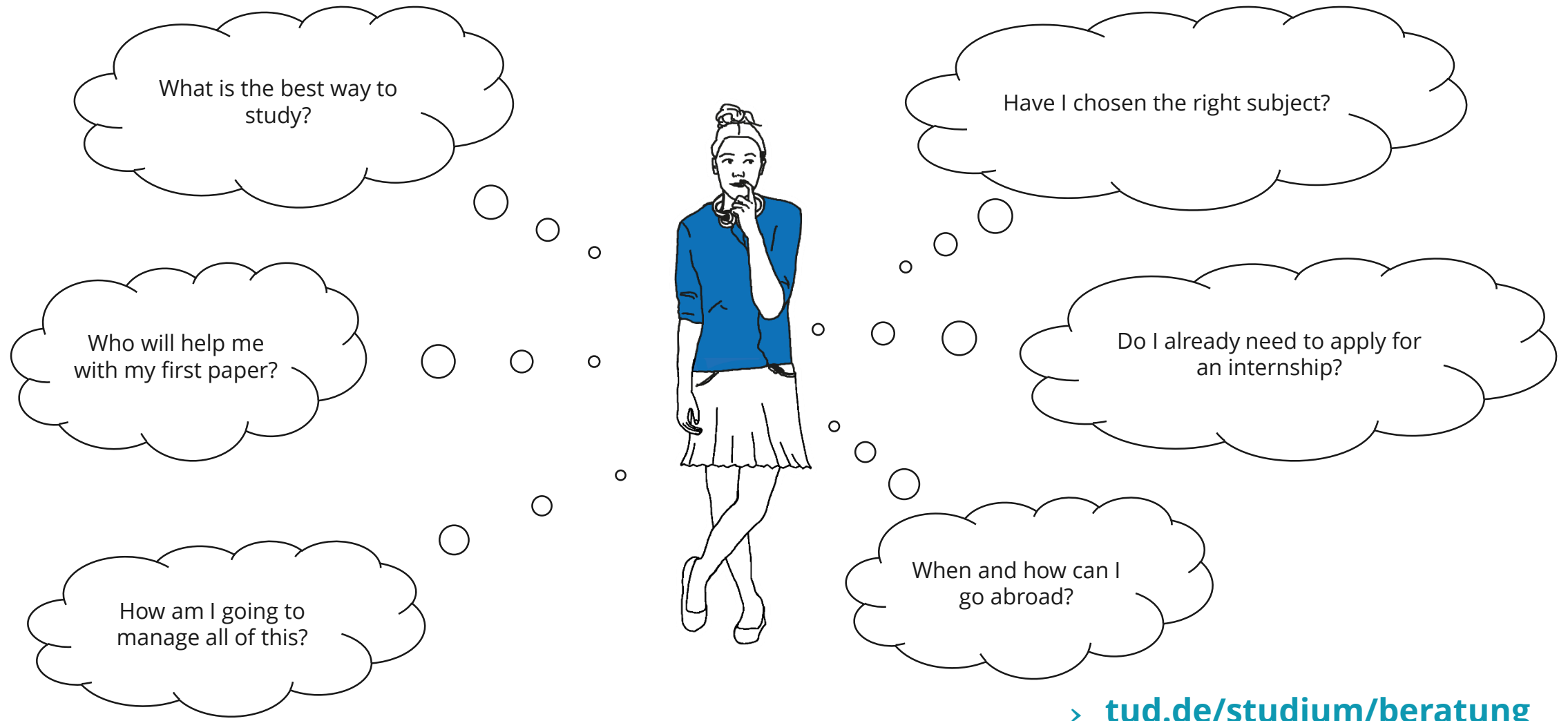


Directorate 8 – Student Affairs and Continuing Education

Services and Support Offers During Your Studies

Student Orientation WS 2024/2025

Do you have questions about studying?



> tud.de/studium/beratung

Dresden University of Technology accompanies and supports you

CENTRAL STUDENT INFORMATION AND COUNSELING SERVICE

... is there for you in difficult situations. Having doubts or facing problems during your studies?

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Offers

- Individual Counseling
- Workshops
- Study Groups
- Early Warning System PASST?!



Dresden University of Technology accompanies and supports you

ADMISSIONS OFFICE

... if you were educated in Germany

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INTERNATIONAL OFFICE

... for international students

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Topics

- Re-registration for the following semester, De-registration, Certificates
- Taking a leave of absence
- Changing degree programs



Dresden University of Technology accompanies and supports you

Gaining international experience

International Office

Incoming

- International Tutoring Program
- Cultural Office

Outgoing

- Study abroad

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- Internship abroad

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CAREER SERVICE

Topics & Offers

- Key Competencies
- Presenting skillfully
- Applying successfully
- CV Check
- Career Counseling
- Live Streams with employers
- Jobs and Internships
- On-Campus Jobfairs
- Career Orientation

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Dresden University of Technology and its partners will accompany and support you with numerous other offers:

Study Success Projects

➤ tud.de/deinstudienerfolg

Studentenwerk Dresden

➤ studentenwerk-dresden.de

Student Council

➤ tud.de/stura
➤ tud.de/stura/fachschaften



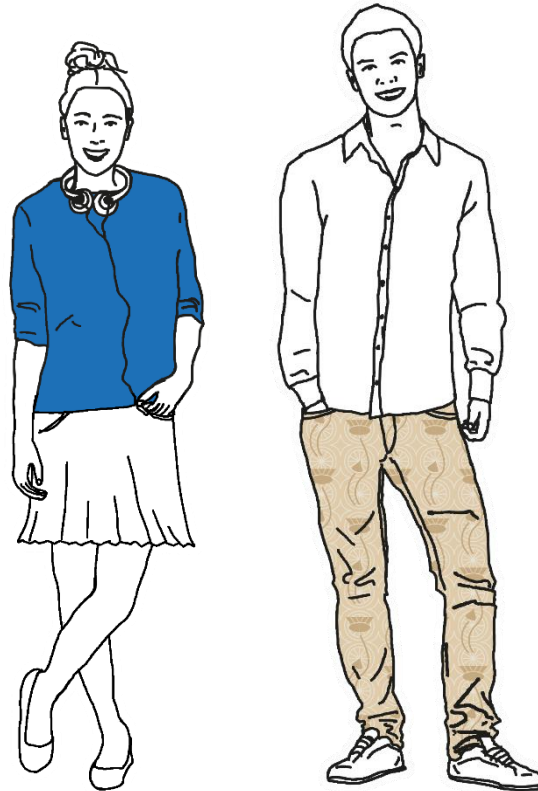
Counseling Compass

➤ tud.de/studium/beratungskompass

Student Advisory Service

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TU Dresden Foreign Language Courses



Languages on offer

Ancient Greek

English

Japanese

Russian

Arabic

Finnish

Latin

Swedish

Chinese

French

Polish

Spanish

German

Italian

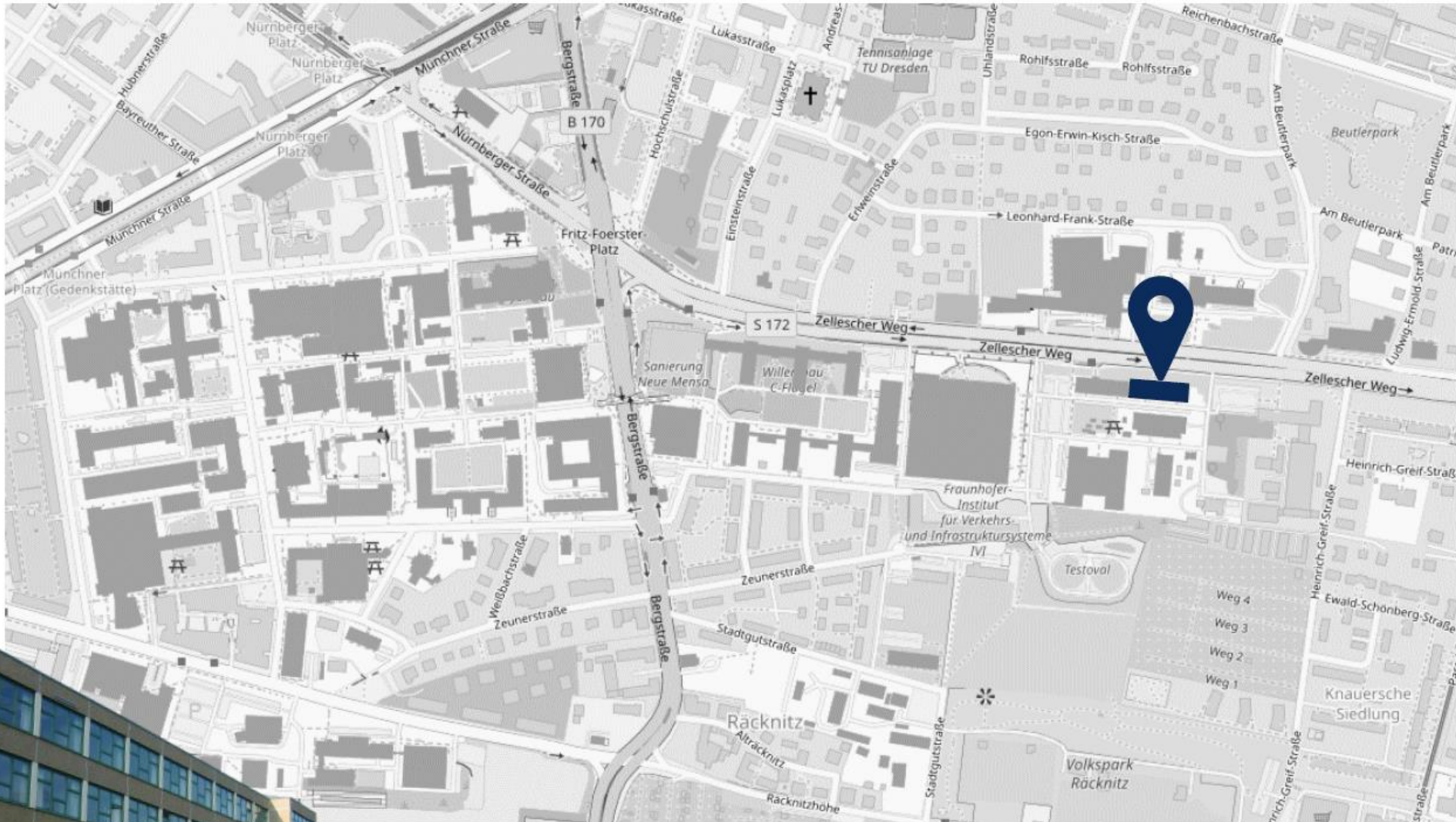
Portuguese

Czech

Participation in a Language Course

- **Credit points for the course** (with passed exam):
modules (see your examination regulations)
or
as additional or elective coursework (see your examination
or AQUA regulations)
- In preparation for a **semester abroad**
(Contact the International Office, Erasmus Coordinator)

Location



Seminargebäude 1, Zellescher Weg 22

Levels and Course Types

Courses	
A1 – A2+	Without prior knowledge or based on little prior knowledge
B1 – B2	Building on the elementary use of language
B2+ - C1	Academic / Professional Language Competencies
B1 – C1+ Profile courses	Profile courses – Specialized topics

Specialization Studies

Ostasienzentrum (OAZ)



- Eastern Asia | Japan
- Eastern Asia | Greater China

Each contains:

12 SWS of language training

8 SWS regional studies (e.g. politics)

Regional Studies: Latin America

- Latin America | Hispanic America
- Latin America | Brasil

B2 Portuguese or C1 Spanish +
regional studies (e.g. politics)

Registration

Registration always
with **OPAL** starting in
April/October



bildungsportal.sachsen.de/opal

Exams

Exam dates published in the course
description in
OPAL

Registration for exams via **Selma**
In WiSe in weeks 2-3 (January)
In SoSe in weeks 25-27 (June/July)



Certificates



Participation Certificates

UNIcert Basis, I, II, III

TU-Zertifikat B2+ or C1

APE / ABE Certificate or Diploma

Latin / Ancient Greek knowledge

Preparation for Latinum / Graecum exams

Certificate

Advanced Professional English



TU-Zertifikat TU-Certificate

«Sprache» Niveau B2+
«Language» Level B2+

Einführung in die Berufs- und Wissenschaftssprache
Introduction into Business «Language» and «Language» for Specific
Purposes

«MW»

«Vorname» «Name»

Geburtsdatum

«GebDatum»

Date of Birth

Geburtsort

«GebOrt»

Place of Birth

Kursinhalt

- Arbeit mit fach- und wissenschaftsbezogenen
Texten / Scientific Reading and Writing
- mündliche und schriftliche Kommunikation / Oral
and Written Communication
- Bewerbungstraining / Job Application Training

Umfang

6 SWS (90 Std.)

Workload

Schriftlich / Written

Note / Grade

Mündlich / Oral

Note / Grade

Klausur (Lesen/Hören)

«KLH»

Mündliche Prüfung

«mPr»

Exam (Listening/Reading)

«Schr»

Oral Production

«Ref»

Klausur (Schreiben)

«Schr»

Referat

«Ref»

Exam (Writing)

«EndNote»

«Prädikat»

Gesamtnote

«EndNote» («Prädikat»)

Total Result

Dresden, 31.03.2023

sprachkennzeichen / course identifier

Das Zertifikat wird nur an Teilnehmer*innen ausgestellt, die die Prüfung mit einem Gesamtergebnis von mindestens 50% bestanden haben.
The Certificate will only be issued to the participants who have passed the examination with an overall result of at least 50%.

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«GebDatum»
«GebOrt»

«GESStid» h («GESSWS» SWS)

Grade «Note1»

Grade «Note2»

Grade «Note3»

Examination Board

Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) common levels
and C1 and C2 (best native speakers)

Contact

 TUDIAS Studienorganisation

 sprachen.zentrum@tu-dresden.de



We wish you successful Physics Master studies at TU Dresden!



— Slides will be uploaded to: <https://tu-dresden.de/mn/physik/studium/Studienstart>



**Fachschaftsrat
Physik**

April 8th, 2025

Student council of physics

www.pfsr.de





Your #1 contact

If you don't know where to go and who to ask -
we are here and offer first aid!

pfsr.de

Instagram: [@pfsr_tud](https://www.instagram.com/pfsr_tud)

Telegram: t.me/pfsrinfo

fsrphysik@mailbox.tu-dresden.de

Office: REC/D017





Everyone can join!

- We meet each Monday at 7 pm (19:00)
- Where? REC/D016
- next meeting will be on April 14th
- More infos: pfsr.de



Our official duties

- Evaluating classes
- Improving the curricula
- Being contact persons for students
- Representing you in several official bodies
 - University student council (StuRa)
 - Committee for the physics curriculum
 - Examination commissions



Our master guide





Events

First semester
introduction

Summer BBQ

Live-Music
Evening

Feuerzangenbowle

HZDR trip

CERN trip

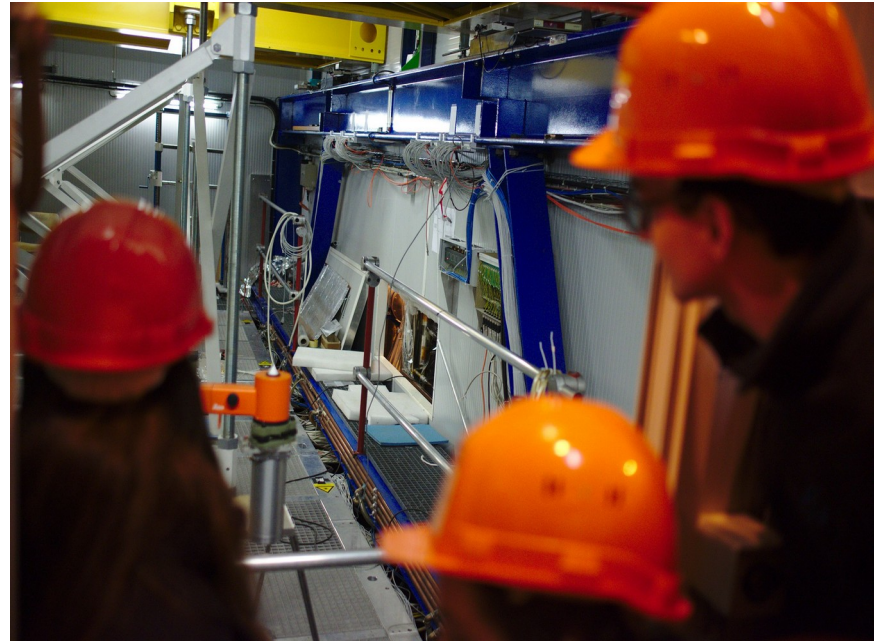
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Feuerzangenbowle



CERN trip





Live-Music evening





Summer BBQ





Our office – REC/D017





Kuschelecke – REC/D108





What's next?



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Physics Tutorial Room

- Students supporting students
- Get help with your exercise sheets, studying and life in DD
- <https://tu-dresden.de/mn/physik/studium/beratung-und-service/lernraum>



Private problems or questions in general?

- Problems with lecturers
- Administrative problems
- Question about Disadvantages, ...

⇒ contact us!

stugako-physik-ma@mailbox.tu-dresden.de
(student coordinator of studies)

fsrphysik@mailbox.tu-dresden.de (student council)

www.pfsr.de



General advice

- Check your mails! (msx.tu-dresden.de)
- Organize in study groups
- Register for a library account
- Might need EC card for paying cashless (no credit cards...)
- Sports program (enrolment starts April 9th, TOMORROW)
- Language program (free! Enrolment already started)
- International buddies / Erasmus student network
- Don't hesitate to write mails to professors/lecturers
- Don't forget to register for main seminar and lab courses



Upcoming events

- **TODAY:** Get-Together, start: 6:30 pm at student club HängeMathe (Zeunerstraße 1f)
- April 14th: next PFSR meeting at 7 pm in REC/D016
- April 23rd : Masters BBQ
(6 p.m., at the student club HängeMathe)



Our Master Guide





Questions?

