



INFORMATION ON THE TOPIC OF EXAMINATION TYPES

General rule: A module should not generally include more than one examination (Section 16 para. 1 sentence 2 General Examination Regulations, APO).

If a module examination consists of two examination performances, the overall grade is calculated from the arithmetic mean of the two grades (Section 20 para. 4 APO).

The General Examination Regulations (APO) provide for the following examination types in Section 17:

1. Oral examination
2. Written examination
3. Written assignment
4. Presentation
5. Written assignment with presentation
6. Internship report
7. Portfolio
8. Take-home examination
9. Project outline
10. Practical performance (action taken in a specific situation)
11. Discussion or team performance

The examination type "written assignment with presentation" is a special case. It is one examination; the presentation is a required element but will not be included in the assessment unless an examination regulation stipulates otherwise. The module grade is the grade of the written assignment.

This is a special case; beyond that, there are no analogously constructed "combined examination types."

Apart from the special case described above, if an examination regulation of a degree program or a subject examination regulation contains the word "with", this is to be read as "and" and has the consequence that two partial examinations must be taken.

The overall grade is then calculated from the assessments of both partial examinations.

The (subject) examination regulations may provide for an option to choose regarding the examination type. The lecturer shall determine the choice of the examination type in a binding manner. It is usually communicated to students well in advance in the courses and via the examination entry provided for registration/login in KU.Campus.