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Regulations amending the examination regulations for the consecutive Master's degree program Global Political Economy and Development of the Department of Social Sciences at the University of Kassel dated May 31, 2023

The examination regulations for the consecutive Master's degree program Global Political Economy and Development of the Department of Social Sciences at the University of Kassel dated April 20, 2022 are amended as follows:

Article 1: Amendments

1. § 5 shall be revised as follows:

§ 5 Admission requirements for the Master's program

(1) Admission to the Master's degree program in Global Political Economy and Development is only possible for those who

1. has a first professionally qualifying degree with at least six semesters in one of the fields of social sciences, cultural studies, political science, economics or law from the University of Kassel or another university, generally with a grade of at least "good" (2.5) or
2. can provide evidence of an equivalent degree with at least six semesters of study at a foreign university in the subject areas listed under 1 with a grade of at least "upper second" or equivalent grades and
3. can provide evidence of practical socio-political experience (e.g. in (university) politics or in policy-oriented civil society organizations) of at least one year in an honorary or full-time position and meets the requirements set out in paragraph 2 and
4. submits a convincing letter of motivation in accordance with paragraph 4 and
5. has certified English language proficiency at level C1 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).

2. § 7 shall be revised as follows:

§ 7 Examination parts of the Master's degree

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(5) During a semester abroad at a partner university, students can have thematically relevant courses in the compulsory elective and elective areas credited with up to a maximum of 30 credits.

(6) Three bound copies of the Master's thesis must be submitted to the Examination Board by the deadline, together with a personally signed declaration that the thesis was written independently. On the same day, the thesis must be sent as a file (Word, OpenOffice, PDF or similar) to the Examination Office.

Article 2 Entry into Force

These amendments come into force on the day after publication in the University of Kassel's official bulletin.

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