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## Information Sheet

### for Producing Academic Pieces of Work and Initiating a Doctoral Procedure at the Faculty of Arts and Humanities.

#### 0.1 Information on producing academic pieces of work

We recommend the following literature that is available in the University Library for the formal aspects of writing academic pieces of work.

Please note: You must be logged into the university network to be able to access the eBooks via the links.

**Schreib- und Gestaltungsregeln für die Text- und Informationsverarbeitung. Unkommentierte Ausgabe der DIN 5008:2020** in offprint format (2020). 6<sup>th</sup> Edition. Berlin: Beuth Verlag (Beuth publishing DIN).

**Print:** Campusbibl. Innenstadt, Fachbibl. Bildung, Geschichte, Altertum, Shelf mark: AK 39580 S378(6)  
Patent- und Normenzentrum, Shelf mark: AK 39580 S378(6)

**Andermann, Ulrich; Drees, Martin; Grätz, Frank (2006): Duden. Wie verfasst man wissenschaftliche Arbeiten?:** ein Leitfaden für das Studium und die Promotion. 3<sup>rd</sup>, completely newly revised Edition, [Reprint]. Mannheim: Dudenverlag.

**Print:** Campusbibl. Südstadt, Shelf mark: AK 39580 P744(3)  
Campusbibl. Innenstadt, Fachbibl. Bildung, Geschichte, Altertum, Shelf mark: AK 39580 P744(3)

**Franck, Norbert (2019): Handbuch Wissenschaftliches Schreiben.** Eine Anleitung von A bis Z. Edition. Stuttgart: UTB.

**Online:**

<https://www.utb-studi-e-book.de/9783838551081>

**Print:** Campusbibl. Südstadt, Shelf mark: AK 39580 F822  
Campusbibl. Innenstadt, Fachbibl. Bildung, Geschichte, Altertum, Shelf mark: AK 39580 F822

**Freund, Uwe (2019): Korrekt schreiben nach DIN 5008 für Dummies.** 1<sup>st</sup> Edition. Weinheim: Wiley-VCH

**Print:** Campusbibl. Südstadt, Shelf mark: AK 39500 F889  
Campusbibl. Innenstadt, Fachbibl. Bildung, Geschichte, Altertum, Shelf mark: AK 39500 F889

**Jele, Harald (2021): Richtig zitieren.** 4<sup>th</sup> expanded and revised edition. Stuttgart: Kohlhammer.

**Print:** Campusbibl. Südstadt, Shelf mark: AK 39580 J48(4)  
Campusbibl. Innenstadt, Fachbibl. Bildung, Geschichte, Altertum, Shelf mark: AK 39580 J48(4)

**Karmasin, Matthias; Ribing, Rainer (2017): Die Gestaltung wissenschaftlicher Arbeiten. Ein Leitfaden für Facharbeit/VWA, Seminararbeiten, Bachelor-, Master-, Magister- und Diplomarbeiten sowie Dissertationen.** 9<sup>th</sup> revised and updated edition. Vienna, Stuttgart: facultas; UTB GmbH

**Online (10<sup>th</sup> Ed.)**

<https://www.utb-studi-e-book.de/9783838553139>

**Print:** Campusbibl. Südstadt, (2014), Shelf mark: AK 39580 K18(8)  
Campusbibl. Innenstadt, Fachbibl. Bildung, Geschichte, Altertum, (2017) Shelf mark: AK 39580 K18(9)

**Klein, Andrea (2020): Wissenschaftliche Arbeiten schreiben. Praktischer Leitfaden mit über 100 Software-Tipps.** 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition. Frechen: mitp.

online only:

[http://www.content-select.com/index.php?id=bib\\_view&ean=9783958459755](http://www.content-select.com/index.php?id=bib_view&ean=9783958459755)

**Mathea, Siegfried; Schulz, Gundula (2020): Kommentar zur DIN 5008:2020.** Mit den wichtigsten Fragen und Antworten zu den Schreib- und Gestaltungsregeln. 1<sup>st</sup> Edition. Berlin: Beuth (Beuth Kommentar).

Print: Patent- und Normenzentrum, Shelf mark: AK 39580 M426

**Prexl, Lydia (2019): Mit digitalen Quellen arbeiten. Richtig zitieren aus Datenbanken, E-Books, YouTube & Co. 3.,** updated and revised edition. Paderborn: Ferdinand Schöningh (utb Schlüsselkompetenzen).

Online

<https://www.utb-studi-e-book.de/9783838550725>

Print: Campusbibl. Innenstadt, Fachbibl. Bildung, Geschichte, Altertum (2019), Shelf mark: AK 39950 P944(3)

Campusbibl. Südstadt (2016), Shelf mark: AK 39950 P944(2)

**Sandberg, Berit (2017): Wissenschaftliches Arbeiten von Abbildung bis Zitat. Lehr- und Übungsbuch** für Bachelor, Master und Promotion. 3<sup>rd</sup> revised and extended edition. Berlin, Boston: De Gruyter Oldenbourg (De Gruyter Studium).

Online

<https://www.degruyter.com/viewbooktoc/product/456172>

Print: Campusbibl. Südstadt, Shelf mark: AK 39540 S213(3)

Campusbibl. Innenstadt, Fachbibl. Bildung, Geschichte, Altertum, Shelf mark: AK 39540 S213(3)

**Träger, Thomas (2018): Zitieren 2.0. Elektronische Quellen und Projektmaterialien richtig zitieren.** 2<sup>nd</sup> revised and extended edition. Munich: Verlag Franz Vahlen.

Print: PNZ (2019), Shelf mark: AK 39950 T764(2)

Campusbibl. Südstadt, Shelf mark: (2016) AK 39950 T764

Campusbibl. Innenstadt, Fachbibl. Bildung, Geschichte, Altertum (2016), Shelf mark: AK 39950 T764

We recommend that you consult the DIN standards listed below, which you can access via the Perinorm Online database and print and save for your own scientific use (please note: only members and students of the University of Rostock, contract lecturers and guest lecturers are permitted to print and save the full texts for their own academic use)

If you have any questions, please contact the Centre for Patents and Standards at Parkstraße 6

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email: [normen@uni-rostock.de](mailto:normen@uni-rostock.de)

#### **SI Units - Units of Measurements**

DIN 1301 Derived quantities and some other units

DIN 1304 **Letter symbols for physical quantities**

DIN 1304-1 Symbols for general use

DIN 1338 Writing and typesetting of formulae

DIN EN 60027-1 Letter symbols to be used in electrical technology: general information

#### **Information in documents**

DIN 1421 Arrangement and numbering in texts; clauses, paragraphs, enumerations

DIN 1422-1 Publications in sciences, technology, economy and administration; presentation of manuscripts and typescripts

DIN 1426 Representation of the contents of documents; abstracts, literature surveys

DIN ISO 690 Guidelines for bibliographic references and citations to information resources

DIN 5008 **Rules for the writing and layout of word processing documents**

#### **Further literature and links:**

**Ebel, Hans F.; Bliefert, Claus (2011): Bachelor-, Master- und Doktorarbeit. Anleitungen für den naturwissenschaftlich-technischen Nachwuchs.** 4<sup>th</sup> updated ed., repr. Weinheim: Wiley-VCH.

Print: Campusbibl. Südstadt, Shelf mark: AK 39580 E15(4)

**Hien, Katharina; Rümpler, Steffen (2008): Grafische Gestaltung in Naturwissenschaften und Medizin.** Wissenschaftliche Informationen vermitteln und präsentieren. Berlin: Spektrum Akad. Verl.

**Print:** Campusbibl. Südstadt, Shelf mark: TB 1024 H633

**Hirsch-Weber, Andreas; Scherer, Stefan (2016): Wissenschaftliches Schreiben und Abschlussarbeit in Natur- und Ingenieurwissenschaften.** Grundlagen - Praxisbeispiele - Übungen. 1<sup>st</sup> Edition Stuttgart: UTB GmbH; Ulmer (UTB, 4450).

Online:

<http://www.utb-studi-e-book.de/9783838544502>

**Print:** Campusbibl. Südstadt, Shelf mark: AK 39580 H669

**Kornmeier, Martin: Wissenschaftlich schreiben leicht gemacht.** - Bern: Haupt Verlag [2018 – 8<sup>th</sup> Edition]

Online <https://www.utb-studi-e-book.de/9783838550848>

**Print:** Campusbibl. Südstadt (7<sup>th</sup> Edition 2016) AK 39580 K84(7)

Campusbibl. Innenstadt, Fachbibl. Bildung, Geschichte, Altertum (7<sup>th</sup> Edition 2016) AK 39580 K84(7)

## **0.2 Registration of doctoral candidates and membership of the Graduate Academy**

All doctoral candidates must register as doctoral candidates at the University of Rostock after receiving confirmation of supervision.

The form must be completed in German "[Erfassung von Doktorandinnen und Doktoranden](#)" or in English "[Registration of Doctoral Candidates](#)" and sent via email to the Graduate Academy ([grada@uni-rostock.de](mailto:grada@uni-rostock.de)).

We also recommend becoming a member of the Graduate Academy, which is free of charge. All benefits and funding opportunities as well as the membership application form can be found at

<https://www.uni-rostock.de/en/research/support-of-early-career-researchers/translate-to-english-graduertenakademie/>

<b>1. Documents for initiating a doctoral procedure</b>
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In accordance with the **Doctoral Regulations of the University of Rostock's Faculty of Arts and Humanities**, the following documents must be submitted by post\* to the Doctoral Office to initiate the doctoral procedure:

- 1.1 Request in no specific form submitted in writing to the Chairperson of the Doctoral Committee, requesting the initiation of a doctoral procedure;**
- 1.2 Request in no specific form submitted to the Doctoral Committee, requesting the conferral of the feminine form of the academic title Doctrix philosophiae (abbreviated to Dr. phil.).**
- 1.3 Application form for initiating a doctoral procedure;**

The form to be used for the application is available at

<https://www.uni-rostock.de/en/research/support-of-early-career-researchers/career-paths/doctorate/translate-to-english-wege-zur-promotion-freier-modus/>

where it can be downloaded and filled in.

- 1.4 Four copies of the doctoral thesis (hard or soft cover binding; no ring binding);**

The following stipulations apply to the copies of the thesis to be submitted with the application:

- An abstract, a list of publications, a declaration in lieu of an oath (see section 2), and a curriculum vitae must also be bound in the copies after the contents of the thesis.
- Additional copies must be supplied if further reviewers are appointed.
- Do not enter the names of the reviewers yet (they will not be appointed until the procedure has been initiated).

- 1.5 Confirmation from the supervisor that no other form of treatise has previously been used for an academic or state examination, or otherwise, that the thesis ..... has a considerable novelty value in comparison to ..... § 9(6) and § 7(2) Item c);**
- 1.6 Non-binding proposal from the supervisor for three reviewers, agreed with the doctoral candidate;**
- 1.7 Digital version of the thesis in a common file format on a modern data storage device;**
- 1.8 Certified copy of the university degree certificate;**
- 1.9 Proof of the required foreign language skills pursuant to the Doctoral Regulations;**
- 1.10 Proof of German language skills at C1 level for doctoral candidates, whose native language is not German;**
- 1.11 Request (if desired) submitted to the Doctoral Committee, requesting the conferral of the feminine form of the academic title Doctrix philosophiae (abbreviated to Dr. phil.).**

\* Universität Rostock  
Zentrale Universitätsverwaltung – Poststelle  
z. Hd. Zentrale Promotions- und Habilitationsstelle  
Schwaansche Str. 2  
18055 Rostock

- 1.12 “Amtliches Führungszeugnis” [official certificate of good conduct] (not older than three months);**

The documents pursuant to points 1.1 - 1.3, 1.5 - 1.6, and 1.8 - 1.12 must be submitted together in a file folder.

The candidate will be informed whether or not the procedure has been initiated.

<b>2. Standardised confirmation in lieu of an oath</b>
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**Confirmation (pursuant to § 7(2) Item a) of the Doctoral Regulations of the University of Rostock's Faculty of Arts and Humanities)**

Name:  
(Surname, given name(s))

Address:  
(Road name, postal code and town)

I hereby affirm in lieu of an oath that I wrote the submitted doctoral thesis with the title

"....."

independently and without external assistance, did not use any sources and resources other than those declared, and that any passages taken verbatim or content taken from other works are indicated as such. Furthermore, I confirm that this doctoral thesis has not been used, either in whole or in part, to fulfil a requirement within the meaning of § 6(2) and (5) of the Doctoral Regulations of the University of Rostock's Faculty of Arts and Humanities and that it has not been presented in any other academic or state examination (§ 9(7)).

Rostock, .....  
(Date)

.....  
(Signature)

### **3. Fields in which doctorates can be completed at the Faculty of Arts and Humanities**

German Literature Studies  
German Linguistics  
Older German Language and Literature\*  
Teaching of German Language and Literature

Media and Communication Studies

British Literature and Cultural Studies  
North American Literature and Cultural Studies  
Anglophone Cultural Studies  
Anglophone Environmental Humanities  
English Linguistics  
Teaching of English

Romance Literary Studies\*\*  
Romance Linguistics\*\*  
Teaching of Romance Languages

Slavonic Literature Studies  
Slavonic Linguistics\*

Philosophy\*\*

Classical Archaeology\*\*\*  
Pre- and Protohistory  
Ancient History\*\*\*  
Greek Studies\*\*\*  
Latin Studies\*\*\*

Medieval and Early Modern History\*\*  
Modern and Contemporary History  
Teaching of History

Musicology\*

Educational Science  
History of Science and Science Studies  
Vocational Education – Teaching of Technical Subjects  
Vocational Education

Psychology  
Special Needs and Rehabilitation Education  
Primary School Education  
Teaching of Natural and Social Sciences

Sport Science

#### **Explanatory notes:**

- no asterisk No knowledge of classical languages required  
\* Knowledge of Latin (acquired through 90 hours of learning) is required  
\*\* Knowledge of Latin or Greek is required  
\*\*\* Knowledge of Latin and Greek is required

Knowledge of modern foreign languages must correspond to level B2 CEFR. (Common European Framework of Reference for Languages)

### **4. Recommended layout for the title page of the thesis**

(Title of the doctoral thesis)

Thesis

to

attain the university degree of

Doctor philosophiae (Dr. phil.) / Doctrix philosophiae (Dr. phil.)

at the Faculty of Arts and Humanities

of the University of Rostock

submitted by:

(Given name(s), Surname), born on (date of birth) in (place of birth)

from (town of residential address)

Rostock, (date)

(Please note: the mandatory copies must also indicate the names of the reviewers and the institutions where they work).

**5. Submission of the mandatory copies to the University Library upon bestowal of the title**

The University of Rostock's *Pflichtexemplarordnung* (Mandatory Copy Regulations) applies to the publication and submission of mandatory copies linked to doctoral and habilitation procedures.

**Important note:**

"The selected number of mandatory copies must be submitted free of charge to the Rostock University Library within four weeks of the Faculty Council's decision to award the doctorate or habilitation if the thesis is published without a publisher or journal publication." (§ 2(1))

The publication and submission options are described in detail on the following website:

<http://rosdok.uni-rostock.de/site/publish/disshab>

Please access the online submission form for the selected option and follow the procedure indicated there.

After checking the completeness and correctness of the mandatory copies, the Theses Department issues a confirmation of receipt and forwards this to the Central University Administration (Academic Self-Government (S44) - Doctorates and Habilitations).