

Changes in the Faculty ITC EER for M-GEO and M-SE 2024-2025

The following main changes were implemented in the EER for 2024-2025:

- **Art. 1.2:** Some definitions were added or updated.
- **Art. 3.8** regarding Joint Programmes has been removed, since the text didn't need to be in the EER. Instead, a sub-article 3.7.2 has been added.
- **Art. 3.9.4:** it has been clarified that there can be a maximum of 15 EC overlap in the MSc research in case of a combined programme.
- **Art. 5.2:** The criteria for the award of a MSc degree have been sharpened: no more than 5EC worth of exams may have a grade below 6 (and no grade below 5). This rule applies for students starting from September 2024 onwards. For students that started their programme in September 2023, the old regulations where no more than 12 EC worth of exams can be below 6 (and no grade below 5) still apply.
- **Programme-specific parts 1 & 2 F.3:** Previously, the text included that the student can only start an internship as part of the individual study space of the second academic year. Now this last part has been removed, a student can go on internship when the assessment of the MSc research proposal in the academic and research phase was positive.
- **Programme-specific parts 1 & 2 J.5 & J.7:** Detailed info on the Proposal Assessment Board & Thesis Assessment Board has been taken out of the EER, since that is part of the [assessment instructions](#).