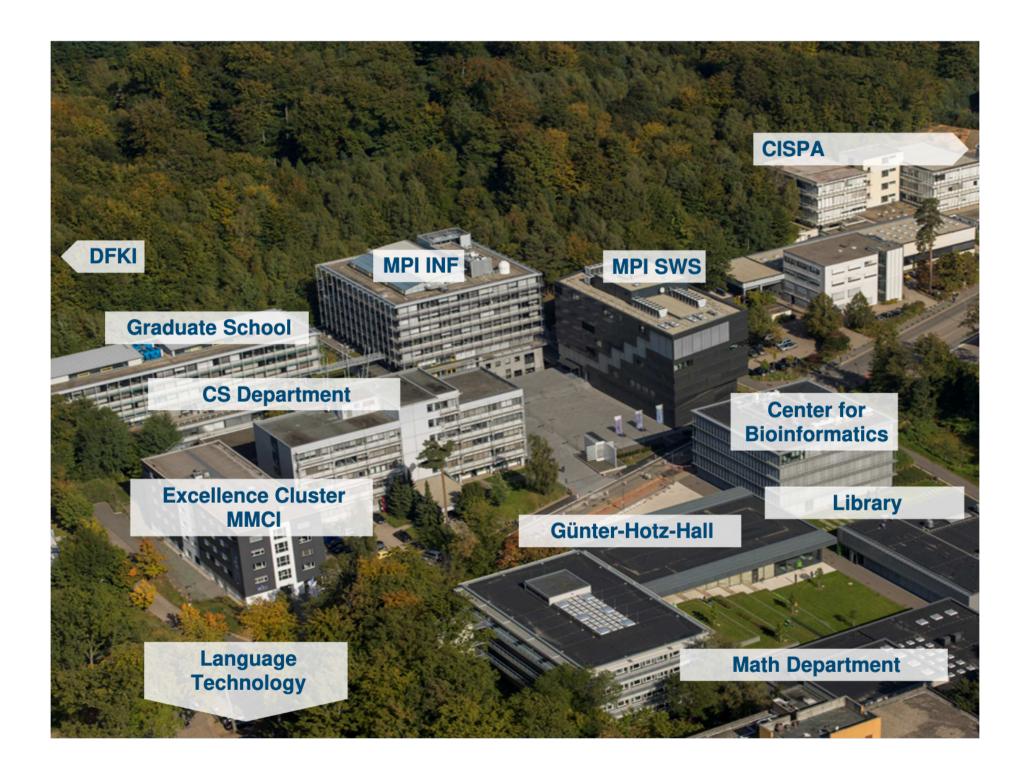
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Welcome to Saarland Informatics Campus for Master Students in Computer Science

Prof. Jan Reineke, Dean of Studies









Research

- 6 informatics institutes and
 3 collaborating departments on campus
- Around 2,000 students from more than 70 countries
- 70 research groups, 300 doctoral candidates
- ~ 850 scientists at SIC
- 18 informatics study programs
- 22 ERC Grants, 7 Leibniz Awards
- 4 Konrad Zuse Medals
- Ranked among the top 4 German CS departments (CHE-Ranking 2018)

More about us:

https://saarland-informatics-campus.de/en/ueberuns-aboutus/





SIC and the Industry

- Numerous cooperations with local industry (36)
 - z.B. Dillinger, Saarstahl, ZF, Hydac, SAP
- and international companies (82) like
 - Google, Microsoft, Facebook, Intel, Samsung, IBM,
 EADS, Microsoft, Bosch, Airbus, Siemens, etc.
- Since 2006 more than 70 start ups
- 1 Euro Budget → ~ 2,5 Euro acquired 3rd party funds





Master students CS

In total: 456 bachelor students and

424 master students in Computer Science

- Students from around 70 different countries in the CS department
- 48 professors and co-opted professors as well as 31 junior research groups





Study Regulations 2015 for Master of Computer Science

Read your study documents carefully!

examination regulations, subject-specific regulations and study regulations:

https://www.ps-mint.uni-saarland.de/index.php?id=195&L=3





Winter term 2020/21 - during the Coronavirus pandemia

- Same set of courses will be offered as during a regular winter term but courses will be offered using online formats
- Information about online courses and online tutorials is provided on the webpages of the lecturers
- Further Information:

https://www.uni-saarland.de/en/page/coronavirus/faq-students.html

https://saarland-informatics-campus.de/en/wintersemester2021/





Study Regulations 2015 for Master of Computer Science

- 1) 27 graded credits in the category of core lectures in computer science
- 2) 27–31 graded credits in the categories of core lectures, advanced lectures, or seminar in computer science (here: at most 1 seminar!)
- 3) 7 graded credits in the category of seminars in computer science
- 4) At least 17 ungraded credits must be acquired by:
 - Further courses in computer science
 - Master practical training in research groups at CS department
 - Internship in a company (max. 6 CP); approved by the examination board
 - Leading a tutorial (tutor)
 - Language courses (max. 6 CP, living language)
 - Courses from other departments, which have been applied for and approved by the examination board (e.g. in mathematics, business informatics or computer linguistics)
- 5) 12 graded credits for the Master seminar and 30 CP for the Master thesis





Example Course List All our core courses (offered at least every two years)

Algorithms and Data Structures Data Networks
Artificial Intelligence Operating Systems Semantics

Automated Reasoning Distributed Systems

Compiler Construction Complexity Theory Optimization

Computer Algebra Computer Architecture Machine Learning

Computer Graphics Embedded Systems Cryptography

Information Retrieval and Data Mining Data Base Systems

Software Engineering Telecommunications

Image Processing an Computer Vision Verification

Human Computer Interaction Geometric Modelling
Computational Logic Security

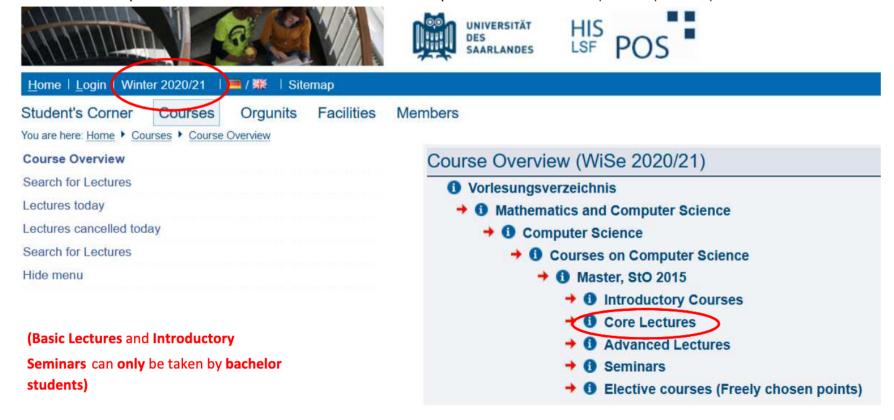


How to choose a lecture – example: core lecture

Course catalogue (LSF)

Faculty Mathematics and Computer Science Courses on Computer Science https://www.lsf.uni-

saarland.de/qisserver/rds?state=wtree&search=1&trex=step&root120201=253136|251379|252597|255390&P.vx=kurz







How to choose a lecture – example: Computer Graphics

Course list (Core lectures)

Course Overview (WiSe 2020/21)

- Vorlesungsverzeichnis
- → **1** Mathematics and Computer Science
 - → **①** Computer Science
 - → 1 Courses on Computer Science
 - → **1** Master, StO 2015
 - → **①** Core Lectures

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Online lectures	

LectNo.	Lecture
126605	Computer-Algebra: Groebner Basen und Anwendungen - Schreyer, Mitarbeiter des Lehrstuhls
126728	Database Systems - Dittrich
126730	Automated Reasoning - Weidenbach
126731	Security - Pellegrino , Tippenhauer
126732	Digital Transmission, Signal Processing (Telecommunications I) - Herfet
126733	Computer Graphics - Slusallek
126734	Human Computer Interaction - Steimle , Strohmeier
126736	Compiler Construction - Hack
126743	Software Engineering - Apel
127163	Algorithms and Data Structures - Künnemann , Bringmann





Course list (Core lectures)

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Example master's program Computer Science

Sem.		Course		
1	Core course	Core course	Advanced course	Language course
2	Core course	Core or advanced course	Seminar	Advanced course
3	Masterseminar 12 CP	Seminar	Advanced course	Advanced course
4	Thesis 30 CP			





Control of progress

Full-time students are expected to deliver the following minimum requirements in the Master course of study:

- At least 9 credits after 1 semester
- At least 30 credits after 2 semesters
- At least 60 credits after 4 semesters
- At least 90 credits after 6 semesters

In case a student does not meet the minimum requirements for the second time, he/she shall lose the right to participate in examinations.

Students shall be given the opportunity to make a written statement before the examination board makes the final decision in the matter.





Examination registration I

Please notice:

For all <u>examinations</u> you have to register in LSF one week before the exam at the latest (final exam <u>and/or</u> re-exam)!

A delayed registration is not allowed!

A withdrawal is possible one week before the respective exam at the latest; later only with a medical certificate!

Only for core lectures:

You can improve a grade in a core course if you pass the final exam and take part in the re-exam in the same exam period. The better grade counts.





Examination registration II

For some <u>courses</u> e.g. seminars you have <u>also</u> to register before the course starts (limited number of participants). Please have a look at the respective website because of the conditions for registration. Seminar registration: https://seminars.cs.uni-saarland.de/

A withdrawal from a seminar registration is only possible three weeks after getting the topic for presentation.

Problems? Please contact the study coordination!





Contact persons (1/2)

Study Coordinators:

Dr. Tanja Breinig and Barbara Schulz-Brünken

- Assistance in your study organisation and progress: questions about the examination and study regulations, academic or personal problems, information about exchange semesters, etc.
- Building E1.3, rooms 209 and 208
- Office hours: Tuesday and Thursday, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. (currently not be offered due to the Corona pandemia)
- Please send an email to: <u>studium@cs.uni-saarland.de</u>





Contact persons (2/2)

Examination office:

Bianca Schaum

- Administration and processing of your programme achievements: Transcript
 of record, registration master thesis, official certificates, recognition of
 external academic achievements, etc.
- Building E1.3, room 202
- Office hours: Mondays to Thursdays, 10.30 -11.30 a.m. (currently not be offered due to the Corona pandemia)
- Please send an email to: <u>cs@ps-mint.uni-saarland.de</u>

SIC System Administration:

https://it.cs.uni-saarland.de/





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