Module title: Mathematical Writing
Abbreviation: 10-M-MSO-152-m01

Module coordinator: Dean of Studies Mathematik (Mathematics)
Module offered by: Institute of Mathematics

ECTS: 5
Method of grading: Only after succ. compl. of module(s)

Duration: 1 semester
Module level: undergraduate

Contents:
Discussion of good and bad mathematical writing using practical exercises and case examples. The course covers the whole range of mathematical texts from short proofs and the formulation of theorems and definitions to comprehensive works such as Bachelor's or Master's theses. Important aspects include not only mathematical rigour and efficiency but also didactic questions.

Intended learning outcomes:
The student is able to formulate mathematical subject matter precisely and comprehensibly. He/She knows about the structures and conventions of mathematical literature and the requirements of scientific work.

Courses:
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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Method of assessment:
type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)
a) talk (45 to 90 minutes) or b) term paper (10 to 15 pages) or c) project (15 to 25 hours)
Assessment offered: In the semester in which the course is offered and in the subsequent semester
Language of assessment: German and/or English

Allocation of places:
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Additional information:
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)
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Module appears in:
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2015)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2015)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2015)
First state examination for the teaching degree Gymnasium Mathematics (2015)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2016)
First state examination for the teaching degree Gymnasium Mathematics (2019)