Informations

for submitting the documents for the opening of a doctoral procedure at the Faculty of Natural Sciences of the Otto von Guericke University Magdeburg as Dr. rer. nat.

status: January 2020

1.	In the case of the submission of a cumulative dissertation, it is necessary to file for a separate application via the dean to the Faculty Council.	Reference: § 2 para. 5 Doctorial Degree Regulations
2.	Application to the Dean of the Faculty of Science, Prof. Dr. rer. nat. habil Oliver Speck	Attachment: Template (Appendix #1) The application has to be signed
3.	List of expert examiners – please name 3 suggestions (naming of 3 independent external expert examiners, incl. academic title: Prof. rer. nat, Prof. Dr. med Please submit the current contact details) It should be ensured that there are no own associated publications with neither of the 3 external expert examiners. The possibility of granting an expertise of the thesis within 3 months (according to the directive) is to be ask to the examiner before the selection of the suggestions.	
4.	Proof of fulfilment of the requirements according to § 3 of the Doctoral Degree Regulations The presentation of the originals of the certificates of the university degree is required. An authentication is carried out at the Office of Dissertations and Habilitations	
5.	Curriculum vitae in tabular form	The CV has to be signed
6.	Three copies of the thesis structure (suggestion): # cover page as per Appendix 1 of the Doctorial Degree Regulations, words of gratitude (optional) # Table of Contents # text part in case of: List of abbreviations and symbols # bibliography In case of: Attachments (tables, etc.) # curriculum vitae in tabular form (scientific course of education, information about personal data, nationality and duration of study at the individual universities according to the order of the visit) # a declaration of honour The CV is to be integrate at the end of the thesis (but not in the final copies, which are intended to get published!)	
7.	Each copy of the thesis must be accompanied by a one-page German and English summary. Please complete the summaries with the following information: academic title, last name, first name and title/topic of the dissertation.	
8.	A list of scientific publications to date and other scientific achievements (for example scientific awards). Papers with the status "in preparation" will not be accepted, this also includes posters and lectures.	
9.	A declaration of honour in German or English. This document remains in the doctorial file.	Attachment: Appendix #3
10.	A written declaration by the candidate that he/she has not been convicted of a criminal offence entailing academic/scientific misconduct.	Attachment: Appendix #2
11.	A Votum informativum – written by the PhD supervisor of the candidate. To be send by original and also in electronic version, contemporaneously. This part has only to be fulfilled if the contact person is an external supervisor (which means, he/she is not a member of the Faculty of Natural Sciences)	
	Additionally, the following documents are to be delivered in electronic version (PDF only): - CV, list of publications, summary of the thesis in German and English, Votum informativum of the PhD supervisor - please send the documents to: daniela.vogt@ovgu.de	

A copy of the Doctorial Degree Regulations of the Faculty of Natural Science is attached to this sheet of information.

Please submit the mentioned documents to:

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