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From: Programme Committee AM (OLC-TW)

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SUBJECT Advice concerning Master EER-AM 2020

We have discussed the proposed EER, and this lead to the following considerations.

Regarding the programme specific part B, we have a few points that should be adressed, before we would give our consent to this EER.

1. Article B4.2(p7): We agree that the courses "Stochastic Differential Equations", "Statistical Learning" and "Random Signals and Filtering" will no longer be taught.

2. Article B4.2(p7): The lists of courses should include the regular course "Limits to Computing", as well as the new course "Optimal Transport".

3. Article B4.2(p8): We note that the "Internship for AM" should be listed as "Traineeship for AM" as it is in OSIRIS.

4. Article B4.7: We want to see that the study programme has been approved within 3 months after starting with master.

5. Article B4.6.f: This should not be "Total 180EC", but "minimally 180 EC".

In case they are adopted, as listed above, then we give our consent to the programme-speficic part of the Master EER for the academic year 2020.

In addition, for the faculty part A we have the following recommendations:

1. In general, we strongly recommend to review the decimal notation of grades and to have one uniform notation (only dot as it is English). The table in A4.4 uses a comma, while A2.2.a and A5.3 uses a dot.

2. Article A5.3.2.d We strongly recommend to change 9 to 9.0, as we may have half grades and this needs to be clear.

3. Article A3.8 (page 12) mentions a "senior examiner", but it is never clarified that the examination

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board appoints someone (not necessarily a full professor) with this role. We recommend that this is also commented upon as there is a graduation supervisor mentioned in Article B1.1.

4. A1.2.o: While we understand that the Faculty Board and not just the dean governs the Faculty in practice, we would prefer to see that either the Dean or the Vice-Dean of Education have a primary role here.

Yours sincerely,

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