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SUBJECT

Individual test Stochastic Processes

Dear Programme Director,

During an evaluation of the master AM courses by students, the testing of the course Stochastic Processes was mentioned.

The examination of the course Stochastic Processes consists of Homework assignments and a final test, but without a minimal grade for the written test. In this way, having a good grade for the homework, the students motivation was not so high anymore to prepare properly for the test. In addition, we note students can collaborate for the homework and, next, there is an written test, but no minimal grade is required. It is not unlikely a student gets a few point with a mediocre understanding. With a perfect homework (and we acknowledge the grading procedure which is individual), a student might then pass.

We therefore suggest to require a minimum grade of 5.0 for the written test next academic year.

Best regards,

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