

CODE OF CONDUCT

of the Faculty of Theology

All members of the Faculty of Theology ...

... see themselves as part of a close-knit learning and teaching community

... treat one another with respect and patience

... use the limited resources (particularly time and money) of all those involved in a responsible manner

... show sensitivity towards individual life circumstances (family commitments, physical or mental limitations, etc.)

... promote diversity and view it as an opportunity

... exercise the power and privileges bestowed upon them by their respective positions and personal traits (social background, gender, etc.) in a responsible manner

... pass on relevant information promptly, transparently and precisely to all those concerned

... make regular use of the information channels provided by the Faculty

Lecturers ...

... design their courses to be as accessible as possible and seek joint solutions where necessary

... find out how their courses can be integrated into the modules of all relevant degree programmes, and which examinations are required

... announce examination dates at the start of the lecture term and endeavour, where necessary, to offer make up dates

... highlight the interdisciplinary relevance as well as the professional and practical significance of their courses

... take a responsible approach to students' time, particularly with regard to preparing for seminars and exams

... pass on information to staff in a timely manner

... keep cancellations to a minimum, allow enough time for their courses to be assessed, and engage in self-critical reflection on their teaching

Service staff and advisers ...

... work in a focused and professional manner

... provide details of their availability and office hours

... handle all enquiries with an open mind and in confidence

... ensure transparent arrangements for cover

Students ...

... contribute to the success of individual courses through regular attendance, preparation and follow-up work, as well as through active participation

... view their studies in all their aspects as an opportunity for self-development

... take on their role with personal responsibility and respect for others

... view the courses as an opportunity for collaborative learning and exchange with others

... contribute their ideas and preferences to the planning of courses within the departments, as well as to the conception, delivery and evaluation of the courses

... are aware of the complexity of administrative processes

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Faculty Council
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The following bodies can be contacted regarding matters covered by this Code of Conduct:

Equality Team (in-house postbox no. 30; further information: on the team's noticeboard in the Theologicum)

Office of the Dean of Studies (Studiendekanat@theologie.uni-goettingen.de)

Fachschaft (kontakt.fachschafttheologie@uni-goettingen.de;

Code of Conduct for Fachschaft events at www.fs-theo.de)

Discrimination and harassment of any kind

should also be reported to the above-mentioned bodies and, in addition, to the central Equality Officer:

<https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/51705.html>