

Student Assembly Informatics

Summer Semester 2021

Questions and polls live at
sli.do/FVV-IN

Later:

<https://bbb.in.tum.de/ma--97f-ppu>



Why?

- **Students have a say** in university policy, including
 - Approval of new lectures
 - Hiring new professors
 - Distribution of money for enhancing study conditions
 - And a lot more...
- You have **representatives** who do this, but
 - We would like to inform you what's happening
 - And hear your opinions!
- **Stick around!**
 - Interactive Q&A at the end
 - Live surveys on some topics

Survey: Safety

Would you feel safe returning to Uni with the use of rapid tests (“Schnelltests”)?

TUM testing centers? schnelltest-studium.de

Schools

- Replacement for departments/“Fakultäten”
- Our school: Computation, Information and Technology (CIT)
 - **Merges** Electrical Engineering (EE), Informatics (IN) and Mathematics (MA)
 - Study programs & students divided into **professional profiles**
 - Mathematics, Electrical Engineering, Computer Science/Informatics, Data Engineering and Artificial Intelligence
 - Professorship divided into **departments**
 - Mathematics (MA), Electrical Engineering (EE), Computer Engineering (EE+IN), Computer Science/Informatics (IN)
- Transition starting **October 2021**, destruction of departments October 2022
- *Lots* of work done in the past months

So what?

Schools: Impacts

Direct impact:

- Official functions performed by school, not department (diploma, e-mails, ...)
- Renaming of institutions, offices etc.
 - Many names are being translated to English :)
 - Look out for changes!

Indirect / potential impact:

- Differences in course selection
- More EE students in IN lectures (and vice versa?)
- “More interdisciplinarity™”
- Possibly new Merch

Survey: GOP vs. EfV

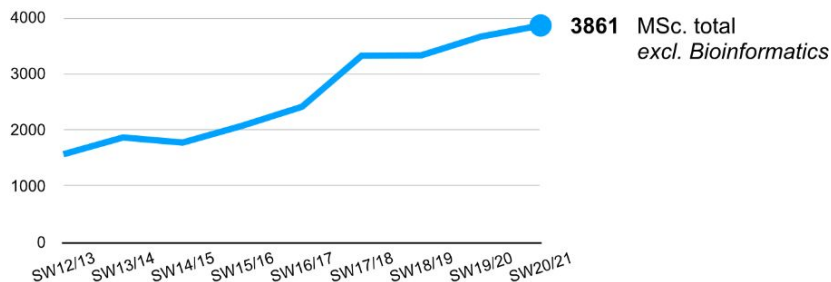
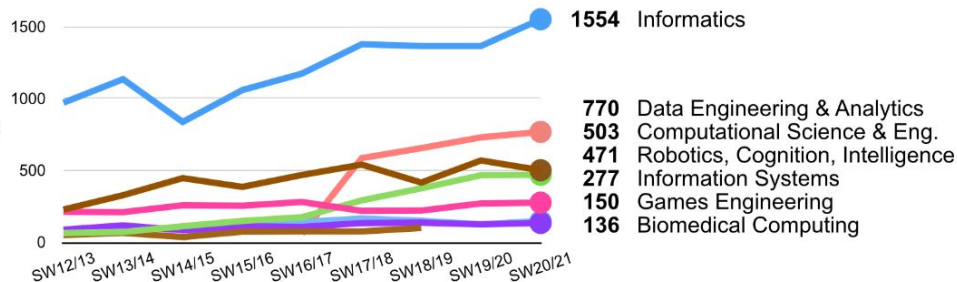
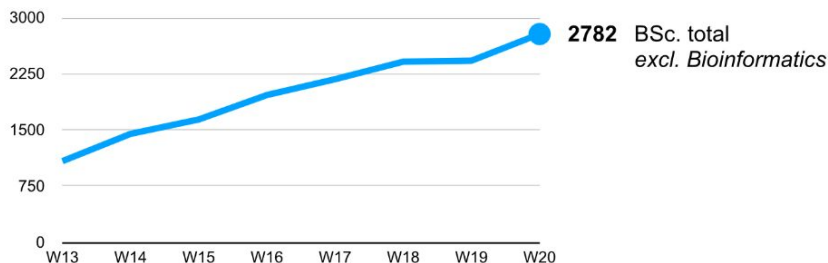
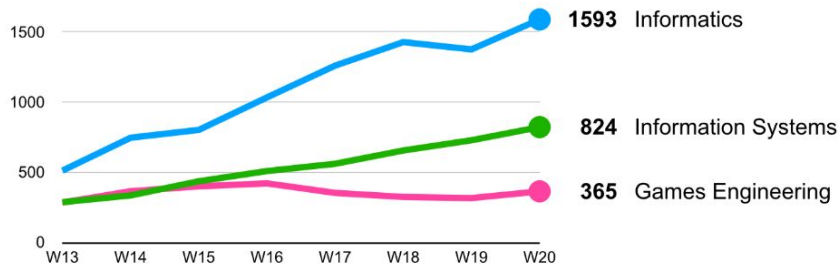
Status quo:

- “Eignungsfeststellungsverfahren” (EfV, “determination of suitability”)
 - Part of enrollment
 - Kind of restrictive
 - Legally not supposed to limit student numbers
 - More restrictiveness unlikely
- High number of students (7400 total, steady growth p.a.)
- Shortage in rooms, staff, seminars, ...

Action required?

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First-semester growth:



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Alternative: “Grundlagen- und OrientierungsPrüfungen” (GOP, “basic and orientation exams”)

- Restrictive exams in first 1 or 2 semesters
- Limits student numbers in **higher** semesters
- Increases stress on students at TUM

- Better for seminars, practicals etc.
- Worse for huge basic lectures

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What's your take on this?

Changes to Bavarian university law

- State parliament intends to make changes effective summer semester **2022**
- Originally planned changes include:
 - More autonomy for universities (meaning their presidents)
 - Officially permitting study programs in English
 - Universities funding companies with public money
- Sudden postponement of timeplan: currently no progress
- Most information probably outdated now

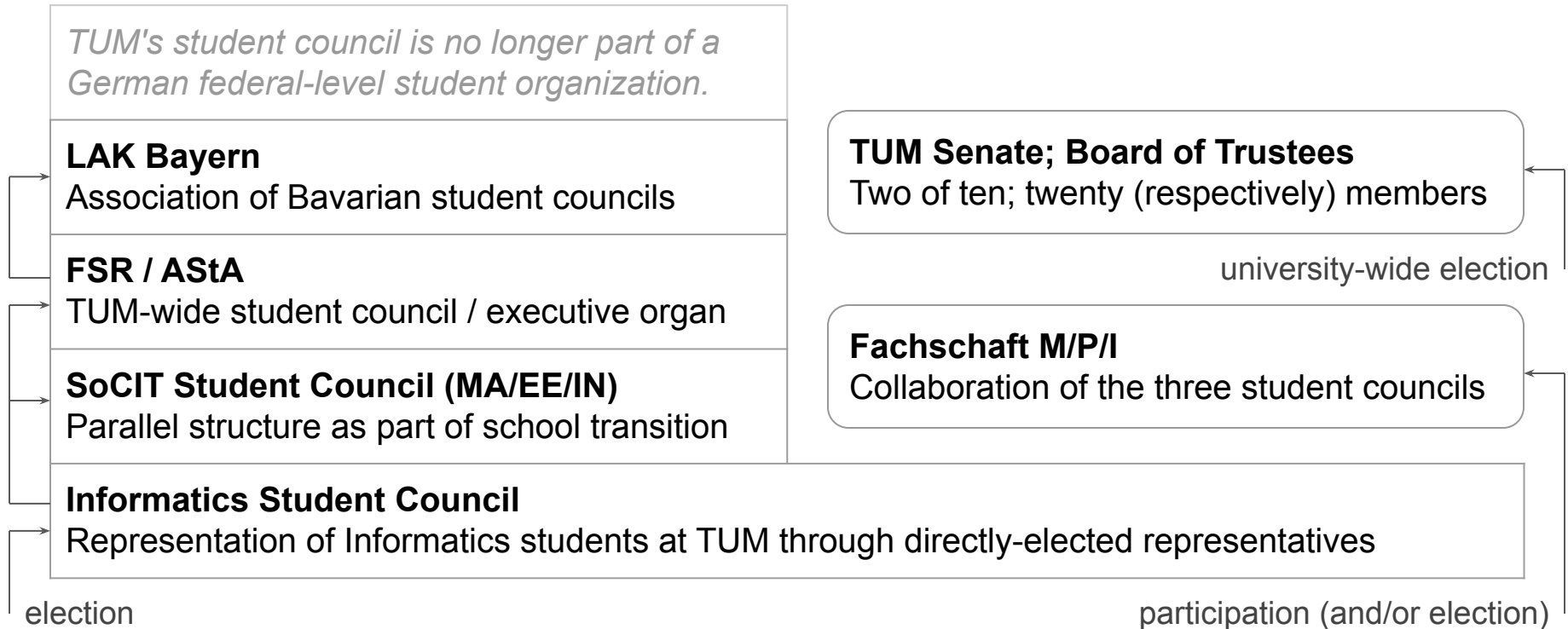
Updates in the next Student Assembly ;)

University Elections 2021

- You can elect or be elected:
 - as members of the student council on faculty (and school) level
 - into the university-wide senate
- Why should you participate?
 - Elected students represent you for 1 year!
 - Low turnout → ineffective representation :(

- Hand in candidate lists until 31st May
 - More information: fsinfo@fs.tum.de
- **Election on 6th July!!!**

Overview: Student organization layers representing you



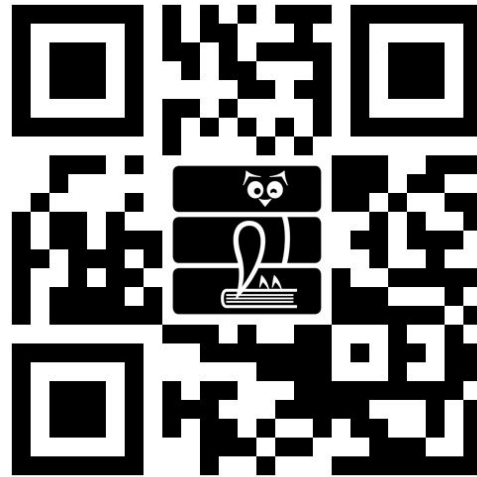
Survey: Plagiarism-detector tools

How do you feel about plagiarism detector tools?

Exams in the summer semester

- Most likely as in winter semester
- Your rights concerning the exams:
 - Simultaneous alternative to online exams
 - No need to agree to online supervision/surveillance
 - Apparently: Right to get a borrowed laptop if you need one
- If something goes wrong, **please tell us!**
- We know the hiccups from last semester, lessons have been learned :)

LIVE Q&A



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No login required, just ask!

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...or stick with this Q&A if you like :)

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Thank you for joining this assembly.
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