

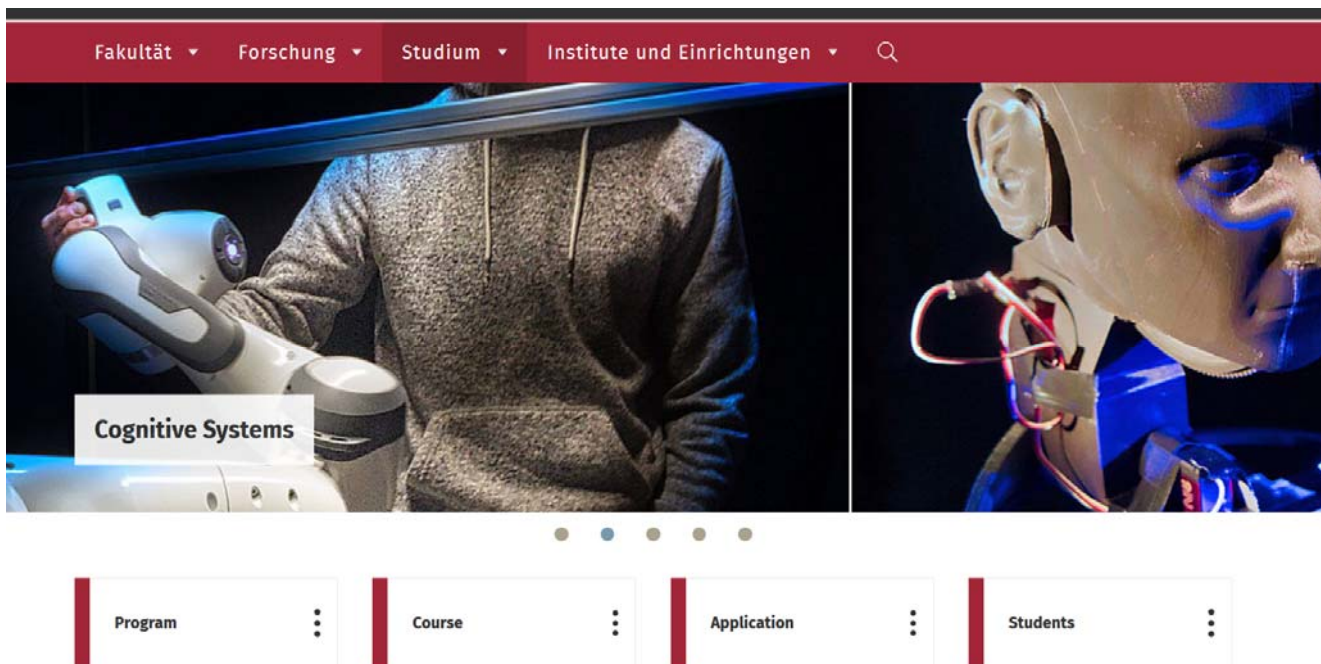
Foreword to the 6th newsletter

This is the 6th issue of the newsletter in the MSc program Cognitive Systems. The period of reference is the summer semester 2019. Again, it is intended to serve as an information board that delivers recent information about the program structure and organization in the MSc program. Also, recent changes and developments as well as updates will be summarized. At the end, the list of the appointed reviewers for Master theses is included.

New website for M.Sc. program Cognitive Systems

The newly designed website can be found at the following link

<https://www.uni-ulm.de/in/fakultaet/studium/studiengaenge/cognitive-systems/>



Information about the program has now been completely restructured and made available for interested readers under the slim menu structure with entries Program – Course – Application – Students. The most

recent information related to modules and courses in the current and forthcoming semester as well as archived information can be found under the entry Students. For example, information about, e.g., colloquium talks can be found under Students / Current Semester / Latest information.

CogSys at German Academic Exchange Service

The presentation of the MSc program on the German Academic Exchange Service's website has been revised

<https://www.daad.de/deutschland/studienangebote/international-programmes/en/detail/4581/>

Master of Science in Cognitive Systems

Ulm University • Ulm

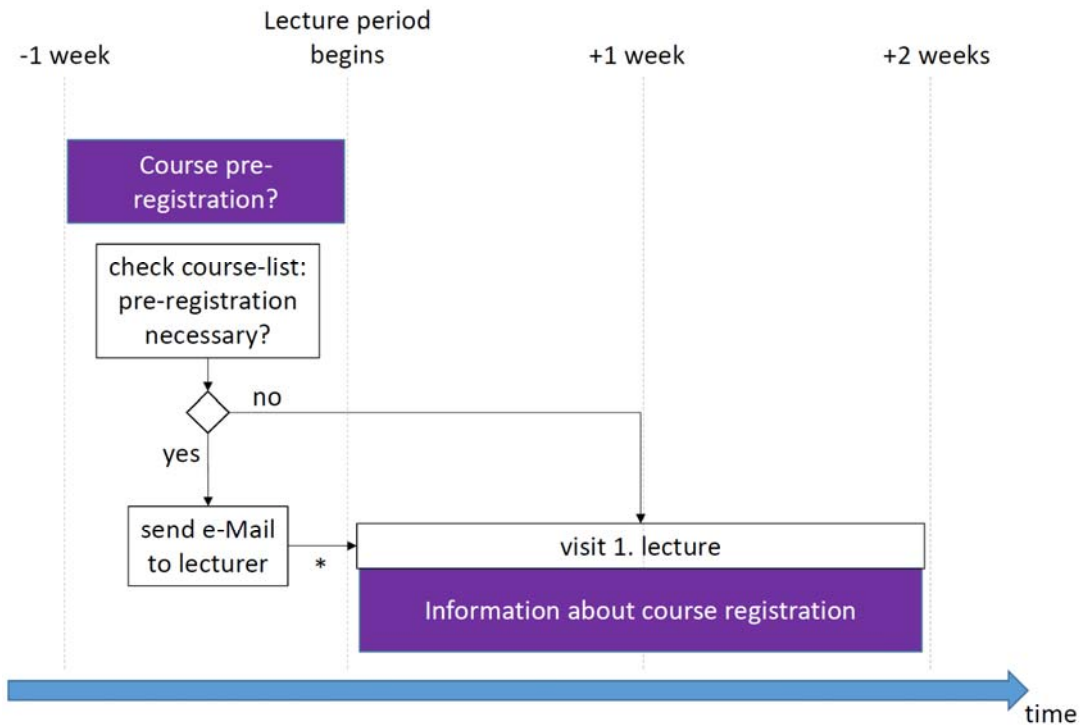


Course registration – process for registering

For the individual planning possible attendance of courses in the forthcoming semester, students may check the course list on the Cognitive Systems web page before the semester start. In the course list for the next semester (available at Students / Next Semester) please check out the column “pre-registration”. This column in the list contains a checkmark to indicate whether a preregistration to the particular course is required or not. The schematic diagram below outlines the “workflow” in both situations.

- If “**no**” **pre-registration** is required (no checkmark), then attend the first lecture to get information about the course and the further registration steps requested by the lecturer/Professor.
- If a **pre-registration is required** (checkmark is set), then
 1. send an e-Mail to the lecturer to register for the course (this step aims at helping the lecturers to estimate the number of additional attendees and the required resources, and it reserves an enrolment in the specific course), and
 2. attend the first lecture to get information about the course registration. **Important:** Students can only participate as registered student in the course for credit if they have pre-registered via email first (step 1).

This “workflow” process as outlined in the itemized list above is also sketched graphically in the flow diagram below.



*: occasionally receive Information whether attendance is granted or not (put on a waiting list)

Subject-specific requirements for admission to the master's thesis in Cognitive Systems

On current occasion we would like to inform you about the Subject-specific requirements for admission to the master's thesis.

Admission to the master's thesis is subject to both

- having successfully passed the mandatory modules in the Basic Subject and Interdisciplinary Subject as well as
- having earned a minimum total of 60 credit points in the program

(please see § 17 in the Subject-specific study and examination regulations for the English-taught master's programme in Cognitive Systems of 25 July 2017).

Please also note § 16c (1) of the General provisions for study and examination regulations regarding bachelor's and master's programmes at Ulm University (General Framework):

"[...] The application for admission to the bachelor's and master's thesis **must be filed no later than three months after taking the last module examination** unless the respective FSPO provide otherwise. If students fail to meet this deadline without good cause, the bachelor's or master's thesis is graded "insufficient" (5.0) in the first attempt."

MSc theses – lecturers being actively involved in regular teaching

The most recent list of contributors active in the program can be found in the attached list.



Prof. Heiko Neumann
Dr. Jens Kohlmeyer



heiko.neumann@uni-ulm.de
jens.kohlmeyer@uni-ulm.de

Distribution list of this document

Acad. instructors in Cognitive Systems
Members of the study secretariat
Head of the board of examiners

Cognitive Systems website