

Guidelines regarding the format of the Master's Theses

Cover page

There is a sample cover on the next page. Some Master's Theses have a picture on the title page. A certain degree of creative freedom is given but the University logo has to be used.

Print

Please print double sided. If you use recycled paper make sure it doesn't impair the readability of the thesis.

Spacing

Use single spacing or 1,5 and font size 11 or maximum 12.

Binding

Spiral binding is preferred over glued, furthermore more robust and durable.

Paraphrasing and plagiarism

Paraphrased statements always require a reference as well.

Summary

Please provide a summary or an abstract. A summary in German is optional. **In case of doubt, form and content must be discussed with the Master coordinator.**

Statement of Authorship regarding plagiarism and a proclamation of independent work

A Statement of Authorship is required, see below for a text, which should be inserted at the end of the Master's thesis.

Statement of Authorship:

I declare that I have used no other sources and aids other than those indicated. All passages quoted from publications or paraphrased from these sources are indicated as such, i.e. cited and/or attributed. This thesis was not submitted in any form for another degree or diploma at any university or other institution of tertiary education.

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