

## OFFICIAL TRANSLATION OF

**Änderung der Promotionsordnung der Fakultät für  
Mathematik, Informatik und Naturwissenschaften der  
Universität Hamburg vom 1. Dezember 2010 zuletzt  
geändert am 10. Oktober 2012**

Vom 6. Mai 2020

**(Amtliche Bekanntmachung Nr. 45 vom 5. Juni 2020)**

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**Amendment to the Doctoral Degree Regulations of the  
Faculty of Mathematics, Informatics and Natural Sciences  
dated 1 December 2010, last amended 10 October 2012**

dated 6 May 2020

On 18 May 2020, in accordance with Section 108 subsection 1 of the Hamburg higher education act (Hamburgisches Hochschulgesetz—HmbHG) dated 18 July 2001 (HmbGVBl. p.171), as amended 24 January 2020 (HmbGVBl. p. 93), the Executive University Board ratified the amendment to the doctoral degree regulations adopted by the Faculty Council of the Faculty of Mathematics, Informatics and Natural Sciences on 6 May 2020 in accordance with Section 91 subsection 2 no. 1 HmbHG.

### I.

The Doctoral Degree Regulations of the Faculty of Mathematics, Informatics and Natural Sciences dated 1 December 2010, last amended on 10 October 2012, are amended as follows:

The following sentence is added to the provision for Section 11 subsection 1:

In exceptional circumstances, the examiners and the doctoral researchers may agree to conduct oral defenses by videoconference. The subject doctoral committee determines whether exceptional circumstances are present.

## II.

This amendment becomes effective on the day following official publication by Universität Hamburg.

Hamburg, 5 June 2020  
**Universität Hamburg**