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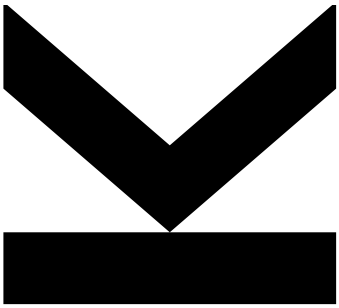
CURRICULUM FOR THE MASTER'S PROGRAM IN **MANAGEMENT IN CHEMICAL TECHNOLOGIES (MCT).**



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§ 1 Qualification Profile

(1) The English-language Master's program in "Management in Chemical Technologies" at the Faculty of Engineering and Natural Sciences (TNF) of the Johannes Kepler University (JKU) Linz has been designed to attract students and scholars from around the world and provide an internationally supportive environment for the advancement of science and technology.

(2) The Master's program in "Management in Chemical Technologies" is offered by the Faculty of Engineering & Natural Sciences at the JKU. The program has been designed to educate chemists by providing a strong base in fields of engineering and natural sciences complemented by supporting management skills. The program includes advanced studies in various fields of chemistry, chemical technologies and chemical process engineering as well as studies in management basics and advanced management. Students who successfully complete the Master's program in "Management in Chemical Technologies" are qualified for admission to a corresponding PhD degree program or can opt to pursue a profession in the field of chemical-technology.

(3) The Master's program in "Management in Chemical Technologies" provides students with expertise in the following fields:

- Advanced knowledge in chemical technologies of inorganic and organic materials and chemical process engineering;
- Specific state-of-the-art know-how in the area of chemistry (analytical chemistry, inorganic chemistry, organic chemistry, physical chemistry) and chemical technologies based on participation in research projects in the course of the Master's thesis;
- Apply science-based and interdisciplinary strategies to address real-world issues and problems;
- Identify innovative approaches for product or process improvement;
- Ability to assess the technological impact and resulting effects on society and the environment in both the short-term and the long-term;
- Management skills on a basic as well as advanced level;
- Soft skills, such as general knowledge skills, inter-cultural communication skills, knowledge of foreign languages, presentation skills, how to be an effective part of a team, legal issues, and gender issues.

(4) The academic degree program focuses strongly on principles of research-supported learning and research-led teaching to ensure that graduates have the qualifications and academic understanding needed to address complex issues, keep up with continual advancements in the field of chemistry and chemical technology, and solve problems based on correctly selected factual knowledge.

§ 2 Admissions

(1) In accordance with § 54 para. 1 UG the Master's program in "Management in Chemical Technologies" belongs to the category of engineering degrees and is taught in English.

(2) The Master's program in "Management in Chemical Technologies" is based on the Bachelor's program in "Chemistry and Chemical Technology" (K033/290). Graduates of this Bachelor's program are admitted to the Master's program without any restrictions.

(3) In addition graduates of the following Bachelor's programs are admitted to the Master's program in "Management in Chemical Technologies" without any restrictions:

1. Bachelor's program in Technische Chemie at the Technical University of Vienna
2. Bachelor's program in Chemie at the Nawi Graz

(4) Graduates of related programs at Universities, Universities of Applied Sciences and other recognized national or international post-secondary educational institutions can be admitted to the Master's program if their degree programs are equivalent in content and scope to the Bachelor's program in "Chemistry and Chemical Technology" at JKU. Equivalent programs are those in which the following subjects have been successfully completed in the stated minimum scope, whereby at least 25 ECTS must be in chemical lab/practical courses (chemistry laboratory work with one's own experimental activities):

- General and Inorganic Chemistry (22 ECTS)
- Analytical Chemistry (20 ECTS)
- Organic Chemistry and Polymer Chemistry (25 ECTS)
- Physical Chemistry (20 ECTS)
- Chemical Technologies and Process Engineering (15 ECTS)
- Mathematics and Fundamentals in Sciences (18 ECTS)

(5) If the undergraduate degree is considered principally equivalent and requires only individual supplements to be considered equivalent, the Rectorate can approve admission and require the student to successfully pass examinations totalling a maximum of 40 ECTS. The student must pass the examinations during the course of the Master's program.

(6) Graduates of a Diploma program with a longer duration than a Bachelor's program can obtain recognition for examinations of the Master's program (see § 78 UG) to the extent by which the Diploma program (excluding the diploma thesis) exceeds the Bachelor's program.

§ 3 Structure and Outline

(1) The Master's program in "Management in Chemical Technologies" covers 4 semesters and consists of 120 ECTS, which are distributed among the following subjects:

Subjects	**ECTS**
Mandatory Subjects	69
Elective Subjects	12
Master's Thesis (incl. Master's Thesis Seminar)	26
Master's Examination	1
Free Electives	12
Total	120

(2) For free electives students have to pass examinations corresponding to 12 ECTS, which can be chosen from any recognized national or international post-secondary educational institution. The free electives shall provide additional skills beyond "Management in Chemical Technologies" and can be taken anytime during the Master's study.

(3) The recommended free electives courses are further courses taught in the Master's programs "Biological Chemistry", "Polymer Chemistry" or "Chemistry and Chemical Technology".

(4) The recommended course of study is shown in annex 1.

§ 4 Mandatory Subjects/Modules

The following mandatory subjects have to be completed successfully:

Code	Name	ECTS
296CPEN19	Chemical Process Engineering	10.5
296CTIM19	Chemical Technologies of Inorganic Materials	14
296CTOM19	Chemical Technologies of Organic Materials	11
296ACTP19	Advanced Chemical Technology and Process Engineering	3
296GMAL19	Global Management and Law	3.5
480MABA10	Management Basics	12
480MAAD10	Management Advanced	15

§ 5 Elective Subjects/Modules

(1) Students must choose a total of 12 ECTS from two of the five chemical electives.

Code	Name
296ESYN19	Electives Synthesis
296ECAN19	Electives Chemical Analysis
296ETEC19	Electives Technologies
296EMAT19	Electives Materials
296EPBC19	Electives Physical and Biophysical Chemistry

(2) Students must select only such courses from the electives that have not already been completed as part of the Bachelor's program which qualified them for this post-graduate program.

§ 6 Courses

(1) The names and the types of all courses of the mandatory and elective subjects, as well as their ECTS, their duration in hours per week, their codes, their registration requirements, and their admission procedures (in case of limited availability of places) are described in the study handbook of JKU (studienhandbuch.jku.at).

(2) The possible types of courses, as well as the examination regulations are described in §§ 13 and 14 of the JKU statute (section "Studienrecht").

§ 7 Replacement of Subjects and Courses

Mandatory and elective subjects according to §§ 4 and 5, as well as courses according to § 6 para. 1, may be replaced to a total extent of 18 ECTS by other study specific subjects and courses upon student's request, provided that the purpose of academic professional preparatory training is not affected and the choice of the proposed subjects and courses seems reasonable with regard to the defined aims in the qualification profile, the academic context, as well as to the addition to the professional preparatory training. The application for the replacement of subjects and courses has to be filed by the Vice Rector of Academic Affairs.

§ 8 Master's Thesis

(1) Students of the Master's program "Management in Chemical Technologies" must complete a Master's thesis according to § 81 UG and § 36 of the JKU statute (Section "Studienrecht").

(2) The Master's thesis usually consists of experimental research, whose results are to be documented in the form of a written paper corresponding to an effort of 21 ECTS.

(3) The Master's thesis serves as a proof that graduates are able to perform scientific work autonomously and correctly in terms of methods and content. The topic of the thesis must be taken from the mandatory subjects listed in § 4 para. 1 with the exception of the subject "Global Management and Law" or from the chosen elective subjects listed in § 5 and must permit completion within a period of 6 months.

(4) The curricular committee may specify guidelines for the formal structure of a Master's thesis.

(5) The Master's thesis has to be written and presented in either German or English.

(6) In addition to the Master's thesis, students must pass the Master's thesis seminar with 5 ECTS.

§ 9 Examination Regulations

(1) The regulations for subject examinations and course examinations are described in the study handbook of JKU.

(2) The Master's program "Management in Chemical Technologies" is concluded by a Master's examination.

(3) The Master's examination consists of two parts: The first part is the successful completion of the mandatory and elective subjects according to §§ 4 and 5.

(4) The second part of the Master's examination is a comprehensive oral examination (1 ECTS) conducted by an examination committee. Prior to being admitted to the Master's examination, students must complete the first part of the Master's examination, the Master's thesis, the Master's thesis seminar, and the free electives.

(5) The second part of the Master's examination starts with a presentation and a defense of the Master's thesis, followed by an oral exam that covers the subject which includes the topic of the Master's thesis as well as a second subject defined by the advisor of the Master's thesis.

(6) The examination committee consists of three members and is formed by the Vice Rector of Academic Affairs. The candidate may submit a proposal for the committee members. In general, the Academic Advisor of the Master's thesis is a member of the examination committee. The head of the committee suggests the assessment of the oral presentation. The other two examiners suggest the assessment of the examinations in their respective subjects.

§ 10 Academic Degree

(1) Graduates of the Master's program "Management in Chemical Technologies" are awarded the academic degree „Diplom-Ingenieurin/Diplom-Ingenieur" abbreviated "Dipl.-Ing." or "Dipl.-Ing. (JKU) oder "DI" or "DI (JKU)".

(2) The certificate confirming the academic degree is issued in German and in English translation.

§ 11 Legal Validity

(1) This Curriculum comes into effect on October 1, 2019.

(2) The curriculum of the Master's program in "Wirtschaftsingenieurwesen - Technische Chemie (WITECH)" in the version published in the official newsletter of Johannes Kepler University Linz on June 29, 2010, 29th piece, item 265 expires by the end of September 30, 2019, with the exception of the transitional arrangements.

§ 12 Transitional Provisions

(1) For students who have passed examinations within the curriculum of the Master's program in "Wirtschaftsingenieurwesen - Technische Chemie (WITECH)" in a previous version, the equivalences listed in the study handbook of JKU (studienhandbuch.jku.at) apply.

(2) In addition to the mentioned equivalences given in the study handbook of JKU, the following equivalence table applies:

Course package in the Master's program "Wirtschaftsingenieurwesen - Technische Chemie (WITECH)" 2010	**Equivalent course package in the Master's program "Management in Chemical Technolgies" 2019**
296CTPE10: Chemical Technology and Process Engineering (33 ECTS)	296CTIM19: Chemical Technologies of Inorganic Materials (14 ECTS) + 296CTOM19: Chemical Technologies of Organic Materials (11 ECTS) + 296CPEN19: Chemical Process Engineering (10.5 ECTS)
296MALE10: Management and Law Electives (3 ECTS)	296GMAL19: Global Management and Law (3.5 ECTS)
296ACTP10: Advanced Chemical Technology and Process Engineering (3.2 ECTS)	296ACTP19: Advanced Chemical Technology and Process Engineering (3 ECTS)
296ACAT10: Advanced Chemistry. Analytics. Technologies. Patents. Engineering and Soft Skills Electives (13.4 ECTS)	296ELEC19: Electives (12 ECTS)

296FRST13: Freie Studienleistungen (12 ECTS)	296FRST19: Free Electives (12 ECTS)

Annex 1: Global map of study subjects - Master's Program Management in Chemical Technologies (MCT) (2019)

1st Semester (WS)		2nd Semester (SS)		3rd Semester (WS)		4th Semester (WS)	
Subject/Course	**ECTS**	**Subject/Course**	**ECTS**	**Subject**	**ECTS**	**Subject**	**ECTS**
Chemical Process Engineering Advanced Chemical Process Engineering	3	**Chemical Process Engineering** Advanced Chemical Reaction Engineering Basic Plant Design and Engineering	4.5	**Chemical Process Engineering** Lab Course in Advanced Process Engineering	3		
Chemical Technologies of Inorganic Materials Advanced Inorganic Materials Inorganic Materials in High-Tech Applications Lab Course in Advanced Inorganic Technology	11	**Chemical Technologies of Organic Materials** Advanced Organic Technology 1 Advanced Organic Technology 2 Lab Course in Advanced Organic Technology	11	**Chemical Technologies of Inorganic Materials** Safety Engineering	3		
				Global Management and Law	3	**Master's Thesis**	21
Advanced Chemical Technology and Process Engineering	1.5	**Advanced Chemical Technology and Process Engineering**	1.5	**Management Advanced** Managerial Accounting for Engineers International Marketing for Engineers International Finance for Engineers	9		
Management Basics Financial Accounting and Sustainability Accounting Management and Marketing	12	**Global Management and Law** Excursion to Industry	0.5				
		Management Advanced Cross Cultural Management for Engineers Environmental, Resource and Quality Management for Engineers	6			**Master's Thesis Seminar / Master's Examination**	6
		Electives	1.5	**Electives**	7.5		
Electives	3	Free Electives	4.5	Free Electives	4.5	Free Electives	3
	30.5		**29.5**		**30**		**30**