

Annex 6: Specifics of the structured doctoral programme “Medicine and Health Sciences”¹

cf. section 5 (1):

For doctoral candidates of the Oldenburg-Groningen Joint Graduate Research Training Group “Translational Research: From Pathological Mechanisms to Therapy”, events and courses offered by the Graduate School of Medical Sciences of the UMC Groningen are recognized by the structured doctoral programme “Medicine and Health Sciences”.

cf. section 5 (2):

For doctoral candidates of the Oldenburg-Groningen Joint Graduate Research Training Group “Translational Research: From Pathological Mechanisms to Therapy”, module olt703 “Clinical Epidemiology and Biometry” is elective.

Note on the type and number of module examinations

Table 1): Modules on the topic "Broadening and deepening of field-specific knowledge"

Module title	Short name	Module type	CP	Type and number of module examinations
olt701 Summer school/workshop	A-1	elective	3	active participation ²
olt702 Research visit abroad	A-2	elective	6	oral report and/or protocol
olt703 Clinical Epidemiology and Biometry	A-3	mandatory	3	active participation
olt704 Special Topics in Health Care Research	A-4	elective	2-6	active participation
olt705 Neuroscientific Techniques	A-5	elective	2-6	active participation
Olt 209 Laboratory Animal Science	A-6	elective	3	web-based written exam and active participation in the practical part of the module
olt706 Research Colloquium	A-7	mandatory	3	active participation and/or seminar presentation
olt707 Additional module “Specific knowledge”	A-8	elective	3-6	The type of examination depends on the module.

Upon request, the completion of other courses/classes/workshops/etc. relevant to the field “Broadening and deepening field-specific knowledge” may be recognized by the programme coordinator and count towards module olt707.

¹ This is an unofficial English translation, based on the German “Anlage 6: Besonderheiten des strukturierten Promotionsprogramms “Medicine and Health Sciences”, which is a section of the „Lesefassung der “Ordnung über Studieninhalte und Prüfungen der Promotionsstudiengänge und strukturierten Promotionsprogramme der Fakultät V – Mathematik und Naturwissenschaften und der Fakultät VI – Medizin und Gesundheitswissenschaften in der Graduiertenschule Naturwissenschaft, Medizin und Technik der Carl von Ossietzky Universität Oldenburg“”, dated 12.09.2018. The German document is the legally binding one.

² Active participation refers to the regular, active and documented participation in courses (workshops, internships, exercises, seminars, excursions). It includes e.g. handing in assignments in a timely manner, handing in solutions to assigned exercises, keeping a log of one's experiments and/ or practical work, presenting and discussing seminar papers or presenting tasks and/or contents in the form of short reports in class. The module descriptions provide detailed information on the course requirements.

Table 2) Modules on the topic “Communication and knowledge transfer”

Module title	Short name	Module type	CP	Type and number of module examinations
olt731 Congress	B-1	mandatory	3	lecture and/or poster presentation
olt732 Didactics	B-2	elective	1 - 6	active participation, active teaching
olt733 Advanced presentation techniques	B-3	elective	3	active participation and two presentations
olt133 Language courses	B-4	elective	1 - 6	active participation
olt734 Additional module “Communication”	B-5	elective	1 - 6	The type of examination depends on the module.

Upon request, the completion of other courses/classes/workshops/etc. relevant to the field “Communication and knowledge transfer” may be recognized by the programme coordinator and count towards module olt734.

Table 3) Modules on the topic “Interdisciplinary competencies”

Module title	Short name	Module type	CP	Type and number of module examinations
olt761 Data privacy, ethics, good clinical practice	C-1	mandatory	2 - 6	seminar lecture, report, written exam
olt762 Scientific writing and publishing	C-2	mandatory	6	own manuscript
olt763 Basics in distribution-free statistics	C-3	elective	3	active participation
olt764 Numeric and computer skills	C-4	elective	3	active participation
olt161 Transferable skills / Scientific career	C-5	elective	1 - 9	active participation
olt164 Mentoring	C-6	elective	6	active participation
olt165 Additional module “Transferable skills”	C-7	elective	1 - 6	The type of examination depends on the module.

Upon request, the completion of other courses/classes/workshops/etc. relevant to the field “Interdisciplinary competencies” may be recognized by the programme coordinator and count towards module olt707.