Anticipation of Credits at the Master Level

The present document applies to

- bachelor students in Computer Science at the University of Bern or Fribourg
- bachelor students in Natural Systems at the University of Neuchâtel (who can be admitted to the master program mentioned below)

who would like to obtain credits for a teaching unit of the “Joint Master of Science in Computer Science” (JMCS) program of the universities of Bern, Neuchâtel, and Fribourg before official matriculation in the program.

Note: this document also applies accordingly to all students who are enrolled in any program before official matriculation in the JMCS program.

Anticipated Credits

Anticipated credits are ECTS credits earned within the JMCS program before official matriculation in the program.

Constraints

The anticipation of JMCS credits is subject to the following constraints:

1. The student must be matriculated at the University of Bern or Fribourg in the Bachelor program in Computer Science or at the University of Neuchâtel in the Bachelor program in Natural Systems.
2. The evaluation of teaching units of the JMCS program is submitted to the rules and regulations of the JMCS program.
3. The number of anticipated credits is limited to 20 ECTS.
4. To earn more than 20 ECTS credits for JMCS teaching units, the bachelor has to be validated before the registration deadline for JMCS exams.
5. The credits for anticipated achievements are earned conditionally. They can only be validated once the student has fulfilled all conditions to obtain the diploma giving access to the JMCS program.

Registration

A student who has not finished the bachelor program is considered as a bachelor student, has to be matriculated as such, and must complete a Request for Academia Access form (http://mcs.unibnf.ch/organization/request-for-academia-access) at the beginning of every semester

- Autumn semester: before September 30th
- Spring semester: before February 28th