

DEPARTMENT FÜR PHARMAZIE -ZENTRUM FÜR PHARMAFORSCHUNG

Grade conversion for international applicants for the Master's degree program in Pharmaceutical Sciences

According to § 4, paragraph 2 of the Eignungsfeststellungsordnung (aptitude assessment regulations) [1], the following applies:

³Applicants who have completed or will soon complete a university degree in a subject related to pharmacy within Germany or who have a <u>foreign university degree</u> within the definition of § 3 para. 1 sentence 1 of the Prüfungs- und Studienordnung (Examination and Study Regulations) of the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München for the Master's degree program in Pharmaceutical Sciences in the currently valid version, will be admitted to the second stage of the aptitude assessment procedure if the <u>average grade in the certificate or in the "Transcript of Records" is 2.5 or better</u>. Otherwise, participation in the second stage of the aptitude assessment procedure is excluded.

The modified Bavarian formula is used to convert foreign grades into the German grading system:

$$x = 1 + 3 \frac{N_{max} - N_d}{N_{max} - N_{min}}$$

x = Searched grade

 N_{max} = best achievable grade in the foreign grading system

 N_{min} = worst achievable grade in the foreign grading system

N_d = grade to be converted into the German grading system.

Grades are rounded to one decimal place.