DEPARTMENT 04 – COMPUTER SCIENCE

MASTER
EMBEDDED SYSTEMS FOR MECHATRONICS

HARD FACTS

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EMBEDDED SYSTEMS FOR MECHATRONICS
CONTENT AND STRUCTURE

The master study course *Embedded Systems for Mechatronics* leads to a degree which qualifies individuals both in the field of scientific research as well as in areas of professional practice. They are being prepared for technical careers but also for senior management assignments in technical projects. Furthermore, a subsequent career in academic research is also an option. If the master’s Examination has been passed, Dortmund University of Applied Sciences and Arts, Fachhochschule Dortmund, awards the degree Master of Engineering (M.Eng.). It confirms that the students have acquired the advanced professional expertise as well as the methodological and key skills required in order to work independently in their profession, and that they are capable to work independently in an entrepreneurial context on the basis of scientific findings and methods.

The master programme will be completed in 4 semesters within the standard course duration. A teaching programme with compulsory courses in the first and second semester provides basic competences and enables the students to develop their distinctive profile within the scope of their main focus areas. This is combined with a 2 semester research phase with electives and thesis projects. Through the subject range offered by the *Ruhr Master School (RMS)*, the compulsory elective studies are integrated in a cross-university network. This offer is completed by international, project-oriented components and summer schools as well as symposia. The workload for the course of studies amounts to a total of 3,600 hours (900 hours per semester), including time for the master's thesis. To successfully complete the course of studies, a total of 120 credit points according to the *European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System (ECTS)* must be obtained.
**STUDY COURSE PLAN** – **EMBEDDED SYSTEMS FOR MECHATRONICS**

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*This is a thematic overview of the course contents. Detailed information on the exact names of the courses, information on Electives, ECTS or semester hours per week can be found in the module handbook on the page [www.fh-dortmund.de/mdt](http://www.fh-dortmund.de/mdt)*
PERSPECTIVES AFTER GRADUATION

Professional perspectives

Graduates of this master course find their job opportunities:

- in automotive industry
- in industrial automation
- in medical technology
- in research institutes

Information und counselling Career Service

Further information: www.fh-dortmund.de/careerservice

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Required degree

Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Engineering (at least 180 ECTS), Diplom-Engineer in the field of Computer Science, Electrical Engineering or Information Technology; or foreign equivalent with a final grade or mark of at least „good“ (2.5). It must have included relevant competence in the areas of Software Engineering, Control Engineering, Signal Processing and Systems Engineering (cf. Study and examination regulation on www.fh-dortmund.de/pruefungsordnung). Course programmes at foreign universities must include a final thesis comparable to the course programmes at German universities with regard to the minimum quality requirements. An expert committee of the Master Course Embedded Systems for Mechatronics will check if these requirements are achieved.

Proof of English language skills

Proof of required English language proficiency acquired in the TOEFL ITP test with at least 550 points or in the TOEFL iBT test with at least 90 points, taken within the last two years before the application. The proof of language proficiency can also be provided by other test types equivalent to the TOEFL test in accordance with the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages: Learning, Teaching, Assessment - CEFR, (e.g. IELTS with a score of at least 6.5). In exceptional cases, the proof can be provided by an equivalent certificate or other certificates that confirm the corresponding minimum requirements (equivalent to C1 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages). An appointed committee decides whether the equivalence is met.
Pre-Check Form

In order to be able to verify before the application whether you meet the requirements for admission to the programme all applicants (EU, German, non-EU) are highly recommended to send us their documents for a pre-check to service-esm@fh-dortmund.de.

Therefore, please send one PDF containing your bachelor’s certificate and transcripts, your CV, your language certificates and the filled out form sheet. After the pre-check you will be provided with instructions and a link to the online portal.

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More Details and the Pre-Check Form sheet

www.fh-dortmund.de/requirements_esm_ma

APPLICATION AND ADMISSION

The courses of the Master Embedded Systems for Mechatronics start in the winter semester only and are usually offered in an annual frequency. Allocation of study places will be made by the Fachhochschule. Although there is no admission restriction for the Master Embedded System for Mechatronics, the above specified requirements are valid.

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EU-nationals and with EU-nationals equated, meaning:

- EU-nationals,
- Non-EU nationals who have obtained their university entrance qualification within the EU or Liechtenstein, Norway or Iceland,
- Members of the European Economic Area (EEA): Norway, Liechtenstein and Iceland,
- Non-EU nationals who live in Germany and married to an EU- or EEA-national who are working in Germany, or
- Non-EU nationals who live in Germany and have a parent who is EU- or EEA-Anational and has worked or work in Germany,
must register online via www.fh-dortmund.de for application beginning in mid-May. Deadline for applications (receipt in Fachhochschule Dortmund) is July 15th for the winter semester.

For more information: www.fh-dortmund.de/info_bewerbung

**Application and admission of non-EU national**

All international applicants will be able to apply online at Fachhochschule Dortmund. The application will start in April, the deadline is July 15th for the winter semester. Applications by post will not be considered.

If you have questions concerning application, study structure, content of course and process of studies, please address to the Department counsellors (see further information and counselling).

**SEMESTER CONTRIBUTION**

A semester contribution of presently €304,38 (summer semester 2020) must be paid for the use of social and student facilities (student restaurant, student hostels, membership to student union, special-rate student ticket for public transportation in the federal state of North-Rhine Westphalia).

If you need information on financing of studies, please address to the Student Advisory Service (Studienberatung).

Information on BAFöG (federal student support) will be given by the BAFöG-Amt of the Studentenwerk.
FURTHER INFORMATION AND COUNSELLING

Student Advisory Service
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studienberatung@fh-dortmund.de
Office hours:
www.fh-dortmund.de/studienberatung_sprechzeiten

Team des International Office
P 0231 9112-9266
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Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9.30 – 12.30 a.m.
Tuesday: 1 – 4 p.m.

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