



# Minutes of the 30th Meeting of the IMRE Committee

13 December, 2013

8:30 a.m.

LES-1209b, Faculty of Business Administration and Economics, Freiberg

## Attendance:

### Professors

Prof. Jan Bongaerts

Prof. Carsten Drebenstedt

Prof. Michael Nippa

### IMRE Office

Jiangxue Liu

### Student Members

Naima Bouzoubaa, Maria Luise Uhlig, Kateryna Grytsaichuk, Iurii Korobeinikov, Kristina Goverukha, Junjie Xu, Sara Tello, Srikanth Ramamurthy Bhat

## 1. New IMRE Modulhandbuch and Study Regulations

The Studien- und Prüfungsordnung (Study and Examinations Regulation) and the Modulhandbuch (Modules Manual) has been amended. The new syllabus and the amendment of the Study and Examinations Regulation can be found at the IMRE website. The following changes should be highlighted for the benefit of a better understanding:

- The old module “Economic Theory” has been split in two modules entitled “Micro-Economics” (five credits) and “Macro-Economics” (four credits).
- Students must obtain minimum fifteen credits from taking Free Elective Courses. The obligatory German Language courses now account for eight credits in total. The remaining seven credits can be obtained from taking any modules offered by TU Bergakademie Freiberg or through an Internship. The Internship now counts for seven credits. As a consequence, the Modulhandbuch (Module Manual) must be amended once more.

## **2. Requests for Transfer of Credits**

Confirming earlier decisions by the IMRE Committee, a transfer of credits for Free Electives is excluded, as this contradicts with the purpose of taking Free Electives for further personal development of students.

## **3. Teaching Strategic Management and two other modules**

Very likely, Prof. Kausch wishes to retire and a new teacher must be appointed for “Strategic Management”. Suggestions were made by Prof. Nippa (Gastprofessor Pidun) and by Prof. Drebenstedt (Fachvereinigung Auslandsbergbau). Other modules currently without teachers are “Project Management” and “Strategies of the Resource Industry”.

## **4. IMRE 15 Years Celebration**

The IMRE 15 Years Celebration will take place on 10 and 11 June 2014. The organization of the Celebration will start in January 2014.