Semester-Touchdown of Agricultural Sciences

Criteria for Submission and evaluation

1. Submission:

The submitted study must fall within the **field of agricultural sciences**. The abstract must be a minimum of 600 words and a maximum of 900 words. It must include:

- Title, research question/objective, method, results, conclusions
- Study program, supervisor, "category" (e.g. MA, BA, dissertation).

Abstracts must be submitted meeting the deadline!

2. Evaluation

Evaluation of the abstract

The submitted abstracts will be evaluated by an interdisciplinary expert jury according to a point system from 1 to 6 (6 = highest score).

Evaluation criteria:

(1) **Comprehensibility of the article** (understandable structure, comprehensible chain of thought, clear presentation of the method, meaningful derivations, clear argumentation and discussion).

(2) **Scientific quality** of the methodological approach (appropriateness, state of the art, reference to literature; further development of a methodological approach; scientific gain of knowledge due to the results obtained)

(3) **Social relevance** of the work (social relevance/practical relevance of the topic, solution approaches for real-world problems; innovative potential)

Evaluation of the presentations

The presentations will be evaluated by a selected jury according to a point system from 1 to 6 (6 = highest mark).

Evaluation criteria:

(1) **Composition and structure** of the presentation (consistent presentation of background, objectives, methods, results)

(2) **Comprehensibility** (comprehensibility for a non-specialist audience [understandable language, comprehensible presentations, explanation of technical terms])

(3) Discussion (adequacy of answers to questions posed, defensio of work, flexibility).

→ **For the final determination of the winners of the presentations, both the evaluation results of the abstract evaluation and the results of the evaluation by the jury will be used!**

Poster evaluation

Posters will be evaluated by the general audience by ranking the 3 best posters.