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ANNOUNCEMENT

Dean of the Faculty of Biotechnology

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on ensuring the didactics during the suspension of classes - conducting classes in the remote mode

In reference to the Rector's Ordinance No. 29/2020 of March 11, 2020 on preventing the spread of COVID-19 among members of the UWr community and the Regulation of the Minister of Science and Higher Education of April 24, 2020, we inform that:

- the remote teaching for Faculty of Biotechnology students of both Polish and English divisions will be continued until May 24, 2020.
- remote teaching applies for lectures, seminars, computer laboratories and tutorials. In the case of laboratory classes the number of hours which can be conducted remotely will be determined depending on the type of classes. It is acceptable that in some cases of laboratory classes remote teaching covers 100% of didactic hours. If students' presence in the laboratory is necessary, the classes will be completed as soon as it is permissible.
- postponing the laboratory classes to the currently difficult to predict date may result in changes in the organization of the academic year for a given year of 1st and 2nd cycle studies. The schedule of classes will be determined as soon as the possibility of getting back to face-to-face teaching appears.
- in compliance with the Regulation of the Minister of Science and Higher Education of April 24, 2020, verification of learning outcomes, in particular course completion and examination may be conducted using modern information and communication technology. Therefore earning credits, by passing final tests and exams (especially in case of extending the time of suspension of the traditional teaching) will be conducted remotely.
- a remote mode for diploma exams is also considered. Detailed remote diploma exams procedure is in preparation. Examination Committees and approximate dates for the diploma exams will be agreed during the meeting of Biotechnology Faculty Council in May, 2020.
- it is advised to reconsider decisions on students' exchange mobilities in 2020/2021 academic year. This is because, as a result of the current epidemic situation, some laboratory classes may be postponed to the academic year 2020/2021.

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