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Summary of Semester Group Meeting for Medicine with Industrial Specialisation, 10th semester 7. maj 2024

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Sara Clement, the semester representative writes the summary.

There are representatives from BM and TM, not MMA

Ad 1. Welcome to the 2nd semester group meeting and overall announcements

Ad 2 Follow-up on status seminar

It was nice that the status seminar didn't last the whole day, but only a couple of hours so there was still time to work on the project by e.g. going to the laboratory. This increased the motivation for attending the seminar. It was nice that there were supervisors from the different groups, so we got feedback from someone other than our own supervisor. It was also nice that the three tracks (BM, TM, MMA) were mixed, it gave a variation in the presentations, which was nice since we have heard from the groups in our own tracks several times before.

Ad 3. The physical, esthetic, digital and mental study environment of the semester

Sometimes the internet and phone connection are unreliable, which can lead to frustrations especially during phone calls in a professional situation.

The shades on the top windows make it very dark on the lower floors, especially level 0 and 1 and during the winter months, it would be nice if they were open more often to let in more natural light.

Reminder: Use the building support app if there is something specific wrong/broken in a room.

A compliment to the cleaning staff: We have noticed that the building in general is kept very clean which is impressive since we are so many people here.

Ad 4. Semester activities

A healthy match:

- It was a very nice day, and we got a lot out of attending.
- The first part with visiting the companies was very nice.



- The second part with presenting our CV posters could maybe do with some adjustments, since some people didn't get a visit from the company employees while others had several. An idea could be to have this section in different sessions/rotations, so not all students presented at once. This would also enable the students to visit each other. Perhaps some "how to" info for the company employees would also be good so they didn't go around in groups but split up so they could visit more students.
- A prompt from the semester coordinator: Contact the companies you have made contact with/talked with – there is a slide with advice on how to do this in the slides from this group meeting.

Ad 6. Preliminary evaluation of the project module

Exam dates, times, places/rooms and censors can be found on digital eksamen.

Remember: If the project is written in Danish the abstract must be written in a foreign language (e.g. English), but if the report is written in English the abstract does not have to be in Danish, it can still be in English.

Remember to decide whether or not the project should be confidential and not public when handed in, since the semester secretary can only correct this after the exam.

Remember to check if the report fulfills the competences/learning outcomes described in the curriculum.

There are no requirements to layout and length of the report but remember that the written language is also evaluated.

The title on the project that we enter in digital eksamen is the one that will be on the diploma, so check if it is spelled correctly.

The project exam:

- Bring the student card
 - Arrive in a good amount of time before the exam but remember not to enter the room before checking if there is an exam in process in the room. Many of the rooms are booked the whole day so if you arrive more than 15 minutes before your exam this can be the case.
 - The exam is public, guests are allowed if they do not disturb.
 - When the project report has been turned in the students are not allowed to get feedback on the report or presentation from the supervisor before the exam. Other employees e.g. from the same research group are however allowed to give feedback to the students if they need to practice e.g. the presentation.
 - The length of the presentation at the beginning of the exam is 7-10 minutes per student but talk with the supervisor about this.
 - A celebration package can be bought in the canteen (see the canteen's Facebook page)
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Graduation ceremony: June 27th 10:00-12:00 the students are allowed to bring two guests.

- There will be speeches from different people.
 - The students will receive their diploma/an envelope representing the diploma.
 - A group picture will be taken.
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- Remember to tell the photographer at the event if you do not want to be in the pictures which will be shared at public sites.
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- In the end there may be a celebratory snack (kransekage)
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Ad 7. Eventuelt

It might be nice to have a session during the Master Thesis time with information regarding patents and the rules concerning these, especially since the rules may differ between the students and employees.