



DECISION

Reg. No.
STYR 2022/1347

Date 19 August 2024

Recipient
Education Board

Student Affairs
Education Strategy Support
Oskar Cornelius, Policy Officer

Decision on exemptions from specific points in the List of Rights – Lund University Students’ Rights and Responsibilities – Faculty of Medicine

Background

The List of Rights – Lund University Students’ Rights and Responsibilities (Reg. no STYR 2022/1347) was approved by the Vice-Chancellor on 18 January 2024 and serves as a support for students, departments, faculties and student unions to clarify what first and second-cycle students are entitled to and in certain cases also what responsibilities they have. The List of Rights enters into force on 2 September 2024.

According to point 8.3 of the List of Rights, exemptions from the List of Rights may be granted by the university-wide Education Board following a request from a faculty board. The Education Board has decided to delegate the decision on the approval of exemptions to the chair of the Education Board.

Request for exemption

The Study Programmes Board of the Faculty of Medicine has decided to request an exemption from the following point in the List of Rights:

3.9

The University is responsible for ensuring that teaching is not timetabled on Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays in the

Swedish calendar, or after 17:00, unless the course was advertised during the application period as a distance learning, afternoon or evening course.

Teaching may be timetabled on Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays in the Swedish calendar, or after 17:00, if it is necessary for the completion of the teaching component, for example if the teaching is conducted at places or involves activities that are only accessible on public holidays or after 17:00, such as museum visits, excursions, concert activities or placements and practice-integrated learning.

The decision to request exemptions has been made in consultation with representatives from the Corpus Medicum student union.

The faculty requests an exemption from this point based on the following:

Since spring 2023, the Faculty of Medicine has conducted all its training programmes at Forum Medicum. As all the training programmes have recently been relocated to newly built premises, the faculty occasionally needs to timetable teaching until 18:00. In the long term, the faculty wishes to ensure that it is possible to avoid scheduling teaching after 17:00.

Decision

The University has decided to grant the Faculty of Medicine an exemption from point 3.9 in the List of Rights – Lund University Students' Rights and Responsibilities, as specified above, until the spring semester 2025.

The decision on this matter was taken by the undersigned chair of the University's Education Board following a presentation by Policy Officer Oskar Cornelius and a consultation with a representative from the Lund University Student Union Association (LUS). The consultation took place with the LUS representative during a meeting on 19 August 2024.

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