

**First Ordinance on Amendments to the Doctoral Regulations  
of the Faculty of Chemistry and Pharmacy  
of the University of Münster (WWU) of 18 January 2016,  
approved on 3 January 2017**

In accordance with § 2 (4) and § 67 (3) of the Higher Education Act of the Federal State of North Rhine-Westphalia (HG NRW) in its version of the Act on the Future of Higher Education (*Hochschulzukunftsgesetz*) of 16 September 2014 (GV NRW, p. 547), the University of Münster (WWU) has issued the following regulations:

**Article I**

The Doctoral Regulations (*Promotionsordnung*) of the Faculty of Chemistry and Pharmacy of the University of Münster (WWU), issued on 18 January 2016 (AB Uni 03/2016, p. 108 ff.), are amended as follows:

**1. § 10 (4) is deleted. The following sub-sections 5 to 9 are renumbered 4 to 8.**

**2. § 20 (1) is amended as follows:**

“(1) If it becomes known that the candidate gained his/her doctoral title through deception or that the doctoral title was conferred upon false assumptions (e.g. plagiarised passages, falsified data), the doctoral degree may be revoked upon resolution of the faculty board.”

**Article II**

These regulations (in their original German version) come into force on the day following their publication in the Official Announcements (*Amtliche Bekanntmachungen, AB Uni*) of the University of Münster (WWU).

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Issued (in the original German version) upon resolution by the faculty board of the Faculty of Chemistry and Pharmacy of the University of Münster (WWU) on 30 November 2016. These regulations (in the original German version) are hereby announced.

Münster, 3 January 2017

The Rector

Prof Dr Johannes Wessels