

## Doctoral / PhD Programs



### Orientation for (future) doctoral students

At the beginning of each semester, an orientation is held by the academic director of doctoral studies. It is intended for doctoral students in their first semester and students thinking about enrolling in a doctoral program. As soon as the date for the winter semester 2012/13 is fixed, you will find further information here.

### News:

The transition period for the old degree program structures (this concerns the doctoral program in Social and Economic Sciences of 2001, the doctoral program in Business Law of 2005 and the PhD program in Finance of 2005) has been extended. The old degree programs will be discontinued on **September 30, 2017!**

### Office hours for doctoral students

**Wolfgang Mayrhofer** is the Academic Director for doctoral studies at WU. He deals with all issues concerning the doctoral programs during regular office hours.

Please note: The main purpose of the Director's office hours is the discussion of your individual concerns and **NOT** to get general information about the doctoral program (e.g. How to find a supervisor, which courses to attend etc.).

### Office hours in winter semester 2011/12:

Tue, 25 October 2011 3:30 - 4:30pm

We, 30 November 2011 1:00 - 2:00pm

Tue, 17 January 2012 11:30 - 12:30am

Office hours are held in the doctoral office (2nd floor, sector B).

Please make an appointment in advance: [doktoratsreferat@wu.ac.at](mailto:doktoratsreferat@wu.ac.at).

List of professors entitled to supervise dissertations in the following doctoral programs:

- [Doctoral program of Social and Economic Sciences](#)
- [Doctoral program Business Law](#)
- [PhD program Finance](#)

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