## How to enroll as a PHD-student:

- a) as a german student:
  - 1. fill the 'Notification of intent to do a Doctorate' (<a href="http://www.mathnat.uni-koeln.de/fileadmin/einrichtungen/mnf">http://www.mathnat.uni-koeln.de/fileadmin/einrichtungen/mnf</a> dekanat/docs/forms/Promotionsabsichtsmitteilun g.pdf) therefore you need a signature of Karin Boessenkool (coordinator of the graduate school) and your doctoral supervisor.
    - You can either bring the form to the Dean's office (Fr. Gotzmann <a href="http://www.mathnat.uni-koeln.de/11209.html?&L=1">http://www.mathnat.uni-koeln.de/11209.html?&L=1</a> ) or send it there by in-house-mail (just give it to Dagmar).
  - 2. Log in to Klips 2.0 (use your 'usual' employer account): <a href="https://klips2.uni-koeln.de/co/webnav.ini">https://klips2.uni-koeln.de/co/webnav.ini</a>
    - → create a new application and enter all the necessary information (information on prior education, certificates, grades and upload of a photo for your student ID)
    - after submission of your Klips-application you get admitted (may take about 1-2 days until the system admitts you, the application status is indicated in your Klips profile)
    - after admission you have to click the button in Klips 'accept study place offer'
    - pay your social fees (link in Klips, as the money transaction within Germany takes 1-2 days, make sure that inyour application status in Klips 'social fees paid' is checked (before that you can't enroll at the student service center (<a href="http://verwaltung.uni-koeln.de/studsek/content/">http://verwaltung.uni-koeln.de/studsek/content/</a> ))
  - 3. as soon you did 1. and 2. you can take all the following papers & forms to the student service center for enrollment:
    - application for enrollment (print out from Klips)
    - final university degree (copy)
    - University entrance eligibility (copy-certified)
    - approval of the Dean's office [1.]
    - certificate of health insurance
    - admission notification from Univ. Cologne (copy download from Klips)
    - certificate of removal from register of university previously attended (copy)

## b) foreign students:

International Office (see also opening hours):

http://international.uni-koeln.de/doctoralstudies.html?&L=1

Information on admission and enrollment:

http://international.uni-koeln.de/6909.html?&L=1

- 1. fill in the Declaration of Intent to earn your PhD signed by you and your doctoral advisor or another name of this document 'Notification of intent to do a Doctorate' (<a href="http://www.mathnat.uni-">http://www.mathnat.uni-</a>
  - koeln.de/fileadmin/einrichtungen/mnf\_dekanat/docs/forms/Promotionsabsichtsmitteilung.pdf) therefore you need a signature of Karin Boessenkool (coordinator of the graduate school). (two copies)
- 2. Fill in and sign the 'Application for admission to doctoral studies' (<a href="http://international.uni-koeln.de/6909.html?&L=1">http://international.uni-koeln.de/6909.html?&L=1</a>) and go to the International Office with all the documents that mentioned below in 3. or on the website (<a href="http://international.uni-koeln.de/6909.html?&L=1">http://international.uni-koeln.de/6909.html?&L=1</a>). International Office will help you to fill in all the forms.
- 3. You can take all the following papers & forms to the International Office for enrollment (<a href="http://international.uni-koeln.de/6909.html?&L=1">http://international.uni-koeln.de/6909.html?&L=1</a>):
  - Declaration of Intent to earn your PhD [1.]
  - certified copies of your diploma and the German or English translation (Secondary

school-leaving certificate, Bachelor and Master degree with Transcripts of Records)

- complete and signed C.V. (German or English)
- copy of your Master thesis completed at your foreign university. If your thesis was not written in German or English, you will also need to submit a summary in German or English
- copy of your passport/personal identity card
- certificate of health insurance
- 4. The International Office will forward your application to the appropriate Dean's Office.
- 5. The doctoral committee at the faculty you applied to will make an official admission decision ('Promotionszusage').