The Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences of the University of Cologne and the Faculty of Science of the University of Hong Kong established a student exchange program for the educational and cultural enrichment of both universities. This exchange program covers the following subject areas: Chemistry, Earth Sciences, Mathematics/Informatics, Physics.

ELIGIBILITY
The Exchange shall be open to postgraduate students. Subject to limited exceptions, participating students will be selected by their home institution.

DURATION OF EXCHANGES
Students shall register full-time at the host institution for one academic session/semester or for a maximum of one academic year. An academic year at FS Hong-Kong includes the fall (September – December) and spring (January – June) semester.

TUITION AND FEES
Participating students in this exchange shall be exempt from paying tuition and other standard academic fees to the host institution. Any incidental fees for services over and above those specified in this MoU shall be met by the visiting student.

OTHER EXPENSES
Each institution will secure dormitory, and if the dormitory is not available each institution shall make a reasonable effort to assist participating students in finding suitable housing. Payment for housing, all travel, medical insurance, medical costs not covered by insurance, food, subsistence costs, books and other educational materials, shall be the sole responsibility of the individual students participating in the program.

Note: Obtaining and maintaining appropriate visa status is the responsibility of the student. However, the host institution will provide all necessary documentation and forms. Information about financial support for German students can be found at http://verwaltung.uni-koeln.de/international/content/outgoing/promos/index_ger.html

APPLICATION
Please, send a single PDF containing a personal statement, a list of all mathematics courses taken together with grades in these courses, and a CV to

Prof. George Marinescu, www.mi.uni-koeln.de/~gmarines/

The deadline for the fall semester (September-December) is 20th of May and for the spring semester (January-June) is 20th of October.

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