

**E-MAIL DATED 14 AUGUST 2020 TO ALL EMS STUDENTS:**

**ATTACHMENT: Assessment Implementation Semester 2 of 2020 (Amendment 1.1 of 29 June 2020)**



Dear EMS students

I hope this e-mail finds you well. At this time I would like to highlight some additional Teaching and Learning matters:

- SEMESTER 2 OF 2020 ASSESSMENT IMPLEMENTATION:** The [attached document](#) was uploaded on the EMS Website in July, but I also include it here for your perusal. Most of the content would have been included in your module frameworks. We are now moving into a time of increased load shedding and students must do everything possible to plan ahead (by charging all devices and trying to take precautions, e.g. moving to another area that is not affected at the time). You can also download Eskom's Push from the Play store – if you allow push notifications, you will receive warning of load shedding schedules. For **year modules**, if students cannot upload and they cannot adhere to the specifications of the emergency e-mail submission, students can gain access to A4 in January 2021. Remember that A4 is not available for Semester 2 modules (as communicated previously – see document on EMS web).



## 2. **START TIMES OF ONLINE ASSESSEMENTS:**

Please take note of the following regarding the start times of the online assessments during the upcoming test period:

- To prevent that too many users log into SUNLearn simultaneously, the start times of assessments will be amended and published on the official timetable shortly.
- Start times which are already published on the official timetable on the web will stay the same, i.e. all BAcc 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> year assessments.
- The start times of all other assessments for which no start times are currently published on the web, will be as follows:
  - On weekdays: either 17:30 or 17:45
  - On Saturdays: either 9:00 or 9:15
- Please check the start time of your assessments timeously and accurately, as it appears on your timetable on the web.
- Where NO start time is indicated, the lecturer will communicate it via a different platform.
- If you experience difficulties with access to SUNLearn, please contact: 021 808 2222 or <http://learnhelp.sun.ac.za>

*PS: The start times of the November/December assessments will also be amended at a later stage.*

All the best and keep at it!

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