



Statement from the supervisor

The aim of supervision at AU in connection with written assignments on a topic of the student's own choice is to support the student during the writing process. This includes helping to ensure that the nature of the assignment makes it possible for the student to submit it on time within the submission deadline. This is still the aim.

If the student's work and writing process are delayed due to academic challenges arising from COVID-19, the student may apply to the board of studies for dispensation to postpone the submission deadline. The student's application must include documentation. The statement from the supervisor constitutes this documentation.

Please state the academic reasons for the student's delay¹.

Contact information

Student's name: _____ Student registration number: _____

Supervisor's name: _____ Email: _____

This statement concerns

Master's thesis Bachelor's project

Other written assignment on a topic of the student's own choice

Approved topic or title of the written assignment:

¹Other reasons for delay must be documented in other ways, cf. the study portal's COVID 19 page.

What best describes the challenge?

The topic or problem statement make it necessary to collect important empirical data in an organisation to which there is no access at present.

For instance because important informants have been fired or sent home with no work to do. Or if they are too busy handling the consequences of the lockdown in Denmark to contribute anything to the thesis, or have been given different tasks which cannot be adapted to suit the problem statement.

The topic or problem statement require **access to necessary data which is no longer available.**

For instance if the student no longer has access to necessary data, laboratories or source material – or if they cannot perform vital observations.

The topic or problem statement require **access to necessary physical source material which is unavailable at present.**

As the student's access to literature may usually be limited due to normal lending procedures, this option only applies to key material that is indispensable and irreplaceable and to which the student does no longer have access due to the shutdown of libraries, archives and similar.

Consequence of COVID-19 (tick one box):

The writing process can continue as planned or with minor adjustments. No significant delay is expected.

The writing process can be adjusted, but will be significantly delayed.

Additional comments

I confirm that the student(s) and I have attempted to adjust the design, theory, method, literature of the assignment etc., to prevent the submission of the assignment from being unnecessarily delayed.

Digital signature and date