Personal Statement and Study Plan MOMI

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Dear MOMI committee:

I am writing this document to depict the statement explaining the reason for the delay of the study, as well as to show my study plan for the coming period.

Statement I plan to elongate my study for 2 to 3 extra quarters for my thesis. I did not start my thesis in September 2024 because I was engaging in an internship with a robotic company. The internship ended in December, causing some delays in my study progress. Due to some administrative reasons, I did not acquire credits for the internship. That is the reason why you cannot see the internship in my credits report from OSIRIS. If you want to know the details of that experience, please feel free to contact my internship supervisor from the university Manuel Mazo (M.Mazo@tudelft.nl). As a result, I started my master's thesis with 55 credits in March 2024, which is expected to last until the end of Q2 in 2025. Thus, I am applying for an extension to guarantee the completeness as well as the quality of the work.

Currently, I am primarily focusing on my master's thesis. I submitted the final version of the literature survey in May, and it is currently being reviewed, ensuring that the overall study progress remains on track. I believe that my current academic record in the Master of System and Control demonstrates my capability to successfully complete this degree despite some additional time. Hence, I sincerely hope you can approve my application for an extension for study.

Study Plan The remaining study plan is very straightforward given my current study progress. Having completed all my courses, I will focus on my master's thesis full-time to finish it.

If you have further questions regarding my study plan or myself, please feel free to contact me through email. Thanks for your time!

Best regards, Zekai (David) Chen 5705762