

Handout 1, Prof. Jurgen Faust, Design theory

Design Definitions

Questions and Answers:

Please discuss and decide which answers are the right answers:

Set Nr. 1

- A. The definition Nr. 1 is more universal than the definition of Nr. 2
- B. The definition of Nr 2 is more specific than the definition of Nr. 3
- C. The definition of Nr. 3 is more specific than Nr. 1
- D. The definition of Nr. 1 and Nr. 2 are the same.

Questions and Answers:

Please discuss and decide which answers are the right answers:

Set Nr. 2

- A. The definitions of Nr. 3, 4 and 5 are very general definitions
- B. Nr. 4 is a more clear definition than Nr. 5
- C. Number 6 is a very applied definition
- D. Nr. 5 is a wrong definition

Please discuss and decide which answers are the right answers:

Set Nr. 3

- A. Nr. 7 is a description of a design within the Information Technology world
- B. Nr. 8 and Nr. 9 are more general and universal descriptions then Nr. 7 and Nr. 10
- C. Nr. 10 is a very specific definition within the health industry and therefore not useful
- D. Nr. 9 is a definition which describes the object and not the process

Please discuss and decide which answers are the right answers:

Set Nr. 4

- A. The Design definitions of Nr. 11, and Nr. 12 and Nr. 13 and Nr. 14 are from the science field.
- B. Nr. 13 can also be applied in the product design world
- C. Nr. 14 is a clear definition from the field of architecture
- D. Nr. 11 can also be applied within the field of product design

Please discuss and decide which answers are the right answers:

Set Nr. 5

- A. The definition of Nr. 15 focuses on the process as well as on the object
- B. Nr. 16 is the most general definition we have heard so far
- C. Definition Nr. 17 is very general and can be applied in all imaginable fields
- D. Nr. 18 deals with the design of virtual entities

Please discuss and decide which answers are the right answers:

Set Nr. 6

- A. The definition of Nr. 19 and Nr.20 as well as Nr. 21 are from specific design categories
- B. Nr. 22 is wrong
- C. Nr. 23 is only applicable in the field of art
- D. Nr. 24 , Nr. 25 and Nr. 26 have nothing in common