

Module title		Abbreviation
Ways of Christian Thought and Ethics		01-M9-211-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
Institute of Historical Theology, Institute of Biblical Studies and the Institute of Practical Theology		Faculty of Catholic Theology
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
8	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	Recommended: Certified Ancient Greek and Latin language skills.
Contents		
<p>Discussing examples from the sacramental (baptism, penance, eucharist) and personal (sexuality) lives of individuals, this module investigates, and reflects upon, different ways of Christian thought and ethics. In this context, it also explores some of the main controversies in theology.</p> <p>Courses:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Christian lifestyle (baptism, eucharist, penance) in the early Church • ways of Christian thought in the Middle Ages and modern age • key problems in Christian sexual ethics • celebration of the eucharist: the summit of ecclesial life <p>Module assessment will either be held under the responsibility and in special consideration of the subject of moral theology or the subject of liturgy; assessment will cover all courses of the module.</p>		
Intended learning outcomes		
At the end of the course, students will have gained an insight into the development of ecclesial theology and practice. They will be able to look at life and its relationship to the sacraments of baptism, penance, and eucharist from new perspectives.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language – if other than German)		
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Method of assessment (type, scope, language – if other than German, examination offered – if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)		
<p>a) Written examination (approx. 90 minutes) or b) oral examination (approx. 25 minutes) or c) Essays (approx. 12 pages total)</p> <p>Assessment offered: once a year, summer semester</p>		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
The module examination is carried out optionally under the responsibility and with special consideration of the subject Theological Ethics - Moral Theology or the subject Liturgy; it covers all courses of the module.		
Workload		
240 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Magister Theologiae Catholic Theology (2021)		