

<b>Module title</b>		<b>Abbreviation</b>
Fundamental Theology / Dogmatics 4		01-MA-ThSt-Fund-Dogm4-152-m01
<b>Module coordinator</b>		<b>Module offered by</b>
holder of the Chair of Dogmatic and holder of the Chair of Fundamental Theology and Comparative Religious Studies		Faculty of Catholic Theology
<b>ECTS</b>	<b>Method of grading</b>	<b>Only after succ. compl. of module(s)</b>
5	numerical grade	--
<b>Duration</b>	<b>Module level</b>	<b>Other prerequisites</b>
1 semester	graduate	--
<b>Contents</b>		
Fundamental theology and comparative religious studies: analytical, hermeneutic, and pragmatic approaches to the foundations of Christian faith with attention to philosophy and other religious concepts. Dogmatics: systematic study of Christian beliefs of different denominations. Development of the students' ability to reflect upon religious frameworks of interpretation and Christian faith in the contemporary world, express traditional beliefs in a language understood in today's world, and develop appropriate solutions to topical problems.		
<b>Intended learning outcomes</b>		
In the area of fundamental theology and comparative religious studies, students will have become familiar with analytical, hermeneutic, and pragmatic approaches to the foundations of Christian faith with attention to philosophy and other religious concepts. In the area of dogmatics, students will be able to study Christian beliefs of different denominations in a systematic manner. They will have developed the ability to reflect upon religious frameworks of interpretation and Christian faith in the contemporary world, express traditional beliefs in a language understood in today's world, and develop appropriate solutions to topical problems.		
<b>Courses</b> (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
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<b>Method of assessment</b> (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)		
a) designing a seminar unit (approx. 45 minutes, introduction, moderating and preparing seminar materials) including documentation of seminar unit (approx. 10 pages) or b) term paper (approx. 15 pages) or c) portfolio (3 to 5 assessments, approx. 45 hours total)		
<b>Allocation of places</b>		
max. 25 places. Should the number of applications exceed the number of available places, places will be allocated according to the number of subject semesters. Among applicants with the same number of subject semesters, places will be allocated by lot. A waiting list will be maintained and places re-allocated by lot as they become available.		
<b>Additional information</b>		
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<b>Workload</b>		
150 h		
<b>Referred to in LPO I</b> (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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<b>Module appears in</b>		
Master's degree (2 majors) Theological Studies (2015)		
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