Module title
Advanced course in Systematic Theology

Abbreviation
01-ST-AM-GHR-092-m01

Module coordinator
holder of the Chair of Fundamental Theology and Comparative Religious Studies

Module offered by
Faculty of Catholic Theology

ECTS
3 numerical grade

Method of grading
Only after succ. compl. of module(s)

Duration
1 semester undergraduate

Module level
Other prerequisites

Contents
The relationship between Jesus Christ and the origins of the Church, New Testament concepts of the Church, different visions of the Church throughout history, the constitutions of the Vatican Councils. The major schisms in the history of Christianity. The history and goals of the modern ecumenical movement. Exercise to give students the opportunity to explore the topics covered in the lecture in more detail. The course thus gives an overview of the material to be covered. A particular focus is on the ecumenical movement.

Intended learning outcomes
At the end of the course, students will have become familiar with the origins of the Church and the contemporary debate in theological philosophy. They will thus be able to make a critical and informed contribution to the contemporary debate in the field of ecumenical ecclesiology. They will be familiar with the different concepts of the Church developed by Vatican I and Vatican II and will be able to critically evaluate the relevant magisterial texts. Students will be able to describe the position of the Catholic Church in the context of the division of Christianity into different denominations and to engage in discussions with representatives of other churches and ecclesial communities.

Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)
a) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 15 minutes) or b) oral examination in groups (groups of 2: approx. 30 minutes, groups of 3: approx. 45 minutes) or c) talk (approx. 15 minutes) or d) written examination (approx. 30 minutes) or e) term paper (approx. 5 pages) or f) assessments during lecture period (approx. 3 to 5 assessments, 30 hours total)

Allocation of places
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Additional information
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)
§ 55 (1) 2. c) Katholische Religion Systematische Theologie

Module appears in
First state examination for the teaching degree Grundschule Catholic Theology (2009)
First state examination for the teaching degree Hauptschule Catholic Theology (2009)
First state examination for the teaching degree Realschule Catholic Theology (2009)
First state examination for the teaching degree Mittelschule Catholic Theology (2013)
No final examination (2010)