

Module title		Abbreviation
Polymers II		03-FU-PM2-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Functional Materials in Medicine and Dentistry		Faculty of Medicine
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
<p>Deepend polymer synthesis methods, special polymers (block copolymers, co-polymerization techniques, complex polymer architectures), biodegradable polymers, polypeptoides, natural polymers. We will discuss the application of the respective polymers: e.g as biomaterials, for electrospinning, for the production of hydrogels and their behavior on surfaces.</p>		
Intended learning outcomes		
<p>The student acquire advanced knowledge in polymer manufacturing, analysis and applications. This involves different synthetic routes with which the different molecules can be prepared from different starting materials. Students can estimate if and how fast a polymer degrades under given circumstances. Furthermore, they gain insight into the field of technically used polymers from nature. Each section also points to possible consequences / disadvantages that synthesis of the various polymers may have, thus drawing students' understanding to ethical concerns.</p>		
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 of one candidate each (approx. 20 minutes) or c) talk (approx. 30 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or English</p>		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 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		
<p>Master's degree (1 major) Chemistry (2016) Master's degree (1 major) Functional Materials (2016) Master's teaching degree Gymnasium MINT Teacher Education PLUS, Elite Network Bavaria (ENB) (2016) Supplementary course MINT Teacher Education PLUS, Elite Network Bavaria (ENB) (2016) Master's degree (1 major) Chemistry (2018) Master's teaching degree Gymnasium MINT Teacher Education PLUS, Elite Network Bavaria (ENB) (2020) Supplementary course MINT Teacher Education PLUS, Elite Network Bavaria (ENB) (2020)</p>		

