

<b>Module title</b>		<b>Abbreviation</b>
Practical Tutorials in Ancient Near Eastern Studies 2		04-AO-PRAK2-122-m01
<b>Module coordinator</b>		<b>Module offered by</b>
holder of the Chair of Ancient Near Eastern Studies		Chair of Ancient Near Eastern Studies
<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	undergraduate	--
<b>Contents</b>		
<p>The class gives an introduction to the historical geography of the Middle East. Essential information will be provided concerning the geography and environment of the various regions of Western Asia, the topography of certain regions in selected historical periods as well as the elements of ancient Near Eastern and modern toponymy. Special emphasis will be given to the "correct" transliteration and pronunciation of ancient and modern place and regional names of the Middle East; varying conventions and their backgrounds will be presented.</p>		
<b>Intended learning outcomes</b>		
<p>The student will acquire a good knowledge of the historical geography of the Middle East as well as of the typical environmental conditions in the regions of Western Asia. He/she will be familiar with the various conventions for transliterating ancient and modern geographical names of the various regions of the Middle East and will be familiar enough with the phonemic inventory of Arabic, Turkish and Persian to be able to correctly pronounce modern place names.</p>		
<b>Courses</b> (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)		
<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)		
term paper (2,000 to 2,500 words excluding bibliography) Language of assessment: German, English		
<b>Allocation of places</b>		
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<b>Additional information</b>		
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<b>Workload</b>		
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<b>Teaching cycle</b>		
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<b>Referred to in LPO I</b> (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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<b>Module appears in</b>		
<p>Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient Near Eastern Studies (Minor, 2012)          Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient Near Eastern Studies (Minor, 2014)          Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2013)          Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient Near Eastern Languages (AW) (Minor, 2014)          Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient Near Eastern Languages (AW) (Minor, 2012)          Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Ancient Near Eastern Studies (2012)          Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Ancient Near Eastern Studies (2014)</p>		