Module title
Introduction to the Cultural History of Ancient Egypt and the Ancient Near East

Abbreviation
04-ÄG-AAK-072-m01

Module coordinator
holder of the Chair of Egyptology

Module offered by
Chair of Egyptology

ECTS
10

Method of grading
numerical grade --

Duration
1 semester

Module level
undergraduate

Other prerequisites
By way of exception, additional prerequisites are listed in the section on assessments.

Contents
Overview of the history regarding ancient advanced cultures of the Near East and Egypt. Introduction to the dealing with topographical and archaeological issues by a generic presentation of central sites of ancient advanced cultures of the Near East and Egypt. The overview of scripts, languages and the literary history of Egypt accomplishes this historico-cultural introduction, which attracts the attention of an Egyptologist to the Near Eastern neighbours at the same time.

Intended learning outcomes
Students are familiar with teaching subjects of the courses, this means they are acquainted with the basic facts of the ancient Egyptian cultural history and have skills concerning the methodological dealing with archaeological and philological issues as well as basic knowledge of the ancient Near East history and the archaeology and topography of an important ancient Near East city. Students are familiar with the respective technical literature and the general tendencies of research concerning the individual areas.

Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
This module has 5 components; information on courses listed separately for each component.

• 04-AW-KuGG1-2-072, 04-AW-KuGG1-3-072, 04-AW-KuGG1-4-072, 04-AW-KuGG2-1-072, and 04-AW-SSL4-2-072: V (no information on language and number of weekly contact hours 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)
This module has the following 5 assessment components. Unless stated otherwise, students must pass all of these assessment components to pass the module as a whole.

Assessment in module component 04-AW-KuGG1-2-072: Grundzüge der altägyptischen Geschichte (Outline of Ancient Egyptian History), and in module component 04-AW-KuGG1-3-072: Zentrale Stätten Altägyptens (Principal Sites of Ancient Egypt):

• 2 ECTS credits, numerical grading
• written examination (approx. 45 minutes)
• Additional prerequisites: admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance.

Assessment in module component 04-AW-KuGG1-4-072: Zentrale Stätten Altvorderasiens (Principal Sites of the Ancient Near East), and in module component 04-AW-KuGG2-1-072: Grundzüge der Altvorderasiatischen Geschichte (Outline of the History of the Ancient Near East):

• 2 ECTS credits, numerical grading
• written examination (approx. 90 minutes)

Assessment in module component 04-AW-SSL4-2-072: Grundzüge der altägyptischen Schrift-, Sprach- und Literaturgeschichte (Outline of the History of Ancient Egyptian Script, Language and Literature):

• 2 ECTS credits, numerical grading
• written examination (approx. 45 minutes)
• Additional prerequisites: admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of the courses of the module component (students will be informed about the required attendance percentage or permitted number of incidents of unexcused absence at the beginning of the course).

Allocation of places
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## Additional information

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### Referred to in LPO I
(examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)

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### Module appears in

- Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Egyptology (2008)
- Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Greek Philology (2009)