

Module title		Abbreviation
Methodological Questions of Chinese Economic Research		04-CBE2-162-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of China Business and Economics		Institute of East and South Asian Cultural Studies
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
China's size, development trajectory, economic system and business models raise a number of questions with regard to standard economic theory. Therefore this module discusses how China's economy can be grasped with social science and economic research methodologies. At the same time it explores examples how China's case informs and influences economic theory.		
Intended learning outcomes		
Students practice the application of economic theories to China by discussing relevant research examples and by writing an academic paper that uses a relevant methodological approach to address a topic of interest.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language – if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: English and Chinese		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language – if other than German, examination offered – if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)		
Term paper (approx. 20 pages) Language of assessment: English and Chinese creditable for bonus		
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		
Master's degree (1 major) China Business and Economics (2016) Master's degree (1 major) China Language and Economy (2016) Master's degree (1 major) China Business and Economics (2019) Master's degree (1 major) China Language and Economy (2019) Master's degree (1 major) China Business and Economics (2021) Master's degree (1 major) China Language and Economy (2021) Master's degree (1 major) China Business and Economics (2025) Master's degree (1 major) China Language and Economy (2025)		