Module title
Gudai Hanyu Texts 2

Abbreviation
04-CS-GDHY3-172-m01

Module coordinator
holder of the Chair of East Asian Cultural Studies

Module offered by
Institute of East and South Asian Cultural Studies

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Method of grading
numerical grade

Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
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Duration
1 semester

Module level
graduate

Other prerequisites
Courses offered abroad at PKU (ECLC).

Contents
This module provides additional training in the Classical Chinese literary language, its grammar and lexicon, and a range of longer and more difficult source texts (philosophy, history, literature) from the middle to the late imperial periods that are translated into Modern Chinese in class. This course further develops reading skills of texts and the required vocabularies of Classical and Modern Chinese. It introduces relevant elements of cultural-historical and literary knowledge that are necessary for an appropriate contextualization, interpretation and translation of the source texts.

Intended learning outcomes
This module enables students to read and understand a range of rather challenging source texts in Classical Chinese, and to translate them into Modern Chinese. Students further strengthen their abilities to handle the various difficulties in the reading process and to interpret the texts.

Courses
(3)
Module taught in: English and Chinese

Method of assessment
written examination (approx. 90 minutes)
Language of assessment: Chinese

Allocation of places
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Additional information
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Referred to in LPO I
(examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)

Module appears in
Master's degree (1 major) Chinese Studies (2017)