

Module title		Abbreviation
Current Topics in China		04-CS4-162-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of East Asian Cultural Studies		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		
<p>In this module students discuss a topical issue of Chinese politics, society or economy. The focus of the module is on issues that are emerging in China and, for instance, dominating the news. The module explores the background of the topic, links current debates with recent and earlier events or debates, and offers theoretical approaches to assess the topics relevance for China.</p>		
Intended learning outcomes		
<p>Students learn to comment on current developments and to embed topical issues into historical and theoretical contexts. They learn to detect pitfalls of topical media coverage and strengthen their debating skills.</p>		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language – if other than German)		
Ü (2) Module taught in: 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)		
a) written examination (approx. 60 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 15 minutes) Language of assessment: 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 Business and Economics (2019)		