Module title

European Cultures and Societies

Abbreviation

04-EEVK-EKG-092-m01

Module coordinator

holder of the Chair of European Ethnology

Module offered by

Chair of European Ethnology

ECTS

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Method of grading

numerical grade

Only after succ. compl. of module(s)

Duration

2 semester

Module level

undergraduate

Other prerequisites

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

Contents

On the basis of specific examples from other European countries, the module presents important cultural phenomena and processes in certain regions as well as Europe-wide of the past and present. Thus, not only are the developments of cultural contacts and cultural conflicts studied, but also the close connections of the cultural exchange within European societies. Additionally, they are explained via texts as well as media.

- Important cultural phenomena of entire Europe as well as of specific regions and historical as well as current processes of other European countries will be investigated with the help of specific examples.
- Examination of developments concerning cultural contacts and conflicts.
- The module provides students with close connections of the cultural exchange within European society via texts and media.

Intended learning outcomes

Students acquire knowledge of intercultural competences as well as their areas of application. They are able to apply the cultural analysis to European cultures or societies and achieve skills of the safe handling with and application to the respective methods in the field research in the European foreign countries. The students acquire the ability to analyse processes of the cultural contact, cultural conflict and the cultural exchange of the past and present in Europe. They are able to reflect on historic origins, their history of ideas and their coherences of European cultures and societies and are able to interpret the reading matter of foreign language and cultural-scientific texts.

- Acquisition of knowledge concerning intercultural competences as well as their areas of application.
- They are familiar with and able to apply respective methods during the field research in the European foreign country.
- Acquisition of skills regarding processes of the cultural contact, cultural conflict and cultural exchange in the past and present Europe.
- Ability to reflect on historic origins as well as on their history of ideas of European cultures and societies.
- Ability to interpret the reading matter of foreign language and cultural-scientific texts.

Courses

This module comprises 3 module components. Information on courses will be listed separately for each module component.

- 04-EEVK-EKG-1-092: S + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)
- 04-EEVK-EKG-2-092: S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)
- 04-EEVK-EKG-3-092: S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment

Assessment in this module comprises the assessments in the individual module components as specified below. Unless stated otherwise, successful completion of the module will require successful completion of all individual assessments.

Assessment in module component 04-EEVK-EKG-1-092: Ethnography of European Cultures

- 5 ECTS, Method of grading: numerical grade
- Presentation (approx. 25 minutes) with position paper (1 to 2 pages) and written elaboration (approx. 10 pages, to be handed in during semester break), weighted 1:1
- Assessment offered: once a year
- Other prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance and successful completion of exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.

**Assessment in module component 04-EEVK-EKG-2-092: Everyday Culture and Habitats in Europe 1**
- 2 ECTS, Method of grading: numerical grade
- presentation (approx. 25 minutes) with position paper (1 to 2 pages) or log (approx. 1 page per block of topics)
- Assessment offered: once a year, winter semester
- Other prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance and successful completion of exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.

**Assessment in module component 04-EEVK-EKG-3-092: Everyday Culture and Habitats in Europe 2**
- 3 ECTS, Method of grading: numerical grade
- presentation (approx. 25 minutes) with position paper (1 to 2 pages) and written elaboration (approx. 10 pages, to be handed in during semester break), weighted 1:1
- Assessment offered: once a year, summer semester
- Other prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance and successful completion of exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.

**Allocation of places**

**Additional information**

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

**Module appears in**

Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Pre- and Protohistoric Archaeology (2012)
Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Pre- and Protohistoric Archaeology (2012)
Bachelor's degree (2 majors) European Ethnology (2009)