

Module title		Abbreviation
Level Two Module American Regional and Cultural Studies		o4-EnBA-AM-ALK-102-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
Managing Director English and American Studies		Institute of Modern Philologies
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	numerical grade	o4-EnLA-BM-LK (only one of two module components)
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
2 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance (a maximum of 2 incidents of unexcused absence) of courses (lectures excluded).
Contents		
The module provides detailed skills concerning objects, methods and theories of North American regional and cultural studies. Students will be provided with further skills of important aspects of US history and/or Canadian history with the help of historical and literary sources. Depending on the main focus, further subject areas comprises geography, the political system, the history of art and music as well as film history of the US and historical problem fields and issues.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The module provides students with broadened cultural science-based and regional knowledge of the US and/or Canada, with a detailed insight into basic facts about the North American history, with detailed knowledge of selected historical or contemporary topic areas of American cultural sciences as well as with the ability to analyse and contextualise historical, cultural-theoretical and literary texts.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
Ü + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language 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)		
a) oral presentation (approx. 10 to 25 minutes) and written examination (approx. 90 minutes), weighted 1:4 or b) oral presentation (approx. 10 to 25 minutes) and term paper (approx. 12 pages), weighted 1:4 Language of assessment: English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
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Teaching cycle		
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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 (1 major, 1 minor) English and American Studies (2010)		