### Module Description

**Module Title**

Historical and Recent Aspects of German Civilization and Culture

**Abbreviation**

04-GaF-HADL-102-m01

**Module Coordinator**

holder of the Chair of German Linguistics

**Module Offered by**

Institute of German Studies

**ECTS**

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**Method of Grading**

numeral grade

**Duration**

1 semester

**Module Level**

undergraduate

**Other Prerequisites**

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

### Contents

The module gives an overview and provides students with basic knowledge from different historical sub-subjects by specific examples. In incidental courses, key problems of German and European history as well as their most important sources will be covered and completed by the analysis of literary texts or films of German authors.

### Intended Learning Outcomes

Students will get an overview of important developments in German and European history and thus, consolidate their basic knowledge of one or more temporal or topical areas considering different aspects like politics, economics, society, culture (including literature and movie), ideas and mentalities. Students will be able to classify this/these area/areas in a comprehensive historical context and to show interdependencies.

### Courses

This module has 6 components; information on courses listed separately for each component.

- 04-Ge-GDE-1-092, 04-Ge-GDE-2-092, 04-Ge-GDE-3-092, 04-Ge-GDE-4-092, and 04-Ge-GDE-5-092: Ü (no information on language and number of weekly contact hours available)
- 42-ZFS-M1-2-092: Ü + S (no information on language and number of weekly contact hours available)

### Method of Assessment

This module has the following 6 assessment components. To pass this module, students must pass 2 out of the 5 assessment components that are first in the list below and the assessment component that is last in the list below.

**Assessment in module component 04-Ge-GDE-1-092:** Grundkurs zur Alten Geschichte (Basic Course Ancient History), in module component 04-Ge-GDE-2-092: Grundkurs zur Mittelalterlichen Geschichte (Basic Course Medieval History), in module component 04-Ge-GDE-3-092: Grundkurs zur Neueren Geschichte (Basic Course Early Modern History), in module component 04-Ge-GDE-4-092: Grundkurs zur Neuesten Geschichte (Basic Course Late Modern and Contemporary History), and in module component 04-Ge-GDE-5-092: Grundkurs zur Landesgeschichte (Basic Course Regional History):

- 2 ECTS credits, pass / fail
- logs of course (approx. 14 pages total)
- Only after successful completion of module components: Students MUST take module component 42-ZFS-M1-2 as well as two other module components of their choice.
- Additional prerequisites: Latin language skills as well as English language skills or skills in another modern foreign language, preferably French, are desirable.

**Assessment in module component 42-ZFS-M1-2-092:** Deutschsprachige Länder in Literatur und Medien (German-Speaking Countries in Literature and the Media)

- 3 ECTS credits, numerical grading
- a) presentation (approx. 10 minutes) with written elaboration (approx. 1 to 4 pages), weighted 7:3 or b) written examination (approx. 90 minutes)
- Only after successful completion of module components: Students MUST take module component 42-ZFS-M1-2 as well as two other module components of their choice.
- Additional prerequisites: Latin language skills as well as English language skills or skills in another modern foreign language, preferably French, are desirable.
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