## Module title
Global Urban Development

### Abbreviation
04-Geo-GSe-152-m01

### Module coordinator
holder of the Professorship of Economic Geography

### Module offered by
Institute of Geography and Geology

### Credits
5 ECTS

### Method of grading
numerical grade

### Duration
1 semester

### Module level
graduate

### Other prerequisites
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## Contents
Globally, more than half of people live in cities, however, the cities develop differently. Growing cities face the problem of shrinking cities and in many countries the megacities pose a big problem. At the same time, segregation and polarisation increase under the influence of urban governance and global processes. Students will present the processes with the help of chosen issues. The focus is on research-relevant topic areas of "Urban Geography".

## Intended learning outcomes
Students develop a practical problem awareness for relevant urban and social political processes and prepare and present a topic of Urban Geography independently on a high level. They are able to classify current findings of urban geographical research in scientific theoretical and historical specific contexts.

## Courses
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Module taught in: German and/or English

### Method of assessment
presentation (approx. 30 minutes) and term paper (approx. 25 pages)
Language of assessment: German and/or English

## Allocation of places
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## Additional information
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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) Applied Human Geography (2015)
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