

Module title		Abbreviation
Global Urban Development		04-Geo-GSe-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Professorship of Economic Geography		Institute of Geography and Geology
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
<p>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".</p>		
Intended learning outcomes		
<p>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.</p>		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language – if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language – if other than German, examination offered – if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)		
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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Workload		
150 h		
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) Master's degree (1 major) Applied Human Geography (2017)		