Intercultural Communication in India: Introduction to intercultural agency

**Module coordinator**
holder of the Chair of Indology

**Module offered by**
Chair of Indology

**ECTS**
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**Method of grading**
umerical grade

**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**
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**Duration**
1 semester

**Module level**
undergraduate

**Other prerequisites**
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**Contents**
Introduction to the philosophies of life, the customs as well as thought and action patterns in Indian culture. Reflection on the mindsets and thought patterns in the students' own (German) culture. Differences in communication styles between India and Germany. Causes of conflict in intercultural encounters.

**Intended learning outcomes**
Students have developed an awareness of how their cultural background influences the way they act, and they are familiar with social structures in India. The development of this awareness and familiarity is necessary for students to acquire intercultural competence.

**Courses**
S + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

**Method of assessment**
(a) written examination (approx. 90 minutes) or b) talk (approx. 10 minutes) with written elaboration (approx. 2 pages)
Assessment offered: usually once a year
Language of assessment: German, 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**
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