

<b>Module title</b>		<b>Abbreviation</b>
Forms of religiousness and religious practices in Indian religions		04-IM7-1-161-m01
<b>Module coordinator</b>		<b>Module offered by</b>
holder of the Chair of Indology		Chair of Indology
<b>ECTS</b>	<b>Method of grading</b>	<b>Only after succ. compl. of module(s)</b>
5	numerical grade	--
<b>Duration</b>	<b>Module level</b>	<b>Other prerequisites</b>
1 semester	graduate	--
<b>Contents</b>		
This module will deal with the documentation, discussion and interpretation of a variety of practices in Indian religions (asceticism, pilgrimages, vows, iconolatry, widow burning etc.) across a range of periods and regions.		
<b>Intended learning outcomes</b>		
Students will be able to evaluate the different forms of expression of religiousness in the overall context of Hinduism, both from an emic and from an etic point of view, and to make cross-cultural comparisons.		
<b>Courses</b> (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
<b>Method of assessment</b> (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)		
a) term paper (approx. 20 pages) or b) written examination (approx. 120 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
<b>Allocation of places</b>		
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<b>Additional information</b>		
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<b>Workload</b>		
150 h		
<b>Referred to in LPO I</b> (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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<b>Module appears in</b>		
Master's degree (2 majors) Indology/South Asian Studies (2016) Master's degree (1 major) Indology/South Asian Studies (2016)		