Module title			Abbreviation
Level One Module: Introduction to Indo-European Linguistics			04-VS-BEIS-072-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
holder of the Chair for Comparative Linguistics		Chair of Comparative Linguistics	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
10	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	--	

Contents

1. An introductory overview of the early Indo-Germanic languages (geography, chronology, text genres). 2. An introductory overview of the known facts relating to the Proto-Indo-Germanic language (PIE) (phonology, morphology, word formation, syntax, vocabulary). 3. Introduction to the methodology of diachronic linguistics. 4. Introduction to the academic working methods of linguistics. 5. Introduction to the material and spiritual culture of the Indo-Europeans. 6. Overview of the most important academic literature.

Intended learning outcomes

The course provides the student with a basis to be built upon in modules that deal with individual languages or language groups. The course equips the student with the methodical prerequisites for academic work in diachronic linguistics in relation to different languages.

Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

This module comprises 3 module components. Information on courses will be listed separately for each module component.

- 04-VS-BEIS-1-072: Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)
- 04-AW-SSL5-1-072: S + T (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)
- 04-AW-KuGG3-1-072: V (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

Assessment in this module comprises the assessments in the individual module components as specified below. Unless stated otherwise, successful completion of the module will require successful completion of all individual assessments.

Assessment in module component 04-VS-BEIS-1-072: Introduction to Indo-European Grammar

- 3 ECTS, Method of grading: numerical grade
- presentation (approx. 30 minutes) and written examination (approx. 45 minutes), weighted 1:1

Assessment in module component 04-AW-SSL5-1-072: Overview of Ancient Indo-European Languages Overview of Ancient Indo-European Languages

- 5 ECTS, Method of grading: numerical grade
- presentation (approx. 30 minutes) and a) written examination (45 minutes) or b) oral examination (approx. 45 minutes), weighted 1:1

Assessment in module component 04-AW-KuGG3-1-072: Introduction to Ancient Indo-European Studies

- 2 ECTS, Method of grading: numerical grade
- written examination (approx. 60 minutes), in exceptional cases: oral examination (approx. 60 minutes)

Allocation of places

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Additional information

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Workload

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Teaching cycle
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)
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Module appears in
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Comparative Indo-European Linguistics (Minor, 2008) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Pre- and Protohistoric Archaeology (2009) Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Comparative Indo-European Linguistics (2008) Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Greek Philology (2009) No final examination Special study offering (2010)