### Module description

**Module title**
Scientific Working Skills

**Abbreviation**
06-PSS-FSQ-WAT-152-m01

**Module coordinator**
Managing Director of the Institute for Political Science and Sociology

**Module offered by**
Institute for Political Science and Sociology

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**Duration**
1 semester

**Module level**
undergraduate

**Other prerequisites**
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### Contents
Conditions, methods and techniques of scientific work, research in professional databases, reviewing, excerpting, forms of scientific work, methods of reading, citation techniques, methods of bibliographing, presentation techniques, study situation and order of study, career prospects

### Intended learning outcomes
The student has the ability to research and handle academic literature independently. They have knowledge on how to produce the oral and written achievements necessary within their studies (especially term papers and presentations) as well as on scientific standards (e.g. citation style, bibliographies).

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

- a) written examination (approx. 90 minutes, numerical grade)
- b) written examination and exercises (approx. 90 minutes, numerical grade) and 3 to 5 written exercises (approx. 10 hours total, numerical grade), weighted 4:1
- c) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes, numerical grade)
- d) term paper (approx. 15 pages, numerical grade)
- e) presentation (30 minutes, numerical grade) and term paper (approx. 15 pages, numerical grade), weighted 1:4
- f) portfolio (approx. 50 hours total, numerical grade)
- g) research report (approx. 15 pages, numerical grade)

Language of assessment: German and/or English
creditable for bonus

### 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
Bachelor’s degree (1 major) Political and Social Studies (2015)
Bachelor’s degree (1 major, 1 minor) Political and Social Studies (2015)
Bachelor’s degree (2 majors) Political and Social Studies (2015)
Bachelor’s degree (1 major) Political and Social Studies (2020)
Bachelor’s degree (1 major, 1 minor) Political and Social Studies (2020)
Bachelor’s degree (2 majors) Political and Social Studies (2020)