

Module title		Abbreviation
Interindividual Differences 1		o6-PSY-MA-IU-1-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Psychology V - Differential Psychology, Personality Psychology, and Psychological Diagnostics		Institute of Psychology
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
In the seminar 'Project Work Differential Psychology' current research projects are discussed. In addition, the theoretical foundations and objectives of the ongoing research will be presented and the participants theoretically and practically prepared for an active participation in the role as researchers in these projects. In addition, some knowledge for the writing of scientific papers will be deepened and practiced through own scientific papers and contributions.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The students learn to examine the current research literature critically and in depth and to use this expertise to develop new research questions. They acquire theoretical and scientific practical knowledge as preparation for an independent handling of a research question in the master thesis. Students design their own empirical research in small groups, carry it out, evaluate it and relate the results to the current state of research. In addition, students learn to communicate the results in science-typical form (lecture, report, poster).		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
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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) presentation (approx. 30 minutes) or b) written examination (approx. 60 minutes) or c) oral examination (approx. 15 minutes) or d) practical assignment (approx. 60 hours) or e) term paper (approx. 10 pages) or f) exposé (approx. 5 pages) or g) scientific poster (1 page DIN A0) or h) project report (approx. 10 pages) or i) case report (approx. 5 pages) or j) exercises in the form of questions to be answered during the seminar (approx. 0.5 pages per session) An exposé is to outline the theoretical background, the research topic, the hypotheses and the method (independent and dependent variables, measuring methods, experimental design and procedure, subjects as well as intended statistical analysis) of a projected empirical study. A case report describes a disorder using the example of a (fictitious) patient; it includes a symptom report, a medical history, a behavioural assessment, a diagnosis and a treatment plan derived from this. Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		

Teaching cycle

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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)

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Module appears in

Master's degree (1 major) Psychology (2015)