

Module title		Abbreviation
Interindividual Differences 1		o6-PSY-MA-IU-1-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Professorship of Differential Psychology		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		
<p>The "Project Work Differential Psychology" addresses current research projects. It discusses the theoretical principles and goals of the current projects and theoretically and practically prepares the students for an active involvement as researchers. Furthermore, the students write own scientific reports and contributions to improve their scientific writing skills.</p>		
Intended learning outcomes		
<p>The students learn to critically and thoroughly examine current research literature and to use this expertise for the development of new research questions. They acquire theoretical and scientific knowledge in preparation for the independent examination of a research question in their Master's thesis. The students gather in small groups to develop, carry out and evaluate an empirical examination and compare the results to the current state of research. Furthermore, the students learn to present results in a scientific manner (presentation, report, poster).</p>		
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)		
<p>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)</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Language of assessment: German and/or English</p>		
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		
Master's degree (1 major) Psychology (2015)		