Module description

**Module title**  
Human Factors

**Abbreviation**  
06-PSY-MeuTe-092-m01

**Module coordinator**  
holder of the Professorship of Psychological Research Methods

**Module offered by**  
Institute of Psychology

**ECTS**  
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**Method of grading**  
numerical grade

**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**  
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**Duration**  
1 semester

**Module level**  
undergraduate

**Other prerequisites**  
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**Contents**

This module elaborates on the principles of ergonomics (e.g. organisation of the work environment and working conditions, personnel selection and training) on the basis of examples (e.g. from Traffic Psychology).

**Intended learning outcomes**

The students acquire profound, theoretical professional skills as well as comprehensive methodological competencies in the subdiscipline of ergonomics. They apply their advanced professional knowledge during the further course of studies, especially during the writing of their Bachelor’s thesis and during the Master’s degree programme. In addition, the students acquire special professional competencies, which can already be useful in professional life after the first university degree programme (BSc.), for example when it comes to the ergonomic organisation of modern work environments and human-computer interactions.

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

V + Ü (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)

a) written examination (90 minutes) and presentation (approx. 20 minutes) with written elaboration (approx. 7 pages) or b) written examination (90 minutes) and term paper (approx. 15 pages)

**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’ degree (1 major) Psychology (2009)