

<b>Module title</b>		<b>Abbreviation</b>
Theory and History of Science		07-MWIG-152-m01
<b>Module coordinator</b>		<b>Module offered by</b>
Coordinator BioCareers		Faculty of Biology
<b>ECTS</b>	<b>Method of grading</b>	<b>Only after succ. compl. of module(s)</b>
3	(not) successfully completed	--
<b>Duration</b>	<b>Module level</b>	<b>Other prerequisites</b>
1 semester	graduate	--
<b>Contents</b>		
Philosophical foundations and scientific principles, history and theory of mind, human memory, intentional decision making and biochemical principles of cognitive and emotional processes. Fundamental terms and principles in biology are discussed.		
<b>Intended learning outcomes</b>		
The students are familiar with the hallmarks of the history of natural sciences. They have developed an increased awareness of how to use fundamental terms and definitions as well as of risks and concerns arising with knowledge and technical developments in the biosciences.		
<b>Courses</b> (type, number of weekly contact hours, language – if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
<b>Method of assessment</b> (type, scope, language – if other than German, examination offered – if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)		
Students will be informed about the method, length and scope of the assessment prior to the course. Usually, one of the following options will be chosen: a) written examination (30 to 60 minutes, including multiple choice questions) or b) log (15 to 30 pages) or c) oral examination of one candidate each (30 to 60 minutes) or d) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (30 to 60 minutes) or e) presentation (20 to 45 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
<b>Allocation of places</b>		
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<b>Additional information</b>		
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<b>Referred to in LPO I</b> (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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<b>Module appears in</b>		
Master's degree (1 major) Biology (2015) Master's degree (1 major) Biosciences (2016) Master's degree (1 major) Biosciences (2017) Master's degree (1 major) Biosciences (2018)		