

Module description

Module title					Abbreviation	
Special Problems of Physical Geography 1					09-PG2T1-102-m01	
Module coordinator				Module offered by		
holder of the Chair of Physical Geography				Institute of Geography and Geology		
ECTS	Meth	od of grading	Only after succ. co	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)		
5	nume	rical grade				
Duration		Module level	Other prerequisites	Other prerequisites		
1 semester		undergraduate				
Contents						

This module covers synthesis and networking of physical-geographical factors in the light of different methodical approaches and particularly on the basis of the human impact: geomorphology, climate, soil, hydro geography, global change and past global change incl. geo and ecosystem research and ecosystem prediction as well as the cycle of materials on Earth's surface.

Intended learning outcomes

Students are acquainted with the synthesis and interconnectedness of skills that have already been acquired concerning the processes on Earth's surface, which are dominating the landscape on Earth's surface and are driven by the geological factors rock, relief, climate, soil, water, flora and fauna. These processes determine structure, function and dynamics of the natural environment and its anthropogenic transformation (the environment that has been shaped from humans by land utilisation, settlements, transport routes etc.). Through the quantitative acquisition of current process structures, Physical Geography is not only able to derive predications for the capability and capacity of geological systems, but also to predict changes in future by analysing the development and change of geographical territories in the past. These important planning decision-making bases concerning the management as well as the sustainable use and development, are given weight to the task of Physical Geography in the practical area.

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

V (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)

written examination (approx. 45 minutes)

Allocation of places

Additional information

Workload

Teaching cycle

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

Module appears in

Bachelor's degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)

Bachelor's degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)

Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Geography (Minor, 2012)

Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Geography (Focus Physical Geography) (2010)

Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Geography (Focus Human Geography) (2010)

Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Geography (2010)



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