

Module title					Abbreviation
Remote Sensing of land surface parameters					09-RELA1-102-m01
Module coordinator				Module offered by	
holder of the Professorship of Remote			Sensing	Institute of Geography and Geology	
ECTS Method of grading		Only after succ. compl. of module(s)			
5 numerical grade					
Duration		Module level	Other prerequisites		
1 semester		graduate			
Contents					
The module deals with the remote sensing acquisition of the land surface and characterisation or quantificati- on of relevant state variables. The main focus and perspective will be on their function as resource. The course provides students with methods for the acquisition of surface types like vegetation, water, soil, and urban areas as well as parametrisations for quantification and characterisation of conditions of different surface types (inclu- ding vegetation and soil parameters, sealing level). Furthermore, students will be provided with methodological competences of landscape analysis (e.g. analysis of location relation, fragmentation of landscape elements, ur- ban structure) as well as (inter) national evaluation approach, monitoring process and programmes and practical application example that will be covered.					
Intended learning outcomes					
Students acquire skills of methodological aspects and substantive assessment of parameters of the land sur- face against the background of different geographical cases of application. Thus, the basics for the understan- ding of remote sensing datasets and methods as well as the observed processes on land surfaces will be crea- ted. Through the kind and complexity of the issues, the interdisciplinary work will be encouraged.					
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)					
Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)					
<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)					
project report (approx. 20 pages) or poster Language of assessment: German, English					
Allocation of places					
Additional information					
Workload					
Teaching cycle					
Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)					
Module appears in					
Master's degree (1 major) Applied Physical Geography (2013) Master's degree (1 major) Applied Physical Geography (2010)					

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