

Module title		Abbreviation
Orbital Mechanics		10-LURI=GRFM-202-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
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ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
10	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
Foundations of orbital dynamics and orientation dynamics of air and space vehicles, spherical trigonometry, two-body problem, identification of classical orbit elements from initial conditions, identification of orbit elements through observation (Laplace method), identification of orientation data, rocket lift-off trajectory.		
Intended learning outcomes		
Understanding of fundamental methods for acquisition, processing and control of orbit and orientation systems in air and space travel. Skills to apply the acquired knowledge in development and analysis of orbit and orientation systems.		
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)		
written examination (approx. 60 to 120 minutes) If announced by the lecturer at the beginning of the course, the written examination may be replaced by an oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 20 minutes) or an oral examination in groups of 2 candidates (approx. 15 minutes per candidate). Language of assessment: German and/or English creditable for bonus		
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) Aerospace Computer Science (2020)		