

Module title		Abbreviation
Introduction to Differential Geometry for Mathematical Physics		10-M-DGEP-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
Dean of Studies Mathematik (Mathematics)		Institute of Mathematics
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
10	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	--
Contents		
Curves in Euclidean spaces, curvature, Frenet equations, local classification, submanifolds (hypersurfaces in particular) in Euclidean spaces, curvature of hypersurfaces, geodesics, isometries, main theorem on local surface theory, special classes of surfaces.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The student knows and masters the essential methods and basic notions in differential geometry. He/She is acquainted with the central concepts in this field, and is able to apply the fundamental proof methods independently.		
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)		
a) oral examination of one candidate each (15 to 30 minutes) or b) oral examination in groups of 2 candidates (10 to 15 minutes each) Assessment will have reference to a topic in pure mathematics as agreed upon with the examiner. Each topic may only be selected as the subject of one examination in the sub-field Gesamtüberblick Mathematische Methoden (Overview Mathematical Methods) or in module group Ergänzung Mathematik (Supplementary Topics in Mathematics). Assessment offered: In the semester in which the course is offered and in the subsequent semester Language of assessment: German and/or English creditable for bonus		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
300 h		
Teaching cycle		
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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) Mathematical Physics (2015) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2016) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2020) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2024)		