Module title
FOKUS Research Module Methods in Surface Spectroscopy

Abbreviation
11-FM-MSS-102-m01

Module coordinator
chairperson of examination committee

Module offered by
Faculty of Physics and Astronomy

ECTS
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Method of grading
numerical grade

Only after succ. compl. of module(s)

Duration
1 semester

Module level
graduate

Other prerequisites
11-TQM, 11-KM2 , 11-FK2 (or 11-T3, 11-E5, 11-E7)

Contents
Experimental determination of the electronic structure of solids and surfaces: Band dispersion and band gaps, quasiparticles, electronic correlations, etc.

Intended learning outcomes
The students know the physical principles and experimental methods of surface spectroscopy. They are able to conduct, evaluate and interpret simple measurements. They have acquired advanced knowledge of a subdiscipline and are able to summarise their knowledge in an oral presentation.

Courses
Methods in Surface Spectroscopy: V (3 weekly contact hours), usually English, once a year (winter semester) Kompaktseminar (Block Taught Seminar) Applications of Surface Spectroscopy: S (2 weekly contact hours), German or English, details on availability to be announced (block taught seminar (3 days), usually held during semester break)

Method of assessment
This module has the following assessment components
1. Topics covered in lectures and exercises: written examination (approx. 90 minutes) or talk (approx. 30 minutes) or oral examination of one candidate each or oral examination in groups (approx. 30 minutes) or project report (approx. 8 pages)
2. Seminar: talk (approx. 30 to 45 minutes)

Assessment components 1 and 2 will be offered in German or English.
Students must register for assessment components 1 and 2 online (details to be announced).
Assessment component 1 will be offered once a year in the winter semester; details on when assessment component 2 will be offered to be announced.
To pass this module, students must pass both assessment component 1 and assessment component 2.

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) FOKUS Physics (2010)
Master’s degree (1 major) FOKUS Physics (2011)
Master’s degree (1 major) FOKUS Physics (2006)