**Module title**  
Modern Astrophysics

**Abbreviation**  
11-MAS-111-m01

**Module coordinator**  
Managing Director of the Institute of Theoretical Physics and Astrophysics

**Module offered by**  
Faculty of Physics and Astronomy

**ECTS**  
4

**Method of grading**  
numerical grade

**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**  
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**Duration**  
1 semester

**Module level**  
graduate

**Other prerequisites**  
Certain prerequisites must be met to qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the course. Registration for the course will be considered a declaration of will to seek admission to assessment. If students have obtained the qualification for admission to assessment over the course of the semester, the lecturer will put their registration for assessment into effect. Students who meet all prerequisites will be admitted to assessment in the current or in the subsequent semester. For assessment at a later date, students will have to obtain the qualification for admission to assessment anew.

**Contents**  
Introduction to a field of modern Astrophysics, e.g. extra-galactic jets.

**Intended learning outcomes**  
The students know the current state of research on the modern topic of Astrophysics. They know the physical values and are to plan and conduct observations in this area. This includes the ability to conceptualise a specific observational project and e.g. to apply for observation time at large telescopes.

**Courses**  
V + R (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

**Method of assessment**  
a) written examination (approx. 90 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each or oral examination in groups (approx. 30 minutes per candidate, for modules with less than 4 ECTS credits approx. 20 minutes) or c) project report (approx. 8 to 10 pages, time to complete: 1 to 4 weeks) or d) presentation/seminar presentation (approx. 30 minutes)

Assessment offered: When and how often assessment will be offered depends on the method of assessment and will be announced in due form under observance of Section 32 Subsection 3 ASPO (general academic and examination regulations) 2009.  
Language of assessment: German, English

**Allocation of places**  
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**Additional information**  
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**Referred to in LPO I**  
( examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)

**Module appears in**  
Master's degree (1 major) Physics (2010)  
Master’s degree (1 major) Physics (2011)  
Master's degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2012)  
Master's degree (1 major) FOKUS Physics (2010)  
Master's degree (1 major) FOKUS Physics (2011)
Master's degree (1 major) FOKUS Physics (2006)