

Module title		Abbreviation
Nanotechnology in Energy Research		11-NTE-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics		Faculty of Physics and Astronomy
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
6	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
Nanotechnology is of great significance for energy research. Energy efficiency can be heightened in numerous processes or applications by using special functional materials. This module covers special materials, surfaces and structures that have optimised properties due to effects of nanotechnology. It explains the underlying physical contexts. It uses specific materials and components as examples, such as thermal insulation materials, heat accumulators, functional nanoscale layer and particle systems with spectral selective properties, nanoporous vacuum insulations and electrode materials.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The students have specific and advanced knowledge of the application of nanotechnology in the field of energy research. They know methods of nanotechnology to influence the properties of materials and their applications. They are able to apply their knowledge to specific questions.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
V (3) + R (1) Module taught in: German or English		
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) written examination (approx. 90 to 120 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups (groups of 2, approx. 30 minutes per candidate) or d) project report (approx. 8 to 10 pages) or e) presentation/talk (approx. 30 minutes). If a written examination was chosen as method of assessment, this may be changed and assessment may instead take the form of an oral examination of one candidate each or an oral examination in groups. If the method of assessment is changed, the lecturer must inform students about this by four weeks prior to the original examination date at the latest. Language of assessment: German and/or English Assessment offered: Once a year, summer semester		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
180 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's degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2015)		

Bachelor's degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2020)
Bachelor's degree (1 major) Quantum Technology (2021)
Master's degree (1 major) Functional Materials (2022)
exchange program Physics (2023)
Master's degree (1 major) Functional Materials (2025)