**Module title**  
Seminar: International Economics  

**Abbreviation**  
12-IntÖk-FS-132-m01

**Module coordinator**  
holder of the Chair of International Macroeconomics

**Module offered by**  
Faculty of Business Management and Economics

**ECTS**  
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**Method of grading**  
numerical grade

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

**Module level**  
undergraduate

**Other prerequisites**  
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### Contents

Content:  
The course examines current topics in international economics (e.g. outsourcing, offshoring and multinational firms; competition of locations, jurisdictions and systems; globalisation and the environment; trade, multinational firms and labour markets; triumph of the city).

Reading:  
Recent articles from international journals and/or monographs.

### Intended learning outcomes

Drawing on current cutting-edge research, students are enabled to critically and independently analyze current research questions and to learn and apply research methods. The seminar style of the course teaches them to present their own seminar papers and research both in written and in oral form. Students are enabled to critically analyze and discuss the work of their peers.

### Courses

**(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)**  
S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

**Method of assessment**  
(type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

term paper (approx. 15 pages) and presentation (approx. 30 minutes), weighted 3:1  
Assessment offered: only when announced in the semester in which the courses are offered and in the subsequent semester

### Allocation of places

Number of places: 10. Should the number of applications exceed the number of available places, places will be allocated in a standardised procedure among all applicants irrespective of their subjects according to the following quotas: Quota 1 (50% of places): total number of ECTS credits already achieved in the respective degree subject; among applicants with the same number of ECTS credits achieved, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 2 (25% of places): number of subject semesters of the respective applicant; among applicants with the same number of subject semesters, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 3 (25% of places): allocation by lot. In this procedure, applicants who already have successfully completed at least one module component of the respective module will be given preferential consideration. Places on all courses of the module component with a restricted number of places will be allocated in the same procedure. A waiting list will be maintained and places re-allocated as they become available.

### Additional information

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**Referred to in LPO I**  
(enumeration regulations for teaching-degree programmes)

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**Module appears in**  
Bachelor’ degree (1 major) Business Management and Economics (2013)  
Bachelor’ degree (1 major) Business Information Systems (2014)  
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