Module title
Advanced Seminar: Economic Journalism

Abbreviation
12-M-SWJ-142-m01

Module coordinator
holder of the Professorship of Economic Journalism at the Chair of Monetary Policy and International Economics

Module offered by
Faculty of Business Management and Economics

ECTS
30

Method of grading
numerical grade

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

Module level
graduate

Other prerequisites
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Contents
Students will acquire an in-depth insight into the practical side of economics journalism. They must complete their placements at company or other institution at which they will have an opportunity to gain an in-depth knowledge of economics journalism. Students will be required to prepare a practical report on the placement module as well as to submit proof of regular attendance and participation. In addition, a certificate issued by the placement company is to be submitted.

Intended learning outcomes
The module strengthens practical competences and encourages work experiences. So it prepares for the career start in economics journalism.

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. 20 to 25 pages) and presentation (approx. 20 minutes), weighted 2:1
Language of assessment: German, English

Allocation of places
Number of places: maximum 20, up to 12 of which will be set aside for students of the Master’s degree subject Economics and up to 8 of which will be set aside for students of the Master’s degree subject Medienkommunikation (Media Communication). Should the number of applications exceed the number of available places, places will be allocated as follows: (1) Applicants will be ranked, in ascending order, according to the final grade of their first professional university degree in a related subject. (2) Places will be allocated according to this ranking. Among applicants with the same ranking, places will be allocated by lot. (3) A waiting list will be maintained and places re-allocated in accordance with numbers 1 and 2 as they become available. Should the number of places set aside for students of the Master’s degree subject Economics exceed the number of applications from students of this subject, the remaining places will be allocated to students of the Master’s degree subject Medienkommunikation (Media Communication). Should the number of places set aside for students of the Master’s degree subject Medienkommunikation (Media Communication) exceed the number of applications from students of this subject, the remaining places will be allocated to students of the Master’s degree subject Political and Social Studies. Should none or not all of these places be taken by students of the Master’s degree subject Political and Social Studies (after a procedure of allocation by lot), the remaining places will be allocated to students of the Master’s degree subject Economics. Places on modules 12-M-WJ1, 12-M-WJ2, 12-M-WJ3, 12-M-WJ4, 12-M-PS, 12-M-WPS and 12-M-SWJ will be allocated in a standardised procedure once a year at the beginning of the winter semester. Applicants who were allocated a place in this procedure are entitled to participate in all courses assigned to these modules and module components and to be admitted to the corresponding module component assessments (separate registration required).

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