

Module title		Abbreviation
Corporate Strategy		12-M-UGF2-182-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
Holder of the Chair of Entrepreneurship and Strategy		Faculty of Business Management and Economics
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
<p>This theory-led and application-oriented module provides you with critical knowledge and skills related to corporate strategy—essential for anyone aspiring to take on leadership roles in their future career, may it be in the private or public sector. The module goes beyond basic knowledge about strategic management provided by bachelor-level modules.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Developing strategies in pursuit of competitive advantage (2) Corporate diversification (3) Vertical integration and outsourcing (4) Mergers & acquisitions (5) Dynamic strategies (6) Cooperative strategies (7) Corporate spin-offs and spin-outs (8) Internationalization strategies (I) (9) Internationalization strategies (II) (10) Strategic change (11) Corporate strategies and new technologies (12) Corporate governance and corporate social responsibility (13) Corporate communication and crisis management (14) Wrap-up and Q&A 		
Intended learning outcomes		
<p><i>Educational aims</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clarify the role of corporate strategy • Explain theoretical concepts and mechanisms behind corporate strategy • Enable students to critically appraise alternative approaches to corporate strategy • Enable students to evaluate the boundaries and risks of corporate strategy <p><i>Learning outcomes</i></p> <p>On successful completion of this module students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assess the role of corporate strategy for creating and sustaining competitive advantage • Create and evaluate concepts related to corporate strategy • Make judgements about the organizational and managerial implications of corporate strategy 		

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Systematically choose between different routes of action
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language – if other than German)
V (2) + Ü (2) Module taught in: 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. 60 to 120 minutes) or b) term paper (15 to 20 pages) or c) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 10 to 15 minutes) or oral examination in groups (groups of 2 approx. 20 minutes, groups of 3 approx. 30 minutes) Language of assessment: English
Allocation of places
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Additional information
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Workload
150 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
Master's degree (1 major) Management (2018) Master's degree (1 major) International Economic Policy (2018) Master's degree (1 major) China Business and Economics (2019) Master's degree (1 major) China Language and Economy (2019) Master's degree (1 major) Information Systems (2019) Master's degree (1 major) China Business and Economics (2021) Master's degree (1 major) China Language and Economy (2021) Master's degree (1 major) Econometrics (2021) Master's degree (1 major) Information Systems (2022) Master's degree (1 major) International Economic Policy (2022) Master's degree (1 major) Management (2022) Master's degree (1 major) Econometrics (2022) exchange program Business Management and Economics (2022) Master's degree (1 major) Management International (2024) Master's degree (1 major) Management (2024) Master's degree (1 major) Information Systems (2024) Master's degree (1 major) International Economic Policy (2024) Master's degree (1 major) Econometrics (2024)