Module title

A comparison of Education Systems

Abbreviation

43-LA-BildsysEx-132-m01

Module coordinator

head of Professional School of Education (PSE)

Module offered by

Centre for Teacher Training and Educational Research (ZfL)

ECTS

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Method of grading

Only after succ. compl. of module(s)

(not) successfully completed

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Duration

1 semester

Module level

undergraduate

Other prerequisites

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Contents

The module functions as the preparation for the subsequent excursion to schools in different European countries. The course includes facts about the history, culture, society, and other aspects of the target culture. Furthermore, students will acquire knowledge about the structure of teacher training, schools and higher education systems of the respective country in order to compare them to the German educational system. Additionally, students are prepared in an intercultural way for the respective country. This will form the basis for the mutual exchange.

Intended learning outcomes

Students are able to reflect upon and discuss about similarities and differences of international educational systems in comparison with the German educational system. They can discuss different aspects of educational systems in respect to migration and intercultural learning. They recognize and can assess historic, social, cultural and political effects on educational systems.

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)

a) presentation (approx. 30 minutes) or b) term paper (approx. 10 pages) or c) portfolio (approx. 45 hours total)

Allocation of places

Number of places: 15. Places will be allocated according to the number of subject semesters. Among applicants with the same number of subject semesters, places will be allocated by lot. A waiting list will be maintained and places re-allocated by lot as they become available. Provided there is enough capacity, the same course will be offered several times in parallel as a mandatory elective. This means that the number of available places might increase to 20.

Additional information

The lecturer can decide to replace a seminar (S) with a field trip (E).

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

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Module appears in

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