Module Catalogue
for the Subject

German as a foreign language: cultural and intercultural studies
as a Master’s with 1 major
with the degree "Master of Arts"
(120 ECTS credits)

Examination regulations version: 2016
Responsible: Institute of German Studies
Responsible: Faculty of Arts, Historical, Philological, Cultural and Geographical Studies
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Content and Objectives of the Programme

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Abbreviations used

Course types: E = field trip, K = colloquium, O = conversatorium, P = placement/lab course, R = project, S = seminar, T = tutorial, Ü = exercise, V = lecture

Term: SS = summer semester, WS = winter semester

Methods of grading: NUM = numerical grade, B/NB = (not) successfully completed

Regulations: (L)ASPO = general academic and examination regulations (for teaching-degree programmes), FSB = subject-specific provisions, SFB = list of modules

Other: A = thesis, LV = course(s), PL = assessment(s), TN = participants, VL = prerequisite(s)

Conventions

Unless otherwise stated, courses and assessments will be held in German, assessments will be offered every semester and modules are not creditable for bonus.

Notes

Should there be the option to choose between several methods of assessment, the lecturer will agree with the module coordinator on the method of assessment to be used in the current semester by two weeks after the start of the course at the latest and will communicate this in the customary manner.

Should the module comprise more than one graded assessment, all assessments will be equally weighted, unless otherwise stated below.

Should the assessment comprise several individual assessments, successful completion of the module will require successful completion of all individual assessments.

In accordance with

the general regulations governing the degree subject described in this module catalogue:

ASPO2015

associated official publications (FSB (subject-specific provisions)/SFB (list of modules)):

10-Nov-2016 (2016-105)

This module handbook seeks to render, as accurately as possible, the data that is of statutory relevance according to the examination regulations of the degree subject. However, only the FSB (subject-specific provisions) and SFB (list of modules) in their officially published versions shall be legally binding. In the case of doubt, the provisions on, in particular, module assessments specified in the FSB/SFB shall prevail.
Compulsory Courses
(85 ECTS credits)
### Module title

**Compulsory Module German Linguistics in Theory and Practice**

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### Module coordinator

holder of the Chair of German Linguistics

### Module offered by

Institute of German Studies

### ECTS

| 5 |

### 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

The module provides students with basic knowledge of the sub-subject German linguistics: Basic principles of the language and linguistics, overview of linguistic disciplines, basic methods of structural analysis of language (theory of semiotics, phonology, phonetics, graphemics, morphology, word formation and linguistic semantics).

### Intended learning outcomes

Students have an overview of the discipline "German Linguistics" and of its individual sub-disciplines. They are able to describe and analyse linguistic units up to the word and syllables level confidently. Due to the module, students are familiar with the basic analysis and description techniques of Linguistics, which will be expanded and consolidated in the following modules.

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### Method of assessment

1. term paper (approx. 10 pages) or 2. written examination (approx. 75 minutes) or 3. oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 15 minutes)

### Allocation of places

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### Additional information

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### Referred to in LPO I

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Module title: Compulsory Module Aspects of German Syntax
Abbreviation: 04-GaF-ADS-162-m01

Module coordinator: holder of the Chair of German Linguistics
Module offered by: Institute of German Studies

ECTS: 5
Method of grading: numerical grade
Only after succ. compl. of module(s): --

Duration: 1 semester
Module level: graduate
Other prerequisites: --

Contents:
Structures of the linguistic system: Consolidation of the analysis and interpretation methods in the area of the structural analysis, particularly morphology, word formation and syntax; Structures and problems from areas like text linguistics, stylistics, pragmatics, sociolinguistics, dialogue and argumentation analysis will be illustrated by specific examples.

Intended learning outcomes:
Students are able to analyse modern texts syntactically; Moreover, they are acquainted with respective research literature.

Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German):
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Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus):
1. term paper (approx. 10 pages) or 2. written examination (approx. 75 minutes) or 3. oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 15 minutes)

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**Duration**

1 semester

**Module level**

graduate

**Other prerequisites**

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### Contents

The seminar provides students with fundamental and advanced knowledge in particular sub-areas of linguistics. This theoretical knowledge will be applied to analysis and description of specific linguistic expressions in order to practise and consolidate the acquired knowledge.

### Intended learning outcomes

Students possess the ability to analyse more complex linguistic units on the basis of the acquired knowledge and are familiar with respective specialised literature of the corresponding subarea.

### Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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

1. written examination (approx. 75 minutes) or 2. term paper (approx. 15 pages) or 3. oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 15 minutes)

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The seminar focuses on data collection and analysis. Depending on the topic, the module will cover skills in description, analysis and presentation methods, e.g. statistical evaluation of questionnaires and corpus results, transcription and annotation of the spoken language or the systemic comparison of linguistic specialised literature.

### Intended learning outcomes

Adhering to the principles of good scholarly practice, students can independently collect authentic linguistic data from different sources and describe, analyse and present these data in detail.

### Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

S (2)

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

1. written examination (approx. 75 minutes) or 2. term paper (approx. 15 pages) or 3. oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 15 minutes)

### Allocation of places

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### Additional information

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Module title | Abbreviation
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Compulsory Module Introduction into Foreign Language Didactics | 04-GaF-GDaF-162-m01

**Module coordinator**

holder of the Chair of German Linguistics

**Module offered by**

Institute of German Studies

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**Duration** | **Module level** | **Other prerequisites**
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1 semester | graduate | --

### Contents

Fundamental theories of learning, range of subjects, ideas, approaches and methods of the course GFL; Basal prerequisites of learners, processes and tasks during the course GFL; Influencing factors of foreign language acquisition.

### Intended learning outcomes

Students develop a fundamental understanding of challenges that pose the course "German as a Foreign Language" to tutors and students. Next to methodological and educational principles, which also comprises the development of the discipline, students develop the knowledge of particular difficulties that pose the German language to foreign language learners. Based on this, students will learn about the foreign language educational options for action, which build on fundamental educational and methodological principles, and which can contribute to the accomplishment of particular difficulties.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

S (2)

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

1. written examination (approx. 75 minutes) or 2. term paper (approx. 15 pages) or 3. oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 15 minutes)

**Allocation of places**

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Basic range of subjects, ideas, approaches and methods of language, literature and media courses and the respective sub-subject didactics as well as their concretisation in terms of specific tasks concerning the educational institution school; Acquisition and advanced structures of oral and written language acquisition as well as language and reading socialisation and parameters of their influence; Domain-specific aspects of mediation in the light of a teaching goal/learning objective or competence-based subject teaching; Implementation of basics into categories of a lesson sequence that are relevant for planning. The work with and on academical texts in view of the interculturality; Text structure, structural analysis, structural exercises, citation method, style and writing methods; Sensitisation for culture-specific differences.

**Intended learning outcomes**

In the field of teaching methodology, students acquire fundamental knowledge of subject-specific teaching-learning processes in the didactic sub-discipline (language, literature and media didactics). During the seminar and on the basis of associated reading matter, students will be familiar with current problem areas and tasks, which are necessary for professional skills in order to plan, implement and reflect an own lesson, of a contemporary German classes. In doing so and in terms of increasing self-competence, the students develop a basic understanding of a theory-driven, practice-oriented, subject related and in pedagogical contexts involved instructional dealing. From the acquired professional skills, students develop during the school like specific tutorial, specific and class-related criteria and planning parameters. Hence, they consolidate the technical knowledge in reference to specific extracts of professional dealing in class. Moreover, they expand their self-competences in terms of planning, presenting and evaluating lesson sequences, according to collectively developed criteria. In doing so, they also expand their methodically action repertoire both concerning the communication and interaction forms and concerning practical teaching field of action. Students are capable to cover academic texts appropriately and correctly and to apply their own experiences and knowledge to the own text production. They possess intercultural competence in relevant speaking situations.

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**Method of assessment**

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written examination (approx. 75 minutes)

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Processes and tasks of advanced learners when learning GFL; Teaching aspects of a competence-oriented foreign language teaching regarding individual language-specific learning tasks; Influence of media on the processes of language learning; Use of media during foreign language teaching.

**Intended learning outcomes**

Based on the skills of the module "Introduction to Foreign Language Education", students consolidate their expertise. In particular, they focus on the learning processes of advanced learners of "German as a Foreign Language" and develop the necessary skills in order to evaluate the existing educational materials as well as to independently concipate education offers that are adjusted to the learning processes. Thus, the main focus lies on the processing and scholarly suggestion of grammatical learning tasks.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

S (2)

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

1. term paper (approx. 15 pages) or 2. written examination (approx. 60 minutes) or 3. oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 15 minutes)

**Allocation of places**

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**Additional information**

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### Module title
**Compulsory Module German Literature and Culture I**

### Abbreviation
04-Gaf-DLK-1-162-m01

### Module coordinator
holder of the Chair of Modern German Literature and holder of the Chair of Modern German Literary and Intellectual History

### Module offered by
Institute of German Studies

### ECTS
5

### 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
The module gives a broad overview of epochs, authors and literary forms of modern German history of literature. The lecture is part of a cycle, which also comprises the lecture of the module German literature and culture II. Authors, texts and contexts of crucial significance in literary history will be covered.

### Intended learning outcomes
Students possess consolidated knowledge of important epochs, authors and issues concerning the history of German literature as well as humanistic and cultural-scientific contexts and they are also able to deal with complex texts and phenomena in a methodically adequate way.

### Courses
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### Method of assessment
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- **written examination** (approx. 60 minutes)

### Allocation of places
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### Additional information
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### Referred to in LPO I
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### Module title
Compulsory Module German Literature and Culture II

| Abbreviation | 04-GaF-DLK-2-162-m01 |

### Module coordinator
holder of the Chair of Modern German Literature and holder of the Chair of Modern German Literary and Intellectual History

### Module offered by
Institute of German Studies

### ECTS
5

### 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
The module gives a broad overview of epochs, authors and literary forms of modern German history of literature. The lecture is part of a cycle, which also comprises the lecture of the module German literature and culture I. Authors, texts and contexts of crucial significance in literary history will be covered.

### Intended learning outcomes
Students possess consolidated knowledge of important epochs, authors and issues concerning the history of German literature as well as humanistic and cultural-scientific contexts and they are also able to deal with complex texts and phenomena in a methodically adequate way.

### Courses
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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### Method of assessment
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written examination (approx. 60 minutes)

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The course aims to provide students with the advanced and academic dealing with literature on the basis of classical texts of modern German history of literature. Moreover, the seminar provides students with basic principles of research methods and the research process and promotes the independent dealing with academic questions in oral or written form.

**Intended learning outcomes**

Students dispose over advanced knowledge of exceptional works of German Literary History as well as over the corresponding humanistic and cultural contexts. Additionally, they are able to cover complex texts and phenomena methodologically and appropriately. Furthermore, students are acquainted with basic techniques of academic work and the oral as well as written presentation of working result.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

S (2)

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

1. term paper (approx. 15 pages) or 2. written examination (approx. 60 minutes)

**Allocation of places**

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**Additional information**

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Module title | Abbreviation
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Compulsory Module Everyday Cultures | 04-EEVK-GaF-162-m01

Module coordinator | Module offered by
holder of the Chair of European Ethnology | Chair of European Ethnology

ECTS | Method of grading | Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
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5 | numerical grade | --

Duration | Module level | Other prerequisites
1 semester | undergraduate | --

Contents
This module’s aim is to give a fundamental insight into everyday and popular cultures from a cultural point of view. European Ethnology / Cultural Anthropology is a cultural and social science which works historically, empirically and comparatively. It is concerned with everyday life, culture and the lifestyle of broad sections of the population in Europe from medieval times to present age. In contrast to other human or social sciences, European Ethnology / Cultural Anthropology is an interdisciplinary science that looks at specific instances and tries to approach the human being as a cultural being: In an interdisciplinary way European Ethnology / Cultural Anthropology tries to explain why everyday, quite natural, occurrences manifest themselves in certain cultural varieties.

Intended learning outcomes
In this module, students will acquire the following skills: Fundamental knowledge of scientific working methods; Basic knowledge of folkloric and ethnological cultural analysis; Advanced knowledge of a generic working field from the area of cultural analysis or Ethnography based on generic everyday and popular cultures from the past and present age; Dealing autonomously with cultural phenomena and processes based on typical examples.

Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
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Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)
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The module gives an overview of basic knowledge concerning Europe's history and particularly concerning Germany's history, illustrated by specific examples. In the related courses, important issues of German and European history as well as their most important sources will be covered.

### Intended learning outcomes

Students get an overview of central developments of the European and German history and thus, consolidate their basic knowledge of one or more temporal or thematic areas against the background of different aspects like politics, economy, culture, ideas and mentalities. They are able to classify this/these area/areas in a general historical context and to show interdependencies. They also expand their reference frame to non-European aspects. Moreover, they are able to choose appropriate tools and methods and to use them properly. Students have the ability to critically analyse as well as interpret sources and research literature and are able to present their evaluations suitably.

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Students at universities in Germany must be able to deliver presentations on topics in their disciplines without simply reading out a prepared text. This course teaches students how to deliver presentations to groups and gives them the opportunity to practise their presentation skills. Students also learn how to structure information, prepare handouts, use appropriate visual aids and write cue cards.

**Intended learning outcomes**

Participants have practised the communication skills that are essential for university students and developed confidence and fluency in communicating in an academic setting.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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### Duration
- 1 semester  
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### Contents
This module equips students with sound communication skills specific to the discipline of German language and literature. Students analyse literary and academic texts and write and revise their own academic texts.

### Intended learning outcomes
Students will be able to understand academic texts and produce appropriate writing on them. They will have developed sound communication skills (written and oral) specific to the discipline of German language and literature.

### Courses
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Cultural contexts in Germany; historical contexts; fundamental social and cultural information concerning education, art and music, literature, politics, media, regional customs in Germany.

### Intended learning outcomes

Students deal critically with cultural and regional factors in Germany. Thus, they identify correlations, which exist between historical, cultural, social and linguistic developments, with the help of generic examples and develop skills in order to reflect intercultural similarities and differences.

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**Contents**
Information literacy in an academic context. Students will develop the ability to determine what information they need, identify relevant discipline-specific resources, use complex search strategies, evaluate and manage the information obtained, e.g. using reference management software, and use the information obtained responsibly and legally, adhering to the principles of good academic practice.

**Intended learning outcomes**
Students are able to determine what information they need and know what information is needed for what purpose. They have developed the skills needed to find and manage information that is relevant to the topics of their papers. They are familiar with a wide range of both discipline-specific and multidisciplinary electronic resources (e.g. bibliographic databases) and are able to identify resources that are relevant to a particular topic as well as to locate relevant information in these resources. Students are able to evaluate and access the information resources they have found. They are able to use reference management software. Students have developed a nuanced understanding of the legal framework surrounding academic writing and research and are familiar with the publishing and information practices in their discipline as well as with the possibilities offered by electronic publishing.

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**Method of assessment**
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presentation (approx. 30 minutes) with written elaboration (approx. 2 pages)

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**Duration**
1 semester  

**Module level**
graduate  

**Other prerequisites**
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**Contents**
Basic principles of the sub-subject intercultural communication; Knowledge and use of communication theory models; social action patterns; Socially relevant identity constructions in their functionality for the analysis of intercultural communication.

**Intended learning outcomes**
Students are familiar with the terminological principles, the central perspectives as well as fundamental literature of communication theories and are able to refer these skills in first approaches on an intercultural perspective. They increase their oral and written skills concerning the production and reception. They are also able to identify specific communication conditions and problems from an intercultural perspective. If required, they are able to think about optimisation possibilities concerning the cultural exchange and intercultural cooperation and initiate theoretically established and practically sensitised improvement strategies.

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Compulsory Electives
(5 ECTS credits)
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Elective Module Theories of Teaching and Learning | 06-Psy-GaF-TLL-162-m01

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holder of the Professorship of Educational Psychology | Institute of Psychology

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Duration | Module level | Other prerequisites
1 semester | graduate | --

Contents
Basic learning processes (theories and principles of human learning including cognitive learning processes); memory, knowledge acquisition (models of memory and requirements of memorising and knowledge building); thinking, problem solving (thinking processes and their principles, also during problem solving); instruction, quality of classes (specific measures and requirements of improving classes) / social interaction and communication (teacher-student and student-student interaction, intercultural learning); social structures and processes in small groups (school class, work group, teaching staff, family); social attitudes, social cognition and subjective theories in teachers and students as well as their modification; social conflicts and their resolution.

Intended learning outcomes
Advanced methodological knowledge gives the students a better understanding of psychological literature. Knowledge of Psychology of Learning, Memory, Thinking and Knowledge facilitates better teaching on the one hand and efficient help for better learning on the other hand. Advanced knowledge of Social Psychology improves the students understanding for pupils and their dependency on group, family and society; therefore, the students have the knowledge necessary for controlling social phenomena in class and for promoting a supportive social atmosphere in class.

Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
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Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)
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Independently, students will organise a vocational-orientated work experience in an institution with the same cultural orientation and/or foreign language teaching institution or with a range of tasks, which corresponds to the competences of an advanced German philologist, with the focus on German studies as German philology (e.g. (course book) publisher, library, language school, translation agency, museum, theatre, culture and/or education administration and others).

**Intended learning outcomes**

Students are acquainted with the requirements of a cultural-academic and/or foreign language educational vocational field or field of activity. They dispose over practical experiences in everyday working life and are able to compare these experiences with the own ones in a reflective way.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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

report on practical course (5 to 10 pages)

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

oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 40 minutes)

**Allocation of places**
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