

Module Catalogue

for the Subject

Egyptology

as a minor in a Bachelor's degree programme

(60 ECTS credits)

Examination regulations version: 2015

Responsible: Faculty of Arts, Historical, Philological, Cultural and Geographical
Studies

Responsible: Institute of Ancient Cultures

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Learning Outcomes

German contents and learning outcome available but not translated yet.

Wissenschaftliche Befähigung

Das primäre Berufsfeld, auf das der Studiengang zielt, ist das des Ägyptologen bzw. der Ägyptologin in Forschungseinrichtungen, in Bibliotheken, in Archiven, Wissenschaftsverlagen und im Museumswesen. In diesem Sinne legt der Bachelor die Grundlagen für den Master, der dann für die fachwissenschaftliche Tätigkeit weiterqualifiziert. Aus diesem Grunde ist die Mehrzahl der Module in den einzelnen Fachdisziplinen auf die Schärfung der kognitiven Kompetenzen und die Vermittlung von dezidiertem Fachwissen ausgerichtet, um hier die notwendigen Grundlagen zu schaffen.

Der Bachelor gewährleistet damit die Wahrung des wissenschaftlichen Anspruchs insoweit, als durch den Studiengang die wissenschaftlichen Voraussetzungen für die Aufnahme eines Masterstudiums in vollem Umfang erfüllt werden.

In diesem Sinne baut der Master auf den Grundlagen auf, die im Bachelor-Studiengang gelegt wurden, und qualifiziert dann für die wissenschaftliche Tätigkeit weiter. Der Master gewährleistet damit die Wahrung des wissenschaftlichen Anspruchs insoweit, als durch den Studiengang die wissenschaftlichen Voraussetzungen für die Aufnahme eines Promotionsstudiums in vollem Umfang erfüllt werden.

Befähigung zur Aufnahme einer qualifizierten Erwerbstätigkeit

Die Berufsfeldorientierung des Studienganges besteht in der Berücksichtigung der primären Ansprüche seitens der hauptsächlichlichen Arbeit gebenden Institutionen. Dabei gehören fachliche Breite der Ausbildung, Persönlichkeit des Bewerbers und erworbene praktische Erfahrungen zu den wichtigsten erwarteten Merkmalen.

Dem Kernpunkt der Reformen an deutschen Hochschulen entsprechend, sind damit die Studiengänge Ägyptologie vor allem am Studienergebnis orientiert und mit Blick auf die Anforderungen des Arbeitsmarktes entwickelt worden, obwohl auch hier, wie für viele andere geisteswissenschaftliche Studiengänge kein fest umrissenes Berufsbild im Sinne einer Exklusivqualifikation vorliegt. Deshalb sind die Studiengänge Ägyptologie einerseits ganz auf die methodischen und fachlichen Bedürfnisse des Arbeitsmarktes ausgerichtet, andererseits werden Absolvent/innen aber auch für Tätigkeiten außerhalb der wissenschaftlichen Berufsfelder vorbereitet, wie etwa Verlagswesen, Bibliothekswesen, Kulturmanagement, Medien, Touristik, Museologie, PR, Diplomatie. Die inhaltliche Breite der Studiengänge, mit dem umfangreichen Corpus erwerbbarer fachlicher und überfachlicher Kompetenzen, ermöglicht dem qualifizierten Absolventen/ der qualifizierten Absolventin, auch eine Vielfalt an Berufsfeldern außerhalb der hauptsächlichlichen Arbeit gebenden Institutionen auszuschöpfen.

Die Beteiligung von Vertreter/innen der Berufspraxis an der weiteren Optimierung des Studienganges zur Förderung der fachlichen und außerfachlichen Beschäftigungsbefähigung ist vorgesehen. Diese kann zu dem Zeitpunkt einsetzen, zu dem Absolvent/innen der Studiengänge den fachlichen oder außerfachlichen Berufseinstieg vollzogen haben und hinreichende Erfahrungswerte bzw. Beurteilungen von den Arbeit gebenden fachlichen oder außerfachlichen Institutionen an die Universität Würzburg übermittelt werden können.

Absolvent/innen haben im Anschluss ein MA-Studium in Würzburg und Berlin bzw. ein Promotionsstudium in Würzburg und Marburg aufgenommen.

Befähigung zum zivilgesellschaftlichen Engagement

Historisches Wissen ist stets auch Wissen um die Herkunft der Gegenwart. Gerade die in den Studiengängen Ägyptologie vermittelten und erarbeiteten Kenntnisse über Ursprung und Entwicklung einer der ältesten Hochkulturen der Menschheit und deren kulturhistorischer Zusammenhänge befähigen in hohem Maße zur fundiert-sachlichen Teilnahme am zivilgesellschaftlichen Diskurs bis hin zur Politik und Willensbildung.

Persönlichkeitsentwicklung

Die Persönlichkeitsentwicklung der Studierenden vollzieht sich nach den Erfahrungen aus der langjährigen Praxis in drei wesentlichen Reifeprozessen, die die Studienanfänger während ihres Grundstudiums in der Regel durchlaufen:

- Entwicklung der Diskussionsbereitschaft und -befähigung, auch beim Arbeiten im Kollektiv,
- Entwicklung der Bereitschaft und Befähigung zum selbstständigen und selbstverantwortlichen Lernen und Arbeiten,
- Entwicklung der Befähigung, die Bearbeitung von zur Aufgabe gestellten Thematiken stofflich, zeitlich und didaktisch zu strukturieren und Zusammenhänge zu erkennen.

Durch die sechs- bzw. viersemestrige Regelstudienzeit des Bachelor- bzw. des Masterstudiums und die Notwendigkeit der Selbstorganisation in Abstimmung auf die stringente Strukturierung des Studienganges ist zu erwarten, dass die angeführten Reifeprozesse intensiviert durchlaufen werden und mit dem Studiengangabschluss eine nachhaltige Festigung der Persönlichkeit von Studierenden erreicht wird. Die Befähigung und Bereitschaft zu qualifizierter Diskussion, zu selbstständigem, verantwortungsbewusstem und strukturiertem Handeln und Arbeiten sowie das Denken in Zusammenhängen bilden unabdingbare Schlüsselvoraussetzungen für die Befähigung zur bürgerlichen Teilhabe im Sinne der Übernahme von beruflicher wie persönlicher Verantwortung in der Gesellschaft.

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)):

28-Sep-2015 (2015-157)

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

(40 ECTS credits)

Module title			Abbreviation
Introduction to the Egyptian Script and Language 1			04-ÄG-EÄSS-1-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by	
holder of the Chair of Egyptology		Chair of Egyptology	
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)	
5	numerical grade	--	
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites	
1 semester	undergraduate	--	
Contents			
This module is essential for the entire course of studies in Egyptology and being able to understand its contents; is a prerequisite for success in one's studies. Students will be provided with knowledge of the hieroglyphs, methods of transliteration and the most important sentence types; Additionally, the non-verbal clauses (nominal, adjectival, adverbial clause) will especially be covered.			
Intended learning outcomes			
Students gain first insight into Egyptian grammar and the basic vocabulary of the Middle Egyptian language. They are able to read simple hieroglyphic texts in the original Egyptian language by using basic resources.			
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)			
Ü (2) + T (1) Module taught in: German and/or 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)			
written examination (approx. 60 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or 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			
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Egyptology (Minor, 2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Egyptology (2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Pre- and Protohistoric Archaeology (2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Pre- and Protohistoric Archaeology (Minor, 2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2015) Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Egyptology (2015) Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Pre- and Protohistoric Archaeology (2015) Master's degree (2 majors) Greek Philology (2016) Master's degree (1 major) Comparative Indo-European Linguistics (2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Museology and material culture (2022) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2022) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2024)			
minor in a Bachelor's degree programme Egyptology (2015)		JMU Würzburg • generated 18-Apr-2025 • exam. reg. data record Bachelor (60 ECTS) Ägyptologie - 2015	
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Master's degree (2 majors) Greek Philology (2024)

Module title			Abbreviation
Introduction to the Egyptian Script and Language 2			o4-ÄG-EÄSS-2-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by	
holder of the Chair of Egyptology		Chair of Egyptology	
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)	
5	numerical grade	o4-ÄG-EÄSS-1	
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites	
1 semester	undergraduate	--	
Contents			
In this module, students continue to learn the Middle Egyptian language. Verb forms will be covered in detail (esp. different aspects of the suffix conjugation), in order to finally have their first experiences reading easier Egyptian texts.			
Intended learning outcomes			
Students gain first insight into Egyptian grammar and the basic vocabulary of the Middle Egyptian language. They are able to read simple hieroglyphic texts in the original Egyptian language by using basic resources.			
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)			
Ü (2) + T (1) Module taught in: German and/or 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)			
written examination (approx. 60 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or 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			
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Egyptology (Minor, 2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Egyptology (2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Pre- and Protohistoric Archaeology (2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2015) Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Egyptology (2015) Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Pre- and Protohistoric Archaeology (2015) Master's degree (2 majors) Greek Philology (2016) Master's degree (1 major) Comparative Indo-European Linguistics (2015) Module studies (Bachelor) Orientierungsstudien (2020) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Museology and material culture (2022) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2022) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2024) Master's degree (2 majors) Greek Philology (2024)			
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Module title		Abbreviation
Cultural History of Egypt 1		04-ÄG-KÄ-1-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Egyptology		Chair of Egyptology
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	--
Contents		
In the course, specific monumental skills will be acquired. The contents can be architecture-historical, cultural-topographical or archaeological contents, which will cover generic, characteristic and representative issues of the Egyptian cultural history in detail. Basic overview of the Egyptian sites or collections and exhibits that will be visited.		
Intended learning outcomes		
Students have basic knowledge of cultural history and heritage science of Egyptology.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or 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)		
presentation (approx. 45 minutes) with position paper (2 to 3 pages) and term paper (approx. 5,000 words) Language of assessment: German and/or 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		
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Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2022)
 Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2024)
 Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Greek Philology (2024)
 Bachelor's degree (1 major) Classics (2024)

Module title			Abbreviation
Egyptian Art, Artefacts and Monuments 1			04-ÄG-KDÄ-1-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by	
holder of the Chair of Egyptology		Chair of Egyptology	
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)	
5	numerical grade	--	
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites	
1 semester	undergraduate	--	
Contents			
In the module, knowledge of Egyptian cultural history and ancient monuments is provided. Typical problems in the discipline of Egyptian art history, whether they be in architecture, statuary, reliefs or painting, are covered. Questions of iconography are also discussed. Previous knowledge of the Egyptian language is not mandatory, but desired. The module can also include an excursion to an Egyptian collection or to Egypt.			
Intended learning outcomes			
Students have an overview of facts, research issues and technical literature concerning Egyptian art history. They have knowledge of the anicent monuments and are able to critically regard the specialised literature. They are fa miliar with the stylised development of Egyptian art in its fundamental principles. They are able to correctly inter-pret the most important iconographic features of Egyptian art			
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)			
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or 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)			
presentation (approx. 45 minutes) with position paper (2 to 3 pages) and term paper (approx. 5,000 words) Language of assessment: German and/or 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			
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Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Classical Archaeology (2018)
 Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Museology and material culture (2022)
 Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2022)
 Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2024)

Module title			Abbreviation
Cultural History of Egypt 2			04-ÄG-KÄ-2-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by	
holder of the Chair of Egyptology		Chair of Egyptology	
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)	
5	numerical grade	--	
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites	
1 semester	undergraduate	--	
Contents			
The course continues what the module 04-ÄG-KÄ-1 started and consolidates the specific knowledge of ancient Egyptian monuments through the discussion of architectural and historical, cultural-topographical or archaeological issues. Gernerall, characteristic and representative issues will be covered in detail.			
Intended learning outcomes			
Students have acquired detailed knowledge of the cultural history and ancient monuments of Egypt.			
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)			
S (2)/E Module taught in: German and/or 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)			
presentation (approx. 45 minutes) with position paper (2 to 3 pages) and term paper (approx. 5,000 words) Language of assessment: German and/or 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			
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minor in a Bachelor's degree programme Egyptology (2015)		JMU Würzburg • generated 18-Apr-2025 • exam. reg. data record Bachelor (60 ECTS) Ägyptologie - 2015	
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Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2024)
Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Greek Philology (2024)
Bachelor's degree (1 major) Classics (2024)

Module title			Abbreviation
Egyptian Art, Artefacts and Monuments 2			04-ÄG-KDÄ-2-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by	
holder of the Chair of Egyptology		Chair of Egyptology	
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)	
5	numerical grade	--	
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites	
1 semester	undergraduate	--	
Contents			
In the module, knowledge of Egyptian cultural history and ancient monuments is provided by means of specifically chosen groups of monuments. Typical problems in the discipline of Egyptian art history, whether they be in architecture, statuary, reliefs or painting, are covered. Questions of iconography are also discussed. Previous knowledge of the Egyptian language is not mandatory, but desired. The module can also include an excursion to an Egyptian collection or to Egypt.			
Intended learning outcomes			
Students have an overview of facts, research issues and technical literature concerning Egyptian art history. They have knowledge of the ancient monuments and are able to critically regard the specialised literature. They are familiar with the stylised development of Egyptian art in its fundamental principles. They are able to correctly interpret the most important iconographic features of Egyptian art.			
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)			
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or 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)			
presentation (approx. 45 minutes) with position paper (2 to 3 pages) and term paper (approx. 5,000 words) Language of assessment: German and/or 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			
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minor in a Bachelor's degree programme Egyptology (2015)		JMU Würzburg • generated 18-Apr-2025 • exam. reg. data record Bachelor (60 ECTS) Ägyptologie - 2015	
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Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Classical Archaeology (2018)
 Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Museology and material culture (2022)
 Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2022)
 Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2024)

Module title			Abbreviation
Reading Middle Egyptian Texts			o4-ÄG-MaegL-152-mo1
Module coordinator		Module offered by	
holder of the Chair of Egyptology		Chair of Egyptology	
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)	
5	numerical grade	o4-ÄG-EÄSS-1 and o4-ÄG-EÄSS-2	
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites	
1 semester	undergraduate	--	
Contents			
The knowledge gained in courses o4-EäSS 1 and 2 is tested and expanded upon through the reading of original Egyptian sources. Therefore, the aforementioned courses are a requirement for attending this reading course.			
Intended learning outcomes			
The ability to approach Middle Egyptian texts in a philologically correct and confident manner.			
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)			
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or 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)			
written examination (approx. 60 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or 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			
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Egyptology (Minor, 2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Egyptology (2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2015) Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Egyptology (2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2022) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2024)			

Module title			Abbreviation
Hieratic			o4-ÄG-Hier-152-mo1
Module coordinator		Module offered by	
holder of the Chair of Egyptology		Chair of Egyptology	
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)	
5	numerical grade	o4-ÄG-EÄSS-1 and o4-ÄG-EÄSS-2	
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites	
1 semester	undergraduate	--	
Contents			
Basic introduction to Hieratic through reading passages from selected literary and/or administrative texts of different genres from the Middle Kingdom and the New Kingdom. Basic knowledge of the Middle Egyptian language, as provided in the modules o4-ÄG-EäSS 1 and o4-ÄG-EäSS 2, is a prerequisite for this module.			
Intended learning outcomes			
Students are able to decipher and read simple Hieratic texts.			
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)			
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or 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)			
written examination (approx. 60 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or English			
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Focus

(20 ECTS credits)

Focus 1 (Main Subject excluding Ancient World)

(20 ECTS credits)

20 ECTS credits in combination with BA 120 other than Alte Welt (Ancient World)

Module title			Abbreviation
Egyptian Religion 1			04-ÄG-ÄR-1-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by	
holder of the Chair of Egyptology		Chair of Egyptology	
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)	
5	numerical grade	--	
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites	
1 semester	undergraduate	--	
Contents			
Introduction to sources of Egyptian religious history. Depending on the previous knowledge of the seminar participants, the sources will be read in the original Egyptian language, however, it is not expected for students to be acquainted with the Egyptian language. As religion affects numerous areas of Egyptian culture, the module imparts a basic introduction to the way of thinking of the ancient Egyptians.			
Intended learning outcomes			
Familiarity with the basics of ancient Egyptian religious thought.			
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)			
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or 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)			
presentation (approx. 45 minutes) with position paper (2 to 3 pages) and term paper (approx. 5,000 words) Language of assessment: German and/or 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			
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Egyptology (Minor, 2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Egyptology (2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Pre- and Protohistoric Archaeology (2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Pre- and Protohistoric Archaeology (Minor, 2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2015) Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Egyptology (2015) Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Pre- and Protohistoric Archaeology (2015) Module studies (Bachelor) Egyptology (2022) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2022) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2024)			

Module title		Abbreviation
Reading Egyptian Texts		04-ÄG-ÄL-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Egyptology		Chair of Egyptology
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	--
Contents		
No translation of content available.		
Intended learning outcomes		
No translation of intended learning outcomes available.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or 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)		
written examination (approx. 60 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or 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		
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Egyptology (Minor, 2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2022) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2024)		

Module title			Abbreviation
Egyptological Basics 1			04-AW-GzÄG1-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by	
holder of the Chair of Egyptology		Chair of Egyptology	
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)	
5	numerical grade	--	
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites	
1 semester	undergraduate	--	
Contents			
The module consists of two lectures: (1) Introduction to Ancient Egyptian History and (2) Central Sites of Ancient Egypt. (1) The lecture's content focuses on the current state of research, the Egyptian conception of history, royal ideology and Ma'at, the problematic nature of Egyptian sources and the importance of source criticism, the different eras of Egyptian history and the most important events of Egyptian history. (2) The lecture focuses on issues in archaeology and historical topography with examples from important sites from ancient Egypt.			
Intended learning outcomes			
1. Familiarity with the resources provided in the courses, in other words, familiarity with essential facts of ancient Egyptian cultural history and understanding how to methodically treat archaeological and philological problems. 2. Familiarity with the most important technical literature and the general research tendencies in the specific areas.			
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)			
V (1) + V (1) Module taught in: German and/or 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)			
written examination (approx. 60 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or 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			
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Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Greek Philology (2015)
 Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (Minor, 2016)
 Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (Minor, 2022)
 Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2022)
 Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (2024)
 Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Ancient World (Minor, 2024)
 Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Greek Philology (2024)
 Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Latin Philology (2024)

Module title			Abbreviation
Egyptological Basics 2			04-AW-GzÄG2-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by	
holder of the Chair of Egyptology		Chair of Egyptology	
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)	
5	numerical grade	--	
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites	
1 semester	undergraduate	--	
Contents			
Not only will students get an overview of script systems, languages and Egyptian literary history, but they will also become familiar with current research issues of the faculty.			
Intended learning outcomes			
The students have a base knowledge of Egyptian language and culture.			
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)			
V (1) + V (1) Module taught in: German and/or 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)			
written examination (approx. 60 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or 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			
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Focus 2 (Main Subject Ancient World)

(20 ECTS credits)

20 ECTS credits in combination with BA 120 Alte Welt (Ancient World)

Module title			Abbreviation
Demotic			o4-ÄG-Dem-152-mo1
Module coordinator		Module offered by	
holder of the Chair of Egyptology		Chair of Egyptology	
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)	
5	numerical grade	--	
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites	
1 semester	undergraduate	--	
Contents			
Introduction to the grammar of the Egyptian Demotic language and to the Demotic script. Previous knowledge of other Egyptian languages (particular Middle Egyptian and Coptic) are helpful, although not required. At the end of the semester, a 60-minute written exam will take place.			
Intended learning outcomes			
Students are familiar with the most important elements of the Demotic language and have their first experiences with the Demotic script. They know the necessary resources to assist them in independently expanding their abilities when dealing with Demotic texts.			
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)			
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or 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)			
written examination (approx. 60 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or 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			
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Module title			Abbreviation
Coptic 1			o4-ÄG-Kop-1-152-mo1
Module coordinator		Module offered by	
holder of the Chair of Egyptology		Chair of Egyptology	
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)	
5	numerical grade	--	
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites	
1 semester	undergraduate	--	
Contents			
Introduction to the grammar of the Coptic language (Sahidic dialect). Knowledge of ancient Greek, because of the numerous Greek loan words and the Greek script (in which Coptic was written), and basic knowledge of the Middle Egyptian language that students have covered in the modules o4-ÄG-EäSS 1 und o4-ÄG-EäSS 2, would be helpful, but are not required. Thus, participation is already possible in the second semester.			
Intended learning outcomes			
Students have a basic knowledge of the Coptic language.			
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)			
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or 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)			
written examination (approx. 60 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or English			
Allocation of places			
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Additional information			
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Workload			
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Teaching cycle			
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)			
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Module appears in			
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Module title			Abbreviation
Coptic 2			o4-ÄG-Kop-2-152-mo1
Module coordinator		Module offered by	
holder of the Chair of Egyptology		Chair of Egyptology	
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)	
5	numerical grade	o4-ÄG-Kop-1	
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites	
1 semester	undergraduate	--	
Contents			
The module completes the introduction starting in module o4-ÄG-Kop-1 and requires that the student has completed the above-mentioned module. Furthermore, the first reading experiences with original texts will be made.			
Intended learning outcomes			
Students are able to independently read and translate Coptic texts with the help of relevant resources.			
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)			
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or 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)			
written examination (approx. 60 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or 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			
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Module title		Abbreviation
Egyptological Colloquium		04-ÄG-ÄK-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Egyptology		Chair of Egyptology
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	--
Contents		
Fundamental issues of the B.A. studies of Egyptology will be covered.		
Intended learning outcomes		
Ability to cohesively and logically present Egyptological topics.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
K (o) Module taught in: German and/or 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)		
oral examination (approx. 60 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or 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		
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