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Module Catalogue

for the Subject

Biology

as a minor in a Bachelor's degree programme

(60 ECTS credits)

Examination regulations version: 2010
Responsible: Faculty of Biology

Contents

The subject is divided into

Content and Objectives of the Programme

The study program is based on the study program of the Bachelor of Science Biology at the University of Würzburg. The graduate possesses a basic qualification in biological sciences as addendum.

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:

ASPO2009

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

12-Jan-2011 (2011-4)

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

(30 ECTS credits)

General Biology I

(10 ECTS credits)

Module title			Abbreviation
From Cells to Organisms for minor field of study			07-1A1ZO-NF-102-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Dean of Studies Biologie (Biology)		Faculty of Biology	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
10	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	By way of exception, additional prerequisites are listed in the section on assessments.	

Contents

The first part of the course will acquaint students with the elementary building blocks of life as well as biological categories. Building on this knowledge, the course will then discuss the cell, the smallest unit of life, starting with its macroscopic structure before moving on to its microscopic structure. The course will point out differences and similarities between prokaryotic cells (bacteria, archaebacteria) and eukaryotic cells (animals, plants). The second part will address one of the central issues of biology: evolution. Fundamental mechanisms and hypotheses will be discussed and students will be introduced to major phylogenetic reconstruction methods. Using the examples of plants and animals, the subsequent module components will introduce students to the phylogenetic diversity of eukaryotes. At the level of groups in the plant and animal kingdoms, students will acquire the fundamental knowledge necessary to understand the forms and functions of animal and plant organisms, with morphology and cytology being discussed in an evolutionary and ecological context. The contents of the module are relevant for biological disciplines at all levels of biological organisation.

Intended learning outcomes

- Knowledge of the structures of prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells and their (biological) macromolecules. - Knowledge of the specific characteristics of the intracellular and extracellular structures of prokaryotes as well as animal and plant cells. - Ability to recognise evolution as the driving force behind the phylogeny of species. - Familiarity with the concepts of phylogenetic relationships between plants/animals. - Familiarity with the distinguishing characteristics and major representatives of groups in the plant and animal kingdoms. - Ability to select those plant and animal organisms that are most suitable for particular scientific issues. - Familiarity with the components and functioning of microscopes.

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

This module has 4 components; information on courses listed separately for each component.

- 07-1A1ZO-3P-072, 07-1A1ZO-4T-072, and 07-1A1ZO-2E-102: V + Ü (no information on language and number of weekly contact hours available)
- 07-1A1ZO-NF-1Z-082: V (no information on language and number of weekly contact hours 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)

This module has the following 4 assessment components. Unless stated otherwise, students must pass all of these assessment components to pass the module as a whole.

Assessment in module component 07-1A1ZO-3P-072: Das Pflanzenreich (The Plant Kingdom)

- 4 ECTS credits, numerical grading
- written examination (approx. 60 minutes)
- Additional prerequisites: admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises as well as successful completion of the respective exercises.

Assessment in module component 07-1A1ZO-4T-072: Das Tierreich (The Animal Kingdom)

- 4 ECTS credits, numerical grading
- written examination (approx. 60 minutes)
- Additional prerequisites: admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of and participation in exercises as well as successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.

Assessment in module component 07-1A1ZO-NF-1Z-082: Die Zelle für das Nebenfach Biologie (The Cell for Biology Minors)
- 1 ECTS credit, numerical grading
- written examination (approx. 60 minutes) including multiple choice questions

Assessment in module component 07-1A1ZO-2E-102: Evolution
- 1 ECTS credit, pass / fail
- written examination (approx. 30 minutes, including multiple choice questions)
- Additional prerequisites: admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.

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

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

General Biology II

(6 ECTS credits)

Module title			Abbreviation
Genetics, Neurobiology, Behaviour			07-2A2GNV-072-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Dean of Studies Biologie (Biology)		Faculty of Biology	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
6	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	By way of exception, additional prerequisites are listed in the section on assessments.	

Contents

Fundamental principles of genetics, neurobiology and behavioural biology.

Intended learning outcomes

[Version 1: Students will understand that there are molecular, cellular and system biological mechanisms and processes involved in animal behaviour and will be able to relate animal behaviour to the molecular and formal bases of inheritance.] [Version 2: Students will understand that there are molecular, cellular and system biological mechanisms and processes involved in animal behaviour and will be able to relate animal behaviour to the molecular and formal bases of inheritance.]

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

This module comprises 3 module components. Information on courses will be listed separately for each module component.

- 07-2A2GNV-1G-072: V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)
- 07-2A2GNV-2N-072: V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)
- 07-2A2GNV-3V-072: V + Ü (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)

Assessment in this module comprises the assessments in the individual module components as specified below. Unless stated otherwise, successful completion of the module will require successful completion of all individual assessments.

Assessment in module component 07-2A2GNV-1G-072: Basic Genetics Basic Genetics

- 2 ECTS, Method of grading: numerical grade
- written examination (approx. 30 minutes)
- Other prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.

Assessment in module component 07-2A2GNV-2N-072: Basic Neurobiology Basic Neurobiology

- 2 ECTS, Method of grading: numerical grade
- written examination (approx. 30 minutes)
- Other prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.

Assessment in module component 07-2A2GNV-3V-072: Behavioural Biology Behavioural Biology

- 2 ECTS, Method of grading: numerical grade
- written examination (approx. 30 minutes, word problems and/or multiple choice questions)
- Other prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.

Allocation of places

Only as part of "spezielles Studienangebot": 10 places.

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
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2007) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2008) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2007) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2009) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2008) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010) No final examination Special study offering (2010)

General Biology III

(10 ECTS credits)

Module title			Abbreviation
Plant and Animal Ecology			07-3A3OE-102-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Dean of Studies Biologie (Biology)		Faculty of Biology	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
6	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	By way of exception, additional prerequisites are listed in the section on assessments.	

Contents

This module will provide students with an overview of the interactions of plants and animals with their abiotic and biotic environments. The module will focus on the functional adaptation to environmental conditions as well as on the structure and dynamics of populations and ecosystems. Students will be introduced to fundamental model concepts of ecology, will become familiar with examples of research findings and will acquire the fundamental knowledge necessary to develop an understanding of current ecological problems.

Intended learning outcomes

Students are familiar with the fundamental principles of research in the field of ecology and with the most important abiotic and biotic factors that influence the distribution and frequency of occurrence of organisms in their environment. In addition, they understand the scientific relevance ecology has to the assessment of environmental issues.

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

This module comprises 2 module components. Information on courses will be listed separately for each module component.

- 07-3A3OE-1-102: V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)
- 07-3A3OE-2-102: V + Ü (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)

Assessment in this module comprises the assessments in the individual module components as specified below. Unless stated otherwise, successful completion of the module will require successful completion of all individual assessments.

Assessment in module component 07-3A3OE-1-102: Animal Ecology Animal Ecology

- 3 ECTS, Method of grading: numerical grade
- written examination (approx. 45 minutes)
- Other prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.

Assessment in module component 07-3A3OE-2-102: Plant Ecology Plant Ecology

- 3 ECTS, Method of grading: numerical grade
- written examination (approx. 45 minutes)
- Other prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.

Allocation of places

Only as part of pool of general key skills (ASQ): 15 places. Places will be allocated by lot.

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
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010) No final examination Special study offering (2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Developmental Biology of Animals			07-3A3EBIOT-102-m01

Module coordinator	Module offered by
Dean of Studies Biologie (Biology)	Faculty of Biology

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

Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.

Contents

In this module, students will acquire theoretical and practical background knowledge on animal developmental biology. The following topics will be covered: early embryonic development of various model organisms (amphibians, nematodes, Drosophila, mouse) and relevance for the systematics of animals, gametogenesis (production of spermatozoa and ova), differential gene expression, cell growth and molecular regulation of cell development, organogenesis, pattern formation, carcinogenesis, stem cell research and cloning, metamorphosis (amphibians, insects), eco-devo, evo-devo.

Intended learning outcomes

1. Fundamental concepts in developmental biology. 2. Embryonic and postembryonic development of selected model organisms (pattern formation). 3. Molecular mechanisms as well as control of cell development. 4. Interdisciplinary connections between developmal biology and other branches of biology. 5. Cell biology of cotyledon, cancer and stem cells as well as gametes. 6. Interrelations between ontogeny and evolution/environment. 7. Physiological aspects of the developmental processes discussed.

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

V + Ü (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)

written examination (approx. 30 to 60 minutes) including multiple choice questions

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

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biomedicine (2009)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Mathematics/Quantitative Biology

(4 ECTS credits)

Module title			Abbreviation
Mathematical Biology and Biostatistics			07-2BM-072-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
holder of the Chair of Bioinformatics		Faculty of Biology	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
4	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.	

Contents

Fundamental principles of the most important mathematical and statistical methods in biology.

Intended learning outcomes

Students will have acquired fundamental skills in the evaluation of experiments, the interpretation of readings and numbers as well as the mathematical description of biological processes.

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

V + Ü (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)

written examination (approx. 45 minutes) including multiple choice questions

Allocation of places

Only as part of "spezielles Studienangebot": 30 places.

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

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biochemistry (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biochemistry (2009)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2007)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2008)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)
No final examination Special study offering (2010)

Compulsory Electives

(30 ECTS credits)

The 30 ECTS credits are to be achieved across the corresponding sub-areas specified.

General Biology II

(ECTS credits)

Module title			Abbreviation
Basic Physiology of Animals for minor field of study			07-2A2TP-NF-082-m01

Module coordinator	Module offered by
Dean of Studies Biologie (Biology)	Faculty of Biology

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

Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.

Contents

This module will acquaint students with the principles of general and comparative plant physiology and will provide them with an opportunity to develop the fundamental skills for working in a physiological laboratory. The module will discuss the physiological processes that regulate the internal environment of animals.

Intended learning outcomes

Students have developed an understanding of the physiological functions and regulation of organisms. They have acquired fundamental knowledge on planning, setup, interpretation and presentation of scientific results.

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

V + Ü (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)

written examination (approx. 60 minutes, word problems and/or multiple choice questions)

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

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2008)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Basic Physiology of Prokaryotes for minor field of study			07-2A2PPR-NF-082-m01

Module coordinator	Module offered by
Dean of Studies Biologie (Biology)	Faculty of Biology

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

Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	--

Contents

This module will acquaint students with the principles of prokaryotic physiology. It will discuss prokaryotic metabolic diversity.

Intended learning outcomes

Students have developed an understanding of the physiological functions and regulation of organisms. They have acquired fundamental knowledge on planning, setup, interpretation and presentation of scientific results.

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

V + Ü (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)

written examination (approx. 60 minutes) including multiple choice questions

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

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2008)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Basic Physiology of Plants for minor field of study			07-2A2PPF-NF-082-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Dean of Studies Biologie (Biology)		Faculty of Biology	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
3	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.	

Contents

This module will acquaint students with the principles of general and comparative plant physiology and will provide them with an opportunity to develop the fundamental skills for working in a physiological laboratory. The module will discuss the physiological processes that regulate the internal environment of plants.

Intended learning outcomes

Students have developed an understanding of the physiological functions and regulation of organisms. They have acquired fundamental knowledge on planning, setup, interpretation and presentation of scientific results.

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

V + Ü (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)

written examination (approx. 45 minutes)

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

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2008)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

General Biology III

(ECTS credits)

Module title			Abbreviation
Genes, Molecules, Technologies			07-3A3GMT-102-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Dean of Studies Biologie (Biology)		Faculty of Biology	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
6	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	--	

Contents

The module component *Spezielle Genetik* (*Special Genetics*) will build on *Einführung in die Genetik* (*Introduction to Genetics*) and will deepen the students' knowledge of topics from the following areas: structure and evolution of the eukaryotic genome, regulatory RNA, epigenetically and evolutionarily significant genetic mechanisms. The section will also focus on methods of gene expression profiling, reverse genetics and modern methods of gene function and gene sequence analysis. In the module component *Einführung in die Bioinformatik* (*Introduction to Bioinformatics*), students will acquire an overview of major areas in the field of bioinformatics: protein sequence and protein domain analysis, phylogeny and evolution of sequences, protein structure, RNA/DNA sequences and structures, cellular networks (regulation, metabolism) and systems biology. In the module component *Einführung in die Biotechnologie* (*Introduction to Biotechnology*), students will acquire an overview of the following topics: history of biotechnology, DNA and RNA technologies, recombinant antibodies, molecular diagnostics, nanobiotechnology, biomaterials, bioprocess engineering, microbial biotechnology, transgenic animals and plants, microfluidics. The module component *Einführung in die Pharmakokinetik* (*Introduction to Pharmacokinetics*) will provide students with an overview of the rational development of drugs and active agents. The module component will discuss an important aspect for biologists in more detail: the optimisation of the pharmacokinetics of small molecules and proteins. Pharmacokinetics describes the uptake, distribution, metabolism and elimination of a drug or xenobiotic in an organism.

Intended learning outcomes

Module component *Spezielle Genetik* (*Special Genetics*): Advanced knowledge on genome evolution and the regulation of gene expression. Essential knowledge on current methods in genetics. Module component *Einführung in die Biotechnologie* (*Introduction to Biotechnology*): Students will acquire an overview of both traditional and modern methods in biotechnology and will become familiar with fundamental topics in biotechnology. Module component *Einführung in die Biotechnologie* (*Introduction to Biotechnology*): Students will acquire an overview of both traditional and modern methods in biotechnology and will become familiar with fundamental topics in biotechnology. Module component *Einführung in die Pharmakokinetik* (*Introduction to Pharmacokinetics*): Students will acquire an overview of the fundamental principles of the development and review of active agents in research, clinical practice and the pharmaceutical industry. Optimisation of active agents with regard to absorption, distribution, metabolism and elimination takes place during the early stages of active agent development. The course will equip students with fundamental knowledge that will enable them to predict, on the basis of the structure and physicochemical properties of a small molecule or protein, whether the molecule or protein is suitable as an active agent as well as to predict the fate of the respective active agent in an organism.

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

This module has 4 components; information on courses listed separately for each component.

- 07-3A3GMT-1-102, 07-3A3GMT-2-102, 07-3A3GMT-3-102, and 07-3A3GMT-4-102: V (no information on language and number of weekly contact hours 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)

This module has the following 4 assessment components. Unless stated otherwise, students must pass all of these assessment components to pass the module as a whole.

Assessment in module component 07-3A3GMT-1-102: Genetik (Genetics), **in module component 07-3A3GMT-2-102:** Bioinformatik (Bioinformatics), **in module component 07-3A3GMT-3-102:** Biotechnologie (Biotechnology), and **in module component 07-3A3GMT-4-102:** Pharmakokinetik (Pharmacokinetics) **:**

- 1.5 ECTS credits, numerical grading
- written examination (approx. 30 minutes, including multiple choice questions)

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

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Principles of Biochemistry			07-3A3BC-102-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
holder of the Chair of Plant Physiology and Biophysics		Faculty of Biology	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
4	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.	

Contents

With the module component *Makromoleküle* (*Macromolecules*) as a starting point, the lecture will provide students with deeper insights into the molecular biology and biochemistry of prokaryotes and eukaryotes. Students will become familiar with fundamental principles of molecular biology (replication, transcription, splicing and translation) and the biochemistry of carbohydrates, lipids, proteins and nucleic acids. Experiments will be performed on selected topics that were discussed in the lecture. The exercise will cover practical aspects of lab work (PCR, DNA and protein gel electrophoresis, blot, enzyme kinetics and detection, protein isolation).

Intended learning outcomes

Students are familiar with the fundamental principles of biochemistry.

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

V + Ü (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)

written examination (approx. 30 to 60 minutes) including multiple choice questions

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

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Developmental Biology of Plants for minor field of study			07-3A3EBIOP-102-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Dean of Studies Biologie (Biology)		Faculty of Biology	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
4	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.	

Contents

In this module, students will acquire an insight into the fundamental processes of plant developmental biology over a plant's entire life cycle from germination to reproduction. The module will discuss the molecular determination and regulation of different developmental biological processes in plants as well as their plasticity.

Intended learning outcomes

1. Fundamental concepts in developmental biology. 2. Developmental biology of selected model organisms. 3. Selected molecular mechanisms that regulate determination and differentiation processes. 4. Establishment of embryonic axes. 5. Examples of mechanisms of morphogenesis and organogenesis. 6. Interrelations between ontogeny and evolution. 7. Physiological aspects of the developmental processes discussed.

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

V + Ü (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)

written examination (approx. 30 to 60 minutes) including multiple choice questions

Allocation of places

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Additional information

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Workload

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Teaching cycle

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

General Biology IV

(ECTS credits)

Module title			Abbreviation
The Flora of Germany			07-4A4FL-102-m01

Module coordinator	Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Ecophysiology and Vegetation Ecology	Faculty of Biology

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

Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	By way of exception, additional prerequisites are listed in the section on assessments.

Contents

The module will discuss the fundamental principles of the systematics and ecology of flowering plants. Students will acquire an overview of the major flowering plants to be found in the temperate zone as well as their ecological and economic importance. Using the field guide *Flora von Deutschland* by Schmeil-Fitschen, the course will demonstrate how dichotomous keys are used, and students will practise identifying freshly-gathered plants using dichotomous keys. Identifying plants, students will learn how to identify major morphological plant characteristics and will become familiar with the respective terminology. The module will also include field trips to typical habitats in the Botanical Garden and the vicinity of Würzburg. Students will become familiar with the common as well as scientific names of the plants found and will be introduced to the family- as well as species-specific characteristics of these plants. Students will practise using field guides and identification keys on site. Habitat ecological, geobotanical, climatic as well as conservation-relevant characteristics will also be discussed. The module will also include sessions at the Botanical Garden of the University of Würzburg with its outdoor facilities and greenhouses to help students acquire species identification skills.

Intended learning outcomes

Students have acquired knowledge and skills related to the ecology, systematics and taxonomy of indigenous flowering plants. They are familiar with the terminology of plant morphology and know how to use Floras and set up scientific herbaria.

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

This module comprises 2 module components. Information on courses will be listed separately for each module component.

- 07-4A4FL-1-102: V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)
- 07-4A4FL-2-102: E (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)

Assessment in this module comprises the assessments in the individual module components as specified below. Unless stated otherwise, successful completion of the module will require successful completion of all individual assessments.

Assessment in module component 07-4A4FL-1-102: Introduction to the Flora of Germany Introduction to the Flora of Germany

- 4 ECTS, Method of grading: numerical grade
- written examination (approx. 45 minutes) and practical identification assignment (approx. 45 minutes), weighted 1:1
- Assessment offered: once a year, summer semester
- Other prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises (particular emphasis to be placed on the setting up a herbarium) as specified at the beginning of the course.

Assessment in module component 07-4A4FL-2-102: Field Excursions on the Flora of Germany

- 3 ECTS, Method of grading: (not) successfully completed
- log (approx. 1 to 2 pages per field trip)
- Assessment offered: once a year, summer semester

Allocation of places

Number of places: 180. Should the number of applications exceed the number of available places, places will be allocated as follows: Places will primarily be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits. Should the module be used in other subjects, there will be two quotas: 95% of places will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits and 5% of places (a minimum of one participant in total) will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 60 ECTS credits and to students of the Bachelor's degree subjects Computational Mathematics and Mathematik (Mathematics), each with 180 ECTS credits, as part of the application-oriented subject Biology (as well as potentially to students of other 'importing' subjects). Should the number of places available in one quota exceed the number of applications, the remaining places will be allocated to applicants from the other quota. Should there be, within one module component, several courses with a restricted number of places, there will be a uniform regulation for the courses of one module component. In this case, places on all courses of a module component that are concerned will be allocated in a standardised procedure. In this procedure, applicants who already have successfully completed at least one other module component of the respective module will be given preferential consideration. A waiting list will be maintained and places re-allocated as they become available. Selection process group 1 (95%): Places will primarily be allocated according to the applicants' previous academic achievements. For this purpose, applicants will be ranked according to the number of ECTS credits they have achieved and their average grade of all assessments taken during their studies or of all module components in the subject of Biologie (Biology) (excluding Chemie (Chemistry), Physik (Physics), Mathematik (Mathematics)) at the time of application. This will be done as follows: First, applicants will be ranked, firstly, according to their average grade weighted according to the number of ECTS credits (qualitative ranking) and, secondly, according to their total number of ECTS credits achieved (quantitative ranking). The applicants' position in a third ranking will be calculated as the sum of these two rankings, and places will be allocated according to this third ranking. Among applicants with the same ranking, places will be allocated according to the qualitative ranking or otherwise by lot. Selection process group 2 (5%): Places will be allocated according to the following quotas: Quota 1 (50% of places): total number of ECTS credits already achieved in modules/module components of the Faculty of Biology; among applicants with the same number of ECTS credits achieved, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 2 (25% of places): number of subject semesters of the respective applicant; among applicants with the same number of subject semesters, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 3 (25% of places): allocation by lot. Should the module be used only in the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits, places will be allocated according to the selection process of group 1.

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

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Geography (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
The Fauna of Germany			07-4A4FA-102-m01

Module coordinator	Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Animal Ecology and Tropical Biology	Faculty of Biology

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

Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	By way of exception, additional prerequisites are listed in the section on assessments.

Contents

In this module, students will acquire an overview of selected groups of animals to be found in Central Europe. They will acquire a fundamental knowledge of the systematics and taxonomy as well as on the quantitative recording of biodiversity and will practise identifying species, using specimens of animals. Selection of specimens will be taxon-specific and will represent specific habitats or lifestyles. Field exercises in a variety of habitats will provide students with an opportunity to consolidate the knowledge and skills they acquired in the lab by identifying living specimens including their ecology and behavioural biology.

Intended learning outcomes

Students know how to taxonomically classify selected representatives of the indigenous fauna (vertebrates, invertebrates) and use identification keys. They are familiar with selected Central European habitats as well as their faunas and phenology. On the basis of the morphology and habitats of species, students are able to predict the biology and ecology of these species as well as, where applicable, to predict whether they function as indicators and are of conservation concern.

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

This module comprises 2 module components. Information on courses will be listed separately for each module component.

- 07-4A4FA-1-102: V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)
- 07-4A4FA-2-102: E (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)

Assessment in this module comprises the assessments in the individual module components as specified below. Unless stated otherwise, successful completion of the module will require successful completion of all individual assessments.

Assessment in module component 07-4A4FA-1-102: Introduction to the Fauna of Germany Introduction to the Fauna of Germany

- 4 ECTS, Method of grading: numerical grade
- written examination (approx. 45 minutes) and practical identification assignment (approx. 45 minutes), weighted 1:1
- Assessment offered: once a year, summer semester
- Other prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises (particular emphasis to be placed on the setting up a herbarium) as specified at the beginning of the course.

Assessment in module component 07-4A4FA-2-102: Field Excursions on the Fauna of Germany

- 3 ECTS, Method of grading: (not) successfully completed
- log (approx. 1 to 2 pages per field trip)
- Assessment offered: once a year, summer semester

Allocation of places

Number of places: 180. Should the number of applications exceed the number of available places, places will be allocated as follows: Places will primarily be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits. Should the module be used in other subjects, there will be two quotas: 95% of pla-

ces will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits and 5% of places (a minimum of one participant in total) will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 60 ECTS credits and to students of the Bachelor's degree subjects Computational Mathematics and Mathematik (Mathematics), each with 180 ECTS credits, as part of the application-oriented subject Biology (as well as potentially to students of other 'importing' subjects). Should the number of places available in one quota exceed the number of applications, the remaining places will be allocated to applicants from the other quota. Should there be, within one module component, several courses with a restricted number of places, there will be a uniform regulation for the courses of one module component. In this case, places on all courses of a module component that are concerned will be allocated in a standardised procedure. In this procedure, applicants who already have successfully completed at least one other module component of the respective module will be given preferential consideration. A waiting list will be maintained and places re-allocated as they become available. Selection process group 1 (95%): Places will primarily be allocated according to the applicants' previous academic achievements. For this purpose, applicants will be ranked according to the number of ECTS credits they have achieved and their average grade of all assessments taken during their studies or of all module components in the subject of Biologie (Biology) (excluding Chemie (Chemistry), Physik (Physics), Mathematik (Mathematics)) at the time of application. This will be done as follows: First, applicants will be ranked, firstly, according to their average grade weighted according to the number of ECTS credits (qualitative ranking) and, secondly, according to their total number of ECTS credits achieved (quantitative ranking). The applicants' position in a third ranking will be calculated as the sum of these two rankings, and places will be allocated according to this third ranking. Among applicants with the same ranking, places will be allocated according to the qualitative ranking or otherwise by lot. Selection process group 2 (5%): Places will be allocated according to the following quotas: Quota 1 (50% of places): total number of ECTS credits already achieved in modules/module components of the Faculty of Biology; among applicants with the same number of ECTS credits achieved, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 2 (25% of places): number of subject semesters of the respective applicant; among applicants with the same number of subject semesters, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 3 (25% of places): allocation by lot. Should the module be used only in the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits, places will be allocated according to the selection process of group 1.

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

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Special Biosciences I

(ECTS credits)

Module title			Abbreviation
Functional Morphology of arthropods			07-4S1NV03-092-m01

Module coordinator	Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Zoology III	Faculty of Biology

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

Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.

Contents

Morphology, anatomy, phylogeny and ecology of arthropods.

Intended learning outcomes

Students are able to explain arthropod radiations in a functional context as well as to explain the importance of arthropods to ecosystems.

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

V + Ü (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. 5 to 10 pages)

Allocation of places

Number of places: 20. Should the number of applications exceed the number of available places, places will be allocated as follows: Places will primarily be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits. Should the module be used in other subjects, there will be two quotas: 95% of places will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits and 5% of places (a minimum of one participant in total) will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 60 ECTS credits and to students of the Bachelor's degree subjects Computational Mathematics and Mathematik (Mathematics), each with 180 ECTS credits, as part of the application-oriented subject Biology (as well as potentially to students of other 'importing' subjects). Should the number of places available in one quota exceed the number of applications, the remaining places will be allocated to applicants from the other quota. Should there be, within one module component, several courses with a restricted number of places, there will be a uniform regulation for the courses of one module component. In this case, places on all courses of a module component that are concerned will be allocated in a standardised procedure. In this procedure, applicants who already have successfully completed at least one other module component of the respective module will be given preferential consideration. A waiting list will be maintained and places re-allocated as they become available. Selection process group 1 (95%): Places will primarily be allocated according to the applicants' previous academic achievements. For this purpose, applicants will be ranked according to the number of ECTS credits they have achieved and their average grade of all assessments taken during their studies or of all module components in the subject of Biologie (Biology) (excluding Chemie (Chemistry), Physik (Physics), Mathematik (Mathematics)) at the time of application. This will be done as follows: First, applicants will be ranked, firstly, according to their average grade weighted according to the number of ECTS credits (qualitative ranking) and, secondly, according to their total number of ECTS credits achieved (quantitative ranking). The applicants' position in a third ranking will be calculated as the sum of these two rankings, and places will be allocated according to this third ranking. Among applicants with the same ranking, places will be allocated according to the qualitative ranking or otherwise by lot. Selection process group 2 (5%): Places will be allocated according to the following quotas: Quota 1 (50% of places): total number of ECTS credits already achieved in modules/module components of the Faculty of Biology; among applicants with the same number of ECTS credits achieved, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 2 (25% of places): number of subject semesters of the respective applicant; among applicants with the same number of subject semesters, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 3 (25% of

places): allocation by lot. Should the module be used only in the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits, places will be allocated according to the selection process of group 1.

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

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2007)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2007)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2008)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Neurobiology 1			07-4S1NVO1-102-m01

Module coordinator	Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Genetics	Faculty of Biology

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

Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of lab course as specified at the beginning of the course.

Contents

Neurobiology and methods in neurobiology, using Drosophila as a neurogenetic model system.

Intended learning outcomes

Students have acquired an advanced knowledge of the neurobiology of a model organism and are able to apply the relevant methods in neurobiology.

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

P (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)

methods of assessment: a) written examination (approx. 45 to 60 minutes) or b) log (approx. 10 to 20 pages) or c) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes) or d) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (approx. 20 minutes per candidate) or e) presentation (approx. 20 to 30 minutes); students will be informed about the method and length of the assessment prior to the course

Allocation of places

Number of places: 20. Should the number of applications exceed the number of available places, places will be allocated as follows: Places will primarily be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits. Should the module be used in other subjects, there will be two quotas: 95% of places will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits and 5% of places (a minimum of one participant in total) will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 60 ECTS credits and to students of the Bachelor's degree subjects Computational Mathematics and Mathematik (Mathematics), each with 180 ECTS credits, as part of the application-oriented subject Biology (as well as potentially to students of other 'importing' subjects). Should the number of places available in one quota exceed the number of applications, the remaining places will be allocated to applicants from the other quota. Should there be, within one module component, several courses with a restricted number of places, there will be a uniform regulation for the courses of one module component. In this case, places on all courses of a module component that are concerned will be allocated in a standardised procedure. In this procedure, applicants who already have successfully completed at least one other module component of the respective module will be given preferential consideration. A waiting list will be maintained and places re-allocated as they become available. Selection process group 1 (95%): Places will primarily be allocated according to the applicants' previous academic achievements. For this purpose, applicants will be ranked according to the number of ECTS credits they have achieved and their average grade of all assessments taken during their studies or of all module components in the subject of Biologie (Biology) (excluding Chemie (Chemistry), Physik (Physics), Mathematik (Mathematics)) at the time of application. This will be done as follows: First, applicants will be ranked, firstly, according to their average grade weighted according to the number of ECTS credits (qualitative ranking) and, secondly, according to their total number of ECTS credits achieved (quantitative ranking). The applicants' position in a third ranking will be calculated as the sum of these two rankings, and places will be allocated according to this third ranking. Among applicants with the same ranking, places will be allocated according to the qualitative ranking or otherwise by lot. Selection process group 2 (5%): Places will be allocated according to the following quotas: Quota 1 (50% of places): total number of ECTS credits already achieved in modules/module components of the Faculty of Biology; among applicants with the same number of ECTS credits achieved, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 2 (25% of places): number of subject semesters of the respective applicant;

among applicants with the same number of subject semesters, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 3 (25% of places): allocation by lot. Should the module be used only in the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits, places will be allocated according to the selection process of group 1.

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Integrative Behavioral Biology			07-4S1NVO2-102-m01
Module coordinator			**Module offered by**
holder of the Chair of Behavioral Physiology and Sociobiology			Faculty of Biology
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
5	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.	

Contents

Communication in the animal kingdom, neuroethology and behavioural development, perception and processing of olfactory signals, temporal organisation of behaviour, adaptive feeding behaviour, reproductive behaviour, social behaviour, orientation mechanisms.

Intended learning outcomes

Students have acquired an advanced knowledge in the area of behavioural biology and are able to deliver presentations on current studies on relevant topics.

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

V + 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)

methods of assessment: a) written examination (approx. 45 to 60 minutes) or b) log (approx. 10 to 20 pages) or c) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes) or d) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (approx. 20 minutes per candidate) or e) presentation (approx. 20 to 30 minutes); students will be informed about the method and length of the assessment prior to the course

Allocation of places

Number of places: 20. Should the number of applications exceed the number of available places, places will be allocated as follows: Places will primarily be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits. Should the module be used in other subjects, there will be two quotas: 95% of places will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits and 5% of places (a minimum of one participant in total) will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 60 ECTS credits and to students of the Bachelor's degree subjects Computational Mathematics and Mathematik (Mathematics), each with 180 ECTS credits, as part of the application-oriented subject Biology (as well as potentially to students of other 'importing' subjects). Should the number of places available in one quota exceed the number of applications, the remaining places will be allocated to applicants from the other quota. Should there be, within one module component, several courses with a restricted number of places, there will be a uniform regulation for the courses of one module component. In this case, places on all courses of a module component that are concerned will be allocated in a standardised procedure. In this procedure, applicants who already have successfully completed at least one other module component of the respective module will be given preferential consideration. A waiting list will be maintained and places re-allocated as they become available. Selection process group 1 (95%): Places will primarily be allocated according to the applicants' previous academic achievements. For this purpose, applicants will be ranked according to the number of ECTS credits they have achieved and their average grade of all assessments taken during their studies or of all module components in the subject of Biologie (Biology) (excluding Chemie (Chemistry), Physik (Physics), Mathematik (Mathematics)) at the time of application. This will be done as follows: First, applicants will be ranked, firstly, according to their average grade weighted according to the number of ECTS credits (qualitative ranking) and, secondly, according to their total number of ECTS credits achieved (quantitative ranking). The applicants' position in a third ranking will be calculated as the sum of these two rankings, and places will be allocated according to this third ranking. Among applicants with the same ranking, places will be allocated according to the

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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

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Basics in Light- and Electron-Microscopy			07-4S1MZ1-102-m01

Module coordinator	Module offered by
head of the Department of Electronmicroscopy	Faculty of Biology

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

Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.

Contents

Fundamental principles of confocal laser scanning microscopy and electron microscopy.

Intended learning outcomes

Students have acquired theoretical knowledge and practical skills in the area of light and electron microscopy.

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

V + Ü (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)

written examination (approx. 30 to 60 minutes)

Allocation of places

Number of places: 18. Should the number of applications exceed the number of available places, places will be allocated as follows: Places will primarily be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits. Should the module be used in other subjects, there will be two quotas: 95% of places will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits and 5% of places (a minimum of one participant in total) will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 60 ECTS credits and to students of the Bachelor's degree subjects Computational Mathematics and Mathematik (Mathematics), each with 180 ECTS credits, as part of the application-oriented subject Biology (as well as potentially to students of other 'importing' subjects). Should the number of places available in one quota exceed the number of applications, the remaining places will be allocated to applicants from the other quota. Should there be, within one module component, several courses with a restricted number of places, there will be a uniform regulation for the courses of one module component. In this case, places on all courses of a module component that are concerned will be allocated in a standardised procedure. In this procedure, applicants who already have successfully completed at least one other module component of the respective module will be given preferential consideration. A waiting list will be maintained and places re-allocated as they become available. Selection process group 1 (95%): Places will primarily be allocated according to the applicants' previous academic achievements. For this purpose, applicants will be ranked according to the number of ECTS credits they have achieved and their average grade of all assessments taken during their studies or of all module components in the subject of Biologie (Biology) (excluding Chemie (Chemistry), Physik (Physics), Mathematik (Mathematics)) at the time of application. This will be done as follows: First, applicants will be ranked, firstly, according to their average grade weighted according to the number of ECTS credits (qualitative ranking) and, secondly, according to their total number of ECTS credits achieved (quantitative ranking). The applicants' position in a third ranking will be calculated as the sum of these two rankings, and places will be allocated according to this third ranking. Among applicants with the same ranking, places will be allocated according to the qualitative ranking or otherwise by lot. Selection process group 2 (5%): Places will be allocated according to the following quotas: Quota 1 (50% of places): total number of ECTS credits already achieved in modules/module components of the Faculty of Biology; among applicants with the same number of ECTS credits achieved, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 2 (25% of places): number of subject semesters of the respective applicant; among applicants with the same number of subject semesters, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 3 (25% of places): allocation by lot. Should the module be used only in the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits, places will be allocated according to the selection process of group 1.

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Module appears in
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2010) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2010) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Analysis of Chromosomes			07-4S1MZ2-102-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
head of the Department of Electronmicroscopy		Faculty of Biology	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
5	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.	

Contents

Overview of the structure of chromosomes of somatic and meiotic cells.

Intended learning outcomes

Students are able to analyse chromosomal structures.

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

V + Ü (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)

written examination (approx. 30 to 60 minutes)

Allocation of places

Number of places: 18. Should the number of applications exceed the number of available places, places will be allocated as follows: Places will primarily be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits. Should the module be used in other subjects, there will be two quotas: 95% of places will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits and 5% of places (a minimum of one participant in total) will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 60 ECTS credits and to students of the Bachelor's degree subjects Computational Mathematics and Mathematik (Mathematics), each with 180 ECTS credits, as part of the application-oriented subject Biology (as well as potentially to students of other 'importing' subjects). Should the number of places available in one quota exceed the number of applications, the remaining places will be allocated to applicants from the other quota. Should there be, within one module component, several courses with a restricted number of places, there will be a uniform regulation for the courses of one module component. In this case, places on all courses of a module component that are concerned will be allocated in a standardised procedure. In this procedure, applicants who already have successfully completed at least one other module component of the respective module will be given preferential consideration. A waiting list will be maintained and places re-allocated as they become available. Selection process group 1 (95%): Places will primarily be allocated according to the applicants' previous academic achievements. For this purpose, applicants will be ranked according to the number of ECTS credits they have achieved and their average grade of all assessments taken during their studies or of all module components in the subject of Biologie (Biology) (excluding Chemie (Chemistry), Physik (Physics), Mathematik (Mathematics)) at the time of application. This will be done as follows: First, applicants will be ranked, firstly, according to their average grade weighted according to the number of ECTS credits (qualitative ranking) and, secondly, according to their total number of ECTS credits achieved (quantitative ranking). The applicants' position in a third ranking will be calculated as the sum of these two rankings, and places will be allocated according to this third ranking. Among applicants with the same ranking, places will be allocated according to the qualitative ranking or otherwise by lot. Selection process group 2 (5%): Places will be allocated according to the following quotas: Quota 1 (50% of places): total number of ECTS credits already achieved in modules/module components of the Faculty of Biology; among applicants with the same number of ECTS credits achieved, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 2 (25% of places): number of subject semesters of the respective applicant; among applicants with the same number of subject semesters, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 3 (25% of places): allocation by lot. Should the module be used only in the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits, places will be allocated according to the selection process of group 1.

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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
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Special Bioinformatics 1			07-4S1MZ6-102-m01

Module coordinator	Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Bioinformatics	Faculty of Biology

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

Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.

Contents

Fundamental principles of the tree of life, fundamental principles of phylogenetics (methods and markers), fundamental principles of evolutionary biology (concepts), sequence analysis, RNA structure prediction, phylogenetic reconstruction.

Intended learning outcomes

Students are able to use software and databases for sequence analysis, RNA structure prediction and phylogenetic reconstruction.

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

V + Ü (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)

log (approx. 10 to 20 pages)
Language of assessment: German or English

Allocation of places

Number of places: 20. Should the number of applications exceed the number of available places, places will be allocated as follows: Places will primarily be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits. Should the module be used in other subjects, there will be two quotas: 95% of places will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits and 5% of places (a minimum of one participant in total) will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 60 ECTS credits and to students of the Bachelor's degree subjects Computational Mathematics and Mathematik (Mathematics), each with 180 ECTS credits, as part of the application-oriented subject Biology (as well as potentially to students of other 'importing' subjects). Should the number of places available in one quota exceed the number of applications, the remaining places will be allocated to applicants from the other quota. Should there be, within one module component, several courses with a restricted number of places, there will be a uniform regulation for the courses of one module component. In this case, places on all courses of a module component that are concerned will be allocated in a standardised procedure. In this procedure, applicants who already have successfully completed at least one other module component of the respective module will be given preferential consideration. A waiting list will be maintained and places re-allocated as they become available. Selection process group 1 (95%): Places will primarily be allocated according to the applicants' previous academic achievements. For this purpose, applicants will be ranked according to the number of ECTS credits they have achieved and their average grade of all assessments taken during their studies or of all module components in the subject of Biologie (Biology) (excluding Chemie (Chemistry), Physik (Physics), Mathematik (Mathematics)) at the time of application. This will be done as follows: First, applicants will be ranked, firstly, according to their average grade weighted according to the number of ECTS credits (qualitative ranking) and, secondly, according to their total number of ECTS credits achieved (quantitative ranking). The applicants' position in a third ranking will be calculated as the sum of these two rankings, and places will be allocated according to this third ranking. Among applicants with the same ranking, places will be allocated according to the qualitative ranking or otherwise by lot. Selection process group 2 (5%): Places will be allocated according to the following quotas: Quota 1 (50% of places): total number of ECTS credits already achieved in modules/module components of the Faculty of Biology; among applicants with the same number of ECTS credits achieved, pla-

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Molecular modelling - From DNA to protein			07-4S1PS1-102-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
holder of the Chair of Plant Physiology and Biophysics		Faculty of Biology	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
5	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.	

Contents

This module will equip students with advanced knowledge on the structure and function of nucleic acids and proteins as well as on the search for and analysis and modelling of plant macromolecules using databases and specific software.

Intended learning outcomes

Students have acquired a specialist knowledge of the structure-function relationships of macromolecules and are able to work with relevant databases and software.

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

V + Ü (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)

computerised practical examination (approx. 6 hours)

Allocation of places

Number of places: 18. Should the number of applications exceed the number of available places, places will be allocated as follows: Places will primarily be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits. Should the module be used in other subjects, there will be two quotas: 95% of places will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits and 5% of places (a minimum of one participant in total) will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 60 ECTS credits and to students of the Bachelor's degree subjects Computational Mathematics and Mathematik (Mathematics), each with 180 ECTS credits, as part of the application-oriented subject Biology (as well as potentially to students of other 'importing' subjects). Should the number of places available in one quota exceed the number of applications, the remaining places will be allocated to applicants from the other quota. Should there be, within one module component, several courses with a restricted number of places, there will be a uniform regulation for the courses of one module component. In this case, places on all courses of a module component that are concerned will be allocated in a standardised procedure. In this procedure, applicants who already have successfully completed at least one other module component of the respective module will be given preferential consideration. A waiting list will be maintained and places re-allocated as they become available. Selection process group 1 (95%): Places will primarily be allocated according to the applicants' previous academic achievements. For this purpose, applicants will be ranked according to the number of ECTS credits they have achieved and their average grade of all assessments taken during their studies or of all module components in the subject of Biologie (Biology) (excluding Chemie (Chemistry), Physik (Physics), Mathematik (Mathematics)) at the time of application. This will be done as follows: First, applicants will be ranked, firstly, according to their average grade weighted according to the number of ECTS credits (qualitative ranking) and, secondly, according to their total number of ECTS credits achieved (quantitative ranking). The applicants' position in a third ranking will be calculated as the sum of these two rankings, and places will be allocated according to this third ranking. Among applicants with the same ranking, places will be allocated according to the qualitative ranking or otherwise by lot. Selection process group 2 (5%): Places will be allocated according to the following quotas: Quota 1 (50% of places): total number of ECTS credits already achieved in modules/module components of the Faculty of Biology; among applicants with the same number of ECTS credits achieved, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 2 (25% of places): number of subject semesters of the respective applicant;

among applicants with the same number of subject semesters, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 3 (25% of places): allocation by lot. Should the module be used only in the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits, places will be allocated according to the selection process of group 1.

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Introduction to Methods in Plant Ecophysiology			07-4S1PS2-102-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
holder of the Chair of Plant Physiology and Biophysics		Faculty of Biology	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
5	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and seminar as well as successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.	

Contents

Complex experiments to introduce students to the current state of research in plant ecophysiology as well as discussion of experimental findings in a comprehensive scientific context.

Intended learning outcomes

Students are able to use current methods in plant ecophysiology as well as to document experimental findings and put these in a scientific context.

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

Ü + 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)

log (approx. 10 to 20 pages)

Allocation of places

Number of places: 15. Should the number of applications exceed the number of available places, places will be allocated as follows: Places will primarily be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits. Should the module be used in other subjects, there will be two quotas: 95% of places will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits and 5% of places (a minimum of one participant in total) will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 60 ECTS credits and to students of the Bachelor's degree subjects Computational Mathematics and Mathematik (Mathematics), each with 180 ECTS credits, as part of the application-oriented subject Biology (as well as potentially to students of other 'importing' subjects). Should the number of places available in one quota exceed the number of applications, the remaining places will be allocated to applicants from the other quota. Should there be, within one module component, several courses with a restricted number of places, there will be a uniform regulation for the courses of one module component. In this case, places on all courses of a module component that are concerned will be allocated in a standardised procedure. In this procedure, applicants who already have successfully completed at least one other module component of the respective module will be given preferential consideration. A waiting list will be maintained and places re-allocated as they become available. Selection process group 1 (95%): Places will primarily be allocated according to the applicants' previous academic achievements. For this purpose, applicants will be ranked according to the number of ECTS credits they have achieved and their average grade of all assessments taken during their studies or of all module components in the subject of Biologie (Biology) (excluding Chemie (Chemistry), Physik (Physics), Mathematik (Mathematics)) at the time of application. This will be done as follows: First, applicants will be ranked, firstly, according to their average grade weighted according to the number of ECTS credits (qualitative ranking) and, secondly, according to their total number of ECTS credits achieved (quantitative ranking). The applicants' position in a third ranking will be calculated as the sum of these two rankings, and places will be allocated according to this third ranking. Among applicants with the same ranking, places will be allocated according to the qualitative ranking or otherwise by lot. Selection process group 2 (5%): Places will be allocated according to the following quotas: Quota 1 (50% of places): total number of ECTS credits already achieved in modules/module components of the Faculty of Biology; among applicants with the same number of ECTS credits achieved, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 2 (25% of places): number of subject semesters of the respective applicant; among applicants with the same number of subject semesters, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 3 (25% of

places): allocation by lot. Should the module be used only in the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits, places will be allocated according to the selection process of group 1.

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

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Pharmaceutical Drugs in Plants			07-4S1PS3-102-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
holder of the Chair of Pharmaceutical Biology		Faculty of Biology	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
5	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises and seminar as well as successful completion of the respective exercises as specified at the beginning of the course.	

Contents

This module will introduce students to the major active agent groups in medicinal plants and phytopharmaceuticals as well as to their application in pharmacy. Microscopic and phytochemical analyses will be performed and the requirements and analytical methods of the pharmacopoeia will be explained.

Intended learning outcomes

Students have acquired a specialist knowledge on active agents from medicinal plants and phytopharmaceuticals as well as on the requirements and analytical methods of the pharmacopoeia.

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

Ü + 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)

methods of assessment: a) written examination (approx. 45 to 60 minutes) or b) log (approx. 10 to 20 pages) or c) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes) or d) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (approx. 20 minutes per candidate) or e) presentation (approx. 20 to 30 minutes); students will be informed about the method and length of the assessment prior to the course

Allocation of places

Number of places: 6. Should the number of applications exceed the number of available places, places will be allocated as follows: Places will primarily be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits. Should the module be used in other subjects, there will be two quotas: 95% of places will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits and 5% of places (a minimum of one participant in total) will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 60 ECTS credits and to students of the Bachelor's degree subjects Computational Mathematics and Mathematik (Mathematics), each with 180 ECTS credits, as part of the application-oriented subject Biology (as well as potentially to students of other 'importing' subjects). Should the number of places available in one quota exceed the number of applications, the remaining places will be allocated to applicants from the other quota. Should there be, within one module component, several courses with a restricted number of places, there will be a uniform regulation for the courses of one module component. In this case, places on all courses of a module component that are concerned will be allocated in a standardised procedure. In this procedure, applicants who already have successfully completed at least one other module component of the respective module will be given preferential consideration. A waiting list will be maintained and places re-allocated as they become available. Selection process group 1 (95%): Places will primarily be allocated according to the applicants' previous academic achievements. For this purpose, applicants will be ranked according to the number of ECTS credits they have achieved and their average grade of all assessments taken during their studies or of all module components in the subject of Biologie (Biology) (excluding Chemie (Chemistry), Physik (Physics), Mathematik (Mathematics)) at the time of application. This will be done as follows: First, applicants will be ranked, firstly, according to their average grade weighted according to the number of ECTS credits (qualitative ranking) and, secondly, according to their total number of ECTS credits achieved (quantitative ranking). The applicants' position in a third ranking will be calculated as the sum of these two rankings, and places will be allocated according to this third ranking. Among applicants with the same ranking, places will be allocated according to the qualitative ranking or otherwise by lot. Selection process group 2 (5%): Places will be allocated according to the

following quotas: Quota 1 (50% of places): total number of ECTS credits already achieved in modules/module components of the Faculty of Biology; among applicants with the same number of ECTS credits achieved, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 2 (25% of places): number of subject semesters of the respective applicant; among applicants with the same number of subject semesters, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 3 (25% of places): allocation by lot. Should the module be used only in the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits, places will be allocated according to the selection process of group 1.

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Laboratory practical course I			07-S1-LP1-102-m01

Module coordinator	Module offered by
Coordinator BioCareers	Faculty of Biology

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

Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of lab course as specified at the beginning of the course; please consult with academic advisory service in advance.

Contents

This practical coursed is offered by an institution that is part of the University. Contents to be determined by the respective institution.

Intended learning outcomes

Students have developed skills which qualify them to work in their profession.

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

P (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)

methods of assessment: a) written examination (approx. 45 to 60 minutes) or b) log (approx. 10 to 20 pages) or c) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes) or d) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (approx. 20 minutes per candidate) or e) presentation (approx. 20 to 30 minutes); students will be informed about the method and length of the assessment prior to the course

Allocation of places

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

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Excursion I			07-S1-Ex1-102-m01

Module coordinator	Module offered by
Coordinator BioCareers	Faculty of Biology

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

Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of field trip as specified at the beginning of the course; please consult with academic advisory service in advance.

Contents

Contents of the field trip to be determined by the respective institution.

Intended learning outcomes

Students have developed skills which qualify them to work in their profession.

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

E (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)

methods of assessment: a) written examination (approx. 45 to 60 minutes) or b) log (approx. 10 to 20 pages) or c) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes) or d) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (approx. 20 minutes per candidate) or e) presentation (approx. 20 to 30 minutes); students will be informed about the method and length of the assessment prior to the course

Allocation of places

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

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Interdisciplinary Project I			07-S1-IP1-102-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Coordinator BioCareers		Faculty of Biology	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
5	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of project sessions as specified at the beginning of the course; please consult with academic advisory service in advance.	

Contents

Contents of the project to be determined by the competent coordinators; contents will vary according to topic.

Intended learning outcomes

Students have developed skills which qualify them to work in their profession.

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

R (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)

methods of assessment: a) written examination (approx. 45 to 60 minutes) or b) log (approx. 10 to 20 pages) or c) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes) or d) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (approx. 20 minutes per candidate) or e) presentation (approx. 20 to 30 minutes); students will be informed about the method and length of the assessment prior to the course

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

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Special Biosciences II

(ECTS credits)

Module title			Abbreviation
External Practical Course			07-5EP-102-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Coordinator BioCareers		Faculty of Biology	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
10	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of lab course as specified at the beginning of the course; please consult with academic advisory service in advance.	

Contents

Students will complete a placement at an authority, a non-university research institution or a business. Contents to be determined by the respective institution.

Intended learning outcomes

Students are familiar with the structures of external institutions and businesses and have developed skills which qualify them to work in their profession.

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

P (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)

methods of assessment: a) written examination (approx. 45 to 60 minutes) or b) log (approx. 10 to 20 pages) or c) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes) or d) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (approx. 20 minutes per candidate) or e) presentation (approx. 20 to 30 minutes); students will be informed about the method and length of the assessment prior to the course

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Excursion II			07-S2-EX2-102-m01

Module coordinator	Module offered by
Coordinator BioCareers	Faculty of Biology

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

Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of field trip as specified at the beginning of the course; please consult with academic advisory service in advance.

Contents

[Version 1: Contents of the field trip to be determined by the respective institution.] [Version 2: Contents of the project to be determined by the competent coordinators; contents will vary according to topic.]

Intended learning outcomes

Students have developed skills which qualify them to work in their profession.

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

E (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)

methods of assessment: a) written examination (approx. 45 to 60 minutes) or b) log (approx. 10 to 20 pages) or c) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes) or d) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (approx. 20 minutes per candidate) or e) presentation (approx. 20 to 30 minutes); students will be informed about the method and length of the assessment prior to the course

Allocation of places

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Additional information

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Workload

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Teaching cycle

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Interdisciplinary Project II			07-S2-IP2-102-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Coordinator BioCareers		Faculty of Biology	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
10	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of project sessions as specified at the beginning of the course; please consult with academic advisory service in advance.	

Contents

Contents of the project to be determined by the competent coordinators; contents will vary according to topic.

Intended learning outcomes

Students have developed skills which qualify them to work in their profession.

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

R (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)

methods of assessment: a) written examination (approx. 45 to 60 minutes) or b) log (approx. 10 to 20 pages) or c) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes) or d) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (approx. 20 minutes per candidate) or e) presentation (approx. 20 to 30 minutes); students will be informed about the method and length of the assessment prior to the course

Allocation of places

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Additional information

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Workload

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Laboratory Practical Course II			07-S2-LP2-102-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Coordinator BioCareers		Faculty of Biology	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
10	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of lab course as specified at the beginning of the course; please consult with academic advisory service in advance.	

Contents

This practical coursed is offered by an institution that is part of the University. Contents to be determined by the respective institution.

Intended learning outcomes

Students are familiar with the structures of internal institutions and have developed skills which qualify them to work in their profession.

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

P (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)

methods of assessment: a) written examination (approx. 45 to 60 minutes) or b) log (approx. 10 to 20 pages) or c) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes) or d) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (approx. 20 minutes per candidate) or e) presentation (approx. 20 to 30 minutes); students will be informed about the method and length of the assessment prior to the course

Allocation of places

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Additional information

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Workload

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Teaching cycle

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2011)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Biology (2010)
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Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Biology (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Organisation and Safety in Biosciences			07-SQF-OSB-102-m01

Module coordinator	Module offered by
Coordinator BioCareers	Faculty of Biology

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

Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	--

Contents

Safety procedures in the biosciences, in particular radiation protection, handling of genetically modified organisms, hygiene procedures and hazardous substances, working with lab animals. Fundamental concepts that help ensure an effective and efficient workflow in the biosciences. Structure and organisation of institutions in the bioscience/biotech sector. Process-based project management. HR management in the biosciences, responsibilities of managers/supervisors, appraisal interviews, target agreements, management styles.

Intended learning outcomes

Students have developed a fundamental knowledge of the regulations governing work in the bioscience sector and are familiar with fundamental organisational principles that are relevant for work in research and production. They are also familiar with fundamental principles of process-based project work in the biosciences.

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)

a) written examination (30 to 60 minutes) and b) presentation (approx. 10 minutes) or term paper (approx. 5 to 10 pages)

Allocation of places

Number of places: 15. Should the number of applications exceed the number of available places, places will be allocated as follows: Places will primarily be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits. Should the module be used in other subjects, there will be two quotas: 95% of places will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits and 5% of places (a minimum of one participant in total) will be allocated to students of the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 60 ECTS credits and to students of the Bachelor's degree subjects Computational Mathematics and Mathematik (Mathematics), each with 180 ECTS credits, as part of the application-oriented subject Biology (as well as potentially to students of other 'importing' subjects). Should the number of places available in one quota exceed the number of applications, the remaining places will be allocated to applicants from the other quota. Should there be, within one module component, several courses with a restricted number of places, there will be a uniform regulation for the courses of one module component. In this case, places on all courses of a module component that are concerned will be allocated in a standardised procedure. In this procedure, applicants who already have successfully completed at least one other module component of the respective module will be given preferential consideration. A waiting list will be maintained and places re-allocated as they become available. Selection process group 1 (95%): Places will primarily be allocated according to the applicants' previous academic achievements. For this purpose, applicants will be ranked according to the number of ECTS credits they have achieved and their average grade of all assessments taken during their studies or of all module components in the subject of Biologie (Biology) (excluding Chemie (Chemistry), Physik (Physics), Mathematik (Mathematics)) at the time of application. This will be done as follows: First, applicants will be ranked, firstly, according to their average grade weighted according to the number of ECTS credits (qualitative ranking) and, secondly, according to their total number of ECTS credits achieved (quantitative ranking). The applicants' position in a third ranking will be calculated as the sum of these two rankings, and places will be allocated according to this third ranking. Among applicants with the same ranking, places will be allocated according to the qualitative ranking or otherwise by lot. Selection process group 2 (5%): Places will be allocated according to the following quotas: Quota 1 (50% of places): total number of ECTS credits already achieved in modules/module

components of the Faculty of Biology; among applicants with the same number of ECTS credits achieved, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 2 (25% of places): number of subject semesters of the respective applicant; among applicants with the same number of subject semesters, places will be allocated by lot. Quota 3 (25% of places): allocation by lot. Should the module be used only in the Bachelor's degree subject Biologie (Biology) with 180 ECTS credits, places will be allocated according to the selection process of group 1.

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Workload

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Teaching cycle

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Module appears in

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