

Subdivided Module Catalogue
for the Subject

Ethnomusicology

as a degree subject in a Master's degree programme with 2
majors
(45 ECTS credits)

Examination regulations version: 2016
Responsible: Faculty of Arts, Historical, Philological, Cultural and Geographical
Studies
Responsible: Institute for Musical Research
Responsible: Chair of Ethnomusicology

Learning Outcomes

German contents and learning outcome available but not translated yet.

Wissenschaftliche Befähigung

Das Master-Studienfach Ethnomusikologie wird von der Philosophischen Fakultät der JMU als forschungsorientiertes einfaches Hauptfach mit dem Abschluss „Master of Arts“ (M.A.) angeboten. Ethnomusikologie ist ein interdisziplinäres und international ausgerichtetes Fach, das sowohl musikbezogene als auch soziokulturelle Studien umfasst und Ausbildung in ethnographischer Feldforschung bietet. Es beinhaltet die Untersuchung der Rolle des Musizierens in Kultur und Gesellschaft sowie von Kultur und Gesellschaft in der musikalischen Praxis aus multikultureller und globaler Perspektive. Dieses forschungsorientierte Programm bereitet die Studierenden darauf vor, weiterführende Forschung zu betreiben. Studierende entwickeln Kompetenzen in Interkulturalität und kritischem Denken, um zukünftige Arbeiten im kulturellen, sozialen, öffentlichen und/oder pädagogischen Bereich mit einem breiten Verständnis von Kunst und Kultur aus globalen Perspektiven anzugehen. Nach Abschluss des Studiums sollten Studierende folgende Kompetenzen erworben haben:

- Kenntnisse der historischen und zeitgenössischen ethnomusikologischen Theorie und Fähigkeit, sich tiefgehend und verständnisvoll im theoretischen Diskurs zu engagieren
- Fähigkeit zur Durchführung unabhängiger Forschung, einschließlich zur Sammlung und Analyse ethnomusikologischer Daten und zur sinnvollen Weitergabe von Forschungsergebnissen an WissenschaftlerInnen und die Öffentlichkeit
- generelle Vertrautheit mit verschiedenen Musikpraktiken und ausgewählten Musikkulturen aus aller Welt
- Verständnis für multikulturelle und transkulturelle Vielfalt, Gemeinsamkeiten und Verflechtungen
- Fähigkeit, kritisch über das Verhältnis von Kunst und Gesellschaft nachzudenken, wenn es um akademische, kulturelle, soziale oder pädagogische Arbeit geht;
- spezielle Kenntnisse einer Musikkultur und/oder eines musikalisch-sozialen Themas
- Fähigkeit, Brücken zwischen Wissenschaft und Praxis zu bauen, einschließlich der Fähigkeit, durch Praxis und/oder empirische Arbeit fundierte Theorie zu entwickeln und durch Theorie und Forschung reale Anwendungen anzugehen

Berufsbefähigung

- Interkulturelle und internationale Kompetenzen; Fähigkeit, sich bedeutungsvoll mit Personen verschiedenen Hintergrunds mit Sensibilität und globalem Verständnis zu befassen
- Fähigkeit, vielseitige unabhängige Projekte zu entwerfen und durchzuführen
- Anwendung von Theorie auf die Praxis
- Interdisziplinäre Kompetenzen; Fähigkeit, sich kritisch mit Paradigmen und Denkmodellen, die nicht aus dem eigenen Fachbereich stammen, zu beschäftigen

Persönlichkeitsentwicklung

- Toleranz und Aufgeschlossenheit
- Unabhängigkeit einschließlich unabhängigen Denkens und Fähigkeit, eigenständige Arbeit unabhängig anzulegen; Fähigkeiten zum Selbstlernen/ Selbststudium; Fähigkeit zum Lernen und sich Entwickeln durch verschiedene Übertragungsmethoden, darunter praxisbezogenes sowie literaturbasiertes Lernen
- Fähigkeiten zur Selbsteinschätzung und zum Geben konstruktiven Feedbacks an KollegInnen und KommilitonInnen

Gesellschaftliches Engagement

Die im Folgenden aufgelisteten Befähigungen zum gesellschaftlichen Engagement werden direkt in den Lehrveranstaltungen und weiteren Angeboten der Ethnomusikologie vermittelt.

- Das Studienprogramm weist einen starken Schwerpunkt der Applied Ethnomusicology auf. Applied Ethnomusicology setzt ethnomusikologische Erkenntnisse in musikzentrierten Interventionen in bestimmten Communities in die Praxis um, mit dem Ziel, der Gesellschaft zugute zu kommen. Bei den Interventionen handelt es sich um personenzentrierte, kooperative Partnerschaften, die auf ethnomusikologischer Feldforschung aufbauen und von ethischen Prinzipien der sozialen Verantwortung, der Menschenrechte, der Gegenseitigkeit und der kulturellen sowie musikalischen Gleichheit geleitet werden.
- Ethisches Handeln: Bewusstsein für Fragen des geistigen Eigentums und des Urheberrechts; kritisches Bewusstsein für Intersektionalität und Machtdynamiken; gleichberechtigte Interaktionen mit Studienteilnehmenden und Sicherung des Mehrwerts der Forschungen für die Gesellschaft
- Interkulturelle und internationale Kompetenzen: Fähigkeit, mit Personen verschiedener kultureller Kontexte zu interagieren; Fähigkeit, effektive Kommunikation in einer Fremdsprache bzw. in Fremdsprachen zu betreiben; Bewusstsein für gesamt-kulturelle Sensibilität, für Multikulturalität und globale Dynamiken
- Wissenschaftskommunikation und Anwendung der Forschung im öffentlichen Bereich; Fähigkeit, wissenschaftliche Kenntnisse der Öffentlichkeit bedeutungsvoll zu kommunizieren; Bewusstsein für Strategien zur Erleichterung von forschungsinformierten Aktionen zum Nutzen der Öffentlichkeit; Wertschätzung außerakademischen Wissens

Abbreviations used

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

Term: **SS** = summer semester, **WS** = winter semester

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

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

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

Conventions

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

Notes

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

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

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

In accordance with

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

ASPO2015

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

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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.

The subject is divided into

Abbreviation	Module title	ECTS credits	Method of grading	page
Compulsory Courses (25 ECTS credits)				
04-EM-THE1-161-m01	Theory of Comparative and Historical Ethnomusicology 1	5	NUM	24
04-EM-THE2-161-m01	Theory of Comparative and Historical Ethnomusicology 2	5	B/NB	25
04-EM-REG1-161-m01	Ethnomusicological Regional Research & Ethnography 1	5	NUM	21
04-EM-REG2-161-m01	Ethnomusicological Regional Research & Ethnography 2	5	B/NB	22
04-EM-KUL-161-m01	Cultural Transfer Research, Historical & Contemporary	5	NUM	19
Compulsory Electives (20 ECTS credits)				
In the area of mandatory electives, students must achieve no less than 10 ECTS credits in modules with numerical grading.				
04-EM-SO-161-m01	Sound Studies	5	B/NB	23
04-MW-HT1B-161-m01	Music in a Historical Perspective 1B: Music of Pre-modern Europe 1	5	B/NB	26
04-MW-HT3B-161-m01	Music in a Historical Perspective 3B: Music of Modern Europe 1	5	B/NB	27
04-MW-HT5B-161-m01	Music in a Historical Perspective 5B: Contemporary Music 1	5	B/NB	28
04-EM-AP-161-m01	Non-European Philology	5	B/NB	13
04-EM-EE-161-m01	European Ethnology	5	B/NB	14
04-EM-ETH-161-m01	Ethnology	5	B/NB	15
04-EM-KA-161-m01	Cultural Anthropology	5	B/NB	18
04-EM-GL-161-m01	Music of the 19th, 20th, & 21st Centuries, a Global Perspective	5	NUM	17
04-EM-FLD-161-m01	Ethnomusicological Fieldwork	15	NUM	16
04-EEVK-MA-KUK-161-m01	Cultural theories and techniques	10	NUM	10
04-EEVK-MA-FUE-161-m01	Cultural contact and transfer	10	NUM	9
04-EEVK-MA-AF-161-m01	Current aspects of research in European Ethnology/Folklife Studies	5	B/NB	8
04-EEVK-Einf-2-152-m01	Introduction to European Ethnology/Folklife 2	5	NUM	6
04-EEVK-Einf-3-152-m01	Introduction to European Ethnology/Folklife 3	5	NUM	7
04-EEVK-PEF-152-m01	Project Empirical Research	5	NUM	11
Thesis (30 ECTS credits)				
04-EM-MA-161-m01	Master's Thesis Ethnomusicology/Transcultural Music Studies	25	NUM	20
04-EM-AK-161-m01	Final Oral Examination Ethnomusicology/Transcultural Music Studies	5	NUM	12

Module title		Abbreviation
Introduction to European Ethnology/Folklife 2		04-EEVK-Einf-2-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of European Ethnology/Cultural Analysis		Chair of European Ethnology/Cultural Analysis
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	--
Contents		
Introduction to and overview of sources, source criticism and analysis methods relevant for cultural studies.		
Intended learning outcomes		
Ability to classify subject-specific and to criticise sources. Ability to deal with sources appropriately and scientifically, as well as knowledge of possibilities and limits of archival research with sources.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
presentation (approx. 30 minutes) with position paper (1 to 2 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Pre- and Protohistoric Archaeology (2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) European Ethnology (Minor, 2015) Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Pre- and Protohistoric Archaeology (2015) Bachelor's degree (2 majors) European Ethnology (2015) Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Introduction to European Ethnology/Folklife 3		04-EEVK-Einf-3-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of European Ethnology/Cultural Analysis		Chair of European Ethnology/Cultural Analysis
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	--
Contents		
Introduction to and overview of theories, their field of application and research perspectives of cultural studies.		
Intended learning outcomes		
Ability to use cultural theories independently. Ability to reflect the scope and relationalism of cultural theories critically.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
presentation (approx. 30 minutes) with position paper (1 to 2 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Pre- and Protohistoric Archaeology (2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Museology and material culture (2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) European Ethnology (Minor, 2015) Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Pre- and Protohistoric Archaeology (2015) Bachelor's degree (2 majors) European Ethnology (2015) Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Museology and material culture (2017)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Current aspects of research in European Ethnology/Folklife Studies		04-EEVK-MA-AF-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of European Ethnology/Cultural Analysis		Chair of European Ethnology/Cultural Analysis
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	(not) successfully completed	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
Students participate in a self-chosen multi-day scientific event (conference/congress of the German Society of Cultural Anthropology or a subject-related scientific event of a related science) and reflect in a report about the presentations held there.		
Intended learning outcomes		
Students acquire competences in the area of current scientific researches concerning specialist disciplines that work cultural-scientifically. The students acquire knowledge of current technical discussions regarding current research fields of the European Ethnology/ Cultural Anthropology. They achieve skills in the area of current technical discourses. Students are able to present and reflect the acquired knowledge in written form on scientific conferences.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
P (o) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
report (approx. 5 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016) Master's degree (2 majors) European Ethnology (2016) Master's degree (1 major) European Ethnology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Cultural contact and transfer		04-EEVK-MA-FUE-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of European Ethnology/Cultural Analysis		Chair of European Ethnology/Cultural Analysis
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
10	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
Students acquire detailed knowledge of the area folkloric migration and alterity research; Consolidation and expansion of cultural-scientific methodical expertise; Introduction to and critical dealing with historical as well as current research issues of the folkloric migration and alterity research.		
Intended learning outcomes		
Students achieve skills in order to understand and classify, in a historical and sociocultural context, the migration-historical phenomena of the past and present age as well as they acquire skills concerning the influence of important historico-cultural cultural contacts on the cultural diversity in Europe. Due to their independent analysis, students are able to classify the mentioned phenomena into a larger cultural or social and historical context. Additionally, they are able to deal independently with basic as well as current issues of folkloric questions of significant research institutions as well as with basic questions of folkloric alterity research, which they reflect and combine with their own research results.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
V (2) + S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
presentation (approx. 45 minutes) with position paper (3 to 4 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
300 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016) Master's degree (2 majors) European Ethnology (2016) Master's degree (1 major) European Ethnology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Cultural theories and techniques		04-EEVK-MA-KUK-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of European Ethnology/Cultural Analysis		Chair of European Ethnology/Cultural Analysis
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
10	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
Students acquire detailed knowledge of the area cultural-scientific technology research; Consolidation and expansion of the cultural-scientific methodical expertise; Introduction to and critical dealing with current research issues of the cultural-scientific technology research.		
Intended learning outcomes		
Students acquire different cultural-scientific methods and analysis concepts and understand to apply these to historic sources independently. They are able to classify the results of their autonomous analysis into a larger cultural or discourse-historical context. They also acquire the ability to deal independently with basic as well as current issues of the cultural-scientific technology research and to present these independently. They achieve methods of self-organisation and time management and are able to provide own contributions to research under supervision.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
presentation (approx. 45 minutes) with position paper (3 to 4 pages) and term paper (approx. 20 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
300 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016) Master's degree (2 majors) European Ethnology (2016) Master's degree (1 major) European Ethnology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Project Empirical Research		04-EEVK-PEF-152-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of European Ethnology/Cultural Analysis		Chair of European Ethnology/Cultural Analysis
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	undergraduate	--
Contents		
Introduction to organisation and execution of smaller qualitative empiric research designs, overview of the historic development of folkloric field study, creation and execution of smaller qualitative empiric research.		
Intended learning outcomes		
Ability to evaluate the possibilities and boundaries of qualitative folkloric research designs. Ability to reflect on usage of research methods. Strengthening of capacity for teamwork within the scope of smaller research tasks.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
Ü (4) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
talk (approx. 30 minutes) with position paper (1 to 2 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Pre- and Protohistoric Archaeology (2015) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) European Ethnology (Minor, 2015) Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Pre- and Protohistoric Archaeology (2015) Bachelor's degree (2 majors) European Ethnology (2015) Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Final Oral Examination Ethnomusicology/Transcultural Music Studies		04-EM-AK-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
chairperson of examination committee Musikwissenschaft (Musicology)		Institute for Musical Research
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
In this module, the candidate works on four subject-relevant topics that are clearly distinguished from each other in terms of academic perspective or frame of reference. As a rule, two main topics and two additional topics will be determined with the examiner at the candidate's suggestion. The selection of academic literature and musical examples on which the thesis will be based will be agreed between the candidate and the examiner. The examination interview will be aimed at the proof of professional knowledge, its academic classification and an appropriate linguistic presentation.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The candidate has extensive knowledge of the four selected subject-relevant topics. He/she is able to penetrate the acquired knowledge in an academically adequate manner, to classify and to apply it critically. He/she is able to answer questions in free speech as well as to make competent contributions to an academic and professional exchange in dialogue.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
K (o)		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 45 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Non-European Philology		04-EM-AP-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Ethnomusicology		Institute for Musical Research
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	(not) successfully completed	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
The module deals with the written sources on music theory and/or music practice as non-European peoples. The focus is on dealing with texts as literary sources.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The student has acquired intercultural competences with a non-European philological-literary focus.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
a) presentation (approx. 20 minutes) with handout (approx. 1 page) or b) log (approx. 5 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
European Ethnology		04-EM-EE-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Ethnomusicology		Institute for Musical Research
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	(not) successfully completed	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
This module deals with music as a phenomenon of everyday human culture. The focus is on the European cultural area, but globalisation, inter- and transculturation processes make it necessary to look beyond the borders of Europe.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The student acquires intercultural competences with a European focus and a perspective going beyond the borders of Europe. He/she is able to make theoretically sound statements about music as an everyday culture.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
a) presentation (approx. 20 minutes) with handout (approx. 1 page) or b) log (approx. 5 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Ethnology		04-EM-ETH-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Ethnomusicology		Institute for Musical Research
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	(not) successfully completed	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
This module deals with music as a phenomenon of everyday human culture and its relationship to other phenomena such as economic, social and political organisation, religion, legal concepts, medical knowledge and health-related practices, etc.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The student is able to describe music as everyday culture in functional contexts with social and religious discourses in an academically sound manner.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
a) presentation (approx. 20 minutes) with handout (approx. 1 page) or b) log (approx. 5 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Ethnomusicological Fieldwork		04-EM-FLD-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Ethnomusicology		Institute for Musical Research
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
15	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
The students should independently organise a field research project during the semester or semester break. Observations, impressions and results are communicated to the fellow students during the seminar and presented in the form of a field research report. Knowledge that has already been acquired in previous modules as well as acquired cultural-anthropological and ethnographic skills will be applied in practice.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The student is provided with the necessary academic and organisational skills to independently plan, conduct, archive and evaluate field research.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English Module may be block taught		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
project (field research, preparing and presenting a field report, 250 to 300 hours total) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
450 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016) Master's degree (2 majors) European Ethnology (2016) Master's degree (1 major) European Ethnology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Music of the 19th, 20th, & 21st Centuries, a Global Perspective		04-EM-GL-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Ethnomusicology		Institute for Musical Research
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
This module is designed for students who focus on the main focus of Transcultural Music Studies. It deals with the inter- and transcultural exchange of musical styles and phenomena, which has been particularly noticeable since the 19th century. The focus is on either non-European film music or musical syntheses from a global perspective.		
Intended learning outcomes		
In addition to the acquisition of comprehensive intercultural competence, the student is qualified to understand and analyse synthetic processes between global musical genres and to classify them into their cultural-historical context on the basis of selected examples.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
a) presentation (approx. 45 minutes) with handout (2 to 3 pages) or b) term paper (approx. 20 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016) Master's degree (2 majors) European Ethnology (2016) Master's degree (1 major) European Ethnology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Cultural Anthropology		04-EM-KA-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Ethnomusicology		Institute for Musical Research
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	(not) successfully completed	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
This module studies the human being in its relationship to its music as one of the most important cultural components as well as the mutual relationship between music producers, recipients and musical products. In particular, the different musical concepts, musical actions, physical, psychological, verbal, symbolic and social behaviour and musical manifestations will be covered.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The student is able to theorise and exemplarily explain the reciprocity of music, music production and music reception. He/she has acquired music conceptual, psychological, sociological, semantic and action-theoretical competences, weighted differently depending on the specific subject, in order to systematically describe the connection between people and music.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
a) presentation (approx. 20 minutes) with handout (approx. 1 page) or b) log (approx. 5 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Cultural Transfer Research, Historical & Contemporary		04-EM-KUL-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Ethnomusicology		Institute for Musical Research
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
The module deals with phenomena of popular music in a global context. The contents focus on the reception of non-European music in Europe and North America as well as the confrontation of non-European musicians with Western popular music, the resulting cooperations and syntheses. Aesthetic, commercial and media-technical aspects will be taken into account. Music as an anthropological phenomenon is a primary criterion in the construction of cultural identities. At the same time it proves to be a carrier of intercultural transfer processes. The module will develop central theoretical principles of cultural transfer research in an exemplary manner.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The student acquires intercultural competences. He/she is qualified to theoretically understand general discourses between music cultures and specific intercultural reception and assimilation mechanisms, e.g. specific manifestations of a "Global Pop", and to provide them using examples.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
a) presentation (approx. 20 minutes) with handout (approx. 1 page) or b) log (approx. 5 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016) Master's degree (2 majors) European Ethnology (2016) Master's degree (1 major) European Ethnology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Master's Thesis Ethnomusicology/Transcultural Music Studies		04-EM-MA-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
chairperson of examination committee Musikwissenschaft (Musicology)		Institute for Musical Research
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
25	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
In this module a self-written text on an ethnomusicological topic will be worked out with the support of a tutor*. Under guidance, the candidates will choose a suitable subject. The students develop and define the question and aim of their project. The candidates will write a text that meets academic standards in terms of method and linguistic presentation, taking into account the relevant academic literature and applying appropriate methods, including the evaluation of field research material if necessary.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The candidate has the academic knowledge and methods that enable him/her to work largely independently on a defined topic. He/she has the linguistic skills for differentiated analysis and presentation of ethnomusicological problems. With the support of the supervisor, he/she is technically and organisationally able to write an ethnomusicological study that complies with the rules of good scientific practice.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
No courses assigned to module		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
Master's thesis (approx. 60 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
Time to complete: 5 months.		
Workload		
750 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Ethnomusicological Regional Research & Ethnography 1		04-EM-REG1-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Ethnomusicology		Institute for Musical Research
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
The central theoretical and practical features of ethnomusicological regional research are taught, taking into account the methods of affine cultural studies and humanities disciplines. Music is covered not only as an aesthetic phenomenon, but also in its respective anthropological, socio-cultural and religious context. Students will also be provided with the basics of the study of performance and historical performance practice in traditional cultures.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The student is qualified to theoretically understand the basics of musical regional research and, if necessary, general discourses of historical performance practice on the basis of a specific regional culture. One objective here can also be the acquisition of practical music competences.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
term paper (approx. 20 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016) Master's degree (2 majors) European Ethnology (2016) Master's degree (1 major) European Ethnology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Ethnomusicological Regional Research & Ethnography 2		04-EM-REG2-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Ethnomusicology		Institute for Musical Research
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	(not) successfully completed	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
The event is dedicated to the question of the role of music as an anthropological phenomenon and as a traditional cultural asset in the construction of cultural memories and identities.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The student is qualified to theoretically understand the basics of Music Anthropology and, if necessary, general discourses on identity issues.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
a) presentation (approx. 20 minutes) with handout (approx. 1 page) or b) log (approx. 5 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016) Master's degree (2 majors) European Ethnology (2016) Master's degree (1 major) European Ethnology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Sound Studies		04-EM-SO-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Ethnomusicology		Institute for Musical Research
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	(not) successfully completed	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
This module is offered by the Institute for Media Didactics. The students learn how to handle sound and image recording devices. They will become acquainted with the work in a sound studio and become familiar with the hardware and software used there (for post-processing, editing etc.)		
Intended learning outcomes		
The student acquires knowledge in the field of sound and image processing. He/she is prepared for the phase after the successful completion of the field research and is technically able to handle the collected ethnographic material and to process and present it appropriately.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
practical examination (25 to 30 hours total) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Theory of Comparative and Historical Ethnomusicology 1		04-EM-THE1-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Ethnomusicology		Institute for Musical Research
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	numerical grade	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
The various theories and methods underlying ethnomusicological research in its comparative as well as historical dimension are developed. In terms of content, the focus is on cultural, music anthropological and sociological aspects as well as ethnographic methods of field research and transcription techniques. The course deals with the ethnographically different methods and techniques of transcription and documentation of orally transmitted music.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The student has acquired basic music anthropological and ethnographic competences. He/she has learnt how to deal with traditional (music) cultures and is qualified to theoretically understand general discourses of musical writing and to provide them in an exemplary manner.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
term paper (approx. 20 pages) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Theory of Comparative and Historical Ethnomusicology 2		04-EM-THE2-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Ethnomusicology		Institute for Musical Research
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	(not) successfully completed	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	--
Contents		
The course deals with the phenomenon of musical writing in a global context. The different notation approaches (descriptive/prescriptive) will be discussed and illustrated by examples.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The student acquires the basic methodological competence to transfer music fixed with the help of a foreign musical notation into one they are familiar with.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2) Module taught in: German and/or English		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
written exercises (5 to 10 exercises, 1 to 2 pages each) Language of assessment: German and/or English		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Music in a Historical Perspective 1B: Music of Pre-modern Europe 1		04-MW-HT1B-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Musicology II		Institute for Musical Research
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	(not) successfully completed	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	May not be combined with 04-MW-HT1N.
Contents		
In this module, the sources, musical testimonies and cultural-historical conditions of European music history from antiquity to the end of the Middle Ages (around 1420) and their music-historiographical interpretation are studied. The focus is on phenomena and historical processes in the field of music and musical thinking. Using significant examples, specific methods of the Humanities (such as philological, descriptive, comparative and analytical working methods) and of speaking about music (such as specialist terminology and use of metaphor) are taught, reflected and practised.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The student has a sound knowledge of European music history from antiquity to the end of the Middle Ages, of its sources and its phenomena. He/she is able to classify these in a reflected manner into historical contexts. He/she is familiar with key problems of music historical research within this period. On this basis, he/she is able to present and interpret music-historical phenomena independently, sophisticatedly and method-consciously.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2)		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
a) log (approx. 10,000 characters) or b) presentation (20 to 30 minutes) or c) written assignment to be completed at home (approx. 10,000 characters)		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Musicology (2016) Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016) Master's degree (1 major) Musicology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Music in a Historical Perspective 3B: Music of Modern Europe 1		04-MW-HT3B-161-m01
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Chair of Musicology I		Institute for Musical Research
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	(not) successfully completed	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	May not be combined with 04-MW-HT3N.
Contents		
In this module, the sources, musical testimonies and cultural-historical conditions of European music history since the early modern period (around 1420) and their music-historiographical interpretation are studied. The focus is on persons, phenomena and processes of music history. Using significant examples, specific methods of the Humanities (such as philological, descriptive, comparative and analytical working methods) and of speaking about music (such as technical terminology and use of metaphor) are taught, reflected and practised.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The student has a sound knowledge of European music history of the early modern period, its sources and its phenomena. He/she is able to classify this in a reflected manner into historical contexts. On this basis, he/she is able to present and interpret music-historical phenomena independently, sophisticatedly and method-consciously.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2)		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
a) log (approx. 10,000 characters) or b) presentation (20 to 30 minutes) or c) written assignment to be completed at home (approx. 10,000 characters)		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Musicology (2016) Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016) Master's degree (1 major) Musicology (2016)		

Module title		Abbreviation
Music in a Historical Perspective 5B: Contemporary Music 1		o4-MW-HT5B-161-mo1
Module coordinator		Module offered by
holder of the Professorship of Contemporary Music		Institute for Musical Research
ECTS	Method of grading	Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
5	(not) successfully completed	--
Duration	Module level	Other prerequisites
1 semester	graduate	May not be combined with o4-MW-HT5N.
Contents		
In this module, peculiarities of music that has been composed since the middle of the 20th century, pop music and music-related event forms of contemporary art are studied. Artists, art-organising institutions and students are networked in project-oriented teaching rooms. In this teaching rooms, knowledge and experience about art, working processes and sessions will be thematised in an interdisciplinary context.		
Intended learning outcomes		
The student has a sound knowledge of contemporary music as well as sound knowledge of selected sub-areas. He/she is able to develop research questions on music since 1950, apply methods of research and analysis and assess the relationship of multimedia technology and aesthetics. He/she is skilled in appropriate communication with artists and/or relevant institutions. He/she has gained experience in project-oriented teamwork in which contemporary art and science have worked together.		
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)		
S (2)		
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)		
a) log (approx. 10,000 characters) or b) presentation (20 to 30 minutes) or c) written assignment to be completed at home (approx. 10,000 characters)		
Allocation of places		
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Additional information		
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Workload		
150 h		
Teaching cycle		
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)		
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Module appears in		
Master's degree (2 majors) Musicology (2016) Master's degree (2 majors) Ethnomusicology (2016) Master's degree (1 major) Musicology (2016) Master's degree (1 major) Ethnomusicology (2020)		