Annex SFB

Studienfachbeschreibung (subject description, SFB) for the subject
Philosophy as a Master’s with 1 major
with the degree "Master of Arts" (120 ECTS credits)

Responsible: Faculty of Human Sciences
Responsible: Institute of Philosophy

Examination regulations version: 2016
Examination regulations version: 2016

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

Information on assessment procedures:
- 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 a 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)):


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.

Every module will be described using the following form:

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<th>Abbreviation</th>
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### Compulsory Courses (45 ECTS credits)

Two of the modules P1 to P4 must be assessed by a term paper, two must be assessed by an oral examination.

#### 06-PhM-P1-161-m01
**Systematical Philosophy: Theoretical Philosophy**
- **ECTS**: 10
- **Duration**: 1 semester
- **Method of grading**: numerical grade
- **Modul level**: graduate
- **Courses**: S (2)
- **Method of assessment**: term paper (approx. 20 pages) or oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes)

#### 06-PhM-P2-161-m01
**Systematical Philosophy: Practical Philosophy**
- **ECTS**: 10
- **Duration**: 1 semester
- **Method of grading**: numerical grade
- **Modul level**: graduate
- **Courses**: S (2)
- **Method of assessment**: term paper (approx. 20 pages) or oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes)

#### 06-PhM-P3-161-m01
**History of Philosophy: Ancient Philosophy**
- **ECTS**: 10
- **Duration**: 1 semester
- **Method of grading**: numerical grade
- **Modul level**: graduate
- **Courses**: S (2)
- **Method of assessment**: term paper (approx. 20 pages) or oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes)

#### 06-PhM-P4-161-m01
**History of Philosophy: Medieval and Modern Philosophy**
- **ECTS**: 10
- **Duration**: 1 semester
- **Method of grading**: numerical grade
- **Modul level**: graduate
- **Courses**: S (2)
- **Method of assessment**: term paper (approx. 20 pages) or oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes)

#### 06-PhM-P5-161-m01
**Disputation of one’s own research theses**
- **ECTS**: 5
- **Duration**: 1 semester
- **Method of grading**: (not) successfully completed
- **Modul level**: graduate
- **Courses**: Ü (2)
- **Method of assessment**: presentation (approx. 35 minutes) or oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 20 minutes)

### Compulsory Electives (45 ECTS credits)

#### Electives Area A (40 ECTS credits)

Three modules from elective area A must be assessed by a term paper.

#### 06-PhM-W1-161-m01
**Theoretical Philosophy, deepened**
- **ECTS**: 10
- **Duration**: 1 semester
- **Method of grading**: numerical grade
- **Modul level**: graduate
- **Courses**: S (2)
- **Method of assessment**: term paper (approx. 20 pages) or oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes)

#### 06-PhM-W2-161-m01
**Practical Philosophy, deepened**
- **ECTS**: 10
- **Duration**: 1 semester
- **Method of grading**: numerical grade
- **Modul level**: graduate
- **Courses**: S (2)
- **Method of assessment**: term paper (approx. 20 pages) or oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes)
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Electives Area B (5 ECTS credits)

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Thesis (30 ECTS credits)

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Method of assessment: Master’s thesis (approx. 80 pages)
Language of assessment: German or English