Annex SFB

Studienfachbeschreibung (subject description, SFB) for the subject
Philosophy as a degree subject in a Bachelor’s degree programme with 2 majors
with the Degree (85 ECTS credits)

Responsible: Faculty of Human Sciences
Responsible: Institute of Philosophy

Examination regulations version: 2013
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Abbreviations used:
- Course types: **E** = field trip, **K** = colloquium, **O** = conversatorium, **P** = placement/lab course, **R** = project, **S** = seminar, **T** = tutorial, **Ü** = exercise, **V** = lecture
- Term: **SS** = summer semester, **WS** = winter semester
- Methods of grading: **NUM** = numerical grade, **B/NB** = (not) successfully completed
- Regulations: **(L)ASPO** = general academic and examination regulations (for teaching-degree programmes), **FSB** = subject-specific provisions, **SFB** = list of modules
- Other: **A** = thesis, **LV** = course(s), **PL** = assessment(s), **TN** = participants, **VL** = prerequisite(s)

Conventions 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:

**ASPO2009**

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

**27-Feb-2013 (2013-22)**

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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Bacheor's degree programme with 2 majors Philosophy (2013)
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**Courses**

This module comprises 3 module components. Information on courses will be listed separately for each module component.
- 06-B-P1-1-122: Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)
- 06-B-P1-2-122: S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)
- 06-B-P1-3-122: V + S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

**Method of assessment**

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 06-B-P1-1-122:** Introduction to academic working techniques
- 2 ECTS, Method of grading: (not) successfully completed
- 1 small written assessment (approx. 1 page) and/or 1 oral assessment (approx. 5 minutes)
- Other prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises (a maximum of 2 incidents of unexcused absence).

**Assessment in module component 06-B-P1-2-122:** Introduction to formal logic
- 3 ECTS, Method of grading: (not) successfully completed
- Written examination (approx. 90 minutes)
- Other prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of seminar (a maximum of 2 incidents of unexcused absence).

**Assessment in module component 06-B-P1-3-122:** Principles of Philosophy: historical epochs, main works, authors Principles of Philosophy: historical epochs, main works, authors
- 5 ECTS, Method of grading: numerical grade
- Oral examination (approx. 25 minutes)
- Other prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of seminar (a maximum of 2 incidents of unexcused absence).

**Other prerequisites**

By way of exception, additional prerequisites are listed in the section on assessments.
## Philosophy and the sciences

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### Courses
- 06-B-P2-1-102: V + S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)
- 06-B-P2-2-102: V + S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

### Method of assessment
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 06-B-P2-1-102:
- Philosophical principles of arts and humanities
- 5 ECTS, Method of grading: numerical grade
- written examination (approx. 90 minutes)
- Other prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of seminar (a maximum of 2 incidents of unexcused absence).

#### Assessment in module component 06-B-P2-2-102:
- Philosophical principles of natural sciences and technology
- 5 ECTS, Method of grading: numerical grade
- written examination (approx. 90 minutes)
- Other prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of seminar (a maximum of 2 incidents of unexcused absence).

### Method of assessment
By way of exception, additional prerequisites are listed in the section on assessments.

### Participants and allocation of places
- Only as part of pool of general key skills (ASQ): max. 20 places. Places will be allocated according to the number of subject semesters. Among applicants with the same number of subject semesters, places will be allocated by lot.

#### Theoretical Philosophy
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### Courses
V + S + S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

### Method of assessment
oral examination (approx. 25 minutes) in one of the seminars (seminar to be selected by students)

### Practical Philosophy
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### Courses
V + S + S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

### Method of assessment
written examination (approx. 90 minutes) in one of the seminars (seminar to be selected by students)

### History of Philosophy
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### Courses
V + S + S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

### Method of assessment
written examination (approx. 90 minutes) in one of the seminars (seminar to be selected by students)

### Other prerequisites
Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of seminars (a maximum of 2 incidents of unexcused absence per course).
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**Compulsory Electives (15 ECTS credits)**

- **Basic disciplines of theoretical philosophy**
  - ECTS: 5
  - Duration: 1 semester
  - Method of Grading: Numerical grade
  - Modul Level: Undergraduate
  - Courses: S (no information on SWS and course language available)
  - Other Prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of seminar (a maximum of 2 incidents of unexcused absence).

- **Specific disciplines of theoretical philosophy**
  - ECTS: 5
  - Duration: 1 semester
  - Method of Grading: Numerical grade
  - Modul Level: Undergraduate
  - Courses: S (no information on SWS and course language available)
  - Other Prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of seminar (a maximum of 2 incidents of unexcused absence).

- **Basic disciplines of practical philosophy**
  - ECTS: 5
  - Duration: 1 semester
  - Method of Grading: Numerical grade
  - Modul Level: Undergraduate
  - Courses: S (no information on SWS and course language available)
  - Other Prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of seminar (a maximum of 2 incidents of unexcused absence).

- **Specific disciplines of practical philosophy**
  - ECTS: 5
  - Duration: 1 semester
  - Method of Grading: Numerical grade
  - Modul Level: Undergraduate
  - Courses: S (no information on SWS and course language available)
  - Other Prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of seminar (a maximum of 2 incidents of unexcused absence).

- **History of philosophy; Problems**
  - ECTS: 5
  - Duration: 1 semester
  - Method of Grading: Numerical grade
  - Modul Level: Undergraduate
  - Courses: S (no information on SWS and course language available)
  - Other Prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of seminar (a maximum of 2 incidents of unexcused absence).
### Problems of Modern Philosophy

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**Method of assessment:** term paper (approx. 12 pages)

**other prerequisites:** Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of seminar (a maximum of 2 incidents of unexcused absence).

### Thesis (10 ECTS credits)

Students may also choose to write their theses in their second majors or to write an interdisciplinary thesis.

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**Method of assessment:** written thesis (approx. 30 pages)

### Bachelor Thesis Philosophy

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**Method of assessment:** written thesis (approx. 30 pages)

### Subject-specific Key Skills (5-10 ECTS credits)

Cf. Section 3 Subsection 5 FSB (subject-specific provisions). Completion of module 06-B-S4 is mandatory.

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**Method of assessment:** oral assessment during lecture period

**other prerequisites:** Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises (a maximum of 2 incidents of unexcused absence).

### Reading of foreign-language texts in philosophy

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**Method of assessment:** short presentation (approx. 20 minutes) or translation (approx. 10 pages)

**other prerequisites:** Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises (a maximum of 2 incidents of unexcused absence).

### Disputation of one’s own philosophical theses

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**Method of assessment:** presentation of the candidate’s own texts/assumptions (approx. 30 minutes), active moderation and discussion of assumptions formulated by other participants

**other prerequisites:** Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance of exercises (a maximum of 2 incidents of unexcused absence).