

Master of Arts European Studies								Rules and Regulations 2019		
Module title		European Political Economy								
Module 4 Compulsory module 952001040	Credit points	Weekly semester hours	Student workload (total)	Required classroom hours	Required self-study hours	Period	Frequency of course offering	Stage of study		
	5	2 SWS	150 h	30 h	120 h	1 semester	Every autumn semester	1st semester		
Learning objective		The module provides a thorough overview of selected research literature in the field of international and European political economy as well as theoretical approaches relevant for further research in the area, seen as an intersection of economics and political sciences. Thus, the module provides the students with an insight into interdisciplinary approach to Europe.								
Professional competence		Students receive and are able to survey an in-depth overview of selected research literature and current relevant textbooks in the field of European political economy. They can explain interdependencies between European and global politics and economics and give examples of relevant developments from the past and the present. The module covers many aspects of internal/global/international governance like the tasks and roles of relevant actors such as the IMF, WTO, UNFCCC etc. The overview aspect allows the inclusion of a discussion on many actual discussed problems, e.g. the Euro governance, the CETA/TTIP-agreements or the future of the Paris agreement								
Methodological competence		The scope of the module includes the integration of different theoretical approaches in international and European political economy, from the economic trade theory to development economics or migration theories. The students are able to discuss and explain the relevant theories thus the module provides them with the necessary comprehension needed for further research.								
Interpersonal competence		Students can explain the tasks and the roles of transnational institutions and classify their contribution to European and global politics and the economy. Students can assess actual political challenges in terms of their continental and global outreach, as well as develop the ability to criticize core arguments and theories. Students develop their presentation and discussion skills.								
Teaching and learning formats		Seminar								
Module coordinator		Professorship in Social- and Educational Economics (Prof. Dr. Gerd Grözinger)								
Module prerequisites		None								
Module transferability		M.A. European Studies								
Sub-modules										
Nr.	Title	Teaching method	Weekly semester hours	Compulsory/ compulsory elective	Examination type	Graded?	Planned group size	Student workload		
								Classroom hours	Class preparation and review	Exam preparation and review
1.	European Political Economy	Seminar	2	Compulsory			42	30	60	
x	Module examination				Paper including presentation	Yes				60
Notes on the module examination:		Research paper (10-15 pages) and presentation (30 minutes)								
Comments/ Other:										
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