Empirical International Economics					
<b>Module no.</b> 075 040	Credits 10 CP	Workload 300 h	<b>Term</b> 13. Sem.	<b>Frequency</b> Irregularly	<b>Duration</b> 1 Semester
Courses a) Seminar b) Tutorial			Contact hrs a) 2 SWS b) 1 SWS	Self-Study 266.25 h	Group size 20 students
<b>Language</b> English			<b>Prerequisites</b> Depending on the seminar topic, successful completion of the module "International Trade" or "Growth and Development Economics". In addition, good knowledge of econometrics.		

**Registration** The registration is made via FlexNow within the period announced by the examination office.

Specialisations / Classifications Economic Policy Consulting MSc.		
Compulsory Module (20 ECTS)	X	International and Spatial Economics
Empirical Economics		Umweltmanagement, Ressourcen und Energie
Entrepreneurship, Innovation und Transformation	X	Elective module

Ma	Management and Economics MSc.			
	Accounting & Auditing		Production management	
	Entrepreneurship, Innovation & Transformation	X	Development Economics	
	Banking & Finance		Statistics & Econometrics	
	Governance Systems		National Security Economics	
	Business Taxation		Theoretical & Applied Microeconomics	
Χ	International Finance		Energy and Environmental Economics	
	Controlling		General Economics	
	Sales & Innovation		General Management	
	Data Science & Quantitative Analysis			

Finance, Accounting, Auditing, Controlling, & Taxation MSc.		
Core module (25 ECTS)		Finance
Accounting		Auditing
Controlling		Taxation
Compulsory elective (20 ECTS)	X	Elective module (max. 15)

Sales Management MSc.			
	Compulsory module (45 ECTS)	Χ	Elective module (max. 20 ECTS)

## Compulsory elective (min. 15 ECTS)

Economics MSc.			
	Core module (30 ECTS)	X	Elective in Economics (min. 75 ECTS)
Χ	International Economics and Finance		Elective in Management (max. 15 ECTS)
	Economic Policy		

Management MSc.			
Accounting, Finance, Taxation	Elective in Management (min. 60 ECTS)		
Operations and Service Management	X Elective in Economics (max. 30 ECTS)		
Marketing			

## Learning outcomes

Seminar participants will broaden and deepen their knowledge of international and/or development economics as well as econometrics. They will create their own dataset, analyse and run econometric models and write their own research paper. They will also present and discuss their findings in class.

## Content

This is a course in applied empirical methods in international economics, with a heavy emphasis on international trade and/or development economics. Focussing on a specific empirical research question, students will setup their empirical model, collect data, run regressions, write a research paper, and present the findings in class. To help students to conduct their research, an introduction into the econometric software package STATA will be offered (in the tutorial).

## **Teaching methods**

Seminar (writing of seminar paper, presentations and discussions)

# Mode of assessment

The module examination consists of a written seminar paper and the presentation of the paper (max. 50 points each). The module score is then calculated on a point scale from zero to 100 points. Students can achieve bonus points for active class participation.

# **Requirement for the award of credit points**

Credit points are awarded after successfully passing the module examination (written seminar paper and presentation). Students must achieve at least 50% of the attainable points to obtain credit points for the module.

# Weight of the mark for the final score (based on a required coursework of 120 ECTS) $8,3\ \%$

Module coordinator and lecturer(s)

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Learning material and relevant literature

Will be announced in the seminar.

# **Further information**