

<b>Case Studies in International Economics</b>					
<b>Module no.</b>	<b>Credits</b> 5 CP	<b>Workload</b> 150 h	<b>Term</b> x. Sem.	<b>Frequency</b> Summer or Winter	<b>Duration</b> 1 Semester
<b>Courses</b> Seminar			<b>Contact hrs</b> 2 SWS	<b>Self-Study</b> 127.5 h	<b>Group size</b> 24 students
<b>Language</b> English			<b>Prerequisites</b> Depending on the focus of the seminar, simultaneous or prior participation in the modules “Foundations of International Trade” or “International Finance” is required.		
<b>Registration</b> The registration is made via FlexNow within the period announced by the examination office.					
<b>Module application</b>			Compulsory Module Basic Phase		
			Compulsory Module Profiling Phase		
		<b>X</b>	Elective Economics		
			Elective Management		
			Elective Law of Economics		
<b>Specializations</b>			Finance, Accounting, Auditing, Controlling and Taxation (FAACT)		
			Sales Management		
			Entrepreneurship, Innovation and Transformation		
			Environment, Resources and Energy		
		<b>X</b>	Regional, International Development		
			General Management and Economics		
			Data Science and Quantitative Economics		
<b>Learning outcomes</b> Seminar participants will broaden and deepen their knowledge of international economics. They will apply fundamental international trade or finance theories in form of case studies. That involves the analysis of current economic challenges in international economics. In addition, participants will apply the bases of scientific work by writing a seminar paper.					
<b>Content</b> Based on either the lecture “Foundations of International Trade” or the lecture “International Finance”, the seminar will cover current topics in international economics, for example, trade protectionism or international financial crises. Participants will write a seminar paper that addresses a specific economic challenge. That includes a theoretical foundation, combined with empirical evidence and economic policy implications.					
<b>Teaching methods</b> Seminar (writing of seminar paper, presentations and discussions)					
<b>Mode of assessment</b> The module examination consists of a written seminar paper. An additional course achievement can be accomplished in the form of an oral presentation of the seminar paper, for which bonus points can be earned. A maximum of 75 points can be earned for the seminar paper and a maximum of 25 bonus points for the presentation. The module score then results from a scale of points ranging from zero to 100 points. The bonus points will also be credited if the seminar paper would not have been passed without the bonus points.					
<b>Requirement for the award of credit points</b> Credit points are awarded after successfully passing the module examination (written seminar paper). Participation in the module examination requires that the student has previously presented parts of his/her seminar paper, in which at least 50% of the attainable points have been achieved.					
<b>Weight of the mark for the final score (based on a required coursework of 180 ECTS)</b>					

<b>Module coordinator and lecturer(s)</b>
Busse or Kruse-Becher with assistants
<b>Learning material and relevant literature</b>
Will be announced in the seminar.
<b>Further information</b>
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