Course Catalogue

for the Master’s Programme in Political Economy

First Year/Second Year

Winter Semester 2018/2019

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Course Advice for Students of the
Master's Programme in Political Economy

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Dates of the Winter Semester 2018/2019

Welcome Programme for new Master's students: Monday, 15th October 2018, 14:00
Lectures begin: Monday, 22nd October 2018
Lecture-free period: Friday, 22nd December 2018 – Friday, 5th January 2019
Lectures end: Friday, 16th February 2019

Registration period of the Department of Economics:

Seminar registration period for Summer Semester 2019: Tuesday, 22nd January – Monday, 28th January 2019
Exam Registration period: Tuesday, 22nd January – Monday, 28th January 2019
Examination period I: Wednesday, 13th February – Saturday, 02nd March 2019
Exam Registration period: Tuesday, 19th March – Monday, 25th March 2019
Examination period II: Saturday, 30th March– Thursday, 18th April 2019

Registration periods of the Department of Politics and Public Administration:

Exam registration period: tba
Registration period II: tba
Examination Dates: https://www.polver.uni-konstanz.de/service/formalitaeten/fristen-und-termine/
PREPARATION COURSES FOR NEW MASTER’S STUDENTS  
(free of charge, no registration necessary)

offered by the Dept. of Economics:

Prep Course Microeconomics
E.Brox / K.Bätz

Monday, 15/10/2018, 10:00 – 13:15, G 305
Tuesday, 16/10/2018, 10:00 – 13:15 & 14:00 – 17:15, F 428
Wednesday, 17/10/2018, 10:00 – 13:15 & 14:00 – 17:15, F 428
Thursday, 18/10/2018, 10:00 – 13:15 & 14:00 – 17:15, F 428
Friday, 19/10/2018, 10:00 – 13:15 & 14:00 – 17:15, F 428

Essay Writing in Political Science and Economics
K.Bätz

Monday, 22/10/2018, 17:00 – 18:30, F 427
Wednesday, 24/10/2018, 17:00 – 18:30, F 427
Friday, 26/10/2018, 17:00 – 18:30, F 427

PREP 1: Advanced Econometrics
A. Simmet
(Duration 5 days)

Wednesday, 10/10/2018, 13:30 – 16:45, room tba
Thursday, 11/10/2018, 13:30 – 16:45, room tba
Friday, 12/10/2018, 13:30 – 16:45, room tba
Monday, 15/10/2018, 13:30 – 16:45, room tba
Tuesday, 16/10/2018, 13:30 – 16:45, room tba

See ZEuS: [https://zeus.uni-konstanz.de:443/hioserver/pages/startFlow.xhtml?flowId=showEvent-flow&unitId=4001&termYear=2018&termTypeValueId=2&navigationPosition=studiesOffered%2CsearchCourses](https://zeus.uni-konstanz.de:443/hioserver/pages/startFlow.xhtml?flowId=showEvent-flow&unitId=4001&termYear=2018&termTypeValueId=2&navigationPosition=studiesOffered%2CsearchCourses)

PREP 2: Quantitative Methods in Economics
J. Alasalmi
(Duration: 8 days, 17/10 – 26/10/2018)

tba

offered by the Dept. of Politics and Public Administration:

Preparatory Course: Research Methods and Statistics
M. Herrmann

Friday, 10:00 – 13:15, R 513, ends 30/11/2018
1. Methods

Research Design I, 2+2 hours (9 ECTS)  
P. Selb  
Tuesday, 11:45 – 13:15, R 712  
Tutorials:  
tba

Applied Econometrics, 2 + 2 hours (6 ECTS)  
R. Brüggemann  
Friday, 10:00 - 11:30, F 429  
/ S. Maurer

Computer Tutorial:  
M. Daniele  
Monday, 13:30 – 15:00, CIP Pool BS 217  
/ M. Strazzeri

2. Foundational Courses in Economics

Advanced Microeconomics I, 3 hours (10 ECTS)  
S. Goldlücke  
Tuesday, 10:00-11:30, room tba  
/ L.Bellani  
Thursday, 10:00-11:30, room tba

Tutorial: Advanced Microeconomics I, 2 hours  
Group A: Tuesday, 17:00 – 18:30, room tba  
M. Jordan  
Group B: Wednesday, 17:00 – 18:30, room tba  
G. Fechteler  
Group B: Thursday, 15:15 – 16:45, room tba  
M. Janas

Advanced Macroeconomics I, 3 hours (10 ECTS)  
V. Hahn  
Monday, 10:00-11:30, room tba  
Wednesday, 10:00-11:30, room tba

Tutorial: Advanced Macroeconomics I, 2 hours  
Group A: Tuesday, 15:15 – 16:45, G 309  
A. Di Nola  
Group B: Wednesday, 15:15 – 16:45, E 404  
Group C:Thursday, 13:30 – 15:00, F 424
3. Foundational Courses in Political Science

International Relations and European Integration, 2 hours (7 ECTS)  
T. Wegenast  
Tuesday, 10:00 – 11:30, G 309

Comparative Public Policy and Politics, 2 hours (7 ECTS)  
M. Busemeyer  
Group A: Tuesday, 13:30 – 15:00, D 301  
Group B: Tuesday, 15:15 – 16:45, D 301

4. Advanced Seminars

Department of Economics

Numerical Methods in Finance (6 ECTS)  
J. Jackwerth  
Kick off: 05/11/18, 09:00, F 208  
Block: 25/01/19, 08:15 - 18:30, 26/01/19, 08:15 - 18:30, H 309  

Big Data in Economics and Finance, 2 hours (6 ECTS)  
W. Pohlmeier / R. Halbleib  
Kick off: 22/10/18, 17:00, F 208  
Block: 11/04/19, 09:00 -17:00 & 12/04/19, 09:00 – 17:00, F208  
https://www.wiwi.uni-konstanz.de/pohlmeier/teaching/courses-of-winter-term/

Seminar in Macroeconomics (6 ECTS)  
A. Scholl  
Kick off: 23/10/18, 11:45 - 13:15, F 208  
Block: 18/01/19 &19/01/19, 08:00-18:00, H 303  
https://www.wiwi.uni-konstanz.de/scholl/teaching/current-teaching/master-seminar/

Topics in Political Economy and Redistribution (6 ECTS)  
L. Bellani  
Kick off: 22/10/18, 15:00 – 16:45, F 208  
Block: 25/01/19, 10:00 – 18:30, F 425 & 26/01/19, 8:15 – 18:30, F 429  
https://www.wiwi.uni-konstanz.de/bellani/

Behavioral Public Economics (6 ECTS)  
S. Fehrler  
Kick-Off: 25/10/18, 17:00 - 20:00, F 425  
Block: 25/01/19 & 26/01/19, 09:45 - 17:45  
https://www.wiwi.uni-konstanz.de/fehrler/teaching/seminars/
Department of Politics & Administration

Students are allowed to choose between all provided courses of the Master’s Module “Applied Methods and Theories” (Master’s Programme in Political and Administrative Science). However, students are advised to choose courses of either the module “Comparative Politics and Policy Analysis” or the module “International Relations and European Integration”.

Program: International Relations and European Integration, seminar: 2 hours (7 ECTS)

International Conflict Resolution
Wednesday, 08:15 – 9:45, C 422
C. Koos

Netzwerke in Politik, Management und Verwaltung
Thursday, 11:45 – 13:15, G 227a
V. Schneider
/Holzer/Witting, Malang)

Political Impacts of Information Technology
Monday, 15:15 – 16:45, D 435
S. Ziaja

Natural Resource Governance and Sustainable Local Livelihoods
Tuesday, 10:00 – 11:30, C 358
T. Wegenast

Program: Comparative Politics and Policy Analysis, seminar: 2 hours (7 ECTS)

Political Economy of Development
Monday, 17:00 – 18:30, Y 310
A. Rink

Netzwerke in Politik, Management und Verwaltung
Thursday, 11:45 – 13:15, G 227a
V. Schneider
/Holzer/Witting, Malang)

Autocracy and Democracy: Concept and Measurement
Tuesday, 17:00 – 18:30, G 300
S. Ziaja

Political Impacts of Information Technology
Monday, 15:15 – 16:45, D 435
S. Ziaja

Bildungspolitik und Bildungsverwaltung im internationalen Vergleich
Thursday, 15:15 – 16:45, L 602
M. Dobbins
## Timetable

**Methods, Foundational Courses in Economics, Foundational Courses in Political Science, Winter Semester 18/19**

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L = Lecture, T = Tutorial, S= Seminar
PREVIEW SUMMER SEMESTER 2019

1. Methods

Econometrics I, 3 + 2 hours (8 ECTS)
Research Design II (9 ECTS)

2. Foundational Courses in Economics

Political Economy (8 ECTS)

3. Foundational Courses in Political Science

International Political Economy and International Organization (7 ECTS)
Comparative Political Economy (7 ECTS)

4. Advanced Seminars

Seminars to be announced