Subject to change in conjunction with the move to online teaching. Check the lecturers’ websites for updates!

Course Catalogue

for the Master’s Programme in Political Economy

First Year/Second Year

Summer Semester 2020

Version: 15/04/2020
Course Advice for Students of the Master's Programme in Political Economy

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Dates of the Summer Semester 2020

Lectures begin: Tuesday, 20th April 2020
Lectures end: Saturday, 18th July 2020

Registration period of the Department of Economics:

Exam registration period: 23rd June – 29th June 2020
Examination period I: 9th July – 1st August 2020

Exam registration period: 15th September – 21st September 2020
Examination period II: 8th October – 31st October 2020

Seminar registration period for
Winter Semester 2020/21: 23rd June – 29th June 2020

Registration periods of the Department of Politics and Public Administration:

Exam registration period I: 01st May – 15th June 2020
Exam registration period II: 11th September – 16th September 2020

Dates of the Winter Semester 2020/21

Lectures begin: Monday, 26th October 2020
Lecture-free period: 24th December, 2020 – 6th January, 2021
Lectures end: Saturday, 13th February 2021
Attention: changed registration procedure due to COVID-19 at the Dept. of Politics and Public Administration (registration deadline: 16/04/2020) !!!

Check out the link above to register for the political science master seminars !!!

1. Methods

**Econometrics I**, 3+2 hours (8 ECTS)  
W. Pohlmeier  
Thursday, 08:15 - 09:45, A 701  
Friday, 08:15 - 09:45, A 701

7 Tutorials:  
For time and room see: ZEuS

**Applied Econometrics**, 2 hours (6 ECTS)  
S. Maurer/  
Monday, 13:30 – 15:00, F 429  
See additional irregular lecture dates on ZEuS  
R. Brüggemann

(Computer) tutorials:  
For time and room see: ZEuS

**Research Design II**, 2 hours (9 ECTS)  
M. Hermann  
Statistical Modelling and Inference in Quantitative Research  
Thursday, 10:00 – 11:30, A 704

Tutorial: tba

**Applied Time Series Analysis**, 3 hours (8 ECTS)  
R. Brüggemann  
Monday, 11:45 – 13:15, D 436  
Individual lectures see ZEuS  
M.Daniele

2. Foundational Courses in Economics

**Microeconomics II**, 4 hours, 9 ECTS  
S. Fehrler  
Tuesday, 11:45 – 13:15, A 702  
Friday, 11:45 – 13:15, A 702

2 Tutorials:  
For time and room see: ZEuS

**Political Economy I**: Public Choice (lecture & tutorial), 2 hours (4 ECTS)  
L. Bellani  
Tuesday, fortnightly, 17:00 – 18:30, G 307  
Wednesday, fortnightly, 08:15 – 9:45, G 227

**Political Economy II**: The Political Economy of Human Capital Promoting Public Goods, 2 hours (4 ECTS)  
T. Krieger  
Fridays, 10:00 – 11:30, F 425
3. Foundational Courses in Political Science

**International Political Economy and International Organization**
2 hours (7 ECTS)
Monday, 15:15 – 16:45, D 432

Alternatively:

**Policy and Impact Evaluation**, 2 hours (7 ECTS)
Thursday, 13:30 – 15:00, C 426

Alternatively:

**Financing Development**, 2 hours (7 ECTS)
Monday, 8:15 – 9:45, D 522

4. Advanced Seminars

**Department of Economics**

**Applied Econometrics**, 2 hours (6 ECTS)
Kick-off: 16/04/2020, 13:30 – 15:00, F208
Block: 19/06/2020 – 20/06/2020, Room K 503

**Empirical Public Economics**, 2 hours (6 ECTS)
Kick-off: 27/04/20 15:15 – 16:45, F 208
Block: 06/07/20 (09:00 – 12:00) – 07/07/20 (09:00 – 17:00), F 208

**Selected Topics in Corporate Finance**, 2 hours (6 ECTS)
Kick-off: 23/04/20, 13:00 - 15:00, K 503
Block: 26/06/20 – 27/06/20, 10:00 - 18:00, F427

**Applied Econometrics and Machine Learning**, 2 hours (6 ECTS)
Kick-off: 20/04/2020, 17:00 – 18:00, F208
Block: 12/10/20 – 13/10/20, 09:00 – 18:00, F 425

**Applied Risk Management**, 2 hours (6 ECTS)
Kick-off: 17/04/20, 10:00 – 11:30, F 429
Block: 26/06/20 – 27/06/20, 08:00 - 18:00, H 308

**Topics in Macro-Finance: The Euro Crisis**, 2 hours (6 ECTS)
Kick-off: 21/04/20, 11:45 – 13:15, K 503
Block: 03/07/20 – 04/07/20, 09:00 - 18:00, E 403

**Family Economics**, 2 hours (6 ECTS)
Kick-off: 15/04/20, 10:00 – 11:30, M 627
Block: 03/07/20 – 04/07/20, 09:00 - 18:00, F 428

**Experimental Economics**, 2 hours (6 ECTS)
Kick-off: 12/02/20, 11:45 – 13:15
Block: 28/05/20 – 29/05/20, 08:30 – 17:30, TWI, Kreuzlingen
03/07/20, 08:30 – 17:30, TWI, Kreuzlingen
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 Program “Comparative Politics and Policy Analysis” or the Program “International Relations and European Integration”.

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Programme: Comparative Politics and Policy Analysis:

Advanced Social Network Analysis: Comparing Networks 2 hours (7 ECTS)  
V. Schneider / J. Broadbent/
For dates see ZEuS  
B. Holzer

Policy and Impact Evaluation, 2 hours (7 ECTS)  
Thursday, 13:30 – 15:00, C 426  
L. Beiser-
McGrath

Analysis of Legislative Behaviour, 2 hours (7 ECTS)  
Thursday, 17:00 – 18:30, F427  
J. Martinez- 
Canto

Current Research in Political Behaviour, 2 hours (7 ECTS)  
Wednesday, 11:45 – 13:15, D 433  
A. Leininger

Authoritarian Information Control, 2 hours (7 ECTS)  
Thursday, 08:15 – 09:45, D 404  
P. Lutscher

When, Why, and How the Past Matters:  
Imperial, Colonial and Communist Legacies in Third-Wave Democracies.  
Tuesday, 15:15 – 16:45, E 402 & one additional Saturday, see ZEuS  
C.I. Zuber

Discursive Power, 2 hours (7 ECTS)  
Thursday, 15:15  16:45, C 421  
A. Jungherr

Programme: International Relations and European Integration

Financing Development, 2 hours (7 ECTS)  
Monday, 8:15 – 9:45, D 522  
A. Hoeffler

Administrative Inequality, 2 hours (7 ECTS)  
Tuesday, 10:00 – 11:30, C 424  
G. Schneider

Global Governance Networks, 2 hours (7 ECTS)  
Wednesday, 13:30 – 15:00, D 430  
T. Malang
**Timetable Methods, Foundational Courses in Economics, Foundational Courses in Political Science Summer Semester 2020**

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