

<b>MQV11: Project Work with Colloquium</b>				<b>Study Programme:</b>	M
<b>Module Type:</b>	<b>ECTS Credits:</b>	<b>Workload:</b>	<b>Study Semester:</b>	<b>Module Duration:</b>	
Key Competences	10	300	1. and/or 2.	One semester or two semesters	
<b>Courses (HPW = hours per week):</b>			<b>Contact Hours:</b>	<b>Independent Study:</b>	<b>Planned Group Size:</b>
Colloquium for Project Work (1 HPW)			15h	15h	30
Project Work (4 HPW)			60h	210h	30
<b>Intended Learning Outcomes (ILOs):</b>					
<p>Aim of the project work is to demonstrate that the students are able to elucidate autonomously a scientific subject during a set time frame in a written and/or oral form, to structure and to evaluate it. The colloquium prepares for drafting the project work and enables furthermore the acquisition of key competencies.</p> <p>By the end of the module, students will be able to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- elucidate autonomously a scientific subject during a set time frame in a written and/or oral form, to structure and evaluate it,</li> <li>- name and adopt rules of the diligence for drafting scientific papers and/or presentations,</li> <li>- plan and work out autonomously work steps for drafting an academic work and/or presentation,</li> <li>- conduct literature researches, evaluate literature sources critically and adopt methods of quotations (also in presentations),</li> <li>- use software for drafting project works and presentations (possibly with inclusive literature management),</li> <li>- implement techniques of good scientific presentations,</li> <li>- create group work expediently,</li> <li>- adopt feedback rules,</li> <li>- reflect the own way of working.</li> </ul>					
<b>Key competencies:</b>					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Scientific working</li> <li>- Independent working</li> <li>- Critical thinking</li> <li>- Analytical skills</li> <li>- Knowledge transfer and competence development</li> <li>- Willingness to learn and accomplish</li> <li>- Oral and written communication skills</li> </ul>					
<b>Description/Contents:</b>					
<p>The content of the project work results from the course contents of the selected optional compulsory course and is determined by the lectures of the modules. The project work serves as preparation for the master thesis. The Colloquiums serve the knowledge in scientific working techniques and methods, self- and social competences. Thus, it prepares for challenges in the future working practice.</p>					

<b>Language:</b>
The language of the module is German. It may be possible to draft the project work in English after an agreement with the person responsible for the module.
<b>Teaching Methods:</b>
Lectures, group work, presentations, self-study, students' presentations
<b>Module Applicability:</b>
M.Sc. Economics
<b>Pre-requisites/Requirements:</b>
Admission for the Economics Master's degree
<b>Examination Types:</b>
The topic supervisor determines the requirements of the exam in the form of another examination type (§ 6 (2), § 7 (2) of the examination regulations for the master's degree of Economics).
<b>Requirements for Award of Credit Points:</b>
Successful participation in the project work. The project work will be passed if the grade is at least „sufficient“ (4,0). Classroom events can be compulsory by consideration of the module supervisor. Regulations of the assigned compulsory module have to be considered for the application.
<b>Availability:</b>
At least every second semester for the optional compulsory models. Generally, a project work can be written every semester depending on the optional compulsory module.
<b>Assessment:</b>
This course will be graded and is part of the calculation for the overall grade of your master degree. Particular information concerning the calculation of the overall grade can be gathered in the respective examination regulations.
<b>Person Responsible and Main Lecturer:</b>
Person responsible and main lecturer of the elected optional compulsory module.
<b>Further Information:</b>
Information concerning the organization and planning can be asked at the chairs. Signing in for a project work takes place at the student management and examination administration. References can be found in the module descriptions of the various compulsory modules. The chairs can hand in information regarding the colloquiums.

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