

MW45: Practice Seminar on Firm Valuation				Study Program:	M
Module Type:	ECTS Points:	Workload:	Semester:	Module Duration:	
Optional compulsory	8	240	1.+2., 2.+3. o. 3.+4	Two semesters	
Courses (HPW=hours per week):			Contact hours:	Independent study:	Planned Group Size:
Seminar 1: Seminar Valuation Methods (2 HPW)			30h	90h	20
Seminar 2: Seminar Accounting for Valuation (2 HPW)			30h	90h	20
Intended Learning Outcomes (ILOs):					
In this module, students learn to apply principles and methods for firm valuation as well as using accounting data to estimate the necessary input data in a case-oriented setting, using examples from real business practice. Intended learning outcomes will be achieved mainly via written assignments, presentation and active student participation in class discussion with lecturers as well as fellow students.					
Key competencies:					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Organizing, - problem-solving, - critical and analytical thinking, - ability to transfer existing knowledge, - ability to acquire new knowledge, - time- and self-management, - reflection capability, - decision-making ability, - ability to work in teams, - ability to provide constructive feedback and critique, - communication skills (orally and in writing) with lecturers and fellow students. 					
Description/Contents:					
<p>Seminar 1: Seminar Valuation Methods In this seminar, students learn to apply principles and methods for firm valuation.</p> <p>Seminar 2: Seminar Accounting for Valuation In this seminar, students learn to use accounting data to estimate the necessary input data for applying firm valuation methods.</p>					
Language:					
Lectures will be given in German, part of the literature will be in English. Therefore, good or very good English language skill is required.					
Teaching Methods:					
Lectures, problem-centered learning and case discussions, self-study/reading.					
Module Applicability:					

M.Sc. of Business Administration; M.Sc. of Business and Chemistry.
Pre-requisites/Requirements:
Admission to study Business Administration or Economics for a Master's degree. As a further prerequisite, module MB00, course 6 and module MW40 or equivalent skills are strongly recommended.
Examination Types:
Comprehensive examination in both courses in the form of seminar papers (60%), presentations and oral participation in class discussion (40%). For the final grade, both seminars marks have equal weight.
Requirements for Award of Credit Points:
The module will be passed if students have participated in at least 80% of the classes in seminar 1 and 2 and if the final grade is at least „sufficient“ (4,0).
Availability:
The module will be offered in winter term (seminar 1) and summer term (seminar 2). Students may either start with seminar 1 or seminar 2.
Assessment:
This module is graded and taken into account when calculating the overall grade of your master's degree. For more detailed information on the calculation of the overall grade, please refer to the examination regulations of your respective course of studies.
Person Responsible and Main Lecturer:
Professor Dr. Barbara E. Weißenberger, honorary professors, lecturers, and teaching/research assistants at the chair of Accounting.
Further Information:
Further information can be found at http://www.accounting.hhu.de/en.html . See also eCampus Accounting under ILILAS and HIS-LSF. Students have to register for the course via LSF.

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