Welcome and Orientation
Master “Economics“

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Types of courses

**Lecture:**
- Accompanied by a pen & paper and/or computer tutorial
- Generally, no application necessary
- Usually, written or oral examination

**Seminar:**
- Typically involves: (i) preparing a seminar paper, (ii) presenting your work to the other seminar participants
- Application required in advance
Master’s Programmes: [link]

Applies to all students, starting in winter term 2021/2022 or later (you!).
Example of a study plan (see slide 12)

MOST IMPORTANT DOCUMENT!
Examination Regulations

English version is for informational purposes only. In case of dispute, the German version is legally binding.

Also important: Module Manual (see slide 10), Long term planning (see slide 11)
§ 11
Study subjects and ECTS credit points
(1) In total, 120 ECTS credits must be achieved. In addition to the Master’s thesis of 18 or 30 ECTS credits, modules in the following subject areas to the extent stated must be completed.
1. Compulsory Section in Economics 30 ECTS
2. Compulsory Section in Econometrics 6 ECTS
3. Compulsory Elective Section in Econometrics 6 ECTS
4. Compulsory Elective Section in Economics 36 to 60 ECTS
5. Compulsory Elective Section Supplementary Subjects 0 to 12 ECTS
(2) The modules of the Compulsory Section and the modules of the Compulsory Elective Section in Econometrics according to section 1 can be found in Annex 2.
(3) The modules selectable for the other Compulsory Elective Section according to section 1 will be announced in time and in a suitable manner.
(4) In the Compulsory Elective Section in Economics, six to ten modules are to be completed. Two of these must be seminar modules, the rest is lecture modules. Up to 18 ECTS credits in this section may be replaced by modules from the Applied Empirical Methods module group.
(5) For the Supplementary Studies, external modules may be completed.
## Curriculum

### Annex 2 Curriculum for the Master’s degree in Economics

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<tr>
<th>Section</th>
<th>Module (Modul Code)</th>
<th>Exam Type</th>
<th>Presence Time and Course Type</th>
<th>ECTS Module</th>
<th>ECTS Section</th>
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<td>Compulsory Section</td>
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<td>Econometrics</td>
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**Exam Type** (according to §12): W = written examination, S = seminar contribution, M = Module Examination

**Course Type** V = lecture, U = tutorial, PC = computer tutorial, S = seminar

Master’s Thesis** 18 or 30

Sum 120

No choice

No choice

Choose one of the two

A lot of choices to me made
Curriculum

Please find the following sections

Section 1 Compulsory Section in Economics
Section 2 Compulsory Section in Econometrics
Section 3 Compulsory Elective Section in Econometrics
Section 4 Compulsory Elective Section in Economics
  Group of Modules: Applied Microeconomics
  Group of Modules: Environmental and Resource Economics
  Group of Modules: Financial Economics
  Group of Modules: International Economics
  Group of Modules: Macroeconomics and Growth
  Group of Modules: Public Economics
  Group of Modules: Spatial Economics
  Group of Modules: Applied Empirical Methods
Section 5 Compulsory Elective Section Supplementary Subjects
  Section 5.1 Business Administration (Betriebswirtschaftslehre)
  Section 5.2 International Comparative Sociology (International vergleichende Soziologie)
  Section 5.3 Political Science (Politikwissenschaft)
  Section 5.4 Agricultural Economics (Agrarökonomik)
  Section 5.5 Business Information Technology (Wirtschaftsinformatik)
  Section 5.6 Computer Science (Informatik)
  Section 5.7 Mathematics (Mathematik)
  Section 5.8 German as a Foreign Language (Deutsch als Fremdsprache)

In the German original: [http://www.studservice.uni-kiel.de/sta/fachpruefungsordnung-economics-master-1-fach.pdf](http://www.studservice.uni-kiel.de/sta/fachpruefungsordnung-economics-master-1-fach.pdf)

Date: 23.04.2021
Curriculum

A list of courses and seminars is found in the German version of the **Examinations Regulations**.

Example:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Module Code</th>
<th>Module Name (Module Nr.)</th>
<th>Module Courses</th>
<th>Comp. / Comp. Elect.</th>
<th>ECTS Credits</th>
<th>Evaluation</th>
<th>Examination (Exam Nr.)</th>
<th>Contact Time</th>
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<tr>
<td>VWLerEnEc-02a</td>
<td>Environmental Economics (3040102)</td>
<td>Lecture + tutorial</td>
<td>Comp. Elect.</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>Graded</td>
<td>Module Exam (41710)</td>
<td>2 + 2</td>
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<td>Environmental Valuation (3040202)</td>
<td>Lecture + tutorial</td>
<td>Comp. Elect.</td>
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<td>Graded</td>
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<td>VWLerReEc-02a</td>
<td>Resource Economics (3040302)</td>
<td>Lecture + tutorial</td>
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<td>VWLerCEP-02a</td>
<td>Climate and Energy Policy (3040502)</td>
<td>Lecture + tutorial</td>
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<td>VWLerCBA-02a</td>
<td>Cost-Benefit-Analysis (3040701)</td>
<td>Lecture + tutorial</td>
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Information on the course / seminar can be found in the module manual.
The long term planning shows the planned lectures and seminars.

Usually, lectures and seminars are offered once a year.

→ Resource Economics is offered in summer term 23
### Annex 1: Study Schedule for the Master’s degree in Economics (example)

This study schedule represents the case in which 12 ECTS credits of modules from the Supplementary Subjects area are taken. These can be completely replaced by modules from the Compulsory Elective Section Economics. In addition, some Supplementary Subjects modules, unlike those shown here, have more or less than 6 ECTS credits.

<table>
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<tr>
<th>1st Semester</th>
<th>Advanced Microeconomics (12 ECTS credits)</th>
<th>Economic Dynamics (6 ECTS credits)</th>
<th>Econometric Methods (6 ECTS credits)</th>
<th>Research and Scientific Writing in Economics (6 ECTS credits)</th>
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<td>2nd Semester</td>
<td>Compulsory Elective Lecture Economics (6 ECTS credits)</td>
<td>Compulsory Elective Lecture Economics (6 ECTS credits)</td>
<td>Advanced Macroeconomics (6 ECTS credits)</td>
<td>Time Series Econometrics (6 ECTS credits) or Microeconometrics (6 ECTS credits)</td>
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<td>3rd Semester*</td>
<td>Compulsory Elective Lecture Economics (6 ECTS credits)</td>
<td>Compulsory Elective Lecture Economics (6 ECTS credits)</td>
<td>Compulsory Elective Seminar Economics (6 ECTS credits)</td>
<td>Compulsory Elective Supplementary Subjects (6 ECTS credits)</td>
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<td>4th Semester</td>
<td>Master’s Thesis** (18 ECTS credits)</td>
<td>Compulsory Elective Lecture Economics ** (6 ECTS credits)</td>
<td>Compulsory Elective Lecture Economics ** (6 ECTS credits)</td>
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Option 1

Option 2

### Also offered in summer 23
Supplementary Subjects

Possible supplementary subjects:

1) Agricultural Economics (Agrarökonomik)
2) Business Administration (Betriebswirtschaftslehre)
3) German as a foreign language (Deutsch als Fremdsprache)
4) Computer Science (Informatik)
5) International Comparative Sociology (International vergleichende Soziologie)
6) Mathematics (Mathematik)
7) Political Science (Politikwissenschaft)

Note:

- These are not necessarily offered in English
- These are not necessarily 6-ECTS-courses
Before the semester starts

UnivIS (information system of Kiel University)
- Which courses and seminars are offered?
- Time and place? When does it start?
- Additional info (e.g., link to Olat-course)
- Create class schedule
- Go to: link
During the semester

News, course material, further information:

**OLAT (Online Learning and Training)**
- Go to: [link](#)
- login data: See admission documents (stu-account)

**Chairs’ websites**
- Faculty of Business, Economics and Social Science: [link](#)
- Institute for Statistics and Econometrics: [link](#)
Examinations

Registration
- Via online portal HISinOne/His-QIS
- Mandatory!
- In case of problems: contact examination office

Day of examination:
- Bring a valid ID!
- Not showing counts as failed attempt
- In case of illness: contact examination office
- Maximum number of attempts: three
- On request, a fourth attempt can be granted for a maximum of two courses
Examinations

Online portal HIS-QIS
- Go to: [link]
- Registration for exams
- Withdrawal from examination also possible
- Info about time and place of examination
- Displays examination results
- Keeps academic record
- Login data: see admission documents

Two examination periods
1) End of current semester
2) Beginning of the following semester (re-take exam)
Info on dates and deadlines: [link]
Seminars

Seminars typically involve:

1) Preparing a seminar paper

2) Presenting your work to the other seminar participants during the semester

- Registration for Master Seminars is only possible via our central platform OLAT.

- All students who want to participate in a Master Seminar have to register within the given deadlines.

- It is strongly recommended to finish the module “Research and Scientific Writing in Economic” first

- Detailed information is available in advance to the deadlines on the institute's webpage (link) as well as in OLAT.
Useful links

Examination office: link
International Center: link
Explanatory videos by the WiSo student council: link
One last remark

I’m happy to help with any question, **BUT**: please consult the following first:
- Examination regulations
- Module Manual
- Long term planning
- UnivIS
- OLAT
- the institute’s websites
Thanks for your attention.

Good luck with your studies!

Have fun!