

Module Exams in English Linguistics/Modulprüfungen in der Englischen Sprachwissenschaft

Guidelines for students and staff

| Course of studies | Modules concerned |
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| BA Anglistik/Amerikanistik MSc Wipäd, Studienrichtung II BA Medieval Studies | Aufbaumodul Englische Sprachwissenschaft (8 ECTS) |
| BA Anglistik/Amerikanistik LA Gymnasium | Vertiefungsmodul Englische Sprachwissenschaft (10 ECTS) |

Each of the above-mentioned modules consists of

a seminar (worth 6 or 8 ECTS points), and

a lecture (called *Vorlesung*) or practical seminar (called *Übung*) worth 2 ECTS points.

The module examination (*Modulprüfung*) reflects the students' achievements in the whole module.

The examination is thematically connected with the **6 or 8 ECTS seminar** that is at the core of the module. This typically involves an oral presentation and written exam/termpaper. Students have to **register** in FlexNow

- initially for a place in the seminar,
- and later (in the second half of the semester) for the course credit (*Lehrveranstaltungsprüfung*).

The **2 ECTS course** is not graded individually, but is an obligatory part of the module (defined as a thematic unit with different components that should be completed within one or two semesters). To ensure this integration into the module, students taking the 2 ECTS course are obliged to **register** in FlexNow

- initially for a place in the course,
- later (in the second half of the semester) for the course credit (*Lehrveranstaltungsprüfung*),
- and download and fill in the [module statement](#) form:
 - A) Students should write a personal statement of about 400 to 600 words in appropriate academic style, in which they reflect on
 - their specific reasons for the choice of the two module components,
 - any connections/parallels/contrasts between the contents of the two components,
 - their individual understanding of the integration of the module into their studies of English Linguistics, and
 - the potential benefit of the module for their future studies and career.
 - B) Alternatively, in practical seminars (*Übungen*) worth 2 ECTS points, the personal statement can be replaced by the handout or set of slides used for an oral presentation given in class.Both alternatives (A and B) are considered part of the written exam/termpaper in the 6 or 8 ECTS seminar, i.e. the module examination, but because students are allowed to choose the order of the module components rather freely, the module statement may be handed in at a later point.

When the module is completed, i.e. when the requirements for the **6 or 8 ECTS seminar** have been fulfilled **AND** the lecturer in charge of the **2 ECTS course** has entered a completion note (be it *besucht* or *nicht besucht*) for the course credit (*Lehrveranstaltungsprüfung*) in FlexNow,

- **students** have to inform the **lecturer of the 6 or 8 ECTS seminar** by e-mail and attach the module statement (in case B supplemented with the handout or set of slides used for the oral presentation in the *Übung*), and
- the **lecturer of the 6 or 8 ECTS seminar** will then verify the course credit for the 2 ECTS course in FlexNow (either the mention *besucht* or *nicht besucht* will satisfy this requirement) and enter the final module grade.