

Course Organisation I (beginning of studies: winter term)

Course Modules	Workload (hours)	ECTS	Teaching units (per week)	Types of course	Types of assessments
1st semester (winter term)					
Module 1: Introduction to Cultural Studies	150	5	2	lecture (1 h/week) and seminar (1 h/week)	written assessment (60 min)
Module 3: Language Skills I	150	5	6	language course (4 h/week) conversation course (2 h/week)	written assessment (90 min)
Module 5: History of the Baltic Sea Region	300	10	6	lecture (2 h/week), practical course (2 h/week) and seminar (2 h/week) on the history of the Baltic Sea region	written term paper (15-20 pages)
<i>Optional studies segment</i>	300	10	4	depending on the field of study selected	depending on the examination regulations of the course module selected
2nd semester (summer term)					
Module 2: Interdisciplinary Approaches to the Baltic Sea Region	150	5	4	research colloquium (2 h/week) interdisciplinary lecture on current trends in research on the Baltic Sea region (2 h/week)	portfolio (5 pages)
Module 4: Language Skills II	150	5	5	language course (3 h/week) conversation course (2 h/week)	written assessment (90 min)
Module 6: Languages and Literatures of the Baltic Sea Region	300	10	4	seminar (2 h/week) on typological aspects of languages and language policies in the Baltic Sea region seminar (2 h/week) on comparative aspects of literatures and cultures in the Baltic Sea region	written term paper (15-20 pages)

<i>Optional studies segment</i>	300	10	4	depending on the field of study selected	depending on the examination regulations of the course module selected
3rd semester (winter term)					
Semester abroad	900	30		depending on the field of study selected	depending on the examination regulations of the course
4th semester (summer term)					
Master's thesis	840	28			
Defense of master's thesis	60	2	1		

Course Organisation II (beginning of studies: summer term)

Course Modules	Workload (hours)	ECTS	Teaching units (per week)	Types of course	Types of assessments
1st semester (summer term)					
Module 2: Interdisciplinary Approaches to the Baltic Sea Region	150	5	4	research colloquium (2 h/week) interdisciplinary lecture on current trends in research on the Baltic Sea region (2 h/week)	portfolio (5 pages)
Module 3: Language Skills I	150	5	6	language course (4 h/week) conversation course (2 h/week)	written assessment (90 min)
Module 6: Languages and Literatures of the Baltic Sea Region	300	10	4	seminar (2 h/week) on typological aspects of languages and language policies in the Baltic Sea region seminar (2 h/week) on comparative aspects of literatures and cultures in the Baltic Sea region	written term paper (15-20 pages)

<i>Optional studies segment</i>	300	10	4	depending on the field of study selected	depending on the examination regulations of the course module selected
2nd semester (winter term)					
Module 1: Introduction to Cultural Studies	150	5	2	lecture (1 h/week) and seminar (1 h/week)	written assessment (60 min)
Module 4: Language Skills II	150	5	5	language course (3 h/week) conversation course (2 h/week)	written assessment (90 min)
Module 5: History of the Baltic Sea Region	300	10	6	lecture (2 h/week), practical course (2 h/week) and seminar (2 h/week) on the history of the Baltic Sea region	written term paper (15-20 pages)
<i>Optional studies segment</i>	300	10	4	depending on the field of study selected	depending on the examination regulations of the course module selected
3rd semester (summer term)					
Semester abroad	900	30		depending on the field of study selected	depending on the examination regulations of the course module selected
4th semester (winter term)					
Master's thesis	840	28			
Defense of master's thesis	60	2	1		