Modulkatalog

Religious Studies and Theology - Bachelor - Mono-Studienprogramm 180

Modul	ECTS Credits	Bewertung	Leistungsnachweis
Introduction			
Introduction	3/P	benotet	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Methods in Religious Studies and Theology, Exercise	6/P	benotet	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Approaches to the Study of Religion			
Approaches to the Study of Religion, Introduction	3/P	benotet	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Approaches to the Study of Religion, Seminar	3/WP	benotet	Aktive Mitarbeit, Präsentation⊠
Approaches to the Study of Religion, Self Study	3/WP	benotet	mündliche Prüfung
Religious Traditions			
Christianity, Lecture	3/P	benotet	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Alternative, Lecture	3/P	benotet	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Islam, Lecture	3/P	benotet	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Buddhism/Hinduism, Lecture	3/P	benotet	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Judaism, Lecture	3/P	benotet	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Biblical Traditions			
Biblical Traditions, Introduction	3/P		mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Biblical Traditions, Seminar	6/WP		Seminararbeit
Biblical Traditions, Self Study	3/P		mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Christian Practices in Global Perspective			
Christian Practices in Global Perspective, Introduction	3/P	benotet	Essay
Christian Practices in Global Perspective, Seminar	3/WP	benotet	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Christian Practices in Global Perspective, Self Study	3/P	benotet	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Ethics and Religion			
Introduction to Ethics	3/P	benotet	Lernjournal
Thematic Specialisation (Field of applied ethics or specific religious tradition)	3/WP	benotet	Essays
(Interreligious) Hermeneutics and Philosophy of Religions, Self Study	3/P	benotet	mündliche Prüfung
(Interreligious) Hermeneutics and Philosophy of Religions			
Interreligious Hermeneutics, Introduction	3/P	benotet	Essays
Philosophy of Religion, Seminar	3/P	benotet	Essays
(Interreligious) Hermeneutics and Philosophy of Religions, Self Study	3/P	benotet	mündliche Prüfung

Digital Religion(s) and Digital Theology(s)			
Digital Religion(s) and Digital Theology(s), Introduction	3/P	benotet	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Digital Religion(s) and Digital Theology(s), Seminar	3/WP	benotet	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Digital Religion(s) and Digital Theology(s), Self Study	3/P	benotet	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Social Scientific Study of Religion			
Social Scientific Study of Religion, Introduction	3/P	benotet	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Social Scientific Study of Religion, Seminar	3/WP	benotet	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Social Scientific Study of Religion, Self Study	3/P	benotet	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
History of Christianity during the Ages			
Survey of Christianity in Antiquity, Lecture	3/P	benotet	schriftlicher Leistungsnachweis
History of Christianity during the Ages, Seminar	3/WP	benotet	Essays
The Beginnings of Reformed Theology, Seminar	3/P	benotet	Essay
Methods and Languages			
Method/Language 1	6/WP	n.A.	n.A.
Method/Language 2	6/WP	n.A.	n.A.
Method/Language 3	6/WP	n.A.	n.A.
Term Papers			
Term Paper 1	3/P	benotet	Seminararbeit
Term Paper 2	3/P	benotet	Seminararbeit
Term Paper 3	3/P	benotet	Seminararbeit
Term Paper 4	3/P	benotet	Seminararbeit
Graduation			
BA-Arbeit	15/P	benotet	Bachelorarbeit
Free Elective Area			
die Differenz auf 180 ECTS Credits nach freier Wahl innerhalb des Programms			

+ bedeutet: alle Veranstaltungen müssen besucht werden

/ bedeutet: zwischen diesen Veranstaltungen kann gewählt werden

Introduction

Introduction

Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Introduction
Allgemeine Beschreibung	The module provides an overview of various topics and approaches of the program.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Students gain an overview of the different disciplines and approaches in the program.
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	schriftliche/mündliche Prüfung/Protokoll mit Reflexion/Zusammenfassungen mit Reflexion/Portfolio
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	P
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	zweimal
Angebotsmuster	HS
Voraussetzungen	keine
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Introduction

Methods in Religious Studies and Theology, Exercise

Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Übung
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Through reading and exercises, participants learn methods religious studies and theology.
ECTS-Credits	6
Lernziel	Students are familiar with the procedures and requirements of academic work in religious studies and theology and are able to conduct independent research and write academic papers.
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	schriftliche/mündliche Prüfung/Protokoll mit Reflexion/Zusammenfassungen mit Reflexion/Portfolio, und schriftliche Seminararbeit
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	P
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	zweimal
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	keine
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Introduction

Approaches to the Study of Religion

Approaches to the Study of Religion, Introduction

Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Vorlesung
Allgemeine Beschreibung	The course teaches academic positions that are central to the study of religion. The focus is on the introduction to fundamental theories and approaches that are relevant to the current academic debate.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Students are familiar with central texts in the study of religion and know important authors. They know what distinguishes approaches to the study of religion from other disciplinary approaches to religion.
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	P
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	zweimal
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	keine
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Approaches to the Study of Religion

Approaches to the Study of Religion, Seminar	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Seminar
Allgemeine Beschreibung	The seminar deals with theories and approaches that are central to the study of religion.
ECTS-Credits	6
Lernziel	Students are familiar with key texts in religious studies and practise scientific argumentation.
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	Aktive Mitarbeit, Präsentation
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	WP
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	zweimal
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	keine
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Approaches to the Study of Religion

Approaches to the Study of Religion, Self Study	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Selbststudium
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Through self-study, students deepen their knowledge of important approaches in religious studies.
ECTS-Credits	6
Lernziel	Students are able to engage independently with approaches to the study of religion through self-study.
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	WP
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	keine
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Approaches to the Study of Religion

Religious Traditions

Christianity, Lecture	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Lecture
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Introduction to basic aspects such as history, spread, diversity, religious practices, beliefs, organization, etc. of Christianity.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Students know fundamental aspects of Christianity in the past and present. They know essential secondary literature and can deepen further questions through targeted research.
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Religious Traditions

Alternative, Lecture	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Lecture
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Introduction to basic aspects such as history, spread, diversity, religious practices, beliefs, organization, etc. of alternative religiosity.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Students know fundamental aspects of alternative religiosity in the past and present, globally and in the European context. They know important relevant secondary literature and are able to deepen further questions through their own research.
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Religious Traditions

Islam, Lecture	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Lecture
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Introduction to basic aspects such as history, spread, diversity, religious practices, beliefs, organization, etc. of Islam.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Students know fundamental aspects of Islam in the past and present, globally and in the European context. They know important relevant secondary literature and are able to deepen further questions through their own research.
Unterrichtssprache	English
Leistungsnachweis	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Religious Traditions

Buddhism/Hinduism, Lecture	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Lecture
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Introduction to basic aspects such as history, spread, diversity, religious practices, beliefs, organization, etc. of Buddhism and Hinduism.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Students know fundamental aspects of Buddhism and Hinduism in the past and present, globally and in the European context. They know important relevant secondary literature and are able to deepen further questions through their own research.
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Religious Traditions

Judaism, Lecture	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Lecture
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Introduction to basic aspects such as history, spread, diversity, religious practices, beliefs, organization, etc. of Judaism.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Students know fundamental aspects of Judaism in the past and present, globally and in the European context. They know important relevant secondary literature and are able to deepen further questions through their own research.
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Religious Traditions

Biblical Traditions

Biblical Traditions, Introduction	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	online lectures with accompanying reading tasks and space for questions (possibly online, interactive)
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Students get knowledge about the various forms of the Biblical canons (HB, LXX, NT - different church traditions), the main parts of the Hebrew Bible (Torah, Prophets, Writings) and selected traditions and themes (Creation and Primordial Story, Fathers, Exodus, Sinai; David and Solomon, Isaiah and Deutero-Isaiah, Psalms, Wisdom literature, Daniel), and also of the New Testament (Gospels and Acts, Pauline Corpus, Catholic Epistles, Revelation) and main themes (Historical Jesus, Jesus's death and its interpretation, Pauline mission and the Gentile 'church', apocalypticism and eschatology)

ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Students should get a basic knowledge about the historical process of the making of the Biblical writings and the canon, realize that these are texts of a long time span and written into different situations and cultural contexts that are distant from our world. They should know about the relevance of those writings for various (Jewish and Christian) communities.
Unterrichtssprache	English
Leistungsnachweis	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Bewertung	pass/fail
Modultyp in diesem Programm	
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Biblical Traditions

Biblical Traditions, Seminar	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Seminar Online with mandatory reading, more detailed textual work in the sessions and discussion
Allgemeine Beschreibung	The seminar will explore an exemplary (larger topic) of Biblical traditions (Old or New Testament), with more detailed work with texts (in English translation) and explore their historical context, their making and meaning within the larger framework of the canon
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Students should get a first experience in working with biblical texts, they should explore methods of historical and literary reading and explore the use of selected scholarly literature (especially commentaries)
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	Seminar Paper, to be graded
Bewertung	
Modultyp in diesem Programm	P
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	1
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Biblical Traditions

Biblical TraditionsSelf Study	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	guided reading of individually selected material
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Students should come up with own interests, get appropriate reading material (ca. 500-700 pp) and summarize or comment on that material in various short papers with finally phrasing theses on what they have explored or learned.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Students get deeper knowledge of a select field by reading and processing their reading
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	summaries and theses - final discussion with the supervisor
Bewertung	pass/fail
Modultyp in diesem Programm	P
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Biblical Traditions

Christian Practices in Global Perspective	

Christian Practices in Global Perspective, Introduction	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Seminar mit Vorlesungsanteilen
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Students are introduced to the subject area from a practical theological perspective, using specific local, national and international examples of Christian (analog, digital and hybrid) practice as examples.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Students learn to approach certain practical phenomena both systematically and empirically.
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	Essay durch eigene Feldrecherche und Berücksichtigung der in der Einführung behandelten Literatur
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	P
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	Zweimal

Angebotsmuster	FS
Voraussetzungen	keine
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology

Modulgruppe	Christian Practices in Global Perspective

Christian Practices in Global Perspective, Seminar	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Seminar
Allgemeine Beschreibung	In-depth study of a topic of Christian practice, taking into account Switzerland as well as different regions of the world.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Students have in-depth knowledge of selected topics on Christian practices in different global contexts.
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	P
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Christian Practices in Global Perspective

Christian Practices in Global Perspective, Self Study	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Self Study
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Students acquire knowledge about Christian practices in a global perspective.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Students are able to acquire knowledge about Christian practices in a global perspective through independent reading and to provide information about the content they have learned.
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	P
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Christian Practices in Global Perspective

Ethics and Religion

Introduction to Ethics

Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Lecture
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Introduction to Ethics in the context of religion
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	learning journal
Bewertung	
Modultyp in diesem Programm	P
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Ethics and Religion

Thematic Specialisation (Field of applied ethics or specific religious tradition)

Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Seminar or Lecture
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Focusing on a field of applied ethics (e.g. end of life care, reproductive medicine, political ethics, enviromental ethics) or on ethics in specific religious tradition (e.g. Christian Ethics, Islamic Ethics).
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	2 short-papers
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	P
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Ethics and Religion

(Interreligious) Hermeneutics and Philosophy of Religions, Self Study

Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Self Study
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Reading a monograph or a collection of papers by one author or on a specific ethical topic.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	oral exam
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	P
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Ethics and Religion

(Interreligious) Hermeneutics and Philosophy of Religions

Interreligious Hermeneutics, Introduction

Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Basic Course
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Understanding religions requires sensitive reflections on one's own hermeneutical presupposition and on the possibility of understanding the Other. This basic course deals with different models of understanding which can be useful in religious and interreligious contexts.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Knowledge of different hermeneutical models and reflection on one's own hermeneutical presuppositions.
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	Essay
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	P
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	1x
Angebotsmuster	Every second spring semester
Voraussetzungen	None
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	(Interreligious) Hermeneutics and Philosophy of Religions

Philosophy of Religion, Seminar

Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Seminar
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Philosophy of religion is the philosophical examination of phenomena of religion. The seminar deals – with alternating emphases – with classical and modern topics in the philosophy of religion. These include questions about the relationship between revelation and reason, religion and science, the analysis of religious language and beliefs, and the criticism of religion. Approaches to interreligious and postcolonial philosophy of religion are also considered.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Knowledge of important positions and questions of classical and analytical or hermeneutic-phenomenological philosophy of religion.
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	Essay
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	P
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	1x
Angebotsmuster	Every second fall semester
Voraussetzungen	None
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	(Interreligious) Hermeneutics and Philosophy of Religions

(Interreligious) Hermeneutics and Philosophy of Religions, Self Study

Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Self Studies
Allgemeine Beschreibung	In this course, the student selects books and articles from a reading list from either hermeneutics or philosophy of religion. In an oral interveiw, the student has to show his comprehension of the texts and has to discuss their strengths and weeknesses.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Critical reading competence
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	oral test
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	P
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	1x
Angebotsmuster	every semester
Voraussetzungen	Erfolgreicher Besuch der Introduction into Interreligious Hermeneutics und des Seminars Philosophy of Religion
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	(Interreligious) Hermeneutics and Philosophy of Religions

Digital Religion(s) and Digital Theology(s)

Digital Religion(s) and Digital Theology(s), Introduction

Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Introduction
Allgemeine Beschreibung	This course will explore the themes, issues, and techniques in studying Digital Religion(s) and Digital Theology(s). Treating digital religions as lived religions, we will draw on cutting-edge academic works with contemporary and agile ethnographic methods, supported by the latest works employing critical, sociological, historical and hermeneutical approaches. We will discuss established and familiar religions as they utilise the digital and explore the New Religious Movements and contemporary spiritualities emerging from digital communities and spaces. We will also discuss the possible meanings, that users connect with their digital experiences and in their individual and collective negotation processes.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	The course will empower students to explore their own research interests in the study of Digital Religion(s) and Digital Theolog(ys): methods for online participant observation, discourse and material artefact analysis, human subject research, and the options for large corpus or sentiment analysis. Finally, we will consider the affordances and limitations of emerging technologies and their role in the future of Digital Religion(s) and Digital Theology(s), including AI, robotics, AR/VR 'Metaverse' technologies, collaborative and creative gaming spaces, social media platforms, religious bots, blockchain and cryptocurrency, and the apps and tools employed in religious journeys - sometimes described as 'Spirit Tech'.
Unterrichtssprache	English
Leistungsnachweis	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Digital Religion(s) and Digital Theology(s)

Digital Religion(s) and Digital Theology(s), Seminar	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Seminar
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Discussion seminar - sharing and discussing recent academic papers on digital religion(s), digital theology(s) and advances in technology
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Explore and discuss emerging methods in the field of digital religion and theology and new technologies, locations, and religious movements.
Unterrichtssprache	English
Leistungsnachweis	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Digital Religion(s) and Digital Theology(s)

Digital Religion(s) and Digital Theology(s), Self Study	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Self Study
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Independent study from a reading list of publications on digital religions and / or digital theology(s)

ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Students are able to acquire knowledge about religion in the digital age through independent reading and are able to reproduce the content they have learned.
Unterrichtssprache	English
Leistungsnachweis	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Digital Religion(s) and Digital Theology(s)

Social Scientific Study of Religion

Social Scientific Study of Religion, Introduction	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Lecture
Allgemeine Beschreibung	The module covers basic topics in the social scientific study of religion. On the one hand, it deals with topics relating to religion in contemporary societies in general. On the other hand, specific aspects of religious practice in the present are examined.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Students are familiar with central topics in the social scientific study of religion.
Unterrichtssprache	English
Leistungsnachweis	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Social Scientific Study of Religion

Social Scientific Study of Religion, Seminar	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Seminar
Allgemeine Beschreibung	The module examines selected topics on religious practice in contemporary societies as well as its boundaries and relationships to fields such as medicine, media or politics.
ECTS-Credits	3

Lernziel	Students deepen their knowledge of the social scientific study of religion and are able to formulate relevant research questions themselves.
Unterrichtssprache	English
Leistungsnachweis	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise⊠
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Social Scientific Study of Religion

Social Scientific Study of Religion, Self Study	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Self Study
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Through self-study, students deepen their knowledge of important topics in the social scientific study of religion.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Students demonstrate the ability to explore topics within the social scientific study of religion through independent reading.
Unterrichtssprache	English
Leistungsnachweis	mündliche oder schriftliche Leistungsnachweise⊠
Bewertung	benotet
Modultyp in diesem Programm	
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology

Modulgruppe	Social Scientific Study of Religion

History of Christianity during the Ages

Survey of Christianity in Antiquity, Lecture	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Lecture
Allgemeine Beschreibung	How did it all begin? Who were the first Christians? How and where did they live? What questions did they ask? How does Christianity present itself as part of an ancient city next other religions? Which ancient beliefs live on in Christianity? The lecture will give an overview of five centuries and introduce the literature of ancient Christianity. We begin in the 2nd century, a heyday of the Roman Empire and a time in which we encounter very different forms of Christianity. We will deal with questions of persecution and martyrdom, Christian life and monasticism, but also the emergence of church structures, life in cities such as Alexandria and Constantinople, theology in antiquity and people such as Origen or Augustine. Finally, we will talk about the period of the 4th and 5th centuries, when synods attempted to define Christian identity and deal conclusively with questions of the doctrine of the Trinity and Christology, which have shaped Christian self-understanding ever since.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Overview on the History of Christianity and its contexts with selected examples from the 2nd to the 5th century
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	Interpretation of central texts of the period
Bewertung	summative
Modultyp in diesem Programm	P
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	History of Christianity during the Ages

History of Ancient Christianity in its context, Seminar	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Seminar
Allgemeine Beschreibung	With selected examples the seminar will deepen the knowledge on the History of Ancient Christianity. Themes could be Violence and Tolerance in Early Christianity, Women in Early Christianity, Bishops and Monks, Christianity in the metropoles of the Empire, Competitions between different groups in the citiy, and the development of christian Identiy through the councils and Dogmas of God, Trinity and Christology.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	Essays
Bewertung	summative
Modultyp in diesem Programm	P
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	

Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	History of Christianity during the Ages

The Beginnings of Reformed Theology, Seminar	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	Seminar
Allgemeine Beschreibung	This seminar aims to familiarise students with key figures of the Swiss Reformation and with their theology. The study and interpretation of their texts is joined by a consideration of their historical context.
ECTS-Credits	3
Lernziel	Participants acquire a historical understanding of the Swiss Reformation and its importance for Reformed theology.
Unterrichtssprache	Englisch
Leistungsnachweis	Essay
Bewertung	summative
Modultyp in diesem Programm	P
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	twice
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	none
Dauer	1 Semester
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	History of Christianity during the Ages

Methods and Languages	

Method/Language 1	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Modules can be selected from the UZH course catalog
ECTS-Credits	6
Lernziel	
Unterrichtssprache	
Leistungsnachweis	n.A.
Bewertung	n.A.
Modultyp in diesem Programm	
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology

Modulgruppe	Methods and Languages

Method/Language 2	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Modules can be selected from the UZH course catalog
ECTS-Credits	6
Lernziel	
Unterrichtssprache	
Leistungsnachweis	n.A.
Bewertung	n.A.
Modultyp in diesem Programm	
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Methods and Languages

Method/Language 3	
Lehrform Veranstaltungen	
Allgemeine Beschreibung	Modules can be selected from the UZH course catalog
ECTS-Credits	6
Lernziel	
Unterrichtssprache	
Leistungsnachweis	n.A.
Bewertung	n.A.
Modultyp in diesem Programm	
Wiederholungsmöglichkeit	
Angebotsmuster	
Voraussetzungen	
Dauer	
Studienprogramm	Religious Studies and Theology
Modulgruppe	Methods and Languages