

Valid for 2023.HS

Module Name: Advanced Research Projects	
Module Code	w.MA.XX.AREP.19HS
Module Description	Students participate in applied research projects. They consolidate their professional, methodological, and social competence and further develop the methodological expertise acquired in the REP module. They combine their methodological competence with applications in their field of study and thus improve their professional competence. The topics they work on must have a high degree of practical relevance. The applied research projects must comply with academic standards in terms of structure, methodology, analysis, innovative nature of content, and relevance. Mere consulting or service projects must be avoided. The research topic must be complex and suitable for investigation using scientific methods.
Program and Specialization	Banking and Finance
Legal Framework	Academic Regulations MSc in Banking and Finance dated 29.09.2011, Appendix to the Academic Regulations for the degree program in Banking and Finance, first adopted on 28.08.2012
Module Category	Module Type: Compulsory
ECTS	6
Organizational Unit	W Institut für Wealth & Asset Management
Module Coordinator	Christoph Künzle (kunh)
Deputy Module Coordinator	Christoph Kley (kley)
Prerequisite Knowledge	A prerequisite for this module is the methodological knowledge from Semesters 1+2 of the Master's degree program. This includes, in particular, econometric knowledge, use and research of scientific literature, and a structured approach.
Contribution to Program Learning Goals (Affected by Module)	§ Professional Competence § Methodological Competence § Social Competence § Self-Competence
Contribution to Program Learning Objectives	Professional Competence § Knowing and Understanding Content of Theoretical and Practical Relevance § Apply, Analyze, and Synthesize Content of Theoretical and Practical Relevance § Evaluate Content of Theoretical and Practical Relevance Methodological Competence § Problem-Solving & Critical Thinking § Scientific Methodology § Work Methods, Techniques, and Procedures § Information Literacy § Creativity & Innovation Social Competence § Written Communication § Oral Communication § Teamwork & Conflict Management § Intercultural Insight & Ability to Change Perspective Self-Competence § Self-Management & Self-Reflection § Ethical & Social Responsibility § Learning & Change
Module Learning Objectives	Students... § deepen the methodological knowledge they have acquired. § specialize in the field of research related to the topic they have selected from the available pool of topics. § are able to use appropriate methods correctly in dealing with complex applied research projects and justify their choices. § are able to express themselves expertly in the selected subject area. § are able to justify the results of their study correctly in terms of content. § become experts in a research topic selected from a pool of topics. § are able to interpret the results of their study correctly. § are able to proceed systematically in completing a complex applied research project.

Module Content	§ Practical application of econometric principles. § Autonomous work on a research question. § Application and adaptation of the acquired technical and methodological knowledge to a specific research topic. § Working in teams. § Production and presentation of research findings. § Application of project management knowledge.		
Links to other modules	The content of this module is linked to the following modules: w.MA.XX.QNM.19HS w.MA.XX.REP.19HS		
Methods of Instruction	§ Project Work § Literature Review	Social Settings Used: Pair Work	
Digital Resources	Reader		
Type of Instruction	Classroom Instruction	Guided Self-Study	Autonomous Self-Study
Lecture	4 h	-	
Excercise	-	-	
Project Work	-	10 h	
Seminar	-	-	
Total	4 h	10 h	
Performance Assessment			
End-of-module exam	Form	Length (min.)	Weighting
-	-	-	-
Permitted Resources	-		
Others			
	Assessment	Length (min.)	Weighting
Written Assignment	Grade	-	80,00 %
Talk/oral presentation	Grade	30	20,00 %
Students are not allowed to revise and resubmit performance assessment tasks.			
Classroom Attendance Requirement	Mandatory Attendance: Other Attendance of the colloquium is mandatory.		
Language of Instruction/Examination	German		
Compulsory Reading	-		
Recommended Reading	-		
Comments	-		