Module Name	Module Code		
Food Policy	AEF-eg003e		
Module Coordinator			
Prof. Dr. Awudu Abdulai			
Organizer			
Institut für Ernährungswirtschaft und Verbrauchslehre - Ernährungsökonomie			
Faculty			
Faculty of Agricultural and Nutritional Sciences			
Examination Office			
Prüfungsamt Agrar- und Ernährungswissenschaftliche Fakultät			

ECTS Credits	6
Evaluation	Graded
Duration	ein Semester
Frequency	Only takes place during summer semesters
Workload per ECTS Credit	30 hours
Total Workload	180 hours
Contact Time	60 hours
Independent Study	120 hours
Teaching Language	English

Recommended Requirements

Basic knowledge in introductory economics, economic analysis of markets, market structures, and price formation

Module Courses

Course Type	Course Name	Compul- sory/Optional	sws
Lecture	Food Policy	Compulsory	4

Examination(s)					
Examination Name	Type of Examination	Evaluation	Compulsory / Optional	Weighting	
Written Examination: Food Policy	Written Examina- tion	Graded	Compulsory	100	

Further Information on the Examination(s)

1.+2. period in summer semester
period in winter semester

examiner: Prof. Dr. Abdulai

QIS: 52303 with number of Examination 5235

ungrated presentation is required

Course Content

Lecture:

Overview of policy aspects in Food Economics, objectives, instruments, and limitations of economic policies in the food sector, formation of interest groups and lobbyism in the food sector, economic systems and regulation policies in the food sector, international competitiveness and competition policies for food products, international trade restrictions, tariff and non-tariff trade policy measures, measurement of trade restrictiveness, determinants of trade restrictiveness in the agri-food sector

Seminar

Presentation and discussion of selected topics by the course participants

Learning Outcome

Students are in a position to identify, explain, and link specific problems in the agri-food sector. They are able to independently work out, analyze, and critically assess specific food policy issues. This enables the students to assess the significance of policy interventions, as well as to develop ideas for alternative concepts.

Reading List

Information on the webpage of the Institute

Additional Information

Free admission, but enrollment for ungrated presentation is required. Enrollment in OLAT within the 2th examination period of the preceding semester.

Use	Compulsory / Optional	Semester
Master, 1-subject, Agricultural Sciences, Agricultural Economics, (Version 2013)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Agricultural Sciences, Agribusiness, (Version 2013)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Agricultural Sciences, Crop Sciences, (Version 2013)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Agricultural Sciences, Animal Sciences, (Version 2013)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Agricultural Sciences, Environmental Sciences, (Version 2013)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Nutritional and Food Science, (Version 2013)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Nutritional and Consumer Economics, (Version 2013)	Compulsory	-