

Module Name	Module Code
Food Policy	AEF-eg003e
Module Coordinator	
Prof. Dr. Awudu Abdulai	
Organizer	
Institute of Food Economics and Consumption Studies - Food Economics	
Faculty	
Faculty of Agricultural and Nutritional Sciences	
Examination Office	
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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	Compulsory/Optional	SWS
Lecture	Food Policy	Compulsory	4
Prerequisites for Admission to the Examination(s)			
A successful seminar presentation is a requirement for the written exam. The grade from the seminar may make up to 25% of the final grade for the course. Although there is no obligation to be present during the seminars, a candidate must be present during the presentation of the group work.			

Examination(s)				
Examination Name	Type of Examination	Evaluation	Compulsory / Optional	Weighting
Written Examination: Food Policy	Written Examination	Graded	Compulsory	100
Further Information on the Examination(s)				
<p>1.+2. period in summer semester 1. period in winter semester</p> <p>examiner: Prof. Dr. Abdulai QIS: 52303 with number of Examination 52350</p> <p>A successful seminar presentation is a requirement for the written exam. The grade from the seminar may make up to 25% of the final grade for the course. Although there is no obligation to be present during the seminars, a candidate must be present during the presentation of the group work.</p>				
Course Content				
<p>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, mergers and acquisitions</p> <p>Seminar: Presentation and discussion of selected topics by the course participants</p>				
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 ungraded presentation is required. Enrollment in OLAT within the 2 nd examination period of the preceding semester.				

Use	Compulsory / Optional	Semester
Master, 1-subject, Agricultural Sciences, Agricultural Economics, (Version 2017)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Agricultural Sciences, Agricultural Economics, (Version 2013)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Agricultural Sciences, Agribusiness, (Version 2017)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Agricultural Sciences, Agribusiness, (Version 2013)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Agricultural Sciences, Crop Sciences, (Version 2017)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Agricultural Sciences, Crop Sciences, (Version 2013)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Agricultural Sciences, Animal Sciences, (Version 2017)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Agricultural Sciences, Animal Sciences, (Version 2013)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Agricultural Sciences, Environmental Sciences, (Version 2017)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Agricultural Sciences, Environmental Sciences, (Version 2013)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Dairy Science, (Version 2017)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Economics, (Version 2014)	Compulsory	-
Master, 1-subject, Economics, (Version 2007)	Compulsory	-
Master, 1-subject, Nutritional and Food Science, (Version 2013)	Optional	-
Master, 1-subject, Nutritional and Consumer Economics, (Version 2017)	Compulsory	-
Master, 1-subject, Nutritional and Consumer Economics, (Version 2013)	Compulsory	-
Master, 1-subject, Quantitative Economics, (Version 2014)	Compulsory	-
Master, 1-subject, Quantitative Economics, (Version 2007)	Compulsory	-
Master, 1-subject, Quantitative Finance, (Version 2014)	Compulsory	-
Master, 1-subject, Quantitative Finance, (Version 2007)	Compulsory	-