

## Information on the Basic Module in humanities studies

The basic module includes introductory courses that are intended to provide orientation in terms of specialization, faculty and university to new students at the beginning of their degree programmes. A look beyond the student's own subject promotes interdisciplinarity and opens up an initial access to networked thinking. Students are awarded a certificate upon completion of all the basic module courses (a. to d.).

**The basic module comprises a total of at least 28 ECTS credit points. It consists of compulsory (a. to b and c. or d.) and optional (e.) courses.**

**a. and b. Basic Module of the chosen degree programme (required course, at least 8 ECTS credit points) and Basic Module of the degree programme chosen as a 2nd subject (restricted elective course, at least 8 ECTS credit points)**

The basic module of the chosen degree programme can be selected from the following degree programmes at the Faculty of Humanities:

Ancient History and Classical Antiquities, English and American Studies, Archaeology, Classical Philology, European Ethnology, German Language and Literature, History, Art History, Philosophy, Romance Studies (French, Italian, Spanish), Slavic Languages, Literatures and Cultures, Linguistics.

The courses for the basic module of the chosen degree programme are listed in the respective curricula.

**c. Basic Module of the Faculty (restricted elective course, 6 ECTS credit points) for the degree programmes BA Ancient History and Classical Antiquities (24W), BA Archaeology (24W):**

	Courses	Course Type	ECTS	Course hours
FB.1	Introduction to Topics of Humanities	VO	3	2
FB.2	Introduction to Topics of Humanities	VO	3	2

To complete the module students have to choose and complete two courses from [this list](#).

**d. Basic Module of the Faculty (restricted elective course, 6 ECTS credit points) for the degree programmes BA Ancient History and Classical Antiquities (17W), BA Art History (17W), BA Archaeology (17W), BA Classical Philology (20W), BA English and American Studies (17W), BA European Ethnology (20W), BA German Language and Literature (20W), BA History (21W), BA Linguistics (18W), BA Philosophy (17W), BA Romance Studies (French) (17W), BA Romance Studies (Italian) (17W), BA Romance Studies (Spanish) (17W), BA Slavic Languages, Literatures and Cultures (20W), BA Transcultural Communication (17W):**

Two of the following courses (FB.1 and FB.2 OR FB.1. and FB.3) must be completed as part of the Basic Module of the Faculty of Humanities:

<b>Module FB</b>	<b>Basic Module of the Faculty of Arts and Humanities</b>	<b>Course type</b>	<b>ECTS</b>	<b>Course hours</b>
<b>FB.1</b>	Introduction to the Humanities	VO	3	2
<b>FB.2</b>	Themen der Geisteswissenschaften (Topics of Humanities)	VO	3	2
<b>FB.3</b>	Introductory lecture from a 3rd degree programme	VO	3	2

Only those courses that are not required courses for either the primary chosen degree programme or the 2<sup>nd</sup> chosen degree programme can be selected for the basic module of the Faculty of Humanities.

[Courses offered in the winter semester](#)

[Courses offered in the summer semester](#)

**e. Basic Module of the University (free elective course, 6 ECTS credit points)**

[You can find more information on the basic module of the university and the courses offered here.](#)