Title: Fiscal and Economic Policy
- Part: Economic Policy
Module Code: 07-101-6101
Type: Mandatory

Responsible: Institute of Economic Policy
Lecturer: Prof. Dr. Gunther Schnabl
Language of Instruction: German
Duration: 1 Semester
Workload: Lecture (2h a week) = 30h of class instruction and 70h of self-study = 100h
          Tutorial (1h a week) = 15h of class instruction and 35h of self-study = 50h
ECTS Credit Points: 5 ECTS
Expected participants: B. Sc. in Business Information Systems
                       B. Sc. in Economics and Management Science
                       B. Sc. in Business Education and Management Training

Course objectives:
The module „Fiscal and Economic Policy“ comprises two separate courses: the lecture “Economic Policy” (2 hours a week) and the lecture “Fiscal Policy” (2 hours a week).

The objective of the course “Economic Policy” is to enable the students to reflect in a qualified way on economic decision-making behavior and resulting actions. In addition, knowledge of the economic-political contexts and basics of the theory and practice of economic policy advice will be imparted.

Course content:
Participants of the course "Economic Policy" explore theoretical, empirical and application-related contexts, which are geared toward the objectives of economic policy action and the means of their realization and enable the assessment of actual economic conditions. Apart from the positive theory, elements of the normative theory of economic policy are treated.

Literature: Information on the relevant literature will be presented in the first session.
Assessment: Written examination (45 min.)