

## **Guidelines of the Doctoral Directorate of Studies Business, Economics and Statistics regarding the courses taught in the dissertation subject area Management**

In the dissertation subject area PhD Management classes in the extent of 30 ECTS credits have to be completed. These classes are stated in the Doctoral Thesis Agreement for the subject area in accordance with these guidelines.

The programme consists of a Core Programme and an Elective Programme which each contain 15 ECTS points.

Three of the following classes (5 ECTS each) have to be completed in the Core Programme:

- Philosophy of Science
- Experimental and Simulation Methods
  
- Management Decision Making
- Management Control
- Advanced Microeconomics
  
- Multivariate Business Statistics
- Structural Equation Modeling
  
- Econometrics
- Advanced Regression Analysis

In the Elective Programme, which has to consist of a minimum of 10 ECTS, at least three courses have to be completed. The courses may be chosen from the below list.

The actual course offer may vary from semester to semester.

Upon individual approval by the supervisor and the Director of Studies, classes to the extent of 15 ECTS relevant for the thesis project can also be taken at related doctoral or PhD programmes at the University of Vienna or other universities.

Classes of the Elective Programme are, as far as possible, designed to suit students of doctoral programmes in similar subjects at other universities.

The following classes are offered by the faculty in any case as part of the Elective Programme (5 ECTS each):

- Topics in Controlling and Financial Accounting 1
- Topics in Marketing and International Marketing 1
- Topics in Human Resources and Organizations 1

- Topics in Strategy and Innovation 1
  
- Topics in Controlling and Financial Accounting 2
- Topics in Marketing and International Marketing 2
- Topics in Human Resources and Organizations 2

- Topics in Strategy and Innovation 2
  
- Topics in Controlling and Financial Accounting 3
- Topics in Marketing and International Marketing 3
- Topics in Human Resources and Organizations 3
- Topics in Strategy and Innovation 3

Additional classes may be arranged by the Directorate of Studies in accordance with the curricula and depending on available resources. Weitere Kurse können von der Studienprogrammleitung nach Maßgabe der verfügbaren Ressourcen und gemäß den Bestimmungen des Curriculums eingerichtet werden.

The public presentation of the doctoral thesis project to the faculty according to §5(2) of the curriculum is not a course as defined in §5(1) of the curriculum and has hence does not comprise ECTS points.