

SCHEDULE WINTER 2025/2026

MA RE POL

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Use [LSF](#) to register for courses.
- Block seminar dates can be found in LSF.
- Modules M1-M5 are for first year students, M6-M9 are for second year students.
- Please refer to the [FAQ](#), and the relevant [guides](#) for more information about course selection.
- **First year students:** please choose the THREE foundation courses for Module 1 as listed in your admission letter. You will also need to take TWO of the three interdisciplinary clusters: **Tolerance** (M3), **Conflict** (M4), and **Identity** (M5). Each cluster consists of four seminars taken over the period of two semesters. Some students may need to fulfill additional requirements in their first semesters. These courses are not listed here but can be found in LSF.

Module	Title	Dates (weekly)	Room (all rooms in Emil-Figge-Straße 50)	Lecturer
M1 Foundation Courses				
1.1 Fundamentals of Protestant Theology	Fundamentals of Protestant Theology	Wednesday, 12-14	2.213	Jens Heckmann
1.2 Fundamentals of Catholic Theology	Fundamentals of Catholic Theology	Friday, 10-12	4.238	Paula Schütze
1.3 Fundamentals of Philosophy	Epistemic Normativity	Mondays, 8-10	2.213	Eva Schmidt
1.4 Fundamentals of Political Science	Fundamentals of Political Science	Tuesday, 14-16	2.213	Matthias Kortmann
M3 Interdisciplinary cluster - Tolerance (Philosophy and Political Science)				
3.1.1 Philosophy: Fundamentals of Theories of Justice	Theories of Justice	Wednesday, 8-10	2.323	Peter Königs
3.1.2 Political Science: State Sovereignty vs. Intervention	State Sovereignty vs. Intervention	<i>block seminar</i> (February)	t.b.a.	Laura Nette
M4 Interdisciplinary cluster - Conflict (Political Science and Theology)				
4.1.1 Religion as a Factor in Conflict Studies	Religion as a Factor in Conflict Studies	Thursday, 14-16	2.242	Maximilian Selent
4.1.2 Interfaith Overlap Situations	Interfaith Overlap Situations	Tuesday, 8-10	2.323	Alexander Unser
M5 Interdisciplinary cluster - Identity (Theology and Philosophy)				
5.1.1 Intercultural and Interfaith Perspectives	Intercultural and Interfaith Perspectives	Thursday, 12-14	2.410	Sara Kipfer
5.1.2 Philosophical Perspective on the Individual and Society	Self, others, and intersubjectivity	Monday, 16-18	2.410	Katja Crone

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M6 Political Topics and Approaches				
6.1 Opportunities and Limitations of Political Action in Religious Conflict	Opportunities and Limitations of Political Action in Religious Conflict	Wednesdays, 10-12	0.436	Matthias Kortmann
6.2 Empirical and Interdisciplinary Work and Reserach Methods	Empirical and Interdisciplinary Work and Reserach Methods	Monday, 14-16	2.323	Matthias Frey
M7 Philosophical Topics and Approaches				
7.1 Justice and Tolerance: Current Topics	Introduction to Practical Chinese Philosophy	<i>block seminar</i>	2.242	Philippe Brunozzi
7.2 Mind, Language, and Society: Current Topics	The Metaphysics of Normativity	Tuesday, 10-12	2.410	Eva Schmidt
M8 Theological Topics and Approaches				
8.1 The role of religion in conflicts: Intersectional perspectives	Interreligious Episteme	Friday, 16-18	2.323	Martin Breul
8.2 Interreligious dialogue, peace and tolerance	Interreligious dialogue, peace and tolerance	Thursday, 16-18	2.323	Sophia Johnson
M9 Professional Focus				
9.1 Project Management	Project Management	Tuesday, 12-14	4.238	Nora Becker