

Georg-August-Universität Göttingen		6 C 4 WLH
Module M.Agr.0124: Environmental Economics and Policy		
Learning outcome, core skills: This module provides students with an overview of environmental and natural resource economics and in-depth knowledge of selected issues. Students will learn the basic theoretic concepts and methods applied in environmental economics. They will also learn to evaluate environmental policies. A special focus is placed on international and global environmental issues (e.g. climate change).	Workload: Attendance time: 56 h Self-study time: 124 h	
Course: Environmental Economics and Policy (Lecture, Exercise) <i>Contents:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Property rights, externalities and the environment • Efficiency and sustainability • Valuing the environment • Selected topics of natural resource economics (land, common-pool resources) • Perspectives on environmental policy (command&control versus incentives) • Global environmental issues (climate change) • Development and the environment 		4 WLH
Examination: Written examination (90 minutes) M.Agr.0124.Mp: Environmental Economics and Policy Examination requirements: Students have acquired in-depth knowledge on the above mentioned topics. They can explain and apply the theoretical concepts and methods taught in this course. They can evaluate environmental policies.		6 C
Admission requirements: Basic knowledge in agricultural economics and/or microeconomics	Recommended previous knowledge: none	
Language: English	Person responsible for module: Prof. Dr. Meike Wollni	
Course frequency: each summer semester	Duration: 1 semester[s]	
Number of repeat examinations permitted: twice	Recommended semester:	
Maximum number of students: 60		
Additional notes and regulations: The exam can be done in german.		