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## I. Certificate Programme EIRENE

In accordance with the regulations below, students must successfully complete four modules comprising a total of 24 C.

### 1. Bases

Students must successfully complete the following three modules comprising a total of 17 C.

SK.Theo-EIRENE.01: Intercultural Hermeneutics (5 C, 3 SWS).....	678
SK.Theo-EIRENE.02: Christianity in Intercultural Perspectives I (6 C, 4 SWS).....	679
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### 2. Practice

Students must successfully complete the following module comprising a total of 7 C.

SK.Theo-EIRENE.04: Ecumenical Internship and Reflection on Practical Work (7 C, 2 SWS).....	681
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## II. Key Competencies

Students enrolled in suitable programmes may complete the following modules as part of their professionalisation (key competencies).

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<b>Georg-August-Universität Göttingen</b> <b>Module SK.Theo-EIRENE.01: Intercultural Hermeneutics</b>		5 C 3 WLH
<b>Learning outcome, core skills:</b> Students acquire the ability to: - describe the theoretical and methodological bases of cultural studies and their relevance for theological reflection on intercultural, ecumenical and interreligious matters, - characterize cultures by means of established theoretical models, - discuss basic concepts of generalisation und stereotyping, - develop an awareness of the processes of intercultural exchange in dialogue with their peers, - employ communicative strategies in intercultural encounters, - develop strategies for solving conflicts and crises.		<b>Workload:</b> Attendance time: 42 h Self-study time: 108 h
<b>Courses:</b> <b>1. Intercultural Hermeneutics</b> (Lecture) <b>2. Intercultural Training</b> (Exercise) In cooperation with the Department for Intercultural German Studies.		2 WLH 1 WLH
<b>Examination: Learning journal (max. 20 pages), not graded</b> <b>Examination requirements:</b> By reflecting on the individual learning progress, students provide evidence of: - having acquired fundamental knowledge of the rudiments, topics, concepts and relevance of cultural studies, - the ability to critically engage with essential questions of intercultural hermeneutics and to relate them to ecumenical and interreligious perspectives.		5 C
<b>Admission requirements:</b> none	<b>Recommended previous knowledge:</b> none	
<b>Language:</b> English, German	<b>Person responsible for module:</b> PD Dr. Fritz Heinrich	
<b>Course frequency:</b> each winter semester	<b>Duration:</b> 1 semester[s]	
<b>Number of repeat examinations permitted:</b> twice	<b>Recommended semester:</b>	
<b>Maximum number of students:</b> 20		

<b>Georg-August-Universität Göttingen</b> <b>Module SK.Theo-EIRENE.02: Christianity in Intercultural Perspectives I</b>	6 C 4 WLH
<b>Learning outcome, core skills:</b> Students acquire the ability to: - reflect on the history of religions and churches in Africa, the Near East, Asia or America, particularly regarding colonial and mission history, - describe selected religious communities in these parts of the world, - engage critically with concepts and methods of extra-European theology, - recognize and interpret interdependencies between church-historical, societal, cultural, ethnological and interreligious questions.	<b>Workload:</b> Attendance time: 56 h Self-study time: 124 h
<b>Courses:</b> <b>1. History of Religions and Churches (Lecture)</b> Students focus either on Africa or the Near East or Asia or America. (The priority area can be identical to that in SK.Theo-EIRENE.03.) <b>2. Interdisciplinary Studies</b> In accordance with their priority area (Africa, the Near East, Asia or America), students choose a course in History, African Studies, Arabistics, Oriental Studies, Indology, American Studies, Comparative Religion or Cultural Anthropology.	2 WLH   2 WLH
<b>Examination: Oral examination (approx. 20 minutes)</b> <b>Examination requirements:</b> Sound knowledge of the history of religions and churches in Africa, the Near East, Asia or America, particularly regarding colonial and mission history. Ability to: - discuss concepts and methods of extra-European theology, - analyse interdependencies between church-historical, societal, cultural, ethnological and interreligious questions.	6 C
<b>Admission requirements:</b> none	<b>Recommended previous knowledge:</b> SK.Theo-EIRENE.01
<b>Language:</b> English, German	<b>Person responsible for module:</b> PD Dr. Fritz Heinrich
<b>Course frequency:</b> each summer semester	<b>Duration:</b> 1 semester[s]
<b>Number of repeat examinations permitted:</b> twice	<b>Recommended semester:</b>
<b>Maximum number of students:</b> 20	

<b>Georg-August-Universität Göttingen</b> <b>Module SK.Theo-EIRENE.03: Christianity in Intercultural Perspectives II</b>	6 C 4 WLH
<b>Learning outcome, core skills:</b> Students acquire the ability to: - analyse extra-European models of the relationship between church, state and society, - reflect on the relationship between religion, politics and society in Africa, the Near East, Asia or America, - recognize and interpret interdependencies between church-political, societal, cultural, ethnological and interreligious questions.	<b>Workload:</b> Attendance time: 56 h Self-study time: 124 h
<b>Courses:</b> <b>1. Religion, Politics and Society (Seminar)</b> Students focus either on Africa or the Near East or Asia or America. (The priority area can be identical to that in SK.Theo-EIRENE.02.) <b>2. Interdisciplinary Studies</b> In accordance with their priority area (Africa, the Near East, Asia or America), students choose a course in Politics, Social Sciences, Gender Studies, Ethnology, African Studies, Arabistics, Oriental Studies, Indology, American Studies, Comparative Religion or Cultural Anthropology.	2 WLH  2 WLH
<b>Examination: Oral report (approx. 20 minutes) with written elaboration (max. 15 pages)</b> <b>Examination requirements:</b> Ability to: - describe and discuss specifics of extra-European models of the relationship between church, state and society, - depict and assess interdependencies between church-political, societal, cultural, ethnological and interreligious questions.	6 C
<b>Admission requirements:</b> none	<b>Recommended previous knowledge:</b> SK.Theo-EIRENE.01
<b>Language:</b> English, German	<b>Person responsible for module:</b> PD Dr. Fritz Heinrich
<b>Course frequency:</b> each summer semester	<b>Duration:</b> 1 semester[s]
<b>Number of repeat examinations permitted:</b> twice	<b>Recommended semester:</b>
<b>Maximum number of students:</b> 20	

<b>Georg-August-Universität Göttingen</b>		7 C 2 WLH
<b>Module SK.Theo-EIRENE.04: Ecumenical Internship and Reflection on Practical Work</b>		
<b>Learning outcome, core skills:</b> Students acquire the ability to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- discuss the connection of theory and practice of intercultural theology,</li> <li>- describe the empirical aspects and the embeddedness of theological thinking and theological speech in particular contexts,</li> <li>- reflect on particular topics relating to cultural, societal, religious, and daily-life contexts,</li> <li>- select appropriate ways of presenting the links between theory and practice that arise from the internship experience.</li> </ul>		<b>Workload:</b> Attendance time: 148 h Self-study time: 62 h
<b>Courses:</b> <b>1. Self-organised Internship</b> Usually, the internship (at least 120 hours) takes place in a church community or a school that is characterized by a high proportion of international members; alternative internship locations have to be approved by the person responsible for the module. During the internship, students must autonomously organize an intercultural meeting with members of the relevant institution.  <b>2. Evaluation Seminar</b> <i>Course frequency: each semester</i>		2 WLH
<b>Examination: Poster presentation on the internship, not graded</b> <b>Examination prerequisites:</b> Internship report (max. 20 pages); for the details, see below ("Additional notes and regulations") <b>Examination requirements:</b> Ability to visualize the characteristic features of the internship by means of text blocks, pictures and graphics		7 C
<b>Admission requirements:</b> Within the certificate programme: SK.Theo-EIRENE.01 and 02 and 03.  As a key competency: SK.Theo-EIRENE.01 or 02 or 03.	<b>Recommended previous knowledge:</b> none	
<b>Language:</b> English, German	<b>Person responsible for module:</b> Dean of Studies	
<b>Course frequency:</b> see above	<b>Duration:</b> 1 semester[s]	
<b>Number of repeat examinations permitted:</b> twice	<b>Recommended semester:</b>	
<b>Maximum number of students:</b> 20		

**Additional notes and regulations:**

In the internship report, students describe the relevant institution as well as the basic conditions of the internship and reflect on their individual learning progress and on possible problems. Furthermore, they interrelate the experiences gained during the internship with the other parts of the certificate programme or, if SK.Theo-EIRENE.04 is completed as a key competency, with the relevant Bachelor or Master programme.