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Faculty of Humanities:

Following the resolution of the Faculty Council of the Faculty of Humanities on 21.06.2023, the Presidential Board of the Georg-August-Universität Göttingen approved on 13.10.2023 the tenth amendment of the examination and study regulations for the consecutive Master's degree programme „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ in the version published on 06.10.2011 (Official Announcements I no. 9/2011 p. 530), last amended by resolution of the Presidential Board on 25.05.2022 (Official Announcements I no. 26/2022 p. 481), approved (§ 44 section 1 sentence 2 NHG in the version published on 26.02.2007 (Nds. GVBl. (Lower Saxony Law and Official Gazette) p. 69), last amended by Article 7 of the Act dated 23.03.2022 (Nds. GVBl. (Lower Saxony Law and Official Gazette) p. 218); §§ 37 section 1 sentence 3 no. 5 b), 44 section 1 sentence 3 NHG).

Examination and study regulations for the consecutive Master's degree programme „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ at the University of Göttingen

§ 1 Scope

(1) The provisions of the "General Examination Regulations for Bachelor's and Master's Programmes and Other Study Programmes at the University of Göttingen" (APO) as well as the "Framework examination regulations for Master's degree programmes of the Faculty of Humanities" in their respective valid version apply to the Master's degree programme "Arabic-Islamic Studies" at the Georg-August-Universität Göttingen.

(2) These regulations govern the further provisions for the completion of the Master's degree programme "Arabic-Islamic Studies".

§ 2 Aims of the study programme; professional fields

(1) ¹The academic field of Arabic-Islamic Studies deals with history and culture, religion and intellectual history, law, the literatures as well as questions of secularity in the Islamic world with special consideration of the Arab countries. ²Earlier eras are covered as well as modern developments. ³Great importance is attached to teaching in-depth Arabic language skills as a prerequisite for source-orientated academic work and with a view to graduates' future career

opportunities.⁴By learning another language of the Islamic cultural area or another Semitic language, the view of the Islamic world is expanded geographically or deepened historically.

(2) The Master's degree programme "Arabic-Islamic Studies" prepares students for the following fields of activity:

- a) Further qualification in the academic field and related activities in research and teaching.
- b) Activities in the diplomatic service, national and international organisations, and in companies.
- c) Activities in cultural mediation fields, such as museums, libraries, and publishing houses.

(3) ¹The Master's degree programme "Arabic-Islamic Studies" serves both academic and nonacademic qualifications. ²Students demonstrate problem-solving skills in the study of the history and culture of Islam, the religion of Islam, Arabic literature, Islamic law, and issues of secularism in the Arab world. ³The focus is on original texts that are of fundamental importance for understanding the religious, intellectual, and cultural history of Islam. ⁴Students are introduced to current methodological issues and the international state of research in Arabic and Islamic Studies. ⁵They gain specialised knowledge and a critical understanding of the larger context of the development of Islam as a religion and a way of life. ⁶In language exercises, students deepen their passive and active command of the Arabic language. ⁷Learning another language of the Islamic cultural area or a second Semitic language enables students to interpret non-Arabic sources on Islamic intellectual and cultural history.

(4) The examinations during the Master's degree programme determine whether the candidate has acquired the specialist knowledge and skills required for the study objectives, has an overview of the relevant specialist contexts and has the ability to work according to scientific principles, to convey scientific knowledge and to reflect on and assess acquired knowledge and skills with regard to application contexts.

(5) ¹In the Master's degree programme "Arabic-Islamic Studies", students not only acquire specialised knowledge in a socio-politically highly topical field, but they are also encouraged to engage in civil society. ²Students are encouraged to contribute to debates on the integration of migrants and the teaching of core democratic values such as human rights and tolerance. ³In order to promote civil courage and socially engaged personalities, the following specific courses are available in this degree programme: M.Ara.504 "History and Culture of Islam" and M.Ara.505 "Religion of Islam", M.Ara.604 "Secular Modernity and Islam" and SK.Ara.702 "Arabic-Islamic Studies Abroad". ⁴Students are especially trained in responsible action, independent thinking,

comprehensive specialised knowledge, and reflection on political, social, and cultural events. ⁵The following competencies in particular are promoted:

- Cultural understanding and intercultural competence: The courses on Arabic literature train the students' awareness of the creative inclusion of historical and political topics, but also of the contemporary historical conditionality of literature. This creates an awareness of the culture of Islamic countries beyond religion, which can be productively introduced into socio-political debates and contribute to intercultural understanding.
- Creative thinking, self-determination and personality development: The high degree of self-determination through the broad range of choices and in the area of key competencies contributes to personality development, encourages initiative and creative thinking.

§ 2 a Recommended previous knowledge

¹If you are enrolled in an English-language study option or an English-language specialisation, basic knowledge of German is strongly recommended. ²Students with a lower level of German language skills are strongly recommended to take German courses in the compulsory elective or professionalisation area.

§ 3 Structure of the course of study; course contents and course of study

(1) The programme begins in the winter semester.

(2) The degree programme is not suitable for part-time study.

(3) The degree programme comprises 120 credits (ECTS credits; abbreviated: C), which are distributed as follows:

- a. core subject studies 78 C:
 - aa. „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ (German-language study option) or „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ (English-language study option) amounting to 78 C
 - bb. „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ (German-language study option) or „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ (English-language study option) amounting to 42 C combined with an approved module package in a different subject amounting to 36 C or with two approved module packages in a different subject amounting to 18 C each, or
- b. professionalisation area 12 C;
- c. Master's thesis 30 C.

²The language of instruction and examination of the respective study option can be taken from the designations in the module overview.

(4)¹ The study- and examination-related achievements are to be completed in compulsory, compulsory elective and elective modules. ²They are specified in a binding manner in the module overview (appendix I). ³For recommendation on the appropriate structure of the course of studies,

please refer to the sample curriculums enclosed in appendix II. ⁴The list of modules is published separately; it is part of these regulations insofar as the modules are listed in the module directory (appendix I).

(5) ¹The core subject studies "Arabic-Islamic Studies" or "Arabic-Islamic Studies" with a total of 78 C includes a study focus in "Islamic law" (in German) or a study focus in "Intellectual Histories of the Arab World" (in English). ²In the core subject studies "Arabic-Islamic Studies " with a total of 42 C, a study focus in "Islamic law" (in German) can be taken. ³The core subject studies "Arabic-Islamic Studies" with a total of 42 C includes a study focus in "Intellectual Histories of the Arab World" (in English). ⁴The module overview regulates the details.

(6) ¹In the core subject studies "Arabic-Islamic Studies " (German-language study option) with a total of 42 C, students complete three modules in the first three semesters from the available subject areas of History and Culture of Islam, Religion of Islam, Arabic Literature, Islamic Law and Arabic Language Practice. ²In parallel, students acquire in-depth knowledge of grammar and lexis in the first year of study. ³Students are able to actively use the language. ⁴In the master colloquium, candidates develop a concept for their final thesis. ⁵The study programme also includes solid basic knowledge of another language of the Islamic cultural area (e.g. Turkish or Persian) or of the Semitic language family (e.g. Syriac, Biblical Hebrew or Modern Hebrew) totalling 12 C.

(7) ¹In the core subject studies "Arabic-Islamic Studies" comprising 78 C with the study focus "Islamic law" comprising 44 C, students acquire extensive knowledge of legal theory and legal practice. ²They deal with various topics from the field of Islamic law. ³They are introduced to research on the religion of Islam and Islamic law and learn to independently develop questions that are relevant to modern legal discourse. ⁴The module "Technical Language, Legal Terminology" focuses on an intensive diachronic and synchronic examination of legal terminology. ⁵The extensive integration of central events of the Faculty of Law and the simultaneously very high requirements of Arabic language skills enable students to quickly recognize Islamic legal texts from these areas, to analyze them and to classify them in their contemporary contexts.

(8) ¹In the core subject studies "Arabic-Islamic Studies" comprising 42 C with the study focus "Islamic law", students acquire comprehensive legal-theoretical and legal-practical knowledge of subject areas of Islamic law. ²Through the integration of the module "Technical Language, Legal Language", the second Semitic language is omitted. ³Further, courses from the law faculty sharpen the requirement profile.

(9) ¹In the core subject studies "Arabic-Islamic Studies" comprising 78 C with the study focus "Intellectual Histories of the Arab World" comprising 50 C, students acquire extensive specialised knowledge of the intellectual history of the Arab world from late antiquity to modern times. ²They will deal with the areas of history, culture and religion of the Arab-Islamic world. ³They will be introduced to research on the Hadith, ethics and education, and secularism, and will learn to independently develop and answer questions relevant to intellectual history as well as to understanding current discourses in Islamic studies and society in the Arab-Islamic world. ⁴The module "Hadith Studies" focuses on the teaching and application of innovative isnad-cum-matn analysis. ⁵The module "Ethics and Education in Islam" explores the foundations and developments of religious, social and scientific phenomena that have defined Islamic societies up to the modern age. ⁶The module "Secular Modernity and Islam" focuses on discourses and phenomena from the 20th and 21st centuries at the intersection of secularity and Islam. ⁷Continuous cooperation with the Faculty of Theology and partner universities in the Arab and Islamic world is an important building block for promoting students' linguistic, intercultural and interdisciplinary competencies.

(10) ¹In the 42 C Arabic-Islamic Studies degree programme with the specialisation "Intellectual Histories of the Arab World", students acquire comprehensive specialist knowledge of the intellectual history of the Arab world from late antiquity to the modern era. ²In the first three semesters, students complete three modules from the following subject areas: Hadith Studies, Ethics and Education, Secularism and Arabic Literature. ³In the first year of study, students acquire in-depth knowledge of grammar and lexis in parallel. ⁴Students can actively use the language. ⁵In the Master's colloquium, candidates develop a concept for their final thesis.

(11) Key competencies are recommended, especially in the areas of methodological competence, social competence, and language competence, such as:

- a) Languages (strongly recommended for Latin and English, but also French, Russian and Greek or German if you choose English-language study options) for both future academics and students who want to work in international institutions;
- b) Further training in IT and basic knowledge of economics for the field of international financial cooperation, development aid and economic cooperation;
- c) Rhetorical and communication skills as well as the development of leadership and management qualities are useful in the fields of international cooperation, diplomatic and other policy-related services or in institutional work with foreigners;
- d) Media communication, Spokesperson and writing training are recommended for students who will be working in the media field.

(12) The module overview also describes the module packages "Arabic-Islamic Studies" with a total of 36 C or 18 C, the module packages "Intellectual Histories of the Arab World" with a total of 36 C or 18 C, and "Islamic law " with a total of 36 C, which can be included in another Master's degree programme.

§ 3 a Subject-specific types of examination

¹In addition to the types of examination provided for in the APO (General examination and programme rules and regulations for B.A. and M.A. programmes), examinations may take the form as follows: Portfolio. ²A portfolio ("document folder") serves to document one's own course of study and learning process in a reflective and commentary manner. Various shorter tasks are summarised in a portfolio (e.g. lesson logs and reading summaries).

§ 3 b Language of the study programme

¹The degree programme can be studied in German or English. ²The language of instruction in the courses is usually German or English. ³In addition, Arabic is also used as the language of instruction and practice. ⁴Examinations can be written in German or English, depending on the study option. ⁵Examinations of compulsory modules must be completed in the language of the chosen study option.

§ 4 Admission to the Master's thesis

As a prerequisite for admission to the Master's thesis Credits must be passed as follows:

- a. In the case of core subject studies "Arabic-Islamic Studies" (German-language study option) or "Arabic-Islamic Studies" (English-language study option) to the extent of 78 C compulsory, elective and optional modules of the Master's programme to the extent of 70 C,
- b. In the case of core subject studies "Arabic-Islamic Studies" (German-language study option) or "Arabic-Islamic Studies" (English-language study option) to the extent of 42 C, compulsory, elective and optional modules of the Master's programme to the extent of 70 C, of which at least 30 C must have been passed in the core subject studies "Arabic-Islamic Studies" or "Arabic-Islamic Studies".

§ 5 Retaking examinations to improve grades

It is not possible to retake passed examinations for the purpose of improving grades; the provision of § 16 a section 3 sentence 2 APO remains unaffected.

§ 6 Study as a module package

(1) ¹In the course of study "Arabic-Islamic Studies" as a module package with a total of 36 C (in German), three modules from the subject areas available for selection are completed in the course of the first three semesters. ²In each of these modules, 6 C are acquired through participation in source work and a presentation or through practical language performance. ³In the first year of study, in-depth knowledge of grammar and lexis as well as active command of the language are acquired in parallel. ⁴The acquisition of basic knowledge of another language of the Islamic cultural area (e.g. Turkish or Persian) or of the Semitic language family (e.g. Syriac, Biblical Hebrew or Modern Hebrew) through import modules totaling 12 C is mandatory.

(2) ¹In the course of study "Arabic-Islamic Studies" as a module package amounting to 18 C (in German), students acquire 6 C each in two modules through participation in source work and a presentation or through language practical achievements. ²They perfect their knowledge of grammar and lexis as well as their active command of the language in the exercises "Arabic for advanced learners" to the extent of 6 C.

(3) In the course of study "Islamic law" as a module package of 36 C (in German), students acquire in-depth knowledge of Islamic law, namely of its origins in its present-day state form, acquire the special legal language (language of international conventions, laws, ordinances, court decisions, etc.) and gain an insight into fundamental areas of legal studies through the connection with the Faculty of Law.

(4) ¹In the degree programme "Intellectual Histories of the Arab World" as a module package totalling 36 C (in English), three modules from the available subject areas are completed over the course of the first three semesters. ²In each of these modules, 6 C are earned through participation in source work and a presentation or through practical language skills in Arabic. ³In the first year of study, students acquire in-depth knowledge of grammar and lexis as well as an active command of the language. ⁴The acquisition of basic knowledge of another language of the Islamic cultural area (e.g. Turkish or Persian) or of the Semitic language family (e.g. Syriac and Aramaic, Biblical Hebrew or Modern Hebrew) through import modules totalling 12 C is recommended, but is not compulsory.

(5) In the course of study "Intellectual Histories of the Arab World" as a module package amounting to 18 C (in English), the students acquire 6 C each in two modules through participation in source work and a presentation or through practical language achievements oriented towards Arabic. They perfect their knowledge of grammar and lexis as well as their active command of the language in the exercises "Arabic for advanced learners" amounting to 6 C.

(6) ¹The language of instruction in the courses is usually German or English. ²In addition, Arabic is used as the language of instruction and practice.

§ 7 Comment on the courses

¹An annotated list of courses is prepared for each semester and is available towards the end of the previous semester. ²It contains more detailed information on the contents of courses that must be attended as part of a module. ³It provides literature references for preparation, gives information on compulsory reading as well as on the study obligations to be fulfilled in each case, and informs about the place and time of the course and the lecturers involved. ⁴In addition, it contains important information and notes for the implementation of the study programme, such as registration and examination modalities and dates, office hours of the lecturers; opening hours of the secretary's office and library, etc.

§ 8 Student Counselling; Obligatory Student Counselling

(1) The specialised study advisory service is offered by the lecturers involved in the degree programme, while advice on examination matters is provided by the Examination Office of the Faculty of Humanities.

(2) The Central Student Advisory Office of the university is in charge of general study advice, especially regarding inter-faculty questions.

(3) In addition, students should take advantage of the study advisory service especially in the following cases:

- after failing an examination twice,
- in the event of any deviations from the standard course length,
- if changing the module package, study focus, degree programme or university,
- before a planned course of studies abroad,
- at the end of the second semester or at the beginning of the third semester of studies.

(4) ¹The choice of an English-language study option or enrollment in an English-language study focus according to § 3 section 6 requires the participation in a compulsory study counseling. ²This consultation must take place at the latest before registration for the first examination.

§ 9 Entry into force; transitional provisions

(1) These regulations shall enter into force retroactively on 01.10.2015 following their publication in the Official Announcements I of the Georg-August Universität of Göttingen.

(2) At the same time, the Examination regulations for the Master's degree programme "Arabic-Islamic Studies" in the version of the announcement of 18.09.2009 (Official Announcements I No. 28/2009 p. 2784) as well as the Study Regulations for the Master's degree programme "Arabic-Islamic Studies" in the version of the announcement of 18.09.2009 (Official Announcements I No. 28/2009 p. 2791) shall expire.

(3)¹ Students who began their studies before an amendment to these Examination and Study Regulations came into force and who were continuously enrolled in this degree programme or continuously admitted to the module package „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ or "Islamic law" shall be examined according to the version applicable before this amendment came into force. ²In the case of examinations still to be taken, this does not apply to module directory and lists, unless the protection of a student's legal entitlements requires a deviating decision by the examination committee. ³A deviating decision is possible in particular in cases in which an examination or a partial examination requirement can be repeated or a compulsory or required compulsory elective module has been substantially changed or cancelled. ⁴The examination committee may make general regulations in this regard. ⁵Upon application, students, according to sentence 1, shall be examined in total according to the provisions of the amended regulations. ⁵Examinations according to these regulations in the version valid prior to the entry into force of an amendment shall be taken for the last time in the fourth semester after the entry into force of this amendment.

Appendix I Module overview

1. Master's degree programme „Arabic-Islamic Studies“

At least 120 C must be acquired; modules already completed as part of the Bachelor's programme cannot be taken into account; examination-related achievements can only be taken into account in one module of this programme at a time.

a. Core subjects studies „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ comprising 78 C with the study focus „Islamic law“

aa. Compulsory modules

The following modules totaling 16 C must be successfully completed:

M.Ara.01	Advanced text reading and discussion	(6 C / 4 WLH)
M.Ara.02	Master's colloquium	(4 C / 1 WLH)
M.Ara.09	Advanced reading and written use of Arabic	(6 C / 2 WLH)

bb. Study focus „Islamic law“

Modules totaling at least 44 C must be successfully completed in accordance with the following provisions:

i. The following modules totaling 32 C must be successfully completed:

M.Ara.05	Religion des Islams	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.07	Islamic law	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.08-1	Specialised Language / Legal Language I	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.08-2	Specialised Language / Legal Language II	(4 C / 2 WLH)
S.RW 1220	International Human Rights Protection	(6 C / 2 WLH)

ii. Two of the following modules in the amount of at least 12 C must be successfully completed.

Only one module of the same designation can be completed at a time, i.e. either S.RW.1416K or S.RW.1416HA or S.RW.0311K or S.RW.0311HA:

S.RW.1416K	General Political Science	(4 C / 2 WLH)
S.RW.1416HA	General Political Science	(7 C / 2 WLH)
S.RW.0311K	Criminal Law I	(8 C / 7 WLH)
S.RW.0311HA	Criminal Law I	(11 C / 7 WLH)

iii. Instead of one of the modules S.RW.0311K or S.RW.0311HA according to no. ii. other modules of the Faculty of Law with a total of at least 8 C can be completed upon application. The application must be addressed to the Dean of Studies; it does not constitute a legal claim and can be rejected without justification.

cc. Compulsory elective modules

Modules totaling at least 18 C must be successfully completed in accordance with the following provisions.

i. At least one of the following modules totaling at least 12 C must be successfully completed (second language of the Islamic cultural area/second Semitic language); other equivalent modules may be credited:

B.Ira.101a	Introduction to New Persian I	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ira.102a	Introduction to New Persian II	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.JudC.01	Modern Hebrew I	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.JudC.02	Modern Hebrew II	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ara.26-1	Second language of the Arab and Islamic world I	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ara.26-2	Second language of the Arab and Islamic world II	(6 C / 4 WLH)

ii. One of the following modules in the amount of 6 C must be successfully completed:

M.Ara.04a	History and culture of Islam	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.06a	Arabic literature	(6 C / 2 WLH)

dd. Professionalisation area

Modules amounting to 12 C from the permitted range of key competencies must be successfully completed. Provided that sufficient knowledge of the English language is demonstrated, the following module can be chosen as an alternative:

M.Ara.10	„Islamic Culture, Past and Present“	(8 C / 2 WLH)
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ee. Master's thesis

30 C are earned by successfully completing the master's thesis.

b. Core subject studies „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ comprising 78 C with the study focus „Intellectual Histories of the Arab World“

i. The admission requirement for taking the study option is proof of sufficient English language skills. Applicants whose native language is not English shall prove sufficient English language skills with standardised or accredited certificates at least at level B2 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages of the Council of Europe (CEFR).

aa. Compulsory modules

The following modules totaling 16 C must be successfully completed:

M.Ara.501	Advanced Reading and Discussion	(6 C / 4 WLH)
M.Ara.502	Master Colloquium	(4 C / 1 WLH)
M.Ara.509	Advanced Arabic Reading and Writing	(6 C / 2 WLH)

bb. Study focus „Intellectual Histories of the Arab World“

Elective modules in accordance with the following provisions totaling at least 50 C must be successfully completed.

i. Four of the following modules totaling 32 C must be successfully completed:

M.Ara.506	Arabic Literature	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.601	Methods and Theories in Arabic-Islamic Studies	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.602	Hadith Studies	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.603	Ethics and Education in Islam	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.604	Secular Modernity and Islam	(8 C / 2 WLH)

ii. Three of the following modules totaling 18 C must be successfully completed:

M.Ara.506a	Arabic Literature	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.601a	Methods and Theories in Arabic-Islamic Studies	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.602a	Hadith Studies	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.603a	Ethics and Education in Islam	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.604a	Secular Modernity and Islam	(6 C / 2 WLH)
SK.Ara.701	Arabic Language Course in the Middle East	(6 C / 2 WLH)
SK.Ara.702	Arabic-Islamic Studies Abroad	(6 C / 2 WLH)
B.Ara.25	Exkursion in die Arabische Welt	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Int.Theol.14-01	Theories of Religion	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.001	Wissenschaftliches Arbeiten	(4 C / 2 WLH)

cc. Compulsory elective modules

Two of the following modules totalling at least 12 C must be successfully completed (German courses at the appropriate level of the students, second language of the Islamic cultural area/second Semitic language or Iranian Studies modules). Equivalent modules can be recognised.

SK.DaF.A1.1-4h.	German language course A.1.1	(6 C / 4 WLH)
SK.DaF.A1.2-4h.	German language course A.1.2	(6 C / 4 WLH)
M.Ira.011	Aspects of Iranian religious traditions	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.011a	Aspects of Iranian religious traditions	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.012	History and images of history in the Iranian cultural area	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.012a	History and images of history in the Iranian cultural area	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.013	Persian literature	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.013a	Persian Literature	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.014	Language and Culture in the Iranian Region	(4 C / 2 WLH)

M.Ira.014a	Language and Culture in the Iranian Region	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.015	Documents and Media	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.015a	Documents and Media	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.016	Politics and Society	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.016a	Politics and Society	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.017	Iranian Archaeology and Art	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.017a	Iranian Archaeology and Art	(8 C / 2 WLH)
SK.Ara.526-1	Second Language of the Arab and Muslim World I	(6 C / 4 WLH)
SK.Ara.526-2	Second Language of the Arab and Muslim World II	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ira.101a	Introduction to New Persian I	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ira.102a	Introduction to Modern Persian II	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.JudC.01	Modern Hebrew I	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.JudC.02	Modern Hebrew II	(6 C / 4 WLH)

dd. Area of professionalisation

Modules amounting to 12 C from the permitted range of key competencies must be successfully completed. In addition, the following module is also available for selection:

SK.IKG.IKK.12-1	Intercultural Competence Training Focusing on “Arabic” and “Western” Perspectives (Joint Classroom Format)	(6 C / 2 WLH)
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i. Offers for foreign students with little knowledge of German

Foreign students who do not have German language skills at least at the level of DSH-1 may optionally, in deviation from letter dd, successfully complete modules totaling at least 12 C from the module directory to the examination regulations for the German Language Examination for the Admission of Foreign Study Applicants (DSH).

ee. Master's thesis

30 C are earned by successfully completing the master's thesis.

c. Core subject studies „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ comprising 42 C

aa. Compulsory modules

The following modules totaling 10 C must be successfully completed:

M.Ara.01	Textlektüre und Diskussion für Fortgeschrittene	(6 C / 4 WLH)
M.Ara.02	Master-Kolloquium	(4 C / 1 WLH)

bb. Compulsory elective modules

Elective modules in accordance with the following provisions totaling at least 32 C must be successfully completed.

i. Two of the following modules totaling 12 C must be successfully completed:

M.Ara.04a	Geschichte und Kultur des Islams	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.05a	Religion des Islams	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.06a	Arabische Literatur	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.07a	Islamic law	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.09	Vertiefte Lektüre und schriftlicher Sprachgebrauch des Arabischen	(6 C / 2 WLH)

ii. One of the following modules, totaling 8 C, must be successfully completed:

M.Ara.04	Geschichte und Kultur des Islams	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.05	Religion des Islams	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.06	Arabische Literatur	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.07	Islamic law	(8 C / 2 WLH)

iii. At least one of the following modules totalling at least 12 C must be successfully completed (second language of the Islamic cultural area/second Semitic language); other equivalent modules can be credited:

B.Ira.101a	Introduction to Modern Persian	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ira.102a	Introduction to Modern Persian	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.JudC.01	Modern Hebrew I	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.JudC.02	Modern Hebrew II	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ara.26-1	Second Language of the Arabic and Islamic World I	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ara.26-2	Second Language of the Arabic and Islamic World II	(6 C / 4 WLH)

cc. Study focus „Islamic law“

Students can complete a study focus in "Islamic law" within the framework of the core subject studies Arabic-Islamic Studies. In deviation from letter bb., the following elective modules with a total of at least 32 C must be successfully completed. Only one of the modules S.RW.1416K and S.RW.1416HA can be completed:

M.Ara.05a	Religion des Islams	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.07a	Islamic law	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.08-1	Fachsprache/Rechtssprache I	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.08-2	Fachsprache/Rechtssprache II	(4 C / 2 WLH)
S.RW.1220	Internationaler Menschenrechtsschutz	(6 C / 2 WLH)

S.RW.1416K Allgemeine Staatslehre (4 C / 2 WLH)

S.RW.1416HA Allgemeine Staatslehre (7 C / 2 WLH)

dd. Subject-external module packages

Students must successfully complete one approved external subject module package totaling 36 C or two approved external subject module packages totaling 18 C each.

ee. Area of professionalisation

Modules amounting to 12 C from the permitted range of key competencies must be successfully completed. Provided that sufficient knowledge of the English language is demonstrated, the following module can be chosen as an alternative:

M.Ara.10 Islamic Culture, Past and Present (8 C / 2 WLH)

ff. Master's thesis

30 C are earned by successfully completing the master's thesis.

d. Core subject studies „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ comprising 42 C with the study focus „Intellectual Histories of the Arab World“

i. Admission Requirements

The admission requirement for taking the study option is proof of sufficient English language skills. Applicants whose native language is not English shall prove sufficient English language skills with standardised or accredited certificates at least at level B2 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages of the Council of Europe (CEFR).

aa. Compulsory modules

The following modules totaling 10 C must be successfully completed:

M.Ara.501 Advanced Reading and Discussion (6 C / 4 WLH)

M.Ara.502 Master Colloquium (4 C / 1 WLH)

bb. Study focus „Intellectual Histories of the Arab World“

Elective modules in accordance with the following provisions totaling at least 32 C must be successfully completed.

i. Two of the following modules totaling 12 C must be successfully completed. At least one of the modules M.Ara.601a-604a must be taken:

M.Ara.506a Arabic Literature (6 C / 2 WLH)

M.Ara.509 Advanced Arabic Reading and Writing (6 C / 2 WLH)

M.Ara.601a Methods and Theories in Arabic-Islamic Studies (6 C / 2 WLH)

M.Ara.602a	Hadith Studies	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.603a	Ethics and Education in Islam	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.604a	Secular Modernity and Islam	(6 C / 2 WLH)
SK.Ara.701	Arabic Language Course in the Middle East	(6 C / 2 WLH)
SK.Ara.702	Arabic-Islamic Studies Abroad	(6 C / 2 WLH)
B.Ara.25	Exkursion in die Arabische Welt	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Int.Theol.14-01	Theories of Religion	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.001	Scientific work	(4 C / 2 WLH)

ii. One of the following modules, totaling 8 C, must be successfully completed:

M.Ara.601	Methods and Theories in Arabic-Islamic Studies	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.602	Hadith Studies	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.603	Ethics and Education in Islam	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.604	Secular Modernity and Islam	(8 C / 2 WLH)

iii. Two of the following modules totalling at least 12 C must be successfully completed (German courses at the appropriate level of the students, second language of the Islamic cultural area/second Semitic language or Iranian Studies modules). Equivalent modules can be recognised.

SK.DaF.A1.1-4h.	German language course A.1.1	(6 C / 4 WLH)
SK.DaF.A1.2-4h.	German language course A.1.2	(6 C / 4 WLH)
M.Ira.011	Aspects of Iranian religious traditions	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.011a	Aspects of Iranian religious traditions	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.012	History and images of history in the Iranian cultural area	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.012a	History and images of history in the Iranian cultural area	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.013	Persian literature	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.013a	Persian Literature	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.014	Language and Culture in the Iranian Region	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.014a	Language and Culture in the Iranian Region	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.015	Documents and Media	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.015a	Documents and Media	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.016	Politics and Society	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.016a	Politics and Society	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.017	Iranian Archaeology and Art	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.017a	Iranian Archaeology and Art	(8 C / 2 WLH)
SK.Ara.526-1	Second Language of the Arab and Muslim World I	(6 C / 4 WLH)

SK.Ara.526-2	Second Language of the Arab and Muslim World II	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ira.101a	Introduction to New Persian I	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ira.102a	Introduction to Modern Persian II	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.JudC.01	Modern Hebrew I	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.JudC.02	Modern Hebrew II	(6 C / 4 WLH)

dd. Subject-external module packages

Students must successfully complete one approved external subject module package totaling 36 C or two approved external subject module packages totaling 18 C each. Suitable English-language module packages available for selection can be found in the Framework Examination Regulations for Master's Programmes of the Faculty of Humanities.

ee. Area of professionalisation

Modules amounting to 12 C from the permitted range of key competencies must be successfully completed. In addition, the following modules are also available for selection:

M.Ara.510	Islamic Culture, Past and Present	(8 C / 2 WLH)
SK.IKG.IKK.12-1	Intercultural Competence Training Focusing on "Arabic" and "Western" Perspectives (Joint Classroom Format)	(6 C / 2 WLH)

i. Offers for foreign students with little knowledge of German

Foreign students who do not have German language skills at least at the level of DSH-1 may optionally, in deviation from letter ee, successfully complete modules totaling at least 12 C from the module directory to the examination regulations for the German Language Examination for the Admission of Foreign Study Applicants (DSH).

ff. Master's thesis

30 C are earned by successfully completing the master's thesis.

2. Module packages offered as part of the study area "Arabic-Islamic Studies"

(this can only be chosen as part of another suitable Master's degree programme)

Modules that have already been completed as part of the Bachelor's programme cannot be taken into account; examination results can only be taken into account in one module at a time.

a. Module package „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ totalling 36 C

aa. Admission requirements

Applicants must prove achievements in the field of Arabic language amounting to at least 30 credits. Alternatively, an entrance language exam can be taken.

bb. Compulsory elective modules

Modules totaling 36 C must be successfully completed in accordance with the following provisions. Modules that have already been completed as part of the Bachelor's degree programme cannot be taken into account; examination achievements can only be taken into account in one module at a time.

i. The following module, totaling 6 C, must be successfully completed:

M.Ara.01	Text reading and discussion for advanced students	(6 C / 4 WLH)
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ii. At least one of the following modules totaling at least 12 C must be successfully completed (second language of the Islamic cultural area/second Semitic language); other equivalent modules may be credited:

B.Ira.101a	Introduction to Modern Persian I	(6 C / 4 WLH)
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B.Ira.102a	Introduction to Modern Persian II	(6 C / 4 WLH)
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B.JudC.01	Modern Hebrew I	(6 C / 4 WLH)
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B.JudC.02	Modern Hebrew II	(6 C / 4 WLH)
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B.Ara.26-1	Second Language of the Arabic and Islamic World I	(6 C / 4 WLH)
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B.Ara.26-2	Second Language of the Arab and Islamic World II	(6 C / 4 WLH)
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b. Module package „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ totalling 18 C

aa. Admission requirements

Applicants must prove achievements in the field of Arabic language amounting to at least 20 credits. Alternatively, an entrance language exam can be taken.

bb. Compulsory elective modules

Modules totaling 18 C must be successfully completed in accordance with the following regulations. Modules that have already been completed as part of the Bachelor's degree programme cannot be taken into account; examination-related achievements can only be taken into account in one module at a time.

i. The following module, totaling 6 C, must be successfully completed:

M.Ara.01	Text reading and discussion for advanced students	(6 C / 4 WLH)
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ii. Two of the following modules totaling 12 C must be successfully completed:

M.Ara.04a	History and Culture of Islam	(6 C / 2 WLH)
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M.Ara.05a	Religion of Islam	(6 C / 2 WLH)
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M.Ara.06a	Arabic Literature	(6 C / 2 WLH)
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M.Ara.07a	Islamic law	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.09	In-depth reading and written use of Arabic	(6 C / 2 WLH)

c. Module package „Islamic law“ totalling 36 C

aa. Admission requirements

Applicants must prove achievements in the field of Arabic language amounting to at least 30 credits. Alternatively, an entrance language exam can be taken.

bb. Compulsory elective modules

The following six modules totaling at least 36 C must be successfully completed. Only one of the modules S.RW.1416K and S.RW.1416HA can be completed:

M.Ara.05	Religion of Islam	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.07	Islamic law	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.08-1	Specialised Language/Legal Language I	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.08-2	Specialised Language/Legal Language II	(4 C / 2 WLH)
S.RW.1220	International Human Rights Protection	(6 C / 2 WLH)
S.RW.1416K	General Theory of the State	(4 C / 2 WLH)
S.RW.1416HA	General Theory of the State	(7 C / 2 WLH)

d. Module package „Intellectual Histories of the Arab World“-totalling 36 C

aa. Admission requirements

i. Applicants must prove achievements in the field of Arabic language amounting to at least 30 credits. Alternatively, an entrance language exam can be taken.

ii. ¹Applicants whose native language is not English must have sufficient knowledge of the English language. ²Sufficient knowledge of English shall be demonstrated with standardised or accredited certificates at least at level B2 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages of the Council of Europe (CEFR). ³In particular, the following serve as proof:

- a) UNICert®: min. certificate UNICert® II;
- b) NULTE certificates: min. level B2;
- c) Cambridge English Scale: min. 160 points;
- d) "International English Language Testing System (IELTS Academic): min. band 5.5;
- e) "Test of English as a Foreign Language, internet-based test" (TOEFL iBT): min. 87 points;
- f) Global Scale of English (Pearson Academic): min. 59 points;
- g) Other evidence at level B2 or higher according to GeR.

⁴Successful completion of the test (a-f) may not have taken place more than three years before receipt of the application for admission. ⁵At least one year of residence in an English-speaking country for the purpose of study or work, or the successful completion of an English-language degree programme lasting at least two years, also constitutes proof of adequate English language proficiency. ⁶Proof of sufficient knowledge of the English language must be submitted to the Faculty of Humanities by September 30 in the case of enrollment for a winter semester and by March 31 in the case of enrollment for a summer semester; proof is a prerequisite for enrollment; conditional enrollment does not take place. ⁷The selection committee shall decide on a case-by-case basis on the equivalence of further proofs to those according to section 5, sentences 3 and 5; the selection committee may obtain an expert opinion from another institution (e.g. ZESS) for its decision.

bb. Compulsory elective modules

Modules totaling 36 C must be successfully completed in accordance with the following provisions.

i. The following module, totaling 6 C, must be successfully completed:

M.Ara.501	Advanced Reading and Discussion	(6 C / 4 WLH)
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ii. Two of the following modules totalling at least 12 C must be successfully completed (German courses at the appropriate level of the students, second language of the Islamic cultural area/second Semitic language or Iranian Studies modules). Equivalent modules can be recognised:

SK.DaF.A1.1-4h.	German language course A.1.1	(6 C / 4 WLH)
SK.DaF.A1.2-4h	German language course A.1.2	(6 C / 4 WLH)
M.Ira.011	Aspects of Religious Traditions	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.011a	Aspects of Religious Traditions	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.012	History and Images of History in the Iranian Cultural Area	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.012a	History and Images of History in the Iranian Cultural Area	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.013	Persian Literature	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.013a	Persian Literature	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.014	Language and Culture in Iran	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.014a	Language and Culture in the Iranian Region	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.015	Documents and Media	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.015a	Documents and Media	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.016	Politics and Society	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.016a	Politics and Society	(8 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.017	Iranian Archaeology and Art	(4 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.017a	Iranian Archaeology and Art	(8 C / 2 WLH)
SK.Ara.526-1	Second Language of the Arab and Muslim World I	(6 C / 4 WLH)

SK.Ara.526-2	Second Language of the Arab and Muslim World II	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ira.101a	Introduction to Modern Persian I	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.Ira.102a	Introduction to Modern Persian II	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.JudC.01	Modern Hebrew I	(6 C / 4 WLH)
B.JudC.02	Modern Hebrew II	(6 C / 4 WLH)
iii. Three of the following modules totalling 18 C must be successfully completed:		
M.Ara.506a	Arabic Literature	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.509	Advanced Arabic Reading and Writing	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.601	Methods and Theories in Arabic-Islamic Studies	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.602a	Hadith Studies	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.603a	Ethics and Education in Islam	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.604a	Secular Modernity and Islam	(6 C / 2 WLH)
SK.Ara.701	Arabic Language Course in the Middle East	(6 C)
SK.Ara.702	Arabic-Islamic Studies Abroad	(6 C)
B.Ara.25	Excursion to the Arab World	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Int.Theol.14-01	Theories of Religion	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ira.100	Scientific Work	(4 C / 2 WLH)

e. Module package „Intellectual Histories of the Arab World“ totalling 18 C

aa. Admission requirements

i. Applicants must prove achievements in the field of Arabic language amounting to at least 20 credits. Alternatively, an entrance language exam can be taken.

ii. ¹Applicants whose native language is not English must have sufficient knowledge of the English language. ²Sufficient knowledge of English shall be demonstrated with standardised or accredited certificates at least at level B2 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages of the Council of Europe (CEFR). ³In particular, the following serve as proof:

- a) UNlcert®: min. certificate UNlcert® II;
- b) NULTE certificates: min. level B2;
- c) Cambridge English Scale: min. 160 points;
- d) "International English Language Testing System (IELTS Academic): min. band 5.5;
- e) "Test of English as a Foreign Language, internet-based test" (TOEFL iBT): min. 87 points;
- f) Global Scale of English (Pearson Academic): min. 59 points;
- g) Other evidence at level B2 or higher according to GeR.

⁴Successful completion of the test (a-f) may not have taken place more than three years before receipt of the application for admission. ⁵At least one year of residence in an English-speaking

country for the purpose of study or work, or the successful completion of an English-language degree programme lasting at least two years, also constitutes proof of adequate English language proficiency. ⁶Proof of sufficient knowledge of the English language must be submitted to the Faculty of Humanities by September 30 in the case of enrollment for a winter semester and by March 31 in the case of enrollment for a summer semester; proof is a prerequisite for enrollment; conditional enrollment does not take place. ⁷The selection committee shall decide on a case-by-case basis on the equivalence of further proofs to those according to section 5, sentences 3 and 5; the selection committee may obtain an expert opinion from another institution (e.g. ZESS) for its decision.

bb. Compulsory elective modules

Modules totaling 18 C must be successfully completed in accordance with the following provisions.

i. The following module, totaling 6 C, must be successfully completed:

M.Ara.501	Advanced Reading and Discussion	(6 C / 4 WLH)
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ii. Two of the following modules totaling 12 C must be successfully completed:

M.Ara.506a	Arabic Literature	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.509	Advanced Arabic Reading and Writing	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.601a	Methods and Theories in Arabic-Islamic Studies	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.602a	Hadith Studies	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.603a	Ethics and Education in Islam	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Ara.604a	Secular Modernity and Islam	(6 C / 2 WLH)
SK.Ara.701	Arabic Language Course in the Middle East	(6 C / 2 WLH)
SK.Ara.702	Arabic-Islamic Studies Abroad	(6 C / 2 WLH)
B.Ara.25	Exkursion in die Arabische Welt	(6 C / 2 WLH)
M.Int.Theol.14-01	Theories of Religion	(6 C / 2 WLH)

Appendix II Sample curricula

1. Core subject studies „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ comprising 42 C in conjunction with module package „Iranian Studies“ totalling 36 C

Sem. Σ C	Core subject studies „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ (42 C)			Module package „Iranian Studies“ (36 C)			Area of professionalisation (Key competencies) (12 C)	
	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module	
1. Σ 33 C	M.Ara.01 „Text reading and discussion for advanced students“ (compulsory) 6 C	M.Ara.04 "History and culture of Islam" (compulsory elective) 8 C	B.JudC.01 "Modern Hebrew I" (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ira.011 "Aspects of Iranian Religious Traditions" (compulsory elective) 4 C	M.Ira.014a "Language and culture in the Iranian region" (compulsory elective) 8 C	M.Ira.029 "Kurdish-language media" (compulsory elective) 6 C		
2. Σ 30 C		M.Ara.05a "Religion of Islam" (compulsory elective) 6 C	B.JudC.02 "Modern Hebrew II" (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ira.012a "History and Images of History in the Iranian Cultural Area" (compulsory elective) 8 C	M.Ira.017 "Iranian Archaeology and Art" (compulsory elective) 4 C			
3. Σ 28 C	M.Ara.02 "Master's colloquium" (compulsory) 4 C	M.Ara.09 "Advanced reading and written use of Arabic" (compulsory elective) 6 C			M.Ira.028 "Kurdish language exercise II" (compulsory elective) 6 C		SK.Phil.03 "Work as a student tutor at the Phil. Faculty" (elective) 6 C	SK.DH.01 "Introduction to the Digital Humanities" (elective) 6 C
4. Σ 30 C	Master's thesis 30 C							
Σ 120 C	42 C (+30 C)			36 C			12 C	

2. Core subject studies „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ comprising 42 C with the study focus „Intellectual Histories of the Arab World“ in conjunction with module package „Iranian Studies“ totalling von 36 C

Sem. Σ C	Core subject studies „Arabic-Islamic Studies” with the study focus „Intellectual Histories of the Arab World“ (42 C)			Module package „Iranian Studies“ (36 C)			Area of professionalisation (key competencies) (12 C)	
	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module	
1. Σ 32 C	M.Ara.501 „Advanced Reading and Discussion” (Compulsory) 6 C	M.Ara.601 „Methods and Theories in Arabic-Islamic Studies” (Compulsory elective) 8 C	B.JudC.01 "Modern Hebrew I" (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ira.011 "Aspects of Iranian Religious Traditions" (compulsory elective) 4 C	M.Ira.014a "Language and culture in the Iranian region" (compulsory elective) 8 C	M.Ira.029 "Kurdish-language media" (compulsory elective) 6 C		
2. Σ 30 C		M.Ara.603a „Ethics and Education in Islam” (Compulsory elective) 6 C	B.JudC.02 "Modern Hebrew II" (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ira.012a "History and Images of History in the Iranian Cultural Area" (compulsory elective) 8 C	M.Ira.017 "Iranian Archaeology and Art" (compulsory elective) 4 C			
3. Σ 28 C	M.Ara.02 „Master Colloquium” (Compulsory) 4 C	M.Ara.509 „Advanced Arabic Reading and Writing” (Compulsory elective) 6 C			M.Ira.028 "Kurdish language exercise II" (compulsory elective) 6 C		SK.Phil.03 "Work as a student tutor at the Phil. Faculty" (elective) 6 C	SK.DH.01 "Introduction to the Digital Humanities" (elective) 6 C
4. Σ 30 C	Master's thesis 30 C							
Σ 120 C	42 C (+30 C)			36 C			12 C	

3. Core subject studies „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ comprising 42 C in conjunction with module package „German Studies/German Philology“ totalling 36 C

Sem. Σ C	Core subject studies „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ (42 C)			Module package „German Studies/German Philology“ (36 C)	Area of professionalisation (key competencies) (12 C)
	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module
1. Σ 32 C	M.Ara.01 "Text reading and discussion for advanced students" (compulsory) 6 C	M.Ara.04 "History and Culture of Islam" (compulsory elective) 8 C	B.JudC.01 "Modern Hebrew I" (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ger.05 "Basic historical and theoretical skills in literary studies B" (compulsory elective) 12 C	SK.IKG-ISZ.53a "Journalistic Writing (Version A)" (elective) 3 C
2. Σ 33 C		M.Ara.05a "Religion of Islam" (compulsory elective) 6 C	B.JudC.02 "Modern Hebrew II" (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ger.06 "German Medieval Studies: Text and Context B" (compulsory elective) 12 C	B.Lat.12 "Basic knowledge of Latin" (elective) 6 C
3. Σ 25 C	M.Ara.02 „Master Colloquium“ (Compulsory) 4 C	M.Ara.06a "Arabic Literature" (compulsory elective) 6 C		M.Ger.08 "Philology, Theory, Methodology integrative B" (compulsory elective) 12 C	SK.IKG-ISZ.53b "Journalistic Writing (Version B)" (elective) 3 C
4. Σ 30 C	Master's thesis 30 C				
Σ 120 C	42 C (+30 C)			36 C	12 C

4. Core subject studies „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ comprising 42 C with the study focus „Islamic law“ in conjunction with module package „German Studies/German Philology“ totalling 36 C

Sem. Σ C	Core subject studies „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ with the study focus „Islamic law“ (42 C)				Module package „German Studies/German Philology“ (36 C)	Area of professionalisation (key competencies) (12 C)
	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module
1. Σ 31 C	M.Ara.01 "Text reading and discussion for advanced students" (compulsory) 6 C	S.RW.1416K "General Theory of the State" (compulsory elective) 4 C	M.Ara.05a "Religion of Islam" (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ara 08-1 "Specialised language/ legal language I" (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ger.05 "Basic historical and theoretical skills in literary studies B" (compulsory elective) 12 C	
2. Σ 31 C		S.RW.1220 "International Human Rights Protection" (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ara 08-2 "Specialised language/legal language II" (compulsory elective) 4 C		M.Ger.06 "German Medieval Studies: Text and Context B" (compulsory elective) 12 C	B.Lat.12 "Basic knowledge of Latin" (elective) 6 C
3. Σ 28 C	M.Ara.02 „Master Colloquium" (Compulsory) 4 C		M.Ara.07a „Islamic law“ (compulsory elective) 6 C		M.Ger.08 "Philology, Theory, Methodology integrative B" (compulsory elective) 12 C	SK.IKG-ISZ.30 "Introduction to copywriting at work - linguistic Basics" (elective) 6 C
4. Σ 30 C	Master's thesis 30 C					
Σ 120 C	42 C (+30 C)				36 C	12 C

5. Core subject studies „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ comprising 78 C with the study focus „Islamic law“

Sem. Σ C	Core subject studies „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ (78 C) with the study focus „Islamic law“ (44 C)						Area of professionalisation (key competencies) (12 C)
	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module
1. Σ 33 C	M.Ara.01 "Text reading and discussion for advanced students" (compulsory) 6 C	M.Ara.07 „Islamic law“ (compulsory elective) 6 C		M.Ara 08-1 "Specialised language/ legal language I" (compulsory elective) 6 C	S.RW.1416K "General Theory of the State" (compulsory elective) 4 C	B.JudC.01 "Modern Hebrew I" (compulsory elective) 6 C	SK.Phil.03 "Work as a student tutor at the Phil. Faculty" (elective) 6 C
2. Σ 30 C			M.Ara.05 "Religion of Islam" (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ara 08-2 "Specialised language/legal language II" (compulsory elective) 4 C	S.RW.1220 "International Human Rights Protection" (compulsory elective) 6 C	B.JudC.02 "Modern Hebrew II" (compulsory elective) 6 C	SK.IKG-ISZ.53a "Journalistic Writing (Version A)" (elective) 3 C
3. Σ 27 C	M.Ara.02 „Master Colloquium" (Compulsory) 4 C	S.RW.0311K "Criminal Law I" (compulsory elective) 8 C			M.Ara.09 "Advanced reading and written use of Arabic" (compulsory)6 C	M.Ara.06a "Arabic Literature" (compulsory elective) 6 C	S SK.IKG-ISZ.53b "Journalistic Writing (Version B)" (elective) 3 C
4. Σ 30 C	Master's thesis 30 C						
Σ 120 C	78 C (+30 C)						12 C

6. Core subject studies „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ comprising 78 C with the study focus „Intellectual Histories of the Arab World“

Sem. Σ C	Core subject studies „Arabic Islamic Studies“ (78 C) with the study focus „Intellectual Histories of the Arab World“ (50 C)						Area of professionalisation (key competencies) (12 C)	
	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module	Module	
1. Σ 33 C	M.Ara.01 "Text reading and discussion for advanced students" (compulsory) 6 C	M.Ara.601 „Methods and Theories in Arabic-Islamic Studies" (Compulsory elective) 8 C		M.Ara.506 „Arabic Literature" (Compulsory elective) 8 C	M.Ara.602 „Hadith Studies" (Compulsory elective) 8 C	SK.Ara.701 „Arabic Language Course in the Middle East" (Compulsory elective) 6 C		
2. Σ 32 C		SK.DaF.A1.1-4h. "German language course A.1.1" (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ara.603a „Ethics and Education in Islam" (Compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ara.604 „Secular Modernity and Islam" (Compulsory elective) 8 C			SK.IKG.IKK.12-1 “Intercultural Competence Training Focusing on “Arabic” and “Western” Perspectives (Joint Classroom Format) “ (Elective) 6 C	SK.IKG-ISZ.53a „Journalistic Writing (Version A)“ (Elective) 3 C
3. Σ 25 C	M.Ara.02 „Master Colloquium" (Compulsory) 4 C	SK.DaF.A1.2-4h. "German language course A.1.2" (compulsory elective) 6 C			M.Ara.509 „Advanced Arabic Reading and Writing" (Compulsory) 6 C	M.Ara.506a „Arabic Literature" (Compulsory elective) 6 C	SK.IKG-ISZ.53b „Journalistic Writing (Version B)“ (Elective) 3 C	
4. Σ 30 C	Master's thesis 30 C							
Σ 120 C	78 C (+30 C)						12 C	

7. Module package „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ totalling 36 C or 18 C in another Master's degree programme

Sem. Σ C	Module package „Arabic-Islamic Studies“ (36 C)		
	Module	Module	Module
1. Σ 15 C	M.Ara.01 "Text reading and discussion for advanced students" (compulsory) 6 C	M.Ara.04a "History and Culture of Islam" (compulsory elective) 8 C	B.JudC.01 "Modern Hebrew I" (compulsory elective) 6 C
2. Σ 15 C		M.Ara.05a "Religion of Islam" (compulsory elective) 6 C	B.JudC.02 "Modern Hebrew II" (compulsory elective) 6 C
3. Σ 6 C		M.Ara.09 "Advanced reading and written use of Arabic" (compulsory elective) 6 C	
4. Σ 0 C			
Σ 36 C			

Sem. Σ C	Module package „Arabistik/ Islamwissenschaft“ (18 C)	
	Module	Module
1. Σ 9 C	M.Ara.01 "Text reading and discussion for advanced students" (compulsory) 6 C	M.Ara.04a "History and Culture of Islam" (compulsory elective) 8 C
2. Σ 9 C		M.Ara.05a "Religion of Islam" (compulsory elective) 6 C
3. Σ 0 C		
4. Σ 0 C		
Σ 18 C		

8. Module package „Islamic law“ totalling 36 C in another Master’s degree programme

Sem. Σ C	Modulpaket „Islamic law“ (36 C)	
	Module	Module
1. Σ 14 C	M.Ara.05 "Religion of Islam" (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ara 08-1 "Specialised language/ legal language I" (compulsory elective) 6 C
2. Σ 10 C	S.RW.1220 "International Human Rights Protection" (compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ara 08-2 "Specialised language/ legal language II" (compulsory elective) 4 C
3. Σ 12 C	S.RW.1416K "General Theory of the State" (compulsory elective) 4 C	M.Ara.07 „Islamic law“ (compulsory elective) 8 C
4. Σ 0 C		
Σ 36 C		

9. Module package „Intellectual Histories of the Arab World“ totalling 36 C or 18 C in another Master’s degree programme

Sem. Σ C	Module package „Intellectual Histories of the Arab World“ (36 C)		
	Module	Module	Module
1. Σ 9 C	M.Ara.501 „Advanced Reading and Discussion“ (Compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ara.604a “Secular Modernity and Islam” (Compulsory elective) 6 C	
2. Σ 15 C		M.Ara.602a „Hadith Studies“ (Compulsory elective) 6 C	SK.DaF.A1.1-4h. "German language course A.1.1" (compulsory elective) 6 C
3. Σ 12 C		M.Ara.509 „Advanced Arabic Reading and Writing“ (Compulsory elective) 6 C	SK.DaF.A1.2-4h. "German language course A.1.2" (compulsory elective) 6 C
4. Σ 0 C			
Σ 36 C			

Sem. Σ C	Module package „Intellectual Histories of the Arab World“ (18 C)	
	Module	Module
1. Σ 9 C	M.Ara.501 „Advanced Reading and Discussion“ (Compulsory elective) 6 C	M.Ara.604a „Secular Modernity and Islam“ (Compulsory elective) 6 C
2. Σ 9 C		M.Ara.603a „Ethics and Education in Islam“ (Compulsory elective) 6 C
3. Σ 0 C		
4. Σ 0 C		
Σ 18 C“		

