

Modul 34: Project Management (PME) in International Development Cooperation

Studiengang:	M. Eng. Energie- und Umweltmanagement / M. Eng. Energy and Environmental Management
Modulbezeichnung:	Project Management in International Development Cooperation
Kürzel	PME
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Lehrveranstaltungen:	Project Management
Semester:	This module is offered annually (autumn term)
Modulverantwortliche(r):	Dorsi Germann
Dozent(in):	Dorsi Germann
Sprache:	English
Zuordnung zum Curriculum	M. Eng. Energy and Environmental Management for 'Developing Countries'; Compulsory Module
Lehrform / SWS/ Gruppengröße:	This module is conducted as seminar taking 4 semester week hours (4 SWS) for up to 25 participants each.
Arbeitsaufwand:	Within this module students study an additional 90h on their own besides the 60h they attend the seminar. Project Management 150h: Contact hours: 4h x 15w =60h Self study: 90h
Kreditpunkte:	5 ECTS
Voraussetzungen:	none
Lernziele/ Kompetenzen	Overall goal: Students have acquired knowledge, skills and attitudes to engage themselves actively in the participatory identification, planning and implementation management of projects/programs in international development cooperation and in institutions of their home country. At the end of this module students have developed competencies in <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - planning, monitoring and evaluation - subject matters and methods; - analysis, reflection and assessment; - ethical behaviour, taking over responsibilities and self development.
Inhalt:	This module focuses on theories and concepts, models and practical applications of project planning and management in international development cooperation, considering the context, needs, interests and priorities of the various stakeholders (beneficiaries, donors, implementers) of development projects or programs. Emphasis is put on a participatory approach to identify and plan projects/programs based on scientific research techniques.

	Teaching and learning methods use inputs from visualised lectures and moderated working sessions on the various topics based on the relevant literature and internet sources. There are practical, individual, pair and group exercises; analysis, comparison and drafting of case studies; interactive internet use, role plays and development of scenarios. The exchange of intercultural experience of the students from all over the world in exemplary project planning steps and management skills contributes to the synergetic outputs of the seminars.
Studien- leistungen:	Prüfungs- Assessment of students participation, performance, study of relevant literature and internet sites is tested through <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a visualised and interactive presentation (30 min) and facilitation of an exercise based on individual or group work preparation, • elaboration on the presented topic in a written paper (15 pages).
Medien-formen:	In this module a wide spectrum of media is used, such as books and planning documents, laptops/internet and beamer for power point presentation, OHP transparencies, flip chart, posters, workshop cards, markers, black board, BSCW server.
Literatur:	Besides this basic literature available in the university library, a more elaborated list and updated internet links are distributed together with a glossary, prior to the seminar, for example. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chambers, R. (1997): "Whose Reality counts?" Putting the last first." Intermediate Technology Publication, London • Haines, Stephen G. (2000): The Systems Thinking Approach to Strategic Planning and Management, Library of Congress, USA • Neuman, W.Lawrence (2000): Social Research Methods. Qualitative and Quantitative Approaches. Allyn and Bacon, Toronto, Singapore • Lewis, J.P. (2011): Project Planning, Scheduling and Control. The ultimate Hands-on Guide to Bringing Projects in on Time and on Budget. McGraw Hill, New York, Toronto, US • Miller, Delbert C. / Salkind, Neil J. (2002): Handbook of Research Design and Social Measurement. Sage Publication, UK/India • Verzuh,E. (2000): The fast forward MBA in Project Management. Quick Tips, Speedy Solutions, Cutting-edge Ideas, Wiley and Sons, New York, Toronto, US