

Senate decision dated 14 December 2020

Course Scheme for Ph.D. in Economics and Econometrics [StuPla PEcon]
Programme Regulations 21

(based on Art. 17 of the Programme Regulations for the Ph.D. Programme in Economics and Econometrics dated 14 December 2020)

Specialisation: Economics

Course		Semester	Credits	Grading	Remarks
No	Designation				
1.1	Coursework phase – compulsory subjects				
	Total compulsory courses		12.0		Three compulsory courses must be completed.
1.2	Coursework phase – compulsory electives				
	Economics	1-4	12.0-16.0	No	The courses come from the range of compulsory elective courses offered by the PEcon.
	Econometrics & Finance	1-4	8.0-12.0	No	The courses come from the range of compulsory elective courses offered by the PEcon and PiF.
	Total compulsory elective courses	1-4	24.0	No	Six compulsory elective courses must be completed.
	Total coursework phase		36.0		
2	Research proposal (incl. the colloquium on the research proposal)	1-4		No	
3	Research phase				
	Ph.D. seminars	5-10	16.0	No	A total of 16 ECTS credits must be earned from completing the PhD seminars.
	Total research phase		16.0		
4	Thesis			Yes	
5	Thesis defence				
	Pre-defence			No	

Course		Semester	Credits	Grading	Remarks
No	Designation				
	Public defence			Yes	
	Total doctoral studies		52.0		In total, 52 ECTS credits must be earned during the coursework and dissertation phases.

Specialisation: Econometrics

Course		Semester	Credits	Grading	Remarks
No	Designation				
1.1	Coursework phase – compulsory subjects				
	Total compulsory subjects		12.0		Three compulsory subjects must be completed.
1.2	Coursework phase – compulsory electives				
	Econometrics	1-4	12.0-16.0	No	The courses come from the range of compulsory elective courses offered by the PEcon.
	Economics & Finance	1-4	8.0-12.0	No	The courses come from the range of compulsory elective courses offered by the PEcon and PiF.
	Total compulsory electives	1-4	24.0	No	Six compulsory electives must be completed.
	Total coursework phase		36.0		
2	Research proposal (incl. the colloquium on the research proposal)	1-4		No	
3	Research phase				
	Ph.D. seminars	5-10	16.0	No	A total of 16 ECTS credits must be earned from completing the PhD seminars.
	Total Research phase		16.0		
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	Public defence			Yes	
	Total doctoral studies		52.0		In total, 52 ECTS credits must be earned during the coursework and dissertation phases.

Supplementary Provisions

Art. 1 Research Proposal

¹ The unit “Research proposal” implies the development of a research proposal and the colloquium on the research proposal.

Art. 2 Beginning of the Ph.D. programme

¹ Studies in the Ph.D. Programme in Economics and Econometrics (PEcon) can be started at the beginning of an autumn or spring semester.

Art. 3 Transitional provisions

¹ For students who start their Ph.D. studies before 1 August 2021, the Programme Regulations 17 for the Ph.D. in Economics and Finance [17PEF] shall apply. For students who start their Ph.D. studies later, the Programme Regulations 21 for the Ph.D. in Economics and Econometrics [21PEcon] shall apply.

² It is not possible for students enrolled in the Programme Regulations 17 for the Ph.D. in Economics and Finance [17PEF] to be transferred to the Programme Regulations 21 for the Ph.D. in Economics and Econometrics [21PEcon].