

**AM 1: Cultural and Intellectual Heritage Between East and West I:
Western Perspectives**

Identification number	Work-load 360 h	Credit Points 12	Term of studying 2.	Frequency annually (summer semester)	Duration 1 semester (at UzK)
1	Type of lessons a) Lecture b) Seminar c) Essay	Contact times [30 h] [30 h]	Self-study times [60 h] [60 h] [180 h]	Intended group size [60 students] [30 students]	
2	<p>Aims of the module and acquired skills</p> <p>The units of this module are attended by students from HSE, UW and UzK. A key purpose of the module is to bring together different traditions of learning, different approaches to scholarship and the different backgrounds of the participants. Perceiving Western, Central and Eastern European elements students learn to approach the shared cultural and intellectual heritage. They learn to find and to use works of scholarship in Western, Central and Eastern European libraries / databases / archives. They develop their analytical skills working with primary sources and learn to present their results in an oral presentation and in an extended essay.</p>				
3	<p>Contents of the module</p> <p>The content of the module can be a topic from Eastern, Central or Western European culture that can be studied in a variety of perspective, e.g. a linguistic phenomenon, a literary genre, an intellectual tradition, a historical period, a religious school, a political movement etc. The topic is chosen in a way that it allows to be accessed through Eastern, Central and Western European traditions of scholarship. The units give space to methodological reflection and encourage the development of a scholarly community and identity shared by all participants. Scholarly methods of different disciplines are brought together in order to present the participants a broad extent of scholarly approaches.</p>				
4	<p>Teaching/Learning methods</p> <p>lecture, seminar (which can be split into plenum and smaller groups)</p>				
5	<p>Requirements for participation</p> <p>depending on the course, e.g. reading knowledge of Greek for some course in Byzantine Studies</p>				
6	<p>Type of module examinations</p> <p>essay</p>				

7	<p>Requisites for the allocation of credits</p> <p>presentation (appr. 15 min), essay</p>
8	<p>Compatibility with other Curricula</p> <p>Seminars and lectures can also be attended by students from M.A. courses in Slavonic Studies, Jewish Studies, Byzantine Studies, ROME etc.</p>
9	<p>Significance of the module mark for the overall grade</p> <p>13,33 %</p>
10	<p>Module coordinator: Professor for Slavonic Literature</p>
11	<p>Additional information: For HSE students the essay (of appr. 20-25 pages) counts as “kursovaia rabota” which is written, according to Russian legislation, at the end of the first year of study. All students who complete the module at HSE need to comply with the regulations concerning the “kursovaia rabota”.</p>