# Current Topics in Health Economics: Relevance of nutrition as disease prevention

Master Seminar - WS 2022/2023

#### **Teaser**

- Can certain diseases be prevented by certain diets?
- What is the size of the market for dietary supplements?
- How can willingness to pay for dietary supplements be quantified?

We will examine these and similar questions from a scientific perspective in the seminar. A detailed list of topics including further literature will be provided at a later stage. It is also possible to work on a self-selected appropriate topic.

# Requirements

The seminar is addressed to master students who are interested in health economic research. Language (English or German) is of free choice.

#### **Exams**

Participants can earn 5 credit points when completing: term paper (10-12 pages), seminar talk (20 minutes presentation + 10 minutes discussion), mandatory mid-term consultation and active participation in the seminar.

#### Lecturers

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### Schedule

Please pre-register until **18 Oct 2022** via e-mail for the kick-off meeting: <a href="mailto:schulze-spuentrup@ifo.de">schulze-spuentrup@ifo.de</a>. First-come-first served applies.

20/10/2022 (10:00–11:30): **Kick-off** and assignment of topics (online)

24/11/2022 and 25/11/2022: Individual consultations

19/01/2023 (09:00–16:00): Seminar (presentations and discussions)

02/03/2023 (14:00): Deadline for **term papers** (submission via e-mail)

### **Teamwork**

This seminar is for a maximum of 16 participants. Teamwork of two is possible (in case of joint term paper, the required number of pages increases accordingly).

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