

Module Name	Introduction to Economics
Module Number	Eul-BMT-E-VWL, Eul-ET-E-VWL, Eul-IST-E-VWL, Eul-MT-E-VWL, Eul-RES-E-VWL
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Qualification Objectives	Students are familiar with economic concepts and procedures. They recognize economic problems and are able to present them appropriately.
Contents	The module covers central economic terminology as well as fundamental microeconomic and macroeconomic issues and methods.
Teaching and Learning Forms	2 hours per week of lectures, 1 hour per week of exercises, and self-study.
Prerequisites for Participation	No prior knowledge is required.
Usability	The module is an elective module in the elective area "General Qualifications" according to § 6 paragraph 3 of the study regulations and § 33 paragraph 3 of the examination regulations of the main study program in the diploma programs Information Systems Engineering, Mechatronics, and Renewable Energy Systems. Furthermore, it is an elective module in the elective area "Medical-Economic Specialization" according to § 6 paragraph 3 of the study regulations and § 33 paragraph 3 of the examination regulations of the main study program in the diploma program Biomedical Engineering. Additionally, it is an elective module in the elective area "General Qualifications" according to § 6 paragraph 3 of the study regulations and § 33 paragraph 5 of the examination regulations of the main study program in the diploma program Electrical Engineering. The module creates the prerequisites for the modules that list it under "Prerequisites for Participation."
Prerequisites for the Award of Credit Points	Credit points are awarded when the module examination is passed. The module examination consists of a written exam lasting 90 minutes.
Credit Points and Grades	5 credit points can be earned through the module. The module grade corresponds to the grade of the examination performance.
Frequency of the Module	The module is offered every winter semester.
Workload	The total workload is 150 hours.
Duration of the Module	The module lasts one semester.