wir820 - Transnational Relations and Law

Module label: Transnational Relations and Law
Module code: wir820
Credit points: 6.0 KP
Workload: 180 h

Used in course of study:
- kein Abschluss European Studies in Global Perspectives > Society, Economy and Politics
- Master's Programme Business Informatics > Module der Wirtschafts- und Rechtswissenschaften (Master)

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Entry requirements:

Skills to be acquired in this module:
- Students will be able to
  - explain the legal framework for globalization in-depth
  - integrate existing knowledge and to apply it to new situations
  - identify complex multi-disciplinary correlations lying at the intersections of law and the different disciplines represented by the different target groups
  - work in multi-disciplinary environments (working groups).
  - apply English legal terms fluently.

Module contents:
With a special focus on intellectual property, this module comprising two separate courses covers the international economic institutions (including the respective treaties). The first course deals with the institutions of international economic law (WTO, the UN financial institutions – World Bank, International Monetary Fund, including the Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency). Particular emphasis is put on those international institutions that are relevant for intellectual property (WIPO, TRIPS). The second course offers an in-depth analysis of the individual intellectual property rights (in particular copy rights, patents and trademarks), the respective institutions and treaties, as well as the underlying principles. The second course is open to students of the module RdW 1.

Reader’s advisory:

Language of instruction: English
Duration (semesters): 1 Semester
Module frequency: jährlich
Module capacity: unlimited
Module level: SPM (Schwerpunktmodul)
Modulart: Wahlpflicht

Lern-/Lehrform / Type of program

Vorkenntnisse / Previous knowledge

Examination / Time of examination:
- Final exam of module during semester
  - Type of examination: seminar paper and presentation, term paper or oral exam

Course type: Seminar
SWS: 4.00
Frequency: 56 h