**Module label**
International Regulatory and Competition Policy

**Module code**
wir932

**Credit points**
6.0 KP

**Workload**
180 h

**Used in course of study**
- Master’s Programme Sustainability Economics and Management > Additional Modules

**Contact person**
Module responsibility
- Christoph Böhringer

**Entry requirements**
No

**Skills to be acquired in this module**
The aim of the course is to acquire an understanding of key issues of competition theory and competition policy. This comprises the fundamentals of industrial economics, the tradeoff between market power and efficiency, and the practice of competition policy in Europe.

**Module contents**
The module consists of two courses. Course A deals with the theory of monopoly, the theory of oligopoly, cartels and market entry and the welfare analysis of market structure. Course B deals with topics in international regulatory and competition policy, especially monopoly regulation, economies of scale vs. market power in transnational markets, aims and instruments of European regulatory and competition policy.

**Reader's advisory**

**Language of instruction**
English

**Duration (semesters)**
1 Semester

**Module frequency**
jährlich

**Module capacity**
unlimited

**Modullevel**
EB (Ergänzungsbereich)

**Modulart**
Wahlpflicht

**Lern-/Lehrform / Type of program**

**Vorkenntnisse / Previous knowledge**

**Final exam of module**
Time of examination: By the end of the lecture period
Type of examination: Portfolio comprising 2 short written tests (20 minutes each) and the presentation of an essay.

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