

Study plan MSc "Geoscience" with focus "Tectonic Geodesy"					
Nachforderungen aus dem BSc		Sem.	Weekly hours	Comment	recommended semester
Mechanik für Geowissenschaftler	5	WS	3	for German speaking degree-seeking students	
Mathematische Methoden der Physik I	5	WS	3	for German speaking degree-seeking students	
Mathematische Methoden der Physik II	5	SS	3	for German speaking degree-seeking students	
Mandatory modules	CP	Sem.	Weekly hours	Comment	recommended semester
<b>Measuring Earth surface motions with InSAR and GNSS</b>	6	WS			1st semester
Measuring Earth surface motions with InSAR and GNSS			4		
<b>Optimization methods for Geophysics</b>	6	SS			2nd semester; either Python or Matlab required
Lecture			2	Start date in SS 26	
Exercise			2	Start date in SS 26	
<b>Gravity and magnetics - Potential fields</b>	6	SS			2nd semester
Potential fields			4	Details at the start of the SoSe 26	
<b>Physics of the solid Earth</b>	10			Courses alternate between WS	1st and 3rd semester
Continuum mechanics		WS	3	WS 25/26	
Physics of Earth materials		WS	3	WS 26/27	
<b>Python programming for Geosciences</b>	10				
Introduction to programming in Python	5	WS	3		1st
Advanced programming in Python	5	SS	3		2nd
Introduction to programming in Matlab	6	SS	4		2nd
Highly recommended modules and courses	CP	Sem.	Weekly hours	Comment	recommended semester
<b>Earthquake processes</b>	6			Co-requisite: Physics of solid Earth at least one course completed	2nd
Earthquake seismology and the seismic cycle		SS	4		
<b>Seismotectonics and seismic hazard</b>	6			Co-requisite: Physics of solid Earth at least one course completed	3rd
Seismotectonics and seismic hazard		WS	4		
<b>Geophysical field practical</b>	5				after the 2nd semester (August)
Field exercise			6 days		
Data analyses			4 days		
<b>Geophysical Seminar</b>	6	WS/SS			
Deformation mechanisms and tectonics of subduction zones		WS	2		1st
Induced and triggered seismicity		SS	2		2nd
<b>Geology and geohazards in an active subduction zone</b>	5				
Geology and geohazards in an active subduction zone		SS	3	Pre-requisite: completion of Earthquake processes and/or Seismotectonics; 7 day field exercise in Crete; cost of around 700€	Seminar and field exercise, between WS and SS
Recommended modules	CP	Sem.	Weekly hours	Comment	recommended semester
<b>Structural Geology</b>	10				
Lectures, seminars and exercises in structural geology		WS	2		3rd semester
Special methods in structural geology		WS	2		1st semester
Structural Geology field camp		SS	8 days	Field camp costs of around 500 €	after 2nd semester
<b>Applied geophysics</b>	10				2nd semester
Reservoir Geophysics		SS	3		
Rock Physics		SS	3		
<b>Geophysical practical</b>	5				recommended in 2nd or 3rd
Geophysical practical		SS,WS			
<b>Masters thesis (Mandatory)</b>	30				