Module title: Language and Culture

Module summary
Module code: SSTM150
Module coordinator: Director of the programme
Credits (ECTS): 6
Semester: 1
Pre-requisites with regard to content: ---
Pre-requisites according to the examination regulations: none
learning outcomes and competencies: The competencies result from the module descriptions for the modules German as a Foreign Language, which are offered by the Institute for Foreign Languages (IFS) at the University of Karlsruhe. The module descriptions can be viewed at https://www.h-ka.de/en/study/additional-skills/languages/deutsch
Assessment: The language part is assessed by the IFS. Intercultural Communication is a portfolio assessment

Course: Deutsch als Fremdsprache
Module code: SSTM151
Lecturer: IFS
Contact hours: 4
Semester of delivery: yearly in summer
Type/mode: defined and organised by IFS
Language of instruction: English / German
Content: Depending on language level, defined by IFS
Recommended reading: see IFS
Comments: Exam regulations are defined by IFS. Entrance language level is tested and defined by IFS German native speakers and others on C level choose a different language, not German, not English.

Course: Intercultural Communication
Module code: SSTM152
Lecturer: Prof. Dr. Andrea Cnyrim
Contact hours: 2
Semester of delivery: yearly in summer
Type/mode: lecture, seminar with mandatory attendance
Language of instruction: English
Content: *Language Issues* • Culture: Basic Concepts – Cross-Cultural Approaches – The Kulturstandard Method -

Multiculturality / Transculturality • German Cultural Standards • Nonverbal Communication • Perception and Stereotypes • Communicative Styles • Intercultural Competence • Conflict Management • Adaptation • Studying and living in Germany
Recommended reading: Course books or a student reader of printed materials according to the recommendation of the instructor or texts and materials provided on the University's e-learning-platform Ilias.
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