

# PSYCHOLOGY WITH FOCUS ON CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY AND PSYCHOTHERAPY - MASTER OF SCIENCE

## START

Summer and  
winter semester

## APPLICATION DEADLINES

Summer semester: 01. Oct. – 15. Jan.  
Winter semester: 01. Apr. – 15. Jun.

## LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION

German

## DURATION

4 semesters (120 ECTS)

| Sem. | STUDY PLAN   |                            |  |   |               | WH / ECTS       |
|------|--|----------------------------|--|---|---------------|-----------------|
| 1    | PMF3 Health Psychology, Epidemiology and Public Health | PMF1 Clinical Neuroscience | PMA1 Advanced Studies in Clinical Psychology and Psychotherapy | PMA2 Clinical Diagnostics and Assessment              | PMY StuFu     | 20 WH / 30 ECTS |
|      | 4 WH / 6 ECTS  | 2 WH / 3 ECTS              | 4 WH / 6 ECTS  | 6 WH / 9 ECTS   | 4 WH / 6 ECTS |                 |
| 2    | PMF2 Research Methods in Clinical Psychology           | PMF1 Clinical Neuroscience | PMA1 Advanced Studies in Clinical Psychology and Psychotherapy | PMA3 Advanced Studies in Psychotherapeutic Approaches | PMY StuFu     | 18 WH / 30 ECTS |
|      | 2 WH / 4 ECTS  | 6 WH / 10 ECTS             | 4 WH / 6 ECTS  | 4 WH / 6 ECTS   | 2 WH / 4 ECTS |                 |
| 3    | PMF2 Research Methods in Clinical Psychology           | PMX Vocational Internship  |  | PMA3 Advanced Studies in Psychotherapeutic Approaches | PMY StuFu     | 12 WH / 30 ECTS |
|      | 4 WH / 6 ECTS  | 12 ECTS                    |  | 6 WH / 10 ECTS  | 2 WH / 2 ECTS |                 |
| 4    | PMF2 Research Methods in Clinical Psychology           | PMZ Master Thesis          |  |   |               | 4 WH / 30 ECTS  |
|      | 4 WH / 5 ECTS  | 25 ECTS                    |  |   |               |                 |

**Note:** As an option, students may attend the PMK Research Colloquium module (semesters 1 to 4)

**Key:** ECTS = European Credit Transfer System credits; Stufu = Studium fundamentale (general study courses); WH = weekly hours during lecture period

## COURSE OF STUDIES

The focus of the Master programme is on the clinical psychotherapeutic perspective in theory, research and practice. The clinical practical block includes one module each on clinical diagnostics and assessment, on deepening students' understanding of clinical psychology and psychotherapy topics, and on acquiring basic knowledge of all scientifically recognised psychotherapeutic methods. Further two modules impart in-depth knowledge of health

psychology and clinical neuroscience. Clinical psychological research internships offering intense examination of research methods in clinical practice particularly enhance the training through research experience. Participation in research modules may lead to a Master Thesis on a clinical psychological/psychotherapeutic research topic. The programme also includes a two-month part-time internship in a clinical institution.

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HEALTH

ECONOMICS

CULTURE

## APPLICATION DOCUMENTS

- Proof of a first university degree qualifying for a profession in a programme recognised as being equivalent to the above-mentioned degree course with at least 180 ECTS credits as a basis for the Master programme. Usually, this is a Bachelor's degree certificate in psychology.
  - OR: If you have not yet completed the preceding programme by a semester's application deadline, but have accumulated at least 150 ECTS credits at that point of time, please provide proof of these credits by submitting the corresponding documents.
  - Proof of learning achievements and examination results:
    - at least 15 ECTS credits in clinical psychology, psychotherapy, interaction & intervention
    - at least 15 ECTS in statistics and/or research methods
  - Proof of German language skills, level C1
  - Completion of an internship of at least nine weeks (the period of time refers to a full-time internship). The internship must be carried out under the guidance of a person with a higher professional qualification or licence to practise medicine in institutions where primarily people with mental disorders and problems are treated and/or advised. You should have started the internship before attending the admission interviews (usually at the beginning of July or January), or should have completed the internship as part of the preceding degree programme.
- Curriculum vitae in tabular form, typed (required in German)
  - Statement of purpose, typed (required in German)
  - Completed application form
  - University entrance qualification (A-levels)
  - Copy of credit transfer or cash payment slip proving the payment of administrative fees amounting to 150.00 EUR

## INDIVIDUAL APPLICATION PROCEDURE

### Your personality counts!

During our admission interviews we attach great importance to your experiences and values, distinguishing you from others. As we assume that your personality has not only been shaped by family and friends, but in particular also by initial work experien-

ce and stays abroad or by assuming social responsibility, these aspects will also play a major role in our individual admission interviews.