



# Master's Program in Public and International Economics

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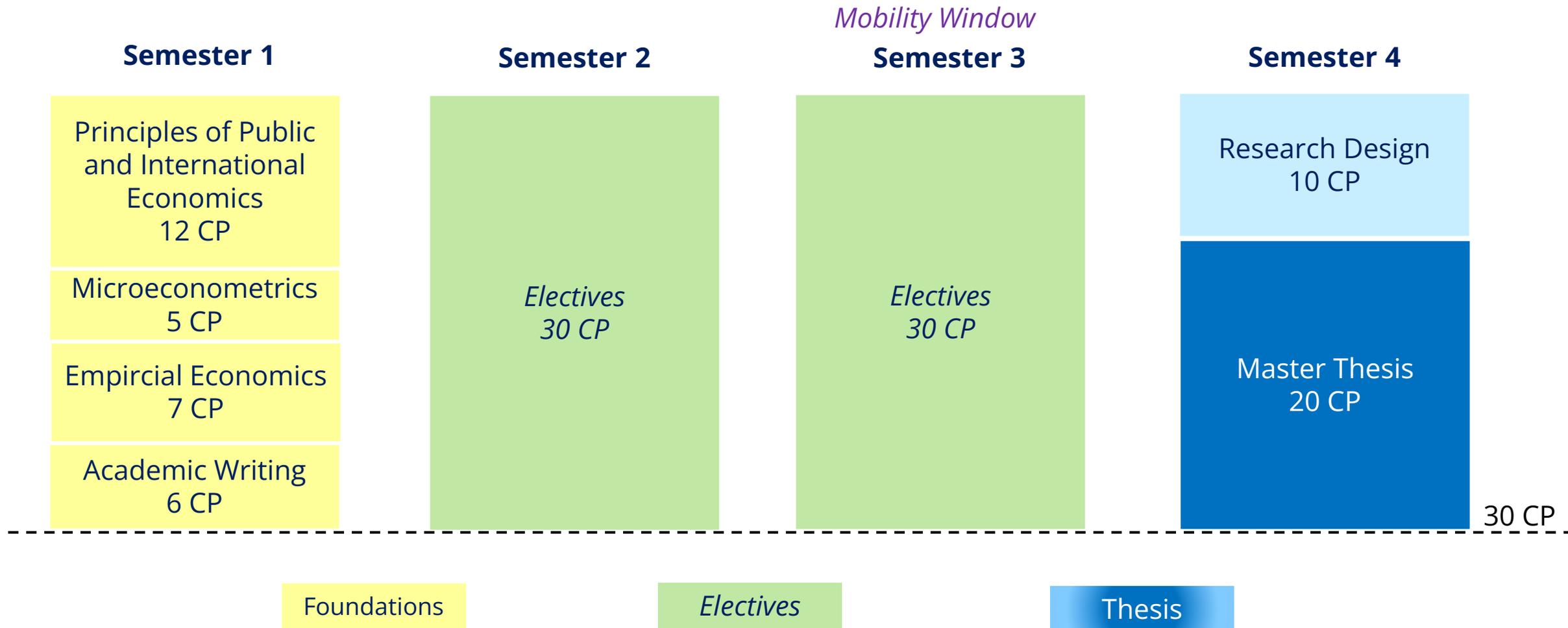
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# Master Public and International Economics

## Key Facts

<b>Topic</b>	Economic policy in a globalized world
<b>Degree</b>	Master of Science (M.Sc.)
<b>Standard Period of Study</b>	Full-time: 4 semesters (2 years), part-time possible
<b>Language of Instruction</b>	100% English
<b>Begin of Study</b>	Each winter semester
<b>Fees per Semester</b>	No tuition fees, but semester contribution
<b>Admission</b>	Aptitude assessment

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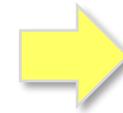
# Semester 1

Principles of Public and  
International Economics  
12 CP



Current theories and methods in Public  
and International Economics

Microeconometrics  
5 CP



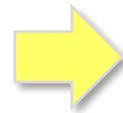
Analysis of individual-level data

Empirical Economics  
7 CP



Hands-on application of empirical methods  
in economics

Academic Writing  
6 CP



Scientific principles in economic research,  
literature databases, referencing



# Semesters 2 & 3

*Electives*  
60 CP total



Core Electives: at least 35 CP



Presenting and Discussing: at least 10 CP

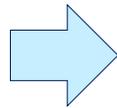


Free Electives: at most 15 CP



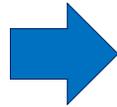
# Semester 4

Research Design  
10 CP



Conception and proccession of and feedback on the Thesis

Master Thesis  
20 CP



Independent scientific work on an economic topic,  
duration: 18 weeks



# List of Core Electives

(as of Summer 2024)

At least 35 CP!

- Development Economics
- International Public Economics
- Economics of the Welfare State
- International Financial Markets
- Economics of Migration
- Exchange Rates
- Theory of Taxation
- Financial Stability and Regulation of Financial Markets
- Microeconomic Perspectives on Development Economics
- Introduction to Geographic Information Systems
- Empirical Research in Spatial and Environmental Economics
- Advanced Topics in Applied Econometrics
- Cost-Benefit Analysis in Transport
- Cost and Prices in Transport
- Urban Economics



# List of Presenting & Discussing - Modules

(as of Summer 2024)

At least 10 CP!

- Empirical Research Project
- Topics in International Economics
- Current Topics in Public Economics
- Topics in Economic Policy
- Current Topics in International Monetary Economics
- Current Topics in Empirical Economic Research
- Topics in Policy Evaluation



# List of Free Electives

(as of Summer 2024)

- Strategic Sustainability Management
- Advanced International Financial Reporting
- Theoretical Multivariate Statistics
- Applied Multivariate Statistics
- Data-Driven Multivariate Statistics
- Power System Economics
- Resource Management
- Financial Technology
- Topics in Empirical Finance
- Technology Management
- Digital Business Engineering
- Internship Public and International Economics
- German Language Skills

At most 15 CP!



# Core Team of Lecturers



Kamila Cygan-Rehm  
Econometrics



Stefan Eichler  
International Monetary Economics



Alex Kemnitz  
Economic Policy and Research



Artem Korzhenevych  
Environmental, Urban & Regional  
Economics



Christian Leßmann  
International Economics



Valentin Lindlacher  
International Economic Policy



Bernhard Schipp  
Econometrics



Marcel Thum  
Public Economics

# Dresden

- About 550,000 inhabitants, 30,000 students at TU Dresden
- Located halfway between Berlin and Prague (2-hours ride each)
- Capital of the Free State of Saxony
- Famous for its classical architecture and culture (Frauenkirche, Semper Opera, Old Masters Picture Gallery, ...)
- Vibrant student life (Neustadt, student clubs)
- Great surroundings: Saxon Switzerland, Ore Mountains, Saxon Wine Region
- Modest living cost, including housing (Studentenwerk)



# Requirements

We will accept all applicants meeting these qualifications:

1. Owning a first university degree in Economics or a related field of study recognized in Germany or a degree from a state or state-recognized university of cooperative education in economics,
2. Proficiency in English according to the level B2 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages,
3. Proof of particular aptitude for the program by demonstration of:
  - 35 credit points (ECTS) earned in Economics with a good average grade
  - 15 credit points (ECTS) earned in quantitative methods (Mathematics, Statistics, Econometrics, e.g.).



# Application

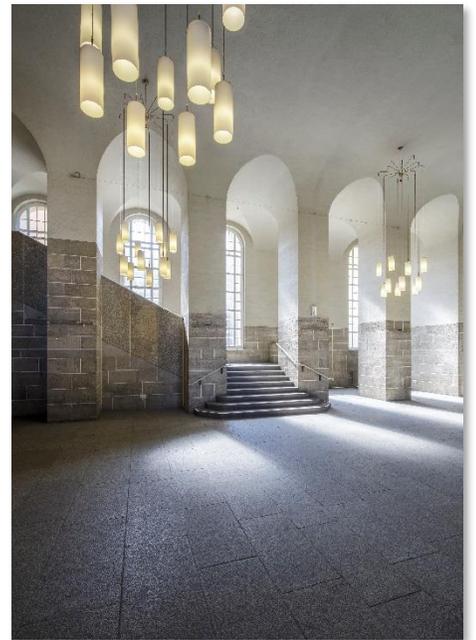
See the websites on Application and Aptitude Assessment for the required documents, deadlines, and addresses!

Note that different deadlines can apply

- for the application to the program and to the aptitude assessment,
- for EU and non-EU citizens,
- and depending on the places where you earned your university entry qualification and your first university degree!



# Thanks for Your Attention!



# We Are Looking Forward to Your Questions!



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