Archaeology (Studies in English)

– Bachelor program

Why do we not provide credit methods and syllabi in the tables?

The detailed requirements vary between instructors and change rapidly. You will always find them in the current USOS card. Here, we outline the key factors to consider when planning your registration: title, course type, number of hours, and ECTS credits.



1st year

1058 h (including 300 h of field training) • 60 ECTS

Course	type of course	hours	ECTS
Introduction to Archaeology	lecture	60 h	4
Archaeological Excavation Methods and Surveying	seminar	30 h	3
Archaeological Documentation Methods	seminar	30 h	3
 Introduction to Archaeological Specialisations Archaeology of Ancient Egypt and Nubia Archaeology of the Ancient Near East Archaeology of Ancient Greece Archaeology of Rome and Roman Provinces Prehistoric Archaeology and the Middle Ages Archaeology of the Ancient Americas Bioarchaeology and Environmental Archaeology 	7 × lecture	7 × 60 h	7 × 4
Drawing of Artefacts	class	30 h	4
Scientific Workshop	seminar	30 h	3
Modern Language	class	120 h	4
Intellectual Property Protection	internet course	4 h	0.5
Occupational Health and Safety	lecture	4 h	0.5
Field training (long) 1	field training	150 h	5
Field training (long) 2	field training	150 h	5
Sport	class	30 h	0
SI	UM	1058 h	60

2nd year

≥ 690 h (150 h field training) • 60 ECTS

Course	type of course	hours	ECTS
Specialization courses I*	acc. to the offer	≥ 90 h	10
Introduction to Methodology	seminar	30 h	3
Elective courses - BA level	acc. to the offer	≥ 90 h	12
Laboratories in Ancient Technologies • Ancient Technology: Stone • Ancient Technology: Pottery and Glass • Ancient Technology: Metal • Ancient Technology: Organic Materials	4 × lab	4 × 30 h	4 × 4
Photography of Artefacts	class	30 h	4
Selected General University Courses OGUN	acc. to the offer	≥ 30 h	4
Modern Language	class	120 h	4

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Field training (long) 3	field training	150 h	5
Sport	class	30 h	0
	SUM	≥ 690 h	60

3rd year

≥ 720 h (30 h field training) • 60 ECTS

Course	type of course	hours	ECTS
Introduction to Bachelor Thesis Workshop	seminar	30 h	3
Tutored Bachelor Thesis Workshop	class	30 h	4
Independent Bachelor Thesis Workshop	class	240 h	8
Specialization courses II	acc. to the offer	≥ 90 h	10
Elective courses - BA level	acc. to the offer	≥ 90 h	12
Museology, Conservation and Popularisation of Archaeology	seminar	30 h	3
Basic Digital Methods in Archaeology	class	60 h	8
Ancient Language - Latin or Greek	class	60 h	6
Selected General University Courses OGUN – social sciences	acc. to the offer	≥ 30 h	5
Sport	class	30 h	0
Field training (short) date of choice			
Autumn: 2nd half of October	field training	30 h	1
Spring: March			
SUM		≥ 720 h	60

How to use the tables?

You arrange the plan in USOS – hours and ECTS show how to distribute the load evenly.

You book field training places – plan the long blocks (150 h) in advance; short exercises take place in March and October.

You combine specialisations – from the second year, you choose your main path (major), and in the third year, you study an additional one (minor).

You can find the details – the forms of credit and the literature - in the syllabi; the course sheets in USOS.

Do you have questions? Take a look at the Studies tab or write to the Students' Office – we'll help dig up the right solution!

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