

AMERICAN STUDIES COURSE CATALOG

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INTRODUCTION

Contact Info

You find the Institute for American Studies at the University's Humanities Building, Beethovenstraße 15, 5th Floor, House 3.

For details about office hours, and where to find us, please visit the American Studies Website:
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Please check the Institute's website for updates on opening hours.

Advising

At the Institute for American Studies, students find a comprehensive network of advising to assist them in all questions relating to the organization of their program of study. To make sure that staff members have time for your questions and concerns, please take note of their office hours (available at the American Studies Website), or make individual appointments.

The following colleagues are available for the following concerns:

- **questions relating to program requirements; general guidance and advice on how to organize your studies**

Sebastian Herrmann, M.A., Dr. Katja Kanzler, Katja Schmieder, M.A., Frank Usbeck, M.A.

- **advice and services concerning transfer from another university or from another degree program; credit for study abroad**

Prof. Crister Garrett, Dr. Katja Kanzler

- **questions relating to specific fields of study, including format of exams:**

SHP/Kulturgeschichte: Prof. Crister Garrett, Frank Usbeck, M.A.

LC/Literaturwissenschaft: Sebastian Herrmann, M.A., Dr. Katja Kanzler, Prof. Anne Koenen, Katja Schmieder, M.A.

Registration for Classes

Most classes require prior registration. To learn more about registration procedures for students in the Institute's different programs (Magister, BA, MA; service for Lehramt), please have a look at the **Registration Information Sheet** available by September at the American Studies Website. As access to some classes is quite competitive, please take the procedures and deadlines for prior registration seriously.

American Studies Modules

Modules in the BA- and MA-programs are designed to achieve specific **learning goals**, they entail a specific amount and specific types of **coursework** and **examinations**, and they may have **prerequisites**. To learn more about these, we strongly encourage you to have a look at your program's Module Catalog ([BA](#); [MA](#)) and at the appendix to your Conditions of Study ([BA](#); [MA](#)).

International Students

International Students are very welcome in the courses offered by the Institute for American Studies. To learn more about places available in individual courses, please contact the instructor, and describe your situation briefly (i.e., exchange student, international guest student, participating in an international degree program). We will do our very best to include you in our courses and welcome you to the Institute for American Studies.

Courses

You can conveniently browse and download the American Studies course offerings at the American Studies website at <http://americanstudies.uni-leipzig.de/curriculum/courses>. Please keep on checking the course listings for any news and updates.

For course offerings in English Linguistics, please consult the English Studies Course Catalog, available at the Anglistik Website (<http://www.uni-leipzig.de/~angl>).

Unless stated otherwise, **classes start** in the week of **13 October**, 2008.