

<b>Module IHS 9</b>	<b>Global Health Policy and Politics</b>	
<b>Responsible:</b> Professorship of Medicine with a specialisation in Global Health		
<b>Qualification level:</b> Bachelor's degree	<b>Academic term:</b> Semester 6	<b>Type of module:</b> Compulsory
<b>Credits:</b> 10	<b>Total workload:</b> 300 hours	Contact hours: 144 hours
		Self-study hours: 156 hours
<b>Duration and frequency:</b> 1 semester / annually	<b>Prerequisites:</b> None	<b>Language:</b> English
<b>Learning objectives:</b>	To know about the most important globally active organizations of the health system and to understand the global health architecture including the roles, importance, power, and strategies of essential players within it. To be able to analyse and describe international and global health policy and politics, the driving forces behind them, the relationship between national and global health policies, as well as its embeddedness within other fields of policy. To be able to follow the international discourse on health policy and health economics, to critically reflect upon and participate in it. To be able to apply international health policy terminology to a given country and to relate relevant English terms to those from other languages.	
<b>Module content:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Challenges, tasks, and players in global health policy</li> <li>• Direct and indirect (global) health policies, political determinants of health</li> <li>• Global health governance</li> <li>• Knowledge and analysis of relevant global organisations (UN, WHO, WB, ILO, etc.), of international collaboration agencies; NGOs, philanthropic foundations, enterprises, and other institutions.</li> <li>• Health in the context of international collaboration</li> <li>• Transition from “international health” to “global health”</li> <li>• Health as a cross-sectional issue (Health in All Policies)</li> </ul>	
<b>Type of instruction:</b>	8 weekly hours of tuition in seminars	
<b>Requirements for obtaining credit:</b>	Passing of the module examination	
<b>Type of examination:</b>	Written examination	
<b>Module credits applicable towards:</b>	Health science study programmes	