

# Modul: Paläobiologie der Invertebraten

Modulnr./-code: MP 40



## 1. Inhalte und Qualifikationsziele

Inhalte	The students will learn how much of the evolution, palaeoecology, and palaeobiology of invertebrate organisms is written in the stone. They will gain knowledge of the treatment of fossils in phylogenetic systematics, of different adaptations of all important invertebrate fossil taxa to a broad range of various environmental parameters, and of the effect of mass extinctions, climate changes, and other environmental perturbations on the history of invertebrates. The lectures will provide an overview on the body plans, evolution, phylogeny and fossil record of all major fossil invertebrate taxa. In the practical exercises the fossils are represented with original material from worldwide localities and with a broad range of preservational peculiarities.
Qualifikationsziele	Relevant methods in the practicals are comparative morphology, comparison of fossil and living taxa, palaeobiological and -ecological reconstructions, and foundations of phylogenetics. Different techniques for the analysis of invertebrate fossils will be applied ranging from light microscopy to confocal laser microscopy and X-ray examination. In the lecture the students will learn to extend their knowledge using important classical as well as recently published scientific articles.

## 2. Lehr- und Lernformen

	LV-Art	Thema	Unterrichtssprache	Gruppengröße	SWS	Workload [h]
	V	Palaeobiology of Invertebrates	dt/en	16	3	120
	PrÜ	Palaeobiology of Invertebrates	dt/en	16	2	60

## 3. Voraussetzungen für die Teilnahme am Modul

verpflichtend nachzuweisen	-
empfohlen	-

## 4. Verwendbarkeit des Moduls

	Studiengang/Teilstudiengang	Pflicht-/Wahlpflicht	Fachsemester
	M.Sc. Paläontologie	Wahlpflicht	2. Semester
	M.Sc. OEP Biology	Wahlpflicht	2. Semester

## 5. Voraussetzungen für die Vergabe von Leistungspunkten entsprechend dem ECTS

## 6. ECTS-LP

Studienleistung(en)	-	6
Prüfungen und Prüfungssprache	Klausur (dt/en)	

## 7. Häufigkeit

## 8. Arbeitsaufwand

## 9. Dauer

Wintersemester <input type="checkbox"/>	Winter- und Sommersemester <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	180 h	1 Semester
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## Modulorganisation

Lehrende(r)	Rust
Modulkoordinator(in)	Prof. Dr. Jes Rust
Anbietende Organisationseinheit	Institut für Geowissenschaften

## Sonstiges

Literatur	Wird zu Beginn der Veranstaltung vorgestellt.
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