Dear (new) Master Students,

on the following page you will find an exemplary timetable.

This timetable lists all courses that you can already attend as a first semester Master student. This **does not mean** you must attend all courses at once! It is recommended to start with 4-5 courses à 90 minutes (courses à 180 minutes count as 2 courses).

Further information about your study schedule can be found in the Moodle course "Religious Studies - Welcome and Information for New Students" (https://moodle.ruhr-uni-bochum.de/course/view.php?id=27428).

If you received a list of courses you need to catch-up on as a **requirement** when you were admitted to the master's program, it is recommended to attend these classes **as soon as possible**. Typical courses that are assigned to the **PRE-module** will be highlighted in orange.

The courses listed here for Module C (grey) are **introductory courses** for advanced seminars on the history of religion (or language courses). If you want to research the history of a religious field for which you do not have sufficient prior knowledge, we recommend that you attend the corresponding introductory courses. They may be a prerequisite for advanced courses in R11, R12, or R13 but can be added in Module C (Complementary Module). Not all courses from the BA are listed here, you can check the course catalogue and ask the study coordination if you want to take part in other BA courses for module C.

If you do not have to catch-up on any PRE-Module classes, you can already take classes from Module S12 or R11, R12 or R13 (green). With these courses, you can create a personal study focus through your course choices over the coming semesters.

Please refer to the module handbook for further information.

Furthermore, please note that most courses take place in presence (see pdf timetable on the website and eCampus).

Once again: the course highlighted in blue (Module S11) is mandatory for all new Master students. The courses highlighted in orange are PRE-module courses and should be taken if they are a prerequisite for your full admission to the Master's program. The courses highlighted in green can be chosen from if all requirements have already been met (no open PRE-classes) – but note that the courses may not be offered again.

**Not all** courses listed here must be taken, you need to choose!

Please register for courses in eCampus on your own, otherwise you will not be able to receive CP!!!





## **Course title = course language**

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
10-12	S12: Motak: Religion and Science (0.13)  S11: Schlamelcher: Key Concepts in the Study of Religion (4.13)	PRE: Theories and Approaches in the Study of Religion (4.13)  R11: Cuffel: Gender and Popular Culture in Premodern Islam (3.06)			S12/R12: Freudenberg: The Christian Right in the USA (0.13)  R12: Schlamelcher: Religion in Latin America (online)
12-14	S11: Schlamelcher: Key Concepts in the Study of Religion (4.13)  S12: Motak: Apocalyptic Movements (0.13)	S12: Motak: Reading Course Max Weber (3.06)	R11: Pientka-Hinz: Mythen, Monstren, Mutationen (0.13)	R13: Di Giacinto: The Laozi. The Most Translated Chinese Text (3.06)  R11: Cuffel/Darabian: Jews in the Persianate World (0.13)	R12: Schlamelcher: Religion in Latin America (online)  R13: Di Giacinto: China's Ethnic Minorities and Their Religions (0.13)
14-16		R11: Cuffel: Introduction to post- biblical Hebrew literature (3.06)	PRE: Freudenberg: Qualitative Empirical Methods (4.13)  S12/R11: Pientka- Hinz: Altorientalische Metaphorik (Theorie und Praxis) (0.13)  R11: Cuffel: Popular Religion in Egypt from the Fatimid-Mamluk era (3.06)	R12: Knobler/Cuffel: Expulsion, Inquisition, Ladinismo: Experiences of Sephardi Jews 1492- Present (0.13)  R11: Najari: Exploring Iranian Mythology: Analytical Prespectives (3.06)	

16-18	R11: Rezania: The invention of the	12/R12: Rodenhausen:	R12: Jara J.: Introduction to	
	Paradise and the Hell (3.06)	Polarisierung im zeitgenössischen Christentum (0.13)	World Christianity (4.13)	
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## **Block seminars:**

Some courses may be listed as English on demand in the system and are not listed here as being taught in English. Therefore, please check eCampus and ask the lecturers <u>before the semester starts!</u> For room details, details of specific dates, lecturers, and admission requirements for the courses, please refer to the course information in eCampus directly!