

# Industrial Organization

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## Content and learning outcomes

<b>Content</b>	The first part of the course presents models in industrial organization (IO) that aim at explaining firm behaviour in different strategic environments. Within the context of static and dynamic oligopoly models, standard tools of theoretical IO are taught and some key theoretical results are confronted with empirical evidence. The second part of the course will focus on selected topics such as mergers, collusion or predatory behaviour.
<b>Learning outcomes</b>	Students become acquainted with basic tools and selected topics in modern industrial organization. In particular, they learn how to (i) apply key theoretical ideas and important formal techniques to selected questions, (ii) link theory to empirical work, and (iii) relate theoretical results to policy issues.

## Teaching and learning methods

Type of course/learning methods	Topic	Language of instruction	Group size	Contact time	Workload [h]
Lecture	Industrial Organization	English	open	4 hours	60
Self-study					165

## Prerequisites

<b>obligatory</b>	none
<b>recommended</b>	Basic Module <i>Microeconomics</i>

## Degree program allocation

Study Program	obligatory/ elective	Semester
Master of Science Economics Study Field: Management and Applied Microeconomics	elective	2nd
Master of Science Mathematics	elective	2nd

## Requirements for the awarding of credit points (ECTS)

	Credits
<b>Prerequisites for participation</b>	7,5 CP
<b>Types of Assessment (graded, incl. weighting factor)</b>	
<b>Examination language</b>	

Course Cycle	Workload	Duration
Winter term <input type="checkbox"/> Winter and Summer term <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Summer term <input type="checkbox"/>	225 h	1 Term

## Module coordination

<b>Teaching person</b>	See <a href="https://basis.uni-bonn.de">https://basis.uni-bonn.de</a>
<b>Module coordinator</b>	Prof. Dr. Matthias Kräkel
<b>Institute/Department</b>	Department of Economics

## Further Information

<b>(Reading lists, information links etc.)</b>	The recommended literature will be announced at the beginning of the course.
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