BIGSSS Semester Schedule Spring/Summer 2024

Last update: March 6, 2024
Updates on: Methods Courses, Transferable Skills, Lecture Series

Lecture Periods
University of Bremen (UB): April 02 – July 5, 2024
Constructor University (CU): February 01 – May 15, 2024 (no classes March 25 – 31, 2024)
BIGSSS Core Semester: April 02 – May 15, 2024

Doctoral Colloquia

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<td>@Uni Bremen (2 CP)</td>
<td>Olaf Groh-Samberg</td>
<td>Tuesdays</td>
<td>10:00pm-11:30pm</td>
<td>UB, BIGSSS Conference Room 7.3280</td>
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<td>@Constructor (2 CP)</td>
<td>Franziska Deutsch</td>
<td>Tuesdays</td>
<td>2:00pm-3:30pm</td>
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Demand-Tailored Methods Courses

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<td>Questionnaire Development (1 CP)</td>
<td>Annelies Blom</td>
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<td>Structural Equation Modeling with AMOS (1 CP)</td>
<td>Klaus Boehnke</td>
<td>Thursday, February 29th &amp; Friday, March 1st</td>
<td>Thursday: 9:00am-4:30pm, Friday: 9:00am-1:30pm</td>
<td>Constructor University, South Hall, Room 229 (Video Conference Room)</td>
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<td>Survey Sampling and Nonresponse (1 CP)</td>
<td>Annelies Blom</td>
<td>Thursday, March 21st &amp; Friday, March 22nd</td>
<td>8:00am-3:30pm (both days)</td>
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### Measurement Invariance/Equivalence in Cross-Cultural Research (1 CP)
- **Instructor**: Klaus Boehnke
- **Date**: Thursday, April 11th & Friday, April 12th
- **Time**: Thursday: 9:00am-4:30pm, Friday: 9:00am-1:30pm
- **Location**: Constructor University, South Hall, Room 229 (Video Conference Room)

### Thematic Analysis (1 CP)
- **Instructor**: Margrit Schreier
- **Date**: Thursday, April 18th; Thursday, April 25th; Friday, April 26th
- **Time**: 9:30am-1:00pm (all days)
- **Location**: Online, via Zoom

### Introduction to MAXQDA (0.5 CP)
- **Instructor**: Markus Klingel
- **Date**: Friday, April 19th
- **Time**: 10:00am-4:00pm
- **Location**: UB, BIGSSS Conference Room 7.3280

### Agent-Based Modeling (1 CP)
- **Instructor**: Jan Lorenz
- **Date**: Thursday, May 16th; Friday, May 17th
- **Time**: 10:00am-4:00pm (both days)
- **Location**: Constructor University, South Hall, Room tbd

### Response Styles (0.5 CP)
- **Instructor**: Klaus Boehnke
- **Date**: Thursday, May 23rd
- **Time**: 9:00am-3:30pm
- **Location**: Constructor University, South Hall, Room 410 (Seminar Room East)

### Transferable Skills
### Academic Writing (1 CP)
- **Instructor**: Judith Vey
- **Date**: Tuesday, February 27th
- **Time**: 9:00am-4:00pm
- **Location**: UB, BIGSSS Conference Room 7.3280

### Survive & Thrive in Academia: Online Program for PhD Fellows (0 CP)
- **Instructor**: Nadine Binder
- **Date**: Wednesdays: April 3rd, April 17th, May 8th, May 22nd
- **Time**: 10:00am-12:00pm
- **Location**: Online [https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86132397297?pwd=RUo5cGNNQThaMVExYKVuR0VTUT09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86132397297?pwd=RUo5cGNNQThaMVExYKVuR0VTUT09)
**Seminar** | **Instructor** | **Date** | **Time** | **Location** |
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How to Defend your Dissertation (0 CP) | Franziska Deutsch, Ulrich Kühnen, Regina Arant & Sabine Sommer | Monday, April 22nd | 9:30am-12:30pm | CU, South Hall, tbd |
Didactics Workshop (1 CP) | Franziska Deutsch & Mandy Boehnke | Friday, May 3rd | 9:00am-6:00pm | UB, BIGSSS Conference Room 7.3280 |

**Social Science Lecture Series**

Lecture Series/Jour Fixe together with SOCIUM and the Collaborative Research Centre "Global Dynamics of Social Policy" CRC1342 (please also check the respective websites!)

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<td>SFB 1342 Jour Fixe: Income declines vs. prototypes: When are survey questions about income inequality too complicated?</td>
<td>Kris-Stella Trump, Johns Hopkins University</td>
<td>Tuesday, April 9th</td>
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<td>SFB 1342 Jour Fixe: The nationalist dilemma: A global history of economic nationalism</td>
<td>Marvin Suesse, Trinity College Dublin</td>
<td>Wednesday, May 22nd</td>
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<td>SFB 1342 Jour Fixe: Immigrants and the Welfare State in Latin America</td>
<td>Sara Niedzwiecki, University of California, Santa Cruz</td>
<td>Wednesday, June 19th</td>
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