

## Kursinformationen für das Sommersemester 2021

Modul: Aktuelle Forschungsfragen der Arbeitsmarktökonomik /  
Topics in Labour Economics

Kurs:

**Inhalte & Qualifikationsziele:** The focus of the seminar will be on the empirical analysis of the German labour market over the last two decades. A brief introduction to the seminar and possible research topics will be presented in the first Webex meeting (see below). Own research topics may also be suggested by the student, if appropriate for the seminar. Each student is expected to write and present an empirical paper selected from the seminar topics list. The paper may be a replication of an earlier study or an original study. The replication study would also involve a critical assessment of the underlying assumptions, alternative specifications of estimation equations and alternative sample selections.

**Termine:** blocked seminar

**Anrechenbarkeit:** MA Economics, MA Public Economics

**Zugangsvoraussetzungen & Vorkenntnisse:** Knowledge of microeconometrics at the level of the MSc Economics course “Applied Microeconometrics” is assumed. Furthermore, all topics require the use of a statistical software package such as Stata or R. (R is an open-access package, Stata16 licenses for this semester will be provided by the university free of charge).

**Anmeldung:** after the **first Webex meeting: Tuesday, 13 April, 10-11:30 a.m.**

**Prüfungsleistung:** two presentations, final seminar paper

**Kurssprache:** English / Deutsch

**Kontakt:** Prof. V. Steiner