

Georg-August-Universität Göttingen Module M.WIWI-VWL.0046: Topics in European and Global Trade	6 C 2 WLH
Learning outcome, core skills: The key learning objectives are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students learn how to formulate research questions, • They will be able to provide a critical assessment of the theoretical studies/arguments in the related field and to review the related empirical literature, • Students also learn how to apply the empirical methodology to evaluate the results obtained in the empirical literature, • They will be also able to provide some reasons why theory is confirmed or not with empirics and draw economic policy conclusions from the empirical results. 	Workload: Attendance time: 28 h Self-study time: 152 h
Course: M.WIWI-VWL.0046.Sem Seminar Topics in European and Global Trade (Seminar) <i>Contents:</i> Topic 1: Institutional Quality, Trade and Growth Topic 2: Aid for Trade, Foreign Aid and Trade Link Topic 3: Trade Facilitation Topic 4: Trade Agreements Topic 5: Trade and the Environment Topic 6: Technology Transfer and Trade Topic 7: Gender Inequality and Trade Topic 8: Trade, income per Capita and Inequality Topic 9: Trade and Transport Costs Topic 10: Trade and Exchange Rate Regimes Topic 11: Exchange Rate Volatility and Trade Topic 12: Financial Integration and Trade Topic 13: Trade and Conflicts Topic 14: The Extensive and the Intensive Margins of Trade Topic 15: Product Quality and Trade Topic 16: Trade and Migration Topic 17: Geographical Frictions Topic 18: Value Added Trade and International Production Chains Topic 19: Common Currency Effects on Trade Topic 20: Trade and Uncertain	2 WLH
Examination: Term paper (max. 15 pages text) with presentation (ca. 20 minutes) M.WIWI-VWL.0046.Mp: Seminar Topics in European and Global Trade Examination prerequisites:	6 C

Regular attendance.	
<p>Examination requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written paper: Students are expected to develop a research question, to summarize key findings from theoretical and empirical research in relation to it and to critically assess and compare methods and models in relation to the main results found in the related literature. • Oral Presentation: Ability to present and explain with clarity economic theories and empirical methods and describe tables of results with a deep understanding of the research question addressed in the written paper. 	
<p>Admission requirements: none</p>	<p>Recommended previous knowledge: Empirical Trade Issues or International Trade and Econometrics I</p>
<p>Language: English</p>	<p>Person responsible for module: Prof. Dr. Inmaculada Martinez-Zarzoso</p>
<p>Course frequency: each winter semester</p>	<p>Duration: 1 semester[s]</p>
<p>Number of repeat examinations permitted: twice</p>	<p>Recommended semester: 2 - 4</p>
<p>Maximum number of students: 20</p>	