Academic Degree: Master of Science (WU), abbr. MSc (WU)
Minimum Duration: 4 Semesters

Semester 1*

Introductory Courses Introduction to Research & Writing on Contemporary Policy Challenges Part I (PI) History and Philosophy of Science: Ontology, Epistemology, Methodology (PI) Theory Courses

Growth, Well-Being and Development (PI)

International and European Law, Institutions

and Governance (VUE)

Semester 2

"History and Philosophy of Science: Ontology, Epistemology, Methodology", "Growth, Well-Being and Development" and "International and European Law, Institutions and Governance" are prerequisites for the following courses.

Introductory Courses

Introduction to Research & Writing on
Comtemporary Policy Challenges Part II (PI)
4 ECTS

Theory Courses

Actors, Behaviours and Decision Processes (PI) 8 ECTS

Methods Courses

Quantitative and Qualitative Methods I (PI) 10 I

10 ECTS

Semester 3

Methods Courses	
Quantitative and Qualitative Methods II (P	I)

Research Courses

Service Learning I (FS) 2.5 ECTS

Semester 4

10 ECTS

Research Courses	
Service Learning II (FS)	2.5 ECTS
Thesis Colloquium (AG)	5 ECTS
Master's Thesis	

Master's Thesis 20 ECTS

In-Depth Elective

Choose two of the following subjects:

- Social Ecological Economics
- The Political Economy of Inequalities
- Globalisation and Multi-Level Policy
- Globalisation and Social Policy

In-Depth Electives I : Course I (PI)	5 ECTS	In-Depth Electives I : Course II (PI)	10 ECTS
In-Depth Electives II : Course I (PI)	5 ECTS	In-Depth Electives II : Course II (PI)	10 ECTS

8 ECTS

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^{* (}Optional) Bridging Courses allow students to review basic material before beginning their MSc studies. Learn more at wu.at/seep