

General Information



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Opening Hours of the Doctoral Office:

General Opening Hours

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Useful Links:

Course catalog: <http://vvz.wu.ac.at>

Application and Admission: <https://www.wu.ac.at/en/programs/application-and-admission>

(here, you will also find a list of programs from universities of applied science which entitle students to admission without additional examinations/courses)

Information for the PhD Program Finance can be found on the Homepage of the Vienna Graduate School of Finance: www.vgsf.ac.at

Information for the PhD Program International Business Taxation can be found at:

<https://www.wu.ac.at/en/dibt/about>

**Information sheet for the three-year Doctoral Program in Social and Economic Sciences at WU (Vienna University of Economics and Business)
(since 01 October 2022)**

Stipulating
supervisor and main subject

Courses/Examinations		Dissertation	Accompanying Program, e.g.
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Research Seminar in the main subject I Philosophy of Science Research methods of social and economic sciences I: Quantitative Paradigm (Business Administration or Economics) Research methods of social and economic sciences II: Qualitative Paradigm 	FS PI PI PI Work on the Research Proposal	
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Research Seminar in the main subject II Academic Writing Research Proposal 	FS FS	
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Research Seminar in the main subject III Advanced research methods for social and economic sciences 	FS PI Work on the dissertation	
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Research Seminar in the main subject IV 	FS Work on the dissertation	Mobility Grant Guest courses & lectures Specialized courses
5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Research Seminar „Theories of the Field in the main subject“ 	FS Work on the dissertation	Participating in the scientific community, e.g. conference participation Teaching (if applicable)
6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Research Seminar „Dissertation-Relevant Theories and Literature Review in the main subject or Research Seminar „Theories of the Field“ in the secondary subject Defensio Dissertationis 	FS FS FP Work on the dissertation Submission of the dissertation Grading of the dissertation	

**Information sheet for the three-year Doctoral Program in Business Law at WU (Vienna University of Economics and Business)
(since 01 October 2009)**

Stipulating

supervisor and main subject of the dissertation

Courses/Examinations		Dissertation	
1	<p>Research Seminar in the dissertation subject I</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Private Law including Civil Procedure <i>or</i> • Austrian and European Public Law <i>or</i> • Tax Law <i>or</i> • Labor and Social Security Law <i>or</i> • Criminal Law <i>or</i> • European and International Law • 	FS	Work on the Research Proposal
2	<p>Research Seminar in Legal Methods</p> <p>Research Proposal</p>	PI	
3	<p>Research Seminar in the dissertation subject II</p>	FS	Work on the dissertation
4	<p>Doctoral Seminar in a further legal subject (which has not been chosen as subject of the dissertation)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Private Law including Civil Procedure <i>or</i> • Austrian and European Public Law <i>or</i> • Tax Law <i>or</i> • Labor and Social Security Law <i>or</i> • Criminal Law <i>or</i> • European and International Law 	FS	Work on the dissertation
5	<p>Doctoral Seminar in further subject</p> <p>Seminar in one of the subjects offered at WU which has not been chosen as dissertation subject or further legal subject</p>	FS	
<p>Successful completion of the courses, as well as a positive evaluation of the Research Proposal are the prerequisite for registering for the Defensio Dissertationis!</p>			
6	Defensio Dissertationis	FP	<p>Work on the dissertation</p> <p>Submission of the dissertation</p> <p>Grading of the dissertation</p>