

General Information



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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 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 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 in the main subject V 	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 in the main subject VI or • Research Seminar in a second 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>