

## Current Topic (CT)

### ⊕ What is a Current Topic (CT)?

- = independent elaboration of a specific self-selected topic with professional supervision and grading
- An CT replaces an elective (3rd Semester module)
  - Max. 2 CTs may be registered
  - CT = 5 ECTS = 150h Workload
  - CT is organized by students themselves
  - Supervision by (almost) all lecturers of the faculty possible

An AT can be helpful in preparing for the master's thesis:

- Practice in scientific writing
- Getting to know the demands of a supervisor

### 👥 How is the CT supervised?

Students contact lecturers from the desired subject area themselves. Ideally, students bring their own topic proposal. The topic/title is agreed upon individually between the student and the supervisor. The intensity of supervision and the format depends on the topic/assignment.

### 📄 What does a CT look like?

There is no specification regarding scope or text length. It can be a literature research or an own data analysis, but also have any other conceivable form. All details will be clarified directly with the supervisor.

### 📅 Possible time periods for a CT?

CT can be scheduled at any time  
CT may or may not be during a blocked timeslot  
CT can also be worked on during a semester or over more than 3 weeks.  
The submission date is agreed upon individually with the supervisor.  
The temporal extent must correspond to 150 h workload.

### 📋 Registration

The application is made via the form (see website).  
The completed and signed registration form is submitted directly to the examination office.  
The examination office books the CT with the specified title as a compulsory elective module.  
The submission of the form is considered as **examination registration!**

**Submission date = examination date.**

The title of the CT appears on the transcript

### ✓ Submission

The thesis must be submitted directly to the supervisor within the deadline.  
After grading, the supervisor sends the grade to the examination office.

**The submission date is binding!**

**Submission after the deadline will be graded with 5.0**

**! Deadline for submission must be in the same semester as registration!**