

## Courses in English Course Description

**Department** 14 Tourism

Course title New Work in Tourism

Hours per week (SWS) 2

Number of ECTS credits 3

Course objective Students will gain a sound overview of New Work and its relevance for tourism. Especially in tourism,

challenges and trends such as digitization and the shortage of skilled workers can be addressed by New

Work

The introduction to New Work in theory and practice will lead to an understanding of different concepts and values associated with New Work, like an emphasis on flat hierarchies, employee empowerment and well-being as well as which skills and competencies are and will be required in a new world of work. We will also talk about artificial intelligence like service robots and consequences of its implementation

for the workplace, employees and employers.

Furthermore, students will receive an introduction into reading and understanding scientific articles and will present recent scientific articles on New Work. Students will also get to know opportunities and

challenges in applying New Work to tourism and critically reflect on its application.

Prerequisites Participants must demonstrate a sound command of spoken and written English (Level B2) in order to

hold presentations and actively participate in discussions.

Teaching methods Lectures, presentations

Assessment methods Presentation during semester, seminar paper

Language of instruction English

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Course content Introductions to scientific work: How to read and present a scientific study, search for scientific literature

and write a seminar paper Getting to know New Work Modern challenges for Tourism Applications of New Work in Tourism

Critical reflection of New Work in Tourism and Hospitality

Remarks