



Description

The course consists of lectures and seminars. Classes are held on Tuesday afternoons. A written examination will be held after the final class of the semester. Seminars will consist of students delivering presentations (themed or article presentations, debates, journal club presentations, etc.) either individually, as group work, and/or will consist of in-class discussions and exercises. Seminar specific content will be decided in class. Seminar work is not graded, but 80% participation in seminars along with successful completion of the examination with at least the minimum grade is necessary for the award of credit points.

Lectures/Seminars

Tuesday	14:00-17.30	Seminar Room (3.136)	Pohligstr. 3
	(with break)		

See schedule on page 2.

See location on page 3.

Materials

Lecture slides are provided to students after lectures.

An adjunct compendium is provided.

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IMES Environmental Medicine Module, Winter Term 2026-27

Date & Time	Topic(s)	Type(s)	Lecturer(s)
Tues, 13 Oct			
14:00-15:30	Introduction	Lecture/Seminar	Dr Philip Lewis
16:00-17:30	Planetary Health		
Tues, 20 Oct			
14:00-15:30	Arsenic	Lecture/Seminar	Prof Thomas C Erren
16:00-17:30	Exposure Assessment		Dr Julia Hurraß
Tues, 27 Oct			
14:00-15:30	Plastic	Lecture	Prof Thomas C Erren
15:30-17:30	Asbestos & Dust		Prof Joachim Rösler
Tues, 03 Nov			
14:00-16:00	Allergy	Lecture/Seminar	Prof Michael Damm
Tues, 10 Nov			
14:00-15:30	Literature Review:	Lecture/Seminar	Dr Philip Lewis
16:00-17:30	Writing & Appraisal		
Tues, 17 Nov			
14:00-15:30	Epidemiology 1	Lecture/Seminar	Dr Silke Jörgens
16:00-17:30			Dr Philip Lewis
Tues, 24 Nov			
14:00-15:30	Epidemiology 2	Lecture/Seminar	Dr Silke Jörgens
16:00-17:30			Dr Philip Lewis
Tues, 01 Dec			
14:00-15:30	Radiation & Cancer	Lecture	Prof Thomas Erren
16:00-17:30			
Tues, 08 Dec			
14:00-15:30	Scientific Uncertainty	Seminar	Dr Philip Lewis
16:00-17:30	& Causality		
Tues, 15 Dec			
14:00-15:30	SARS/Ebola	Lecture	Prof Thomas C Erren
16:00-17:30	Covid-19 Epidemiology		Dr Philip Lewis
Winter Break			
Tues, 12 Jan			
14:00-15:30	Tour of the	Something Different	Prof Thomas C
16:00-17:30	Barbarastollen		Erren/Dr Philip Lewis
Tues, 19 Jan			
14:00-15:30	Physiology I	Lecture/Seminar	Dr Philip Lewis
16:00-17:30	Journal Club		
Tues, 26 Jan			
14:00-15:30	Physiology II	Lecture/Semina	Dr Philip Lewis
16:00-17:30	Journal Club		
Tues, 02 Feb			
14:00-15:30	Physiology III	Lecture/Seminar	Dr Philip Lewis
16:00-17:30	Journal Club		
End of Teaching Semester			
Tues, 09 Feb			
14:00-16:00	MCQ		ALL

