# Pflichtmodule 5. Semester

## Professional English in Technics (Basic level) (English)

Modu	ule Title	9	Technisches Englisch (Basic level)							
Module Title in English			Professional English in Technics (Basic level)							
Module Leader			Ingo Bachmann							
Teaching Staff			ZfK							
Courselanguage/			English							
Code		Workload	Credits		Semester		Semester Offered			Duration
TE		180 h	6		5th semester	r	Every Summer semester		er	1 semester
1	Type of Course  Seminar: 4 h/week			Scheduled Learning 4 h/week (= 60 h)		Vor-	Total: 120 h und Nacharbeit: ngsvorbereitung:	90 h	Semin	rox. Number of Participants  ar 15

#### **2** Learning Outcomes / Competences

Upon successful completion of this module, students will be able to exchange ideas, expertise and knowledge with all those involved in the building industry. They will be capable of managing business correspondence and reading as well as understanding technical texts.

The skills acquired in this module enable students enrolled in the "dual-praxisintegrierten Variante" to

- communicate adequately in English at their workplace in a spoken as well as in a written way
- describe and explain their own work environment and work-related tasks, work processes as well as the relevant technical background needed
- correspond in English in their professional field
- give a technical presentation in English and communicate content in a target group-oriented way

#### 3 Contents

- Taking part in negotiations and documenting them
- Expressing their own opinion, participating in discussions
- Business correspondence
- Engaging with technical texts including reading techniques
- Describing their own work environment
- Telephoning
- Phrases and idiomatic expressions

#### 4 Teaching Methods

Seminar-like in small groups, group work

### **5** Content-Related Module Prerequisites

Students' level of English should be B1 CEFR (correspondes to five years of English with adequate grades).

Students whose English is not yet on a B1 level should consider taking either the ZfK module

	"English for Beginners" and/or "English Refresher Course" prior to this module.						
6	Formal Module Prerequisites						
	none						
7	Type of Exams						
	Portfolio						
	experience report on your group work (2 pages) Examlanguage: English (in week 4) (0%)						
	presentation on a study-related subject in small Examlanguage: English						
	groups of two to four students (10 min.) (in week 11) (50%)						
	written test (60 min.) (in last week) (50%)	xamlanguage: English					
8	Prerequisite for the Granting of Credits						
	Successful participation and successful contribution + passing the exam						
9	This Module Appears in:						
	Course of Studies	Status					
	Bauingenieurwesen_BPO2013 BPO 2014	Compulsory Module					
	Bauingenieurwesen_BPO2014 BPO2017	Compulsory Module					
	Bauingenieurwesen_BPO20XX	Compulsory Module					
	Modules in English at HRW	Compulsory Module					
	Wirtschaftsingenieurwesen-Bau_BPO 2016 BPO 2	2017 Compulsory Module					
	Wirtschaftsingenieurwesen-Bau_BPO2021	Compulsory Module					
10	Weighting of Grade in Relationship to Final Grade Weighting equals the proportion of module credits in relationship to the total number of grade- relevant credits						
11	Additional Information / Literature						
	Material will be announced during the first session.						