Module: Quantum Reaction Dynamics

University/department/institute: Freie Universität Berlin/Department of Biology, Chemistry and Pharmacy/Institute of Chemistry and Biochemistry

Responsible for the module: module lecturers

Admission requirements: none

Qualification aims: The students know the theoretical concepts and methods of describing time-dependent quantum mechanics of chemical reactions and can carry out the relevant computer simulations and visualizations.

Content: Time-dependent quantum mechanics; wave-packet dynamics; adiabatic and non-adiabatic dynamics; molecular transitions and reactions after excitation by laser pulses; numerical methods and computer simulations for solving time-dependent quantum mechanical problems

| Teaching and learning units | Attendance (Semester hours per week = SH) | Forms of active participation | Study time (hours) | |
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| Lecture | 2 | - | Attendance L Preparation and follow-up L Attendance SPC Preparation and follow-up SPC Examination preparation, examination | 30 30 |
| Seminar on the computer using special software | 2 | Working on problem sets and computer simulations | | 30 30 30 |
| Language of instruction | | German or English | | |
| Compulsory regular attendance | | Lecture: attendance recommended; seminar: yes | | |
| Study time, total hours | | 150 hours | | 5 CP |
| Duration of module | | One semester | | |
| Module offered | | Every third semester | | |
| Application | | Master's program in Chemistry | | |