Module: Modern Methods in Spectroscopy

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 have deepened their understanding of modern methods of spectroscopy for examining the structures and dynamics of molecules, liquids and condensed matter and can apply this knowledge in a range of contexts to solving problem sets in groups.

Content: Brief recapitulation of the principles of optical spectroscopy; terahertz spectroscopy, fluorescence spectroscopy, photoelectron spectroscopy, X-ray spectroscopy, short pulse and ultra-short pulse spectroscopy, spectroscopy with electrons and neutrons; light, electron and neutron scattering; methods of spectromicroscopy; applications of modern spectroscopy in chemistry, the environment and life sciences

Teaching and learning units	Attendance (Semester hours per week = SH)	Forms of active participation	Study time (hours)	
Lecture	2	-	Attendance L	30
			Preparation and follow-up L	30
			Attendance T	30
Tutorial	2	Solving problem sets, contributing to discussions	Preparation and follow-up T Examination preparation, examination	30 30
Language of instruction		German or English		
Compulsory regular attendance		Attendance recommended		
Study time, total hours		150 hours		5 CP
Duration of module		One semester		
Module offered		Every other semester		
Application		Master's program in Chemistry		