Faculty II Subject:	Course of study/ degree Master WIRE
Emphases: Auditing, Finance, Taxation	Section: Business Administration
Module reference number: wir842	Title: Banking
Duration: 1 semester Cycle: Annual Type of module: Elective Level: Master's This module should be taken in: 2nd semester	Type of program: 2 VL, or 1 VL and 1 U Language of program: German or English Attainable credit-points: 6 Workload: 180 hours Required attendance: 56 hours
Person responsible for the programme:	Person responsible for this module: Prof. Dr. Jörg Prokop
Examiners	Alternative person(s) responsible for this module

Objective of the module/skills:

Upon completion of the module students will be able to explain the role financial institutions play in financial markets based on economic theory. They will have a sound knowledge of institutional and regulatory conditions under which financial institutions operate today, and they will be able to critically assess respective developments in the financial sector. Moreover, they will have developed a sound understanding of how banks are managed in a competitive environment.

Content of the module:

The course is divided in two parts. The first part is a broad introduction to financial intermediation in which we will discuss theoretical foundations of banking as well as the economic, institutional, and regulatory context in which financial institutions operate today. The second part of the course consists of a business simulation in which participants manage a virtual financial institution.

Suggested reading:

- Arnold: Modern Financial Markets & Institutions: a practical perspective, latest edition, Pearson
- Berger / Molyneux / Wilson (Eds.): The Oxford Handbook of Banking, latest edition, Oxford University Press
- de Haan / Oosterloo / Schoenmaker: Financial Markets and Institutions A European Perspective, latest edition, Cambridge
- Hartmann-Wendels / Pfingsten / Weber: Bankbetriebslehre, latest edition, Springer
- Tolkmitt: Neue Bankbetriebslehre, latest edition, Gabler

Further readings may be announced during the course.

Comments:	Helpful previous knowledge:
Weblink: http://www.uni-oldenburg.de/fiwi_bbl/ Prerequisites for admission:	Associated with the module(s):

Maximum number of students / selection criteria:

Type of examinations: 1 term paper (Hausarbeit) or 1 written exam (Klausur) or 1 oral exam (mündliche Prüfung) or

1 Portfolio

Examination periods: typically at the end of the semester; potential mid-term examination dates will be announced

in the first session

Registration procedure: via Stud.IP Weblink for additional information: