Master of Arts International Media Studies (IMS)

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Modules	• Module dA1	(Media and Development)	5 SWS
	• Module dB1	(Media, Education and Communication)	6 SWS
	• Module dC1	(Media, Politics and Society I)	5 SWS
	• Module dD1	(Journalism)	6 SWS
	• Module dE1	(Media Economics)	4 SWS

Introduction Weeks **15.09. – 26.09.2025**

Lecture Period **29.09.2025 – 23.01.2026** (*winter holidays: 22.12.2025 - 02.01.2026*)

Block-Sessions	Media Ethics *(Prof. Dr. Thimm)* Lennéstraße 1, 53110 Bonn	16.01.2025 23.01.2025	(11:00 am – 5:30 pm)
Media Practice Days	- Social Video Production - The Art of Interviewing - Radio Show Production	15. – 18.12.2025	(9:00 am – 5:00 pm)

Exams

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Registration (online): 16.02. – 27.02.2026
Exam Period: 18.03. – 02.04.2026

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Time/ Day	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:45 am – 11:15 am	**Journalism Research** *Keßler* S	**Intercultural Communication** *Keßler* E		**Media and Globalization** (biweekly) *Dr. Schellpeper* S **Academic Work** (biweekly) *Dr. Voigt* E	9:45 am – 1:00 pm **Media Law** *Dr. Niepalla* L
11:30 am – 1:00 pm	**Comparative Media Systems** *Prof. Dr. Schmidt* L	**Journalism Theory** *Dr. Gui* S	10:30 am - 1:00 pm **Media Literacy** *Dr. Egbujor* S	**Political Communication** *Dr. Bula* *L*	11:00 am – 5:30 pm **Media Ethics** (compact) *Prof. Dr. Thimm* L
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	**Break**				
2:00 pm – 3:30 pm	**Forms of Journalistic Writing** *Lucas* S	2:00 pm – 4:30 pm **Media Economics** *Dr. Nicoletti* L	**Media and Development Cooperation** (biweekly) *Dr. Dorn-Fellermann* L	**Media and Development** (biweekly) *Dr. Pye* L	**Media Ethics** (compact) *Prof. Dr. Thimm* L

Public Holidays/No class:
3.10.2024: Day of German Unity
1.11.2024: All Saints' Day
25./26.12.2024: Christmas Holiday
1.01.2025: New Year

L = Lecture
S = Seminar
E = Exercise

Forms of Journalistic Writing: 29.09. / 06.10. / 13.10. / 20.10. / 27.10. / 03.11. / 10.11. / 17.11. / 24.11. / 01.12. / 08.12. / 05.01.
Media Economics: 30.09. / 07.10. / 21.10. / 28.10. / 11.11. / 18.11. / 25.11. / 02.12. / 09.12. / 06.01. / 13.01. / 20.01.
Academic Work: 02.10. / 16.10. / 30.10. / 13.11. / 27.11. / 04.12. / 15.01.
Media and Globalization: 09.10. / 23.10. / 06.11. / 20.11. / 11.12. / 08.1. / 22.01.
Comp. Media Systems: 29.09. / 06.10. / 13.10. / 20.10. / 27.10. / 03.11. / 10.11. / 17.11. / 27.11. (14:00 – 17:00) / 01.12. / 08.12. / 05.01. / 12.01. / 19.01.
Media and Development Coop.: 08.10. / 22.10. / 12.11. / 19.11. / 03.12. / 07.01. / 21.01.
Media and Development: 02.10. (2:00-3:30 pm) / 09.10.(2:00 - 3:30 pm) / 23.10. (2:00 - 3:30 pm) / 06.11. (2:00 - 3:30 pm) / 20.11.(2:00 - 3:30 pm) / 11.12. (2:00 - 5:00 pm)
Media Law: 10.10. / 24.10. / 31.10. / 21.11.
Media Ethics: 16.01. / 23.01.