

Georg-August-Universität Göttingen Module B.Phy.5625: X-ray physics		6 C 4 WLH
Learning outcome, core skills: Knowledge in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Radiation-matter interaction • Dosimetry, radiobiology and radiation protection • Scattering experiments: photons, neutrons and electrons • Fundamental concepts in diffraction and Fourier theory • Structure analysis in crystalline and non-crystalline condensed matter • Generation of x-rays and synchrotron radiation • X-rays optics and detection • X-ray spectroscopy, microscopy and imaging After taking the course, students <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • will integrate fundamental concepts of matter-radiation interaction . • are able to apply quantitative scattering techniques with short wavelength radiation for structure analysis of condensed matter, including problems in solid state, materials, soft matter, and biomolecular physics • are able to plan and carry out x-ray laboratory experiments • are prepared to participate in beamtimes at synchrotron, neutron or free-electron radiation sources • can solve analytical problems in x-ray optics, diffraction and imaging 		Workload: Attendance time: 56 h Self-study time: 124 h
Course: X-ray Physics		
Examination: Written examination (120 minutes) or oral examination (ca. 30 min.) or presentation (ca. 30 min.) Examination prerequisites: none Examination requirements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • solve problems of the topics mentioned above on a quantitative level, including calculations of structure factor, correlation functions, • applications of Fourier theory to structure analysis and basic solutions to the phase problem, • solve problems of wave optical propagation and diffraction • knowledge about interaction mechanisms and order -of-magnitude estimations, • knowledge about theoretical concepts and experimental implementations of different techniques, • knowledge of laboratory skills (x-ray sources, detection, dosimetry) 		6 C
Admission requirements: none	Recommended previous knowledge: none	
Language: English, German	Person responsible for module: Prof. Dr. Tim Salditt	

Course frequency: each summer semester	Duration: 1 semester[s]
Number of repeat examinations permitted: three times	Recommended semester: Bachelor: 6; Master: 1 - 2
Maximum number of students: 15	