



Module Title	Expansion of personal competences: business models
Code	MCCf256
Degree Programme	Master of Science – Circular Innovation and Sustainability
ECTS Credits	6
Workload	180 hours <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 20 h contact teaching and seminar days</li> <li>• 160 hours guided self-study and project work</li> </ul>
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Entry Requirements	Prerequisite: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• At least 42 ECTS have been covered in the Master programme</li> <li>• MCCf356 Expansion of personal competences: inter- and transdisciplinary projects</li> </ul>
Learning Outcomes and Competences	After completing the module, students will be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Systematically assess and demonstrate business strategies that combine market needs with sustainable resource use;</li> <li>• Rethink conventional business models and design and implement successful circular business and change strategies in a self-organized manner;</li> <li>• Actively participate in scientific discussions with specialists with a focus on sustainable business models.</li> </ul>
Module Content	The expansion modules allow the students to apply their acquired knowledge to concrete projects and to further develop their personal competences.  The students define the personal objectives, the content, the approach as well as the type(s) of the assessment of competences together with a coach in their individual <i>Terms of Reference</i> .  For detailed information see the <i>Guidelines for the Expansion Modules</i> .
Teaching / Learning Methods	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presentations</li> <li>• Case studies</li> <li>• Project-based learning</li> </ul>
Assessment of Learning Outcome	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Oral presentation and discussion (30%)</li> <li>• Individual assessment of performance according to the Terms of Reference (70%)</li> </ul>

<b>Conditions of assessment repetition</b>	In case of failure, the conditions for repeating or correcting the proof of competence must be determined with the module coordinator and the coach.  <b>NB: in MSc CIS, failed modules can only be repeated once!</b>
<b>Format</b>	Seminars at the beginning and end of the module as well as a mid-term peer-learning session.  Guided self-study to set personal learning targets and individually agreed course contents. This includes, but it is not limited to, project work, self-studies, or relevant internships. Contents must be approved by the coach and agreed upon in the Terms of Reference.
<b>Attendance &amp; Compulsory session</b>	Not compulsory
<b>Timing of the module</b>	Autumn Semester
<b>Venue</b>	Seminar days on-site
<b>Location</b>	Bern
<b>Bibliography</b>	NA
<b>Language</b>	English
<b>Links to other modules</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MCCf186 Expansion of personal competences: products and processes</li> <li>• MCCf213 Circular business models</li> <li>• MCCf233 Social entrepreneurship</li> <li>• MCCf343 Corporate Social Responsibility</li> <li>• MCCf356 Expansion of personal competences: inter- and transdisciplinary projects</li> </ul>
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