

**Modulbezeichnung:** Seminar: Modern Optics - Recent advances in nonlinear photonics and communications (PS-MO-Comm) **5 ECTS**  
(Seminar: Modern Optics - Recent advances in nonlinear photonics and communications)

Modulverantwortliche/r: Birgit Stiller  
Lehrende: Birgit Stiller

Startsemester: WS 2020/2021 Dauer: 1 Semester Turnus: unregelmäßig  
Präsenzzeit: 30 Std. Eigenstudium: 120 Std. Sprache: Englisch

**Lehrveranstaltungen:**

Physics Seminar: "Modern Optics - Recent advances in nonlinear photonics and communications" (WS 2020/2021, Hauptseminar, 2 SWS, Birgit Stiller et al.)

**Inhalt:**

In this seminar we will cover the following topics:

- Supercontinuum generation: sculpturing of broadband light
- Light storage, slow light and electro-magnetic induced transparency - manipulating the speed of information transmission
- Attoscience: light-matter interaction with attosecond temporal resolution
- Experimental cavity optomechanics - interaction of light and vibration
- New waveguides for nonlinear optics, from PCFs to nano waveguide arrays
- Secure communications - hacking the (theoretically) 100%-secure communication channels
- Frequency combs: development & applications
- Silicon photonics - optical chips replacing electronic wires
- Optical waveform generation
- Optical fiber sensing - fast, green, efficient, high-precision sensing of the environment
- Frog and spider, crab and rabbit: techniques to characterize duration and phase of the shortest light pulses
- Nonlinear optical signal processing - harnessing nonlinear effects for advanced communications

**Lernziele und Kompetenzen:**

Students

- comprehend an interesting physical topic in a short time frame
- identify and interpret the appropriate literature
- select and organize the relevant information for the presentation
- compose a presentation on the topic at the appropriate level for the audience
- use the appropriate presentation techniques and tools
- criticize and defend the topic in a scientific discussion

**Literatur:**

Will be provided individually for each talk.

**Verwendbarkeit des Moduls / Einpassung in den Musterstudienplan:**

Das Modul ist im Kontext der folgenden Studienfächer/Vertiefungsrichtungen verwendbar:

[1] **Physics (Master of Science)**

(Po-Vers. 2018w | NatFak | Physics (Master of Science) | Gesamtkonto | Physics seminar(s) | Modern Optics - Recent advances in nonlinear photonics and communications)

**Studien-/Prüfungsleistungen:**

Modern Optics - Recent advances in nonlinear photonics and communications (Prüfungsnummer: 71921)

Prüfungsleistung, mündliche Prüfung, Dauer (in Minuten): 45  
Anteil an der Berechnung der Modulnote: 100%

Erstablingung: WS 2020/2021, 1. Wdh.: WS 2020/2021 (nur für Wiederholer)  
1. Prüfer: Birgit Stiller

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**Organisatorisches:**

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