

## **Contextual Studies**

More opportunities in your Master's degree programme

# It is your Master's Degree Programme

Shape your study contents according to your personal goals and interests.

The Contextual Studies at Vorarlberg University of Applied Sciences (FHV) is a flexible part of your Master's degree and a special feature among Austria's universities of applied sciences. It allows you to pursue personal areas of interest, to work independently and tread new ground: in research, in other cultures or disciplines.

# Thinking ahead with Contextual Studies

This is our offer for your personal choice:

With Research Projects, you can get started with challenging research work. Follow your curiosity and acquire valuable knowhow for a Master's thesis or a later dissertation.

What have you always wanted to know? Get to the bottom of interdisciplinary questions together with fellow students and lecturers. In Innovation Classes you can develop your own product ideas in a small team. Our laboratories are open to you.

Cross disciplinary boundaries and discover new perspectives. Explore new territory with students from other disciplines and expand your knowledge. Because the world has more facets than the pages of your scripts.

# The Master's Degree Programmes at FHV

The Master's degree programmes at FHV build on the following three essential elements:

- 1. Core studies: The compulsory fundamental subjects in core studies establish the specialist academic skills and support your professional competences.
- 2. Specialisation studies: In the chosen field of specialisation, you will enhance and specialise depending on the degree programme your professional access, tailored to your interests and career goals.
- 3. Contextual Studies: In a selection of more than 40 modules, you cross the boundaries between:
- disciplines and schools of thought (interdisciplinarity)
- cultures, languages and countries (internationality)
- current knowledge and the future (research and development)

### Active and Up to Date

In Contextual Studies you can be active and incorporate your own questions into your learning. You adopt new points of view and unusual perspectives, discover new connections. You work on current cross-cutting issues, e.g.: work and production, sustainability, social coexistence, cultural change, values, security and more.

### **Facts**

In the 1st semester you orientate yourself and choose your individual path through the Contextual Studies.

Modules are offered in the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3rd semesters.

Our range of modules also includes English-language modules and international Study Trips.

More informations: fhv.at/contextualstudies



### Questions?

Write to us or call us.

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