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Korean I	
Course number	8557
Lecturer	Prof. Dr. Link / Ms. Lee
ECTS	2
Number of semester hours	2
Туре	Elective
Duration	1 Term
Prerequisites	None
Type of exam	Written exam in Korean language (90 min.)
Objectives	 Basic Communication Skills: Able to ask and answer simple questions and engage in basic conversations in everyday situations. Application of Vocabulary and Grammar: Use learned vocabulary and grammar to construct sentences and write simple texts. Reading and Writing Skills: Understand the principles of Hangul and be able to read and write it accurately. Pronunciation and Listening Comprehension: Master correct pronunciation and be able to hear and understand various expressions. Cultural Understanding: Develop an understanding of traditional and modern Korean culture and easily engage with Korean culture through dramas and K-pop. Application of Hangul: Understand the structure of Hangul and use this knowledge to improve reading, writing, and speaking skills.
Content	 This course is designed for learners with no prior knowledge of Korean who wish to acquire the basics of the Korean language. By understanding the structure and principles of Hangul, students will be able to read, speak, write, and listen to Korean. The course provides a systematic approach to learning Hangul, especially for beginners. Each lesson includes vocabulary quizzes to introduce new words beyond the textbook. Simple dialogue exercises between students help reinforce and apply the learned content. Students will also gain insights into Korean culture related to the lesson topics.
International applicability	Learning the Korean language enables students to use it for academic studies, business activities, and cultural exchanges in Korea and other Korean-speaking regions. Additionally, it enhances communication skills in international settings.
Bibliography	Textbook: Korean Made Easy for Beginners - 2nd Edition ISBN: 978-89-277-3273-0
Forms of instruction	lecture + practice
Workload	 30 h contact time 45 h self-study 75 h workload
Language of instruction	English
Availability	Summer / Winter semester