Module	Literature Review and Research Proposal
Code	MLS-X01
Degree Program	Master of Science in Life Sciences (MSLS)
Cluster	Industrial Life Sciences
Specialization	Chemical Development and Production
	Applied Biosciences
	Viticulture and Enology
ECTS Credits	4
Workload	120 h of individual work
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Lecturers	Individual advisors
Entry Requirements	Admission to the Master's degree program in Life Science at the HES-SO.
Learning Outcomes	The students will be able to:
and Competences	 know and use modern instruments of literature research
	 understand and select information relevant for the subject of his/her Master Thesis
	present this information in a synthetic way
	 identify his or her potential contribution during the Master Thesis and define a precise objective
	 plan the preliminary work and identify the missing personal competences regarding the Master Thesis objective.
Module Content	In accordance with the MLS HES-SO Master's Thesis Guide, the subject is described in detail in the individual Master Thesis Project Description.
Teaching / Learning Methods	Independent self-study with guidance by the student's principal advisor and additional key resource persons / experts.
Assessment of Learning Outcome	Report (max. 10 pages, E/D/F) and discussion/colloquy with advisor and project relevant persons. Grading of work: Scientific Approach (25%), Report (50%), and Discussion/Colloquy (25%).
	A declaration of authenticity, using the provided template must be signed by the student and be submitted with the report
	Remediation: A revised report (max. 10 pages) having implemented the corrections and amendments suggested by the jury. The time allowed for the revision of the report is 4 weeks maximum.
Bibliography	Documentation: "Master Thesis – Guide for Students and Advisors"
Language	English

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Comments	This module is a part of the "Master Thesis Project" group. It precedes the module MLS-X02.
	Confidentiality agreements between project partners have to be in place at the beginning of the project by using the official HES-SO template.
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