

# Health and Development

## Seminar (Master)

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The purpose of the seminar is to introduce students to the development and health nexus using relevant current literature in top journals of the field, in order to understand how econometric methods can be applied to these issues and to stimulate research ideas. The course will cover the relationship of health with different aspects of development, such as democratization, economic growth, education or pollution using empirical papers.

### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

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The seminar is restricted to 14 participants.

All the papers discussed in the seminar are empirical. A very good command of intermediate econometrics is therefore required for participation.

If you are interested in participating, please send an e-mail to Judith Müller (judith.mueller[at]vwl.uni-freiburg.de) by March 31, attaching your transcript of records. Topics will be allocated during the first meeting; later admissions are possible until slots are filled.

### TIME & LOCATION:

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<b>First Meeting:</b>	Tuesday, April 30, 14.00-16.00 (st), Peterhof room 4
<b>Progress Report Meeting:</b>	Thursday, May 23, 14.00-18.00 (st), Werthmannstraße 4, HS 01016
<b>Seminar:</b>	Saturday, July 13, 8.00-18.00 (st) Sunday, July 14, 8.00-18.00 (st)

The seminar will take place outside of the city, probably in the black forest – there will be costs of around 35 € for transport, food and accommodation.

### EXAMINATION MODALITIES:

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<b>Credit points:</b>	4 / 6
<b>Examination:</b>	Presentation & Seminar Paper
<b>Area of study:</b>	<u>Economics Master:</u> Economics & Politics* <u>VWL-Master:</u> Empirical Economics International and Development Economics

\* students with a specialization in Finance or Information Systems and Network Economics can book this course as elective course from another area of specialization