Veranstalter	Annette Deutschendorf
Thema	Risk management in selected professional contexts
Art der Veranstaltung	Wirtschaftsenglisch D [ENG-16]
Veranstaltungsnummer	53-645
Zeit	2st. Fr 10-12
Raum	Phil 701
Beginn	16. Oktober 2015

## **Course description:**

Risks are present everywhere and at any time. Risk management is concerned with describing hazards as well as assessing and minimizing risk.

We are going to start the seminar by looking at the difference between hazards and risks and the ways organisations approach risk management. After these introductory sessions, participants will give presentations that explain what risks they typically have to deal with in their professions, and how certain risks are managed. Topics will be discussed at the beginning of term and you are welcome to suggest a relevant topic you would like to research and present.

In the sessions not taken up by presentations, we will explore some language topics in more depth or do activities designed to help you work on your vocabulary and language correctness.

To enable you to expand your subject-specific vocabulary, you are required to choose and read a book from the 'Very short introductions' series (Oxford University Press) and provide evidence that you've read it actively and critically. In addition, some writing tasks will be set as homework.

The seminar is aimed at MEd students of "Lehramt Oberstufe Berufliche Schulen" with English as a subject.

## **Course requirements:**

- presentation + handout (graded), handout to be handed in before the presentation
- regular attendance and active participation (discussions, homework)
- reading a book from the 'Very short introductions' series + providing evidence that you worked on aspects of language and content
- end-of-term exam or essay (6-8 pages)

Sprechstunde während der Vorlesungszeit:	Freitags 12:15-13:00 Uhr, Phil 1158
Sprechstunden während der vorlesungsfreien Zeit:	Nach Vereinbarung per e-mail