

SPATIAL SCIENCES

[MINOR]

Spatial approaches are crucial for the implementation of sustainability strategies. They are as central to the designation of protected areas as they are to the consideration of the location of industry or infrastructure. Landscape characteristics and nutrient flows must be considered here, as well as socio-ecological conditions and human-environment relationships.

In the minor, you will get a broad overview of spatial sciences, deal with the basics of spatial systems and get approaches for the analysis of environmental systems at hand. You learn to evaluate spatial systems and develop adaptation strategies, work with geographic information systems and get to know other methods of spatial sciences. You will apply the knowledge you have acquired in theory in practical projects. You can either combine the three thematic concentrations “Climate & Mobility”, “Nature Conservation & Landscape Planning” and “Social-ecological Systems” or specialise in one of the concentrations. The minor can be studied in German and in English.

AT A GLANCE

Degree awarded	only in combination with a major
Study places	65
Language	German and English
Restricted admission	yes
Programme Directors	Prof. Dr. Vicky Temperton

