





# **MARUM / GLOMAR Introductory Course:**

## **GLOMAR Introductory Course to Social Sciences in the Marine Realm**

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#### **Objectives**

This course is part of the joint research training for GLOMAR PhD students from natural and social sciences. It will focus on subject-matters that are prominently addressed by GLOMAR PhD-students research, i.e. the core aspects of societal dimensions of global change in the marine realm.

The course will introduce the

- political science and sociological perspectives on interactions of societies and the seas,
- economics of environmental use and protection,
- laws on use and conservation conflicts in the marine environment, and
- history of human demands for and impacts on marine resources.

The programme aims at providing an overview of the most relevant concepts and approaches of the participating social science disciplines.

#### **Topics**

MONDAY: Michael Flitner - The Society and the Marine Realm (1): Globalization and

World Systems Theory

Ingo Heidbrink - The History of Human Activities in the Marine Realm

TUESDAY: Michael Flitner - The Society and the Marine Realm (2): The Network Society

and Beyond

Till Markus - Legal Aspects of Global Change in the Marine Realm

THURSDAY: Achim Schlüter – Economic Dimensions of Global Change in the Marine

Realm

FRIDAY: Christoph Humrich – Political Dimensions of Global Change in the Marine

Realm





#### **COURSE PROGRAMME**

#### Course schedule

Morning (09:00-12:30) and afternoon (13:30-17:00) sessions.

## Location

MARUM, University of Bremen, Leobener Strasse, 28359 Bremen, Germany Room 0190 (Mon + Tues) / 2070 (Thurs / Fri)

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