Program of Studies:	Master Program Bioinformatics
Name of the module:	Master`s Thesis
Abbreviation:	-
Subtitle:	Topics are offered each semester
Modules:	The relevant Professor
Dozent(in):	Lecturers who are allowed to supervise a master`s thesis
Sprache:	English
Level of the unit/ Mandatory or not:	4th Semester master`s program Compulsory
Course type/weekly hours:	
Total workload:	900 h private study
Credits:	30
Entrance requirements:	Master Seminar
Aims/Competences to be developed:	In the master's thesis the student demonstrates his/her ability to perform independent scientific work focusing on an adequately challenging topic prepared in the master seminar.
Content:	On the basis of the "state-of-the-art", bioinformatic methods are applied to strive for novel bioinformatic findings, and this application is documented systematically.
Assessment/Exams:	Written elaboration in form of a scientific paper. It describes the scientific findings as well as the way leading to these findings.  It contains justifications for decisions regarding chosen methods for the thesis and discarded alternatives. The student's own substantial contribution to the achieved results has to be evident. In addition, the student presents his/her work in a colloquium, in which the scientific quality and the scientific independence of his/her achievements are evaluated.
Literature:	According to the topic