

MODULES	ECTS	ACTS
<b>A) Foundational Studies</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>21</b>
Module A1: Applied Statistics	5	3,5
Module A2: Financial Management & Accounting	5	3,5
Module A3: Economics	5	3,5
Module A4: Philosophy in Social Protection	5	3,5
Module A5: Research Methods	5	3,5
Module A6: E-learning (elective)	5	3,5
Module A6.1: Pension Systems Financing		
Module A6.2: Health Systems Financing		
<b>B) Advanced Studies</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>21</b>
Module B1: Social Protection Economics and Modelling	6	4,2
Module B2: Governance of Social Protection	6	4,2
Module B3: Monitoring & Evaluation of Social Protection Systems	6	4,2
Module B4: Start of the research phase during the internships with thesis topic definition	6	4,2
Module B5: Research phase with submission of the topic and thesis design	6	4,2
<b>C) Specialization</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>21</b>
Module C1–C3: Specialization Modules (elective)	20	14
Note: For each module, 4 of the offered sub-modules must be completed.		
<b>Module C1: Social Assistance (SA) Systems</b>		
C1.1: Economic Growth and Social Inclusion	5	
C1.2: Social Assistance Targeting and Mechanisms	5	
C1.3: Social Assistance Interventions and Characteristics	5 (4x5)= 20	14
C1.4: Benefit Level of Social Assistance Program	5	
C1.5: Financing and Management of Social Assistance Systems	5	
<b>Module C2: Pensions and other Social Insurance Systems</b>		
C2.1: Socio-economic & demographic contexts of the pension/insurance systems	5	
C2.2: Pension Economics	5	14
C2.3: Structural and Financial Perspectives of Pension Schemes	5 (4x5) = 20	
C2.4: Actuarial Projections of a Pension System	5	
C2.5: Other Insurance Schemes	5	
<b>Module C3: Health Protection Systems</b>		
C3.1: Universal Health Coverage	5	
C3.2: Managing Social Health Insurance	5	
C3.3: Supply side health care	5 (4x5) = 20	14
C3.4: Strategic Purchasing	5	
C3.5: Economic Evaluation in Health Care	5	
<b>Module G: Research phase completion and thesis writing</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>63</b>