



How to include Gender Medicine in Clinical Research

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Gender Medicine in Medical Curricula How to do it?



Beside all guidelines and regulations to include Gender Medicine in medical research we feel it is essential to start with the students.

MUI:

Human/Dental/Molecular Medicine

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Our aim has been to implement Gender Medicine as a regular core subject, like all other medical disciplines.

How to do it?

- 1) We included Gender Medicine in the compulsory curricula.
- 2) We included Gender Medicine in the compulsory examinations.







Gender Medicine is a compulsory course in all curricula of MUI

Lecture	Туре	Since	Description
2.38 Gender Medicine I (023800)	Compulsory lecture 3rd term	WS 2007/2008	Introduction to Gender Medicine, Basics
3.25 Gender Medicine II (032500)	Compulsory lecture 10th term	SS 2008	Diagnostics, Drugs/Medication, Therapy and Gender, Gender- sensitive Anamnesis
Anamnesis and Gender (170076, 1705769)	Pilot Project Clinical Skills Lab	WS 2010/2011 SS 2011	Development of an Anamnesis Questionnaire in the course of the lecture with regard to gender specific, bio-ethical and socio-cultural aspects Besides, a handbook containing background information had been developed. Both had been included in gender-specific teaching (Gender Medicine II 3.25) from SS 2012.
Clinical PhD BLV03 Gender Medicine (130101-130103)	Compulsory lecture, basic course 1st-3rd term	WS 2011/2012	Introduction to research on Gender Medicine, Design and Analysis of Clinical Studies, Gender-specific aspects in science and clinical practice







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Lecture	Туре	Since	Description
Gender Medicine I Molecular Medicine Bachelor	Compulsory Lecture, 3rd term	WS 2012/2013	Introduction to Gender Medicine, basics
Gender Medicine II Molecular Medicine Master	Compulsory Lecture	WS 2013/2014	Gender Medicine in basic research, current perspectives in research, new questions for research
KPJ Lehre		SS 2013	



We included Gender Medicine in our PhD-programmes as a compulsory course.



Students have to include Gender Medicine in their PhD thesis and prove this by having a poster be accepted for a national or international scientific meeting.

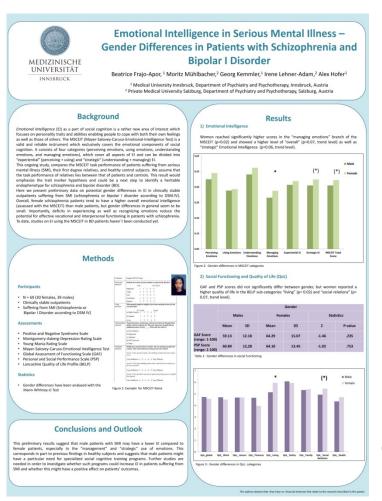
To date about 35 posters have been accepted. Eight of them were awarded a poster prize or other award for a "Gender Medicine poster".







Clinical PhD-programme: "Gender Medicine poster"



Diploma Theses:

total ca. 150

Clinical PhD-Poster:

total ca. 35



We started with the Clinical PhDprogramme. Now it is a compulsory course in all PhD-programmes.

PhD-programme LV-Nr. 108.507



TITLE

Implementation of gender-specific aspects in scientific work, part B: scientific work

CONTENTS

Introduction to Gender Medicine in basic and clinical research. Implementation of a gender-sensitive point of view as crosscutting issue in the PhD-thesis. The tutorial consists of two parts, A and B, which must be completed in this order.







Gender Medicine as an elective: Ring-Lecture-Series

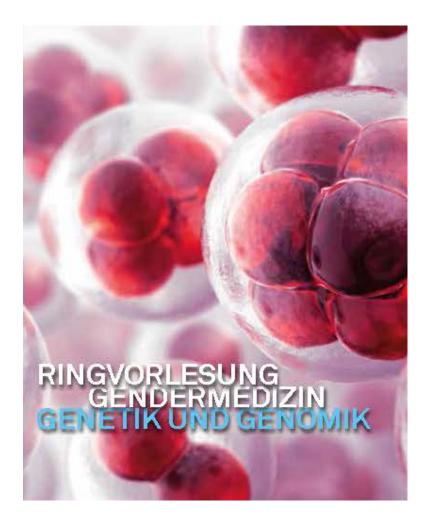








Gender Medicine as an elective: Ring-Lecture-Series



- Gender Medicine is a cross-cutting discipline.
- Course is advertised by displaying course posters throughout the university (PR).
- The heads of all departments give a lecture on their topic (PR).
- appr. 300 participants
- "generic competencies" accepted for a lot of postgraduate courses

Gender Medicine beyond the curricula of the Medical University





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Our aim has been to implement Gender Medicine in the curricula of all health professions:

Today Gender Medicine is integrated in the curricula of the School of Nursing and of the University of Applied Sciences for the health sector.

Gender Medicine in the lifelong learning programmes



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Gender Medicine is integrated in the post-graduate programmes of the Austrian Medical Association (ÖÄK):

- •The Gender Medicine Ring Lecture Series is included in the programme.
 - •Gender Medicine lectures have been included in the ÖÄK's annual advanced training week for 10 years.
 - •An official diploma for Gender Medicine was implemented in 2015.



Thank you for your interest in Gender Medicine



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