

Introduction to Medical Science in Space LECTURE

Summer semester 2026, Monday 11:15-12:45, Room: G28-027 (G23-K11 from 15.06.2026)

Date	Topic	Lecturer
13.04.2026	Introduction: medical science in space, research areas, questions and technical approaches	Grimm, Wehland
20.04.2026	Physical basics: motions, dynamics of mass points, Newton, gravity, equivalence principle, etc.	Stannarius, Harth
27.04.2026	Platforms for microgravity research I: rotational bioreactors, drop tower, parabolic flight, sounding rockets (suborbital), ballons	Stannarius, Harth
04.05.2026	History of space science (Mercury, Apollo, Vostok, MIR, Skylab etc.	Schulz
11.05.2026	Platforms for microgravity research II: satellites, space stations, typical project planning, campaigns, available flight hardware	Puzyrev
18.05.2026	Cell biology basics: cells, cell organelles, tissues	Krüger
01.06.2026	Gravitational biology: perception of gravity, cell physiology under gravitational stress, gravity experiments with living organisms	Krüger
08.06.2026	Genetics and epigenetics in microgravity	Schulz
15.06.2026	Human physiology under microgravity conditions I: musculoskeletal system, cardiovascular system, immune system, typical diseases of astronauts	Schulz
22.06.2026	Human physiology under microgravity conditions II: "space pharmacology", bed rest studies, exercise in space, human centrifuges	Wehland
29.06.2026	Tissue engineering under microgravity conditions, bioprinting in space	Wehland
06.07.2026	Technological challenges and strategies in human space exploration: life support systems, space greenhouses, human habitats	Krüger
10.07.2026	EXAM	

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Summer semester 2026, Friday 11:15-12:45, Room: G28-027 (G23-K11 from 19.06.2026)

Date	Topic	Lecturer
10.04.2026	---	
17.04.2026	Literature seminar organization	Schulz, Torres
	Lab visit, microgravity simulators	MTRM team
24.04.2026	Physical basics: motions, dynamics of mass points, Newton, gravity, equivalence principle, etc.	Physics in Space Group
08.05.2026	Literature seminar I	Schulz, Torres, Strecker
15.05.2026	Platforms for microgravity research: satellites, space stations, typical project planning, campaigns, available flight hardware	Puzyrev
22.05.2026	Biological systems: tissues, organs, body systems	Krüger
29.05.2026	Working with human cells (in microgravity): cell culture, cell culture environment, microgravity bioreactors, forces and side effects	Krüger
05.06.2026	Literature seminar II	Schulz, Torres
12.06.2026	Artificial intelligence in space research	Puzyrev
19.06.2026	Molecular biology, genetic engineering	Schulz
26.06.2026	Molecular biology, genetic engineering	Wehland
03.07.2026	Life support systems: technology development for biomedical space research: hardware requirements and tests, technical implementations, student space projects @ OVGU	Krüger, Strecker
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