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Value-added taxation 837 (EKN 837)

Qualification	Postgraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences
Module credits	15.00
Programmes	MPhil Taxation (Coursework)
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Economics
Period of presentation	Semester 1 or Semester 2

Module content

Globally value-added taxation (VAT) has become the most important tax instrument to tax consumption. An examination of fundamental issues in designing and implementing a VAT system is therefore essential. This module will deal with the economic, legal, administrative and inter-jurisdictional aspects of VAT. The application of VAT to the provision of various types of goods (e.g. real estate) and services (e.g. financial services and insurance) will be covered.

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