

**Modules:**

physics700 **Elective Advanced Lectures**  
 physics730 **Theoretical Physics**

**Course:****Quantum Field Theory I (T)**

Course No.:

Category	Type	Language	Teaching hours	CP	Semester
Elective	Lecture with exercises	English	4+2	8	ST

**Requirements:****Preparation:**

Training in theoretical physics at the B.Sc. level

**Form of Testing and Examination:**

Written or oral examination

**Length of Course:**

1 semester

**Aims of the Course:**

Methods of quantum field theory are in use in almost all areas of modern physics. Strongly oriented towards applications, this course offers an introduction based on examples and phenomena taken from the area of solid state physics.

**Contents of the Course:**

Second quantization and applications  
 Functional integrals  
 Perturbation theory  
 Mean-field methods

**Recommended Literature:**

A. Altland and B.D. Simons, Condensed Matter Field Theory (Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, second edition: 2010)