

## MAN 721 Research Seminar Organization and Innovation

<b>Examiner</b>	Prof. Dr. Karin Hoisl
<b>Instructors</b>	Dr. Himani Singh, Nicola Schmitt
<b>ECTS</b>	6
<b>Hours/week</b>	4 + self-study
<b>Aim of the module</b>	The seminar deals with current topics in the field of strategic organization and innovation research. Participation in the seminar will enable students to independently explore a research topic in a written paper. Students will get acquainted with basic literature research techniques and will learn how to organize and structure their research. Furthermore, students will be introduced to presentation techniques and how to present research findings.
<b>Dates</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Kickoff:</b> 9 September 2026, 10:00 am – 3:00 pm</li> <li>• <b>Room:</b> Schloss, Ehrenhof Ost, EO 256</li> <li>• <b>Submission Deadline:</b> to be set</li> </ul>
<b>Prerequisite</b>	Innovation Management (MAN 690) OR Selected Topics in Organizational Behavior (MAN 691) OR Strategic IP Management (MAN 693) (parallel attendance possible)
<b>Registration</b>	<p>YES - The number of participants is restricted.</p> <p>Students must formally apply for this research seminar by handing in an application including a motivation letter (1 page), CV (1-2 pages), Bachelor certificate and a current transcript of records.</p> <p>Applications should be submitted by completing the following form:  <a href="https://gbpanel.fra1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_expltOi1NX32XxI">https://gbpanel.fra1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_expltOi1NX32XxI</a></p> <p>In case of questions, please contact <a href="mailto:secretary.orgabwl@uni-mannheim.de">secretary.orgabwl@uni-mannheim.de</a>.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Application deadline:</b> 24 August 2026 – 27 August.2026</li> <li>• <b>Announcement of participants:</b> 3 September 2026</li> <li>• <b>Acceptance of offer:</b> by 4 September 2026</li> </ul> <p><b>Please note that applications are binding and attendance for the Kickoff is compulsory!</b></p>
<b>Topic</b>	TBA
<b>Form of assessment</b>	Written seminar thesis (100%)
<b>Semester</b>	FSS and HWS
<b>Language</b>	English