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EXC Mediterranean ecology (3BL2266)

Filières concernées	Nombre d'heures	Validation	Crédits ECTS
Master en biologie	Excursion: 7 j	Voir ci-dessous	6

ph=période hebdomadaire, pg=période globale, j=jour, dj=demi-jour, h=heure, min=minute

Période d'enseignement:

- Semestre Printemps

Equipe enseignante:

Werner MUELLER

Objectifs:

Students will acquire in-field experience in observing and comparing different mediterranean ecosystems.

Contenu:

Mediterranean marshlands, estuaries, steppes, maquis shrubland, and mountain regions will be visited and their ecological compositions observed and compared. Although the general comprehension of the ecosystems is the goal of this excursion, field observations will emphasise on birds and other vertebrates, yet students' special interests can be taken into consideration as well.

Forme de l'évaluation:

The students will give presentations on certain ecosystems during the field trip, and students' performance in the field will be evaluated. They will also have to turn in a final report of the field trip. All three marks are a form of continuous assessment, i.e. outside the exam period. As the excursion takes place very early during spring term, deadline for completion of the final report is May 31.

Documentation:

Relevant PDFs or other material for preparation of the presentations will be provided.

Pré-requis:

Students have to be inscribed in the Master of Biology program at Neuchâtel.

Forme de l'enseignement:

Direct observations and discussions in the field.