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Evolutionary parasitology (3BL2225)

Filières concernées	Nombre d'heures	Validation	Crédits ECTS
Master en biologie	Cours: 30 pg	Voir ci-dessous	3

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

Période d'enseignement:

- Semestre Printemps

Equipe enseignante

Jacob Koella

Contenu

Various topics in evolutionary parasitology, including evolution of virulence, evolution of resistance and tolerance, evolution of drug resistance

Forme de l'évaluation

CA graded : The course will be evaluated based on presentations of parts of the book (50%), and an on essay to be handed in by the end of the semester (50%)

Retake attempt : must be registered at next session and coordinated with professor (not in Pidex).

Documentation

Book:

Schnid-Hempel, P. 2011. Evolutionary Parasitology. Oxford Academy Press

Pré-requis

None

Forme de l'enseignement

We will combine formal lectures with reading and group discussions of selected chapters of the book.

Objectifs d'apprentissage

Au terme de la formation l'étudiant-e doit être capable de :

- Describe evolutionary pressures on parasites and their hosts
- Relate ideas of evolutionary ecology to parasitology

Compétences transférables

- Communicate theoretical evolutionary ideas
- Synthesise research articles