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Seminar : biodiversity conservation (3CB2008)

Filières concernées	Nombre d'heures	Validation	Crédits ECTS
Master en conservation de la biodiversité	Cours: 28 pg	Voir ci-dessous	3

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

Période d'enseignement:

- Semestre Automne

Equipe enseignante

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Contenu

This is a weekly seminar in biodiversity conservation in science and practice.

Every week we will host one or two experts who will share their insights and experiences during 30-45-minute presentations.

The first 5 sessions of the seminar is dedicated to academic speakers from a broad range of domains within the institute of biology at the University of Neuchâtel (e.g. conservation biology, microbiology, functional ecology, animal behavior and cognition, conservation genomics). You will get familiar with the common research questions, methods and approaches used within each presented domain.

The next 7 sessions are dedicated to external speakers, either from applied research domains related to human dimensions of conservation (e.g. policy sciences), or from several actors such as policy makers, administration, NGOs or industry. You will get insights in biodiversity conservation challenges, and how these challenges are tackled in practice.

Students are expected to actively engage with the speakers by asking questions and participating in discussions.

You will develop the ability to critically listen and synthesize information from various experts, and think broadly about biodiversity conservation from different perspectives.

Forme de l'évaluation

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Modalités de rattrapage

If the final mark is insufficient and results in a failure, the student will have to revise the report, based on the feedbacks provided. The report should be handed in two weeks before the official start of the exam session for which a second attempt is made. In addition, the student will pass an oral exam of 30 minutes scheduled during the exam session. A failure to hand in the report or an unjustified absence from the oral exam constitutes a second and definite failure from the course.

Documentation

Available on Moodle.

Forme de l'enseignement

Seminar

Objectifs d'apprentissage

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

- Formulate questions to experts in science and practice

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- Discover topics in biodiversity conservation from a multidisciplinary perspective
- Discuss challenges and solutions related to conservation in science and practice

Compétences transférables

- Extract and synthesise information from various sources