



Syllabus

**UU0055.1 Topics in applied biological diversity (contract education),
15.0 credits**

Topics in applied biological diversity (uppdragsutbildning)

Version 1 in Slukurs. Corresponds to version 1 in Ladok

Syllabus approved

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The version applies to students admitted from autumn 2008 to autumn 2011

The version is not a module version

Subjects

Environmental science

Education cycle

Second cycle

Modules

Title	Code	Credits
Single module	0101	15.0

Advanced study in the main field

Grading scale

5:Pass with Distinction, 4:Pass with Credit, 3:Pass, U:Fail

The requirements for attaining different grades are described in the course assessment criteria which are contained in a supplement to the course syllabus. Current information on assessment criteria shall be made available at the start of the course.

Language

English

Prior knowledge

The equivalent of 180 University Credits (credits) whereof 90 credits in one of the subjects biology, agriculture, forestry, nature conservation or equivalent.

Objectives

After completed course module the student shall be able to:

- apply the scientific literature to his/her own choice of subject as well as research methods
- write on the scientific issues arising into the scientific literature
- demonstrate a high-level of ability to read and understand scientific writing

Content

In the course Topics in applied biological diversity the students will individually conduct further and deeper literature studies within a relevant subject connected with the master thesis subject.

Implementation**Individual studies, not scheduled**

Literature studies

approx. 350 Hours

Individual tasks

approx. 50 Hours

Total

approx. 400 Hours

Formats and requirements for examination

Approved individually written report and approved presentation of the thesis at a public defence at the end of year two.

- If the student fails a test, the examiner may give the student a supplementary assignment, provided this is possible and there is reason to do so.
- If the student has been granted special educational support because of a disability, the examiner has the right to offer the student an adapted test, or provide an alternative assessment.
- If changes are made to this course syllabus, or if the course is closed, SLU shall decide on transitional rules for examination of students admitted under this syllabus but who have not yet passed the course.
- For the examination of a degree project (independent project), the examiner may also allow the student to add supplemental information after the deadline. For more information on this, please refer to the regulations for education at Bachelor's and Master's level.

Additional information

- The right to take part in teaching and/or supervision only applies to the course date to which the student has been admitted and registered on.
- If there are special reasons, the student may take part in course components that require compulsory attendance at a later date. For more information on this, please refer to the regulations for education at Bachelor's and Master's level.

Responsible department

Swedish Biodiversity Centre

Supplementary Information

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