



SLUkurs

Syllabus

**PAG0001 Science meets humanities - how do we look upon animals?,
1.5 credits**

Syllabus approved

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Subjects

Veterinary Medicine/Animal Husbandry/Other Social Science/Biology/Economy/Histo-
ry/Philosophy

Education cycle

Third cycle

Grading scale

Pass / Failed

The requirements for attaining different grades are described in the course assess-
ment 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

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Objective, including learning outcomes

To stimulate the participants to define their own view on animal welfare
To bring together PhD students and researchers from different disciplines (science

and humanities) interested in animal welfare and animal ethics
To improve the understanding of research methods used in other disciplines
To improve the understanding of interdisciplinary research

Content

Lectures, discussions and workshops, writing of a short essay on the thesis subject, literature studies

Requirements for examination

An essay describing the own research project and a draft on an interdisciplinary research project application

Additional information

The course is organised within the research programme "Animal welfare for quality in food production", by Kerstin Olsson (Dept. of Animal Physiology, SLU) and Lotta Rydhmer (Dept. of Animal Breeding and Genetics, SLU), in collaboration with Niklas Cserhalmi (Div. of History of Agriculture, SLU) and Helena Röcklinsberg (Div. of Biomedical Ethics, UU).

Responsible department

Department of Anatomy, Physiology and Biochemistry