

# COURSE DETAIL

## EXPERIMENTAL DESIGN AND STATISTICAL METHODS IN BIOLOGY

**Country**

Denmark

**Host Institution**

University of Copenhagen

**Program(s)**

University of Copenhagen

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Mathematics

**UCEAP Course Number**

110

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

EXPERIMENTAL DESIGN AND STATISTICAL METHODS IN BIOLOGY

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

EXP DESGN&STAT MTHD

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

## **Course Description**

The course gives a broad overview of experimental designs and statistical methods in order for students to plan their own experiments and to analyze existing data. The course provides an overview of a range of statistical concepts and tools including: regression, ANOVA, interaction between factors, design considerations, model check and fit, data representation, systematic and random effects, logistic regression, contingency tables, and use of statistical software (SAS). The most commonly used experimental designs are covered, including their advantages with respect to the subsequent statistical analysis of data. Students select or, if necessary, develop a statistical model for the experimental design, state the relevant statistical hypotheses, conduct the statistical analysis (generally using statistical software), present the results in a clear and understandable way, and finally interpret the results in a biological context to reach a sound conclusion based on the empirical evidence. In addition, the student gains the ability to provide theoretical insight in statistics and to understand and comment critically on the use of statistics by others.

## **Language(s) of Instruction**

English

## **Host Institution Course Number**

NBIK14016U

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## **Host Institution Course Details**

## **Host Institution Campus**

Science

## **Host Institution Faculty**

## **Host Institution Degree**

## **Host Institution Department**

Biology/Mathematical Sciences

## Course Last Reviewed

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