

## COURSE DETAIL

### ANIMAL BEHAVIOR

**Country**

Sweden

**Host Institution**

Lund University

**Program(s)**

Lund University

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Biological Sciences

**UCEAP Course Number**

120

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

ANIMAL BEHAVIOR

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

ANIMAL BEHAVIOR

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

12.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

8.00

## Course Description

The focus of this course is providing students with an understanding of animals and their behavior. The course book is ANIMAL BEHAVIOR by Alcock, which has a pronounced evolutionary approach, but the course also includes classic ethology. Topics dealt with include how to perform behavioral studies, reproductive behaviors and mating systems, animal communication and social behaviors, cognition ethology of domestic animals, human behavior, animal ethics, and animal welfare. The course includes lectures, seminars, and projects. Shorter projects are pre-arranged by the teachers, whereas the long project requires students to develop and present their own topic. The studies may be on wild animals, domestic animals, or animals in zoos or labs. Two one-day excursions are included in the course (one to a bird lake, one to a zoo). Assessment for the course is based on projects and a written exam at the end of the course.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

BIOF08

## Host Institution Course Title

ANIMAL BEHAVIOR

## Host Institution Campus

Science

## Host Institution Faculty

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

Biology

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