

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

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Host Institution Course Details

<https://www.biology.lu.se/education/undergraduate-graduate-studies/courses/basi...>

Host Institution Campus

Science

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Biology

Course Last Reviewed

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