

COURSE DETAIL

AGROECOLOGY

Country

Costa Rica

Host Institution

Monteverde Institute

Program(s)

Tropical Biology and Conservation

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Environmental Studies

UCEAP Course Number

105

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

AGROECOLOGY

UCEAP Transcript Title

AGROECOLOGY

UCEAP Quarter Units

2.00

UCEAP Semester Units

1.30

Course Description

This agroecology course examines food production in the tropics and the integration of tropical agroforestry and conservation biology. The class explores a variety of topics through a combination of lectures and site visits: agroecology as a landscape mosaic, sustainable shade-grown coffee, organic agriculture, landscape of tropical dairy farms and beef cattle ranches, and agritourism and sustainable development. Evaluation is based on participation, written assignments, short videos and a final exam.

Language(s) of Instruction

Host Institution Course Number

Host Institution Course Title

AGROECOLOGY

Host Institution Campus

Monteverde

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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