COURSE DETAIL

EDIBLE INSECTS
Country Taiwan
Host Institution National Taiwan University
Program(s) National Taiwan University
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Biological Sciences
UCEAP Course Number 169
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title EDIBLE INSECTS
UCEAP Transcript Title EDIBLE INSECTS
UCEAP Quarter Units 3.00
UCEAP Semester Units 2.00

Course Description

This lecture series covers the science and sociology of insects as a food. Increasing media, investment, and public policy attention has been given to the role insects may play in the future of food. Can eating insects really save the world from famine and environmental destruction? Are there health costs or benefits to adding insects to the diet? Will all people accept insects as food? Should we be promoting edible insects at all, and if so, how best do we do it? What species will we eat and how shall we raise them? This class examines all aspects of the edible insects question, with students taught a broad but thorough overview of the field and asked to consider questions in class about what role they think insects will play in their own food futures, and why they think this way.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
ENT5069

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Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Entomology

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