COURSE DETAIL

ANIMAL DIVERSITY

Country
New Zealand

Host Institution
Victoria University of Wellington

Program(s)
Victoria University of Wellington

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Biological Sciences

UCEAP Course Number
118

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title
ANIMAL DIVERSITY

UCEAP Transcript Title
ANIMAL DIVERSITY

UCEAP Quarter Units
8.00

UCEAP Semester Units
5.30

Course Description
This course explores animal diversity, form, and function of animals. It provides an overview of the taxonomic diversity of all animals and a focused study of selected terrestrial and aquatic taxa, including sponges, cnidarians, annelids, molluscs, arthropods, and vertebrates. Students learn to recognize, identify, and classify animals into their higher taxonomic groups; name and explain the body plans, morphological characteristics, and physiological systems in context of the evolutionary relationships of animals; interpret the function of animal morphology from its form; and use the new knowledge to attribute ecology and behaviour to animals.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
BIOL228

Host Institution Course Title
ANIMAL DIVERSITY

Host Institution Course Details
https://www.victoria.ac.nz/courses/biol/228/2018/offering?crn=9215

Host Institution Campus
Wellington

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Biology

Course Last Reviewed
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