

Module description

Module title Abbreviation					
Biodiversity, Ecosystem Services and Conservation					07-MBEC-242-m01
Module coordinator				Module offered by	
holder of the Chair of Animal Ecology and Tropical Biology				Faculty of Biology	
ECTS Method of grading			Only after succ. compl. of module(s)		
5	1	rical grade			
Duration		Module level	Other prerequisites		
1 semester		graduate			
Contents					
This course will be held as a block-course in which students will use publicly available (spatial) data to develop and evaluate scenarios of landscape development or management. A selection of methods relevant for planning in conservation contexts such as monitoring tools, landscape mapping, natural capital valuation and others will be introduced. The students select a conservation-relevant topic, identify different perspectives or conflicts of interest in the context of sustainability, select and apply the appropriate tools. The students analyse the data, present the results and discuss them among their peers.					
Intended learning outcomes					
At the end of the module, students will be able to select appropriate monitoring methods, use spatial and non- spatial data in a planning context and statistically evaluate and critically discuss data related to conservation.					
Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)					
Ü (5) Module taught in: English					
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)					
a) written examination (30 to 60 minutes, including multiple choice questions) or b) log (15 to 30 pages) or c) oral examination of one candidate each (30 to 60 minutes) or d) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (30 to 60 minutes) or e) presentation (20 to 45 minutes) Language of assessment: English					
Allocation of places					
Additional information					
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Workload					
150 h					
Teaching cycle					
Teaching cycle: Once a year, winter semester					
Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)					
					
Module appears in					

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