

Course schedule: Plant biology for breeding and protection VT2022 (BI1296)

	Scheduled time	Lectures	Teachers	Lecture room (Ultuna/Alnarp)	Literature
Week 3	Mon 17-jan 9-10	Introduction to the course	EALex	Zoom	Mandatory
	Mon 17-jan 10-12	Introduction plant protection biology and history of plant protection	EALex	Zoom	Tronsmo Ch 1+2; Denis Murphy Ch 7, section 7.5 + Ch 9, sections 9.1-9.3
	Tue 17-jan 13-15	Scenario Based learning (SBL) introduction and assignments	AC, Ealex, AM	Zoom	Mandatory
	Tue 18-jan 13-14	Introduction to plant breeding	RO	Zoom	Ortiz_1; Ortiz_2; Ortiz_3
	Tue 18-jan 14-15	Crop domestication	CH	Zoom	Fernie and Yan 2019; Purugganan 2019
	Tue 18-jan 15-16	Domestication of tropical trees	AM	SalH/Plantan	
	Wed 19-jan 10-12	Breeding methods for cereals	AC	Zoom	Tee et al. 1975; El-Hosarya et al. (2014). George Acquah Ch 16
Thu 20-jan 10-12	Phenotyping of climate resilience	ER	Zoom		
Fri 21-jan 13-15	Phenotyping and phenomics	AC	Zoom	George Acquah Ch 12	
Week 4	Mon 24-jan 10-12	Breeding for grain and product quality	RK	Zoom/Plantan	Trocchi et al 2000; Nuttall et al 2017; Guzman et al 2016
	Tue 25-jan 10-12	Plant genetic resources	JS	Zoom/Stora sessionsalen	
	Wed 26-jan 9-11	Horticulture breeding	LG	Zoom	Nocker and Gardiner 2014
	Thu 27-jan 10-12	Challenges in potato breeding	MA	Zoom	
	Fri 28-jan 9-10	Breeding for oil crops	CH	Zoom	Rahman and Jiménez 2016
	Fri 28-jan 10-12	Bioinformatics introduction	GVS	Zoom	
Week 5	Mon 31-jan 9-12	Phenotyping data analysis lab	AC	Zoom	Mandatory
	Tue 01-feb 9-10	Biotechnology - tissue culture and genome editing methods	LZ	Zoom	Songstad et al 2017; Zhu et al 2020; Li et al 2021
	Wed 02-feb 10-12	Introduction to quantitative genetics	MG	Zoom	Bazakos 2017; Nordborg and Weigel 2008; Hill 2010
	Thu 03-feb 13-15	Crop traits of importance for IPM	JAS	Zoom	Stenberg 2017
	Thu 03-feb 15-16	Resistance breeding	MR	Zoom/Plantan	Buerstmayr et al 2019
	Fri 04-feb 10-12	Bioinformatics tools for plant breeding	AC	Zoom	
Fri 04-feb 13-15	SBL discussion and introduction to bioinformatics exercise	AC, ÅL/KKG, AM, EALex/GVS	Zoom	Mandatory	
Week 6	Mon 07-feb 10-12	Methods for Marker Assisted Selection (MAS)	PV	Zoom	
	Tue 08-feb 10-12	Phenotyping the hidden half of the plant to identify traits for edaphic stress tolerance	TC	Zoom	Bishop and Lynch, 2015, Nature Plants
	Wed 09-feb 10-12	Bioinformatics lab	EALex, GVS	Zoom	Mandatory
	Thu 10-feb 10-12	Bioinformatics lab	EALex, GVS	Zoom	Mandatory
	Fri 11-feb 10-12	Forestry breeding	TK	Zoom/Plantan	the-status-of-tree-breeding-low.pdf (skogforsk.se)
Week 7	Mon 14-feb 9-16	Bioinformatics lab, reporting	EALex, GVS	Zoom	Mandatory
	Tue 15-feb 13-15	Bioinformatics gene expression + introduction to seminars	EALex	Zoom/Plantan	Mandatory
	Wed 16-feb 10-12	Overview plant pests and pathogens	EALex	Zoom/Plantan	Ramsak et al 2018
	Wed 16-feb 13-15	Challenges in South Africa: Biofortification of crops and Stem rust in wheat	WB/AB	Zoom	Tronsmo Ch 3-8; Dean et al 2012; Newton et al 2010
	Thu 17-feb 11-12	Seminar: Challenges in South Africa	EALex	Zoom	
	Thu 17-feb 13-14	Viruses	AK	SalH/Plantan	Tronsmo Ch 7; Mansfield et al 2012; Csorba et al 2015
	Thu 17-feb 14-15	Bacteria	RV	Zoom	Tronsmo Ch 6; van der Does and Rep 2017; Fawke et al 2015; Whisson et al 2016
	Fri 18-feb 9-10	Fungi and oomycetes	RV	Zoom	Tronsmo Ch4+5
	Fri 18-feb 10-12	Pest insects - plant-insect interactions, resistance problems and invasive species	KKG	Zoom/Plantan	Tabashnik et al 2008; Izzo et al 2014; Goergen et al 2016
Fri 18-feb 13-16	Microscopy lab	RV/MD	Bö11/Mikroskopisal	Mandatory	
Week 8	Mon 21-feb 13-14	Weeds and weed management	TBC	?	
	Tue 22-feb 9-10	Monitoring pests and pathogens	EALex	Zoom/Stora session	Maes et al 2018; Tedersoo et al 2018
	Tue 22-feb 10-12	Seminar: Pests and pathogens	EALex	Zoom/Stora session	Mandatory
	Tue 22-feb 13-15	Plant innate immunity and defence 1	EALex	Zoom/Plantan	Dean et al 2012; Mansfield et al 2012; Izzo et al 2014
	Wed 23-feb 9-10	Plant innate immunity and defence 2	EAnd	Zoom/Plantan	Tronsmo Ch 10-12; Taiz and Zeiger Ed 6 Ch 23; Su et al 2018; Saijo et al 2018
	Wed 23-feb 10-12	Regulatory perspectives on access to plant genetic resources and biosafety of gene technologies	AS	Zoom	Lenman et al 2015
	Thu 24-feb	Study day			
Fri 25-feb	Study day				
Week 9	Mon 28-feb 10-12	Epidemiology and plant-pathogen interaction in cultivated and wild study systems	ÅL	Zoom/Plantan	Berg and Koskella 2018; Karasov et al 2018; Jousimo et al. 2014
	Mon 28-feb 13-15	Pesticides and biologicals	SR	Zoom/Plantan	Tronsmo Ch 16; Shafi et al 2017; Pandin et al 2017
	Tue 01-mar 10-12	Induced resistance	EALex	Zoom	Bengtsson et al 2014; Balmer et al 2013; Sandroni et al 2020
	Tue 01-mar 13-15	Plant biotech for plant protection and future protection strategies	EALex	Zoom/Plantan	Tronsmo Ch 19; Murphy Ch 9, sections 9.4-9.6
	Wed 02-mar 10-12	Seminar: host resistance	EALex	Zoom/Plantan	Mandatory
	Thu 03-mar 9-11	Plant protection and climate change	EALex	Zoom/Stora sessionsalen	Rayapurama et al 2020; Ngou et al 2021; Arora et al 2019
	Fri 04-mar 9-12	Using mathematical modelling to manage plant resistance and pathogen evolution	LR	Zoom	Mikkelsen et al 2015; Lehsten et al 2017
Fri 04-mar 13-14	SBL discussions	Ealex, ÅL/KKG, AM	Zoom/Plantan	Djidjou-Demasse et al 2017; Rimbaud et al 2018	
Week 10	Mon 07-mar 13-15	Seminar: monitoring, prediction, epidemiology and climate change	EALex	Zoom/Plantan	Mandatory
	Mon 07-mar 15-16	Invasive pests and pathogens and their impacts in our nature (forest as an example)	PS	Zoom	Ramsak et al 2018; Karasov et al 2017; Courbier et al 2020

	Tue	08-mar	10-11	SBL questions	Ealex	Zoom	
	Wed	09-mar		Hand-in of SBL group latest 17:00 CET			Mandatory
	Thu	10-mar	11-12	Impact of combined Abiotic and Pathogen stress on plant growth	Sajeevan Radha Sivarajan	In place Alnarp	Nielsen & Abuley 2017
	Thu	10-mar	13-16	Open seminar NordCrop Plant Health		Crafoord Hall, Alnarp + Zoom	
	Fri	11-mar		SBL preparation for oral presentations			
Week 11	Mon	14-mar		SBL preparation for oral presentations			Mandatory
	Tue	15-mar	10-12	Oral presentations of SBLs for ELLS	EALex, ÅL/KKG, AM, AC	Zoom	
	Tue	15-mar	13-14	Questions before exam	AC, EALex	Zoom	
	Wed	16-mar					
	Thu	17-mar					
	Fri	18-mar	8-11	Exam	AC, EALex	Tentamensal1	

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