

COASTAL AND MARINE BIOLOGY AND ECOLOGY (LM51)

(Lecce - Università degli Studi)

Insegnamento PELAGOS BIOLOGY (ZOOPLANKTON AND NEKTON)

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Insegnamento in inglese PELAGOS BIOLOGY (ZOOPLANKTON AND

Settore disciplinare BIO/05

Corso di studi di riferimento COASTAL AND MARINE BIOLOGY AND ECOLOGY

Tipo corso di studi Laurea Magistrale

Crediti 8.0

Ripartizione oraria Ore Attività frontale: 68.0

Per immatricolati nel 2018/2019

Erogato nel 2018/2019

Anno di corso 1

Lingua INGLESE

Percorso PERCORSO COMUNE

Docente Genuario BELMONTE

Sede Lecce

Periodo Secondo Semestre

Tipo esame Orale

Valutazione Voto Finale

Orario dell'insegnamento

<https://easyroom.unisalento.it/Orario>

BREVE DESCRIZIONE DEL CORSO

the adaptations of life to the marine pelagic environment: plankton , neuston , necton. life cycles and connection with benthos. resting stages and connection with far times. swimming behaviour, and breath hold in mammals; communication in the dark and bioluminescence; feeding and migration behavior among the common species of economy importance.

OBIETTIVI FORMATIVI

the student will perceive the complexity of the open sea environment, and will experience the problems linked to its study

METODI DIDATTICI

frontal lessons; and exercises for collection of samples in the open sea, and their analysis in the lab.

MODALITA' D'ESAME

two steps:

one questionnaire (81 questions) with a triple choice answers for each question. 1 point per each valid answer; - 0.5 per each wrong answer. total time 75 minutes. the score has to pass 42 points (corresponding to 18/30) because the test is considered as valid. the maximum score (corresponding to 30/30) is gained with more than 71 points.

the second step is a ppt oral presentation of a subject coming from the program (and freely chosen by each student). total time 15 minutes. the student has to gain more than 18/30 to consider his examination as valid. the total score of the examination will derive from the average of the scores given to the two different steps

APPELLI D'ESAME

PROGRAMMA ESTESO

presentation of the course, and of the research activities of the teacher. biodiversity, species richness in the water. systematic of the principal pelago-marine taxa. life cycles of marine pelagic taxa and evolutionary theory of trochaea. plankton in confined coastal areas. methods for collecting and studying zooplankton. the zooplankton and necton of the coconet cruises. the life at edge of water: neuston and hyperbenthos. plastics circulation in the oceans. the sheltered biodiversity: 1 resting stages and interruption of existence. 2 the pelagic life in submarine caves. 3 the pelagic life in the deep dark and bioluminescence. other behavioral features of the pelagos: swimming, breath hold diving, migrations. principles of chronobiology. biogeography and geology of the oceans. the Mediterranean sea. pelagic fish and fishery. cetaceans.

TESTI DI RIFERIMENTO

slides of the lessons; research articles; O.LARINK & W.WESTHEIDE, 2011. COASTAL PLANKTON. VERLAG, 2° EDITION, MUNCHEN, D. 192 PP.