

Syllabus

MOLECULAR ASPECTS OF PLANT-FUNGAL INTERACTIONS - 71929

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HU Credits: 2

Responsible Department: agroecology & plant health

Academic year: 0

Semester: 1st Semester

<u>Teaching Languages:</u> Hebrew

Campus: Rehovot

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Course/Module description:

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Fungal lifestyles

Life cycles of fungi and plant pathogens and their adaptation to pathogenesis.

Development and function of fungal infection structures.

Fungal effectors and plant response.

Involvment of phytoalexins and toxins during pathogenesis.

Resistance to fungicides.

Students will prepare a research proposal and present it in class.

Course/Module aims:

<u>Learning outcomes - On successful completion of this module, students should be</u> able to:

Familiarity with fungalk lifestyles and pathgenesis

<u>Attendance requirements(%):</u>

100

Teaching arrangement and method of instruction:

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Required Reading:

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<u>Additional Reading Material:</u>

Course/Module evaluation:
End of year written/oral examination 75 %
Presentation 0 %
Participation in Tutorials 0 %
Project work 0 %
Assignments 0 %
Reports 0 %
Research project 25 %
Quizzes 0 %
Other 0 %

Additional information:

Prerequisites: Intro to Plant Pathology (71502) and a course in molecular biology