

# The Hebrew University of Jerusalem Syllabus

parasitic weeds in agriculture - 71171

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HU Credits: 2

<u>Degree/Cycle:</u> 2nd degree (Master)

Responsible Department: Field and Vegetable Crops

Academic year: 0

Semester: 1st Semester

<u>Teaching Languages:</u> Hebrew

Campus: Rehovot

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Teaching Staff:

### Prof. Hanan Eizenberg

### Course/Module description:

Introduction: The relationship between parasitic plants and their hosts in agroecosystems. Review of the advance methodologies for s parasitic plants research. Life cycle, population dynamics and means for Orobanche spp., Striga spp. And cuscuta spp. Control. Breeding crops for resistance to parasites and elucidation of the resistance mechanism (s). Modeling and developing decision support system for Orobanche contro

#### Course/Module aims:

Presentation of the relationship between parasitic plants and their hosts in agroecosystems.

Review of the advance methodologies for s parasitic plants research. Review of means for Orobanche spp., Striga spp. And cuscuta spp. Control. Modeling and developing decision support system for Orobanche control

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

Describe the relationship between parasitic plants and their hosts in agroecosystems.

work with the advanced methodologies for parasitic plants Review of means for Orobanche spp., Striga spp. And cuscuta spp. Control.

### Attendance requirements(%):

100

Teaching arrangement and method of instruction: Lectures

### Course/Module Content:

Presentation of the relationship between parasitic plants and their hosts in agroecosystems.

Review of the advanced methodologies for parasitic plant research.

Review of means for broomrape, Striga and Cuscuta control.

Modeling and developing a decision support system for broomrape control. remote sensing of parasitic plants.

### Required Reading:

-Parasitic Orobanchaceae

Parasitic Mechanisms and Control Strategies.

Editors:

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Additional Reading Material:

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**Grading Scheme:** 

Additional information:

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