

The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Syllabus

FISH BIOLOGY AND ECOLOGY - 71836

Last update 27-01-2015

HU Credits: 4

Degree/Cycle: 2nd degree (Master)

Responsible Department: animal sciences

<u>Academic year:</u> 3

Semester: 2nd Semester

<u>Teaching Languages:</u> Hebrew

<u>Campus:</u> Rehovot

Course/Module Coordinator: Dr. Daniel Golani

Coordinator Email: dani.golani@mail.huji.ac.il

Coordinator Office Hours: By appointment only

Teaching Staff:

Dr. Daniel Golani Mr. Gilad Yamin Mr. Snir Azaria

Course/Module description:

The course covers the following topics: anatomy and physiology, evolution and adaptations to habitats; zoogeography; feeding habits in fish; growth in fish; spawning and life history strategy and _ population dynamics. Study of three fish faunas of Israel's fresh water, the Mediterranean Sea and the Red Sea

Course/Module aims:

To obtain knowledge of general Ichthyology with an emphasis on fishes of Israel

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

Recognize processes of zoogeography and dynamics of fish populations; Identify the fish of Israel Identify the human impact on the marine environment

Attendance requirements(%):

100 for labs and field trip; not required for lectures

Teaching arrangement and method of instruction: lectures, labs, tours

Course/Module Content:

The course covers the following topics: anatomy and physiology, evolution and adaptations to habitats; zoogeography; feeding habits in fish; growth in fish; spawning and life history strategy and _ population dynamics. Study of three fish faunas of Israel's fresh water, the Mediterranean Sea and the Red Sea

<u>Required Reading:</u> To be determined during the course

<u>Additional Reading Material:</u> None

<u>Course/Module evaluation:</u> End of year written/oral examination 80 % Presentation 0 % Participation in Tutorials 0 % Project work 0 % Assignments 0 % Reports 20 % Research project 0 % Quizzes 0 % Other 0 %

<u>Additional information:</u> None