

The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Syllabus

Environmental friendly weed management- principles and application - 71900

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HU Credits: 2

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

Responsible Department: Field and Vegetable Crops

Academic year: 0

Semester: 2nd Semester

Teaching Languages: English

Campus: Rehovot

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Course/Module description:

The course describes the motivation for using and adopting non-chemical weed control approaches. We overview the main non-chemical weed control approaches and tools. Then, in a lab experiment we test two non-chemical weed control methods, and students have to submit a report analyzing the data using non-linear models.

Course/Module aims:

Familiarizing the student with the fields of non-chemical weed control and precise weed management

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

Understanding the main concepts of non-chemical weed control. Advantages, limitations and optimal application as part of integrated weed management

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

compulsory

Teaching arrangement and method of instruction: Frontal

Course/Module Content:

- 1-2 Introduction for non-Chemical weed control
- 3 Thermal weed control
- 4-5 Mechanical weed
- 6 Cultural weed control
- 7 field trip
- 8 Advanced approaches and Robotics
- 9-10 Lab and data analysis
- 11 Integrated managements and summary
- 12-13 Student presentations

Required Reading:

will be elaborated along the course

Additional Reading Material:

Grading Scheme:

Essay / Project / Final Assignment / Home Exam / Referat 45 %
Presentation / Poster Presentation / Lecture/ Seminar / Pro-seminar / Research
proposal 45 %

Attendance / Participation in Field Excursion 10 %

Additional information:

The course will be given in English if one of the participants does not speak Hebrew