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## English Semesters in Natural Sciences

*a teaching proposal for incoming Erasmus students*

*at the Department of Science for Nature and Environmental Resources (DIPNET) of the University of Sassari (Sardinia, Italy)*

The **English Semesters in Natural Sciences (ESNS)** include the teaching offer for International students hosted at DIPNET, related to the Bachelor course in Natural Sciences (<http://scienzenaturali.uniss.it/organiz/corsoSN.html>) and to the Master course in Environmental and Land Management (<http://scienzenaturali.uniss.it/organiz/corsoGAT.html>).

Even if NOT all the subjects will be adhering to ESNS, we are pleased to announce that for the academic year 2015-16 **nineteen subjects will be taught in a bilingual way (English/Italian)**, for a total of **127 ECTS**.

Some of the subjects are compulsory for Italian students, others are optional and will change in future years.

Each course adhering to **ESNS** should respect the following requirements:

- 1) The PROGRAMME of the course is available and constantly updated in the online and paper versions, both in English and Italian;
- 2) The STUDY BOOKS suggested by the lecturers, in Italian and English, should be on student's disposal in the DIPNET Library and/or in the lecturer's office.
- 3) The lecturers teach CLASSROOM LESSONS in English with Power Point slides in Italian, or teach in Italian with slides in English;
- 4) PRACTICAL EXERCISES OR LAB ACTIVITIES, when scheduled, will be taught in English with integrations in Italian;
- 5) SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL (articles, web-sites) will be furnished both in English and Italian;
- 6) Lecturers are willing to establish UNOFFICIAL CONTACTS with incoming students in English, by means of telephone calls, e-mails, Skype video-calls;
- 7) The EXAM(S) could be taken both in English and Italian following the students' request; the incoming students can opt for written or oral exam;
- 8) The DIPNET secretariat, the Council for Study Courses (CCLLS) and the Departmental Erasmus Commission, commit to accept and release ADMINISTRATIVE FORMS AND CERTIFICATIONS both in English and Italian.

For the academic year 2015-16, the list of courses adhering to the English Semesters in Natural Sciences is as follows:

**1<sup>st</sup> Semester (1<sup>st</sup> October 2015 – 31<sup>st</sup> January 2016)**

**Exam session: 1<sup>st</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> February 2016**

Subject	ECTS	Type	Course	Year	Lecturer	Contact
Agricultural Landscapes	3	O	Master	1	Sandro Dettori	sdettori@uniss.it
Basic Chemistry	9	C	Bachelor	1	Mauro Rustici	rustici@uniss.it
Geoinformatics	3	O	Master	1	Leonardo Casini	casini@uniss.it
Geological Mapping	6	C	Master	2	Giacomo Oggiano	giacoggi@uniss.it
Geology	10	C	Bachelor	3	Giacomo Oggiano	giacoggi@uniss.it
Invertebrate Systematics and Phylogeny	10	C	Bachelor	2	Marco Curini-Galletti	curini@uniss.it
Mathematics	6	C	Bachelor	1	Carlo Pensavalle	pensa@uniss.it
Plant Systematics	7	C	Bachelor	2	Emmanuele Farris	emfa@uniss.it
Sedimentology	8	C	Master	1	Vincenzo Pascucci	pascucci@uniss.it
System Ecology – Module 1	6	C	Master	1	Bachisio Padedda	bmpadedda@uniss.it

**2<sup>nd</sup> Semester (1<sup>st</sup> March 2016 – 31<sup>st</sup> May 2016)**

**Exam session: 10<sup>th</sup> June – 10<sup>th</sup> July 2016**

Subject	ECTS	Type	Course	Year	Lecturer	Contact
Biocultural Landscapes and Geography	6	C	Master	1	Gloria Pungetti	glopung@gmail.com
Botany	6	C	Bachelor	1	Malvina Urbani	urbani@uniss.it
Ecology (module II)	6	C	Bachelor	3	Giulia Ceccherelli	cecche@uniss.it
Forest Ecosystems Services	6	C	Master	2	Costantino Sirca	cosirca@uniss.it
Geomaterials in cultural heritage	3	O	Bachelor	2	Paola Marni	marnip@uniss.it
Mathematical models in ecology	6	C	Master	1	Mauro Rustici	rustici@uniss.it
Petrography and Mineralogy	10	C	Bachelor	2	Francesco Secchi	secchig@uniss.it
Vertebrate Zoology	6	C	Bachelor	2	Marco Apollonio	marcoapo@uniss.it
Wildlife Conservation and Management	10	C	Master	1	Marco Apollonio	marcoapo@uniss.it

**C** = compulsory; **O** = optional

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