

Spring semester 2025 BSc and MSc in Ecology and Evolution

Compulsory units (for BSc students) are in yellow. Only IEE units are given.

Weeks 1-14 Seminars (S) and journal clubs (JC) are given here. They are not integrated into the weekly schedule and not coordinated.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
08:15 - 09:00					
09:15 - 10:00					
10:15 - 11:00	Systematics JC		Conservation Biology S Macroevolution JC	Integrative Biodiversity S+JC	
11:15 - 12:00	Systematics JC		Conservation Biology S Graduate Research S	Integrative Biodiversity S+JC	
12:15 - 13:00			Graduate Research S		
13:15 - 14:00	Evolutionary Ecology S+JC				
14:15 - 15:00	Evolutionary Ecology S+JC Theoretical Ecol/Evol S+JC	Climate Change Ecology C*	Conservation Biology JC Aquatic Ecology S		
15:15 - 16:00	Behavioural ecology S+JC Theoretical Ecol/Evol S+JC	Climate Change Ecology C*	Aquatic Ecology S		
16:15 - 17:00	Behavioural ecology S+JC				
17:15 - 18:00					
18:15 - 19:00					

* *Climate Change Ecology, course: for MSc students only*

Week 1

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
	17.02.2025	18.02.2025	19.02.2025	20.02.2025	21.02.2025	
08:15 - 09:00		Molecular population genetics, research practical	Molecular population genetics, research practical	Molecular population genetics, research practical		
09:15 - 10:00						
10:15 - 11:00	Conservation of indigenous vertebrates, lecture					Stammesgeschichte der Anthropoden
11:15 - 12:00						
12:15 - 13:00						
13:15 - 14:00	Writing Science, seminar					
14:15 - 15:00						
15:15 - 16:00						
16:15 - 17:00	Biogeography, lecture	Lecture series in ecology and evolution	Lecture Series in Behavioral, Theoretical, and Evol. Biology			
17:15 - 18:00						
18:15 - 19:00						

Week 2

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
	24.02.2025	25.02.2025	26.02.2025	27.02.2025	28.02.2025	
08:15 - 09:00		Molecular population genetics, research practical	Molecular population genetics, research practical	Molecular population genetics, research practical		
09:15 - 10:00						
10:15 - 11:00	Conservation of indigenous vertebrates, lecture					Stammesgeschichte der Anthropoden
11:15 - 12:00						
12:15 - 13:00						
13:15 - 14:00	Writing Science, seminar					
14:15 - 15:00						
15:15 - 16:00						
16:15 - 17:00	Biogeography, lecture	Lecture series in ecology and evolution	Lecture Series in Behavioral, Theoretical, and Evol. Biology			
17:15 - 18:00						
18:15 - 19:00						

Week 3

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	03.03.2025	04.03.2025	05.03.2025	06.03.2025	07.03.2025
08:15 - 09:00		Molecular population genetics, research practical	Molecular population genetics, research practical	Molecular population genetics, research practical	Stammesgeschichte der Anthropoden
09:15 - 10:00					
10:15 - 11:00	Conservation of indigenous vertebrates, lecture				
11:15 - 12:00					
12:15 - 13:00					
13:15 - 14:00	Writing Science, seminar				
14:15 - 15:00					
15:15 - 16:00		Lecture series in ecology and evolution	Lecture Series in Behavioral, Theoretical, and Evol. Biology		
16:15 - 17:00	Biogeography, lecture				
17:15 - 18:00					
18:15 - 19:00					

Week 4

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	10.03.2025	11.03.2025	12.03.2025	13.03.2025	14.03.2025
08:15 - 09:00		Behavioural ecology, research practical	Behavioural ecology, research practical	Behavioural ecology, research practical	Stammesgeschichte der Anthropoden
09:15 - 10:00					
10:15 - 11:00	Conservation of indigenous vertebrates, lecture				
11:15 - 12:00					
12:15 - 13:00					
13:15 - 14:00	Writing Science, seminar				
14:15 - 15:00					
15:15 - 16:00		Lecture series in ecology and evolution	Lecture Series in Behavioral, Theoretical, and Evol. Biology		
16:15 - 17:00	Biogeography, lecture				
17:15 - 18:00					
18:15 - 19:00					

Week 5

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	17.03.2025	18.03.2025	19.03.2025	20.03.2025	21.03.2025
08:15 - 09:00		Behavioural ecology, research practical	Behavioural ecology, research practical	Behavioural ecology, research practical	Stammesgeschichte der Anthropoden
09:15 - 10:00					
10:15 - 11:00	Conservation of indigenous vertebrates, lecture				
11:15 - 12:00					
12:15 - 13:00					
13:15 - 14:00	Writing Science, seminar				
14:15 - 15:00					
15:15 - 16:00		Lecture series in ecology and evolution	Lecture Series in Behavioral, Theoretical, and Evol. Biology		
16:15 - 17:00	Biogeography, lecture				
17:15 - 18:00					
18:15 - 19:00					

Week 6

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	24.03.2025	25.03.2025	26.03.2025	27.03.2025	28.03.2025
08:15 - 09:00		Behavioural ecology, research practical	Behavioural ecology, research practical	Behavioural ecology, research practical	Stammesgeschichte der Anthropoden
09:15 - 10:00					
10:15 - 11:00	Conservation of indigenous vertebrates, lecture				
11:15 - 12:00					
12:15 - 13:00					
13:15 - 14:00	Writing Science, seminar				
14:15 - 15:00					
15:15 - 16:00		Lecture series in ecology and evolution	Lecture Series in Behavioral, Theoretical, and Evol. Biology		
16:15 - 17:00	Biogeography, lecture				
17:15 - 18:00					
18:15 - 19:00					

Week 7

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	31.03.2025	01.04.2025	02.04.2025	03.04.2025	04.04.2025
08:15 - 09:00		Evolutionary Ecology, research practical	Evolutionary Ecology, research practical	Evolutionary Ecology, research practical	Stammesgeschichte der Anthropoden
09:15 - 10:00					
10:15 - 11:00	Conservation of indigenous vertebrates, lecture				
11:15 - 12:00					
12:15 - 13:00					
13:15 - 14:00	Writing Science, seminar				
14:15 - 15:00					
15:15 - 16:00					
16:15 - 17:00	Biogeography, lecture	Lecture series in ecology and evolution	Lecture Series in Behavioral, Theoretical, and Evol. Biology		
17:15 - 18:00					
18:15 - 19:00					

Week 8

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	07.04.2025	08.04.2025	09.04.2025	10.04.2025	11.04.2025
08:15 - 09:00		Evolutionary Ecology, research practical	Evolutionary Ecology, research practical	Evolutionary Ecology, research practical	Stammesgeschichte der Anthropoden
09:15 - 10:00					
10:15 - 11:00					
11:15 - 12:00					
12:15 - 13:00					
13:15 - 14:00	Writing Science, seminar				
14:15 - 15:00					
15:15 - 16:00					
16:15 - 17:00		Lecture series in ecology and evolution	Lecture Series in Behavioral, Theoretical, and Evol. Biology		
17:15 - 18:00					
18:15 - 19:00					

Week 9

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	14.04.2025	15.04.2025	16.04.2025	17.04.2025	18.04.2025
08:15 - 09:00		Evolutionary Ecology, research practical	Evolutionary Ecology, research practical	Evolutionary Ecology, research practical	
09:15 - 10:00					
10:15 - 11:00					
11:15 - 12:00					
12:15 - 13:00					
13:15 - 14:00	Writing Science, seminar				
14:15 - 15:00					
15:15 - 16:00					
16:15 - 17:00		Lecture series in ecology and evolution	Lecture Series in Behavioral, Theoretical, and Evol. Biology		
17:15 - 18:00					
18:15 - 19:00					

Week 10

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	28.04.2025	29.04.2025	30.04.2025	01.05.2025	02.05.2025
08:15 - 09:00		Terrestrial ecology, research practical	Terrestrial ecology, research practical	Terrestrial ecology, research practical	
09:15 - 10:00					
10:15 - 11:00					
11:15 - 12:00					
12:15 - 13:00					
13:15 - 14:00	Writing Science, seminar				
14:15 - 15:00					
15:15 - 16:00					
16:15 - 17:00		Lecture series in ecology and evolution	Lecture Series in Behavioral, Theoretical, and Evol. Biology		
17:15 - 18:00					
18:15 - 19:00					

Week 11

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	05.05.2025	06.05.2025	07.05.2025	08.05.2025	09.05.2025
08:15 - 09:00		Terrestrial ecology, research practical	Terrestrial ecology, research practical	Terrestrial ecology, research practical	
09:15 - 10:00					
10:15 - 11:00					
11:15 - 12:00					
12:15 - 13:00					
13:15 - 14:00	Writing Science, seminar				
14:15 - 15:00					
15:15 - 16:00					
16:15 - 17:00		Lecture series in ecology and evolution	Lecture Series in Behavioral, Theoretical, and Evol. Biology		
17:15 - 18:00					
18:15 - 19:00					

Week 12

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	12.05.2025	13.05.2025	14.05.2025	15.05.2025	16.05.2025
08:15 - 09:00		Terrestrial ecology, research practical	Terrestrial ecology, research practical	Terrestrial ecology, research practical	
09:15 - 10:00					
10:15 - 11:00					
11:15 - 12:00					
12:15 - 13:00					
13:15 - 14:00	Writing Science, seminar				
14:15 - 15:00					
15:15 - 16:00					
16:15 - 17:00		Lecture series in ecology and evolution	Lecture Series in Behavioral, Theoretical, and Evol. Biology		
17:15 - 18:00					
18:15 - 19:00					

Week 13

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	19.05.2025	20.05.2025	21.05.2025	22.05.2025	23.05.2025
08:15 - 09:00					
09:15 - 10:00					
10:15 - 11:00		Integrative Biodiversity Cons.	Integrative Biodiversity Cons.	Integrative Biodiversity Cons.	Integrative Biodiversity Cons.
11:15 - 12:00		Science, workshop	Science, workshop	Science, workshop	Science, workshop
12:15 - 13:00					
13:15 - 14:00	Writing Science, seminar				
14:15 - 15:00				Integrative Biodiversity Cons.	Integrative Biodiversity Cons.
15:15 - 16:00				Science, workshop	Science, workshop
16:15 - 17:00		Lecture series in ecology and	Lecture Series in Behavioral,		
17:15 - 18:00		evolution	Theoretical, and Evol. Biology		
18:15 - 19:00					

Week 14

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	26.05.2025	27.05.2025	28.05.2025	29.05.2025	30.05.2025
08:15 - 09:00					
09:15 - 10:00					
10:15 - 11:00					
11:15 - 12:00					
12:15 - 13:00					
13:15 - 14:00	Writing Science, seminar				
14:15 - 15:00					
15:15 - 16:00					
16:15 - 17:00		Lecture series in ecology and	Lecture Series in Behavioral,		
17:15 - 18:00		evolution	Theoretical, and Evol. Biology		
18:15 - 19:00					

Excursions/Practicals in the spring semester, not integrated into the weekly schedule:

Marine and evolutionary ecology research practical, Corsica

Biology of the honeybee and apiculture, seminar and practical (in June)

Block Excursion Vertebrates 1 (in February)

Block Excursion Vertebrates 2 (in June)

Invertebrates excursion 3: Alpine butterflies (in June)

Invertebrates excursion 4: Fauna of a freshwater pond (in July)

Invertebrates excursion 5: Insects in the city of Bern (Invertebrates)

Invertebrates excursion 6: Scree slopes as biotopes for arthropods (in July)

Invertebrates excursion 7: Beetles in the surrounding of Bern (in June)

Invertebrates excursion 9: Orthoptera in different types of meadows (in August)