



OPIS PREDMETA / SUBJECT SPECIFICATION

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| Predmet: | Izbrana poglavja iz sodobnih molekularnobioloških analiz |
| Subject Title: | Selected Topics in Modern Molecular Biology Analyses |

| Študijski program Study programme | Študijska smer Study field | Letnik Year | Semester Semester |
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| Doktorski študij Ekološke znanosti / Doctoral Study Ecological Sciences | | Izbirni 1 ali 2 ali 3 | 2 ali 3 ali 4 ali 5 |

Univerzitetna koda predmeta / University subject code:

| Predavanja Lectures | Seminar Seminar | Sem. vaje Tutorial | Lab. vaje Lab. work | Teren. vaje Field work | Samost. delo Individ. work | ECTS |
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Nosilec predmeta / Lecturer:

Jeziki / Predavanja / Lecture:
Languages: Vaje / Tutorial:

Pogoji za vključitev v delo oz. za opravljanje študijskih obveznosti:

Poznavanje sodobnih molekularnobioloških analiz na ravni drugostopenjskega programa

Prerequisites:

Knowledge of modern molecular biology analyses at master level

Vsebina:

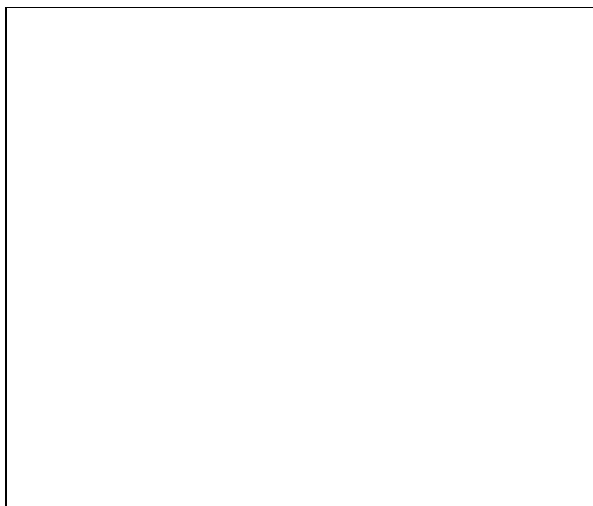
Obravnavana so izbrana poglavja iz naslednjih sklopov.

Principi klasične genetike
Molekularna biologija podvojevanja DNK in rekombinacija
Molekularna biologija ekspresije genov
Molekularni mehanizmi regulacije genov
Spremembe genetskega materiala
Kromosomi
Osnovne molekularno-biološke metode
Projekt humanega genoma
Genetske analize in rekonstrukcija genomov
Evolucija genomov
Genetska kontrola razvoja večceličnih organizmov
Molekularna genetika celičnega cikla in rak
Genetika bakterij in njihovih virusov
Genomi kloroplastov, mitohondrijska DNA in ekstrasnuklearno dedovanje
Populacijska genetika
Molekularni pristopi pri študiju biodiverzitete, filogenije, filogeografije, populacijske genetike in ekologije
Evolucija in filogenija
Baze podatkov in osnove bioinformatike pri analizi molekularnobioloških podatkov
Aktualni problemi, socialne, etične in pravne dileme, najnovejša spoznanja in perspektive v molekularni biologiji

Contents (Syllabus outline):

Selected topics in the following chapters are discussed.

Principles of classical genetics
Molecular biology of DNA replication and recombination
Molecular biology of gene expression
Molecular mechanisms of gene regulation
Modifications of genetic material
Chromosomes
Basic molecular genetic methods
Human genome project
Genetic analyses and the reconstruction of the genomes
The evolution of genomes
Genetic control of development in multicellular organisms
Molecular genetics of the cell cycle and cancers
Genetics of bacteria and their viruses
Chloroplast genomes, mitochondrial DNA and extra nuclear inheritance
Introduction to population and evolutionary genetics
Molecular approaches in biodiversity and phylogenetic studies, phylogeography, population genetics and ecology
Evolution and phylogenetics
Databases and fundamentals of bioinformatics in the analyses of molecular biology data
Actual problems, social, ethical and legal dilemmas, recent knowledge and perspectives in molecular



genetics

Temeljni študijski viri / Textbooks:

- Avise, J. C., 2004: Molecular markers, Natural History, and Evolution, Second Edition. 2004. Sinauer Associates, Inc. Publishers Sunderland, Massachusetts.
- Conner, J. K., D. L. A Hartl, 2000: A primer of ecological genetics. Sinauer Associates, Inc. Publishers Sunderland, Massachusetts.
- Hartwell, L. H., I. Hood, M. L. Goldberg, A. E. Reynolds, L. M. Silver, R. C. Veres, 2004 : Genetics. From genes to genomes. McGraw-Hill, Boston.
- Lewin, B. 2004: Genes VII. Pearson Prentice Hall, Upper Saddle River.
- Nei, M., S. Kumar, 2000: Molecular Evolution and Phylogenetics. Oxford University Press, Inc., New York.
- Sambrook, J , D. W. Russell, 2001: Molecular cloning – a laboratory manual. Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory press, Cold Spring Harbor. New York.
- Informacije z interneta in drugih virov / informations from the internet and other sources

Cilji:

- Podrobno razložiti spoznanja o genetskih dogajanjih v celici na molekularnem nivoju in povezati principe Mendlove genetike z bazičnimi molekularnimi mehanizmi
- Podrobno razložiti metode analize genov, genomov in proučevanju ekspresije genov znotraj kompleksnih biotskih sistemov ter razpravljati o novih tehnologijah, kot so genomika in informacijske vede, ki omogočajo izčrpno analizo celotnih sklopov genov in njihovega izražanja v organizmu
- Podrobno razložiti koncept genetske enotnosti živih bitij in podati sintezo informacij iz različnih organizmov v splošnem modelu, ki lahko razloži številne biotske sisteme
- Podrobno razložiti molekularne mehanizme, ki so omogočili razvoj različnih biotskih sistemov, oziroma organizmov
- Omogočiti poglobljeno razumevanje molekularno-bioloških tehnik in analiz, ki jih uporabljajo v klasičnih bioloških disciplinah, in pojasniti vlogo molekularne biologije v moderni biologiji, vključno z njenimi vplivi na področjih biodiverzitete, filogenije, filogeografije, populacijske genetike in ekologije

Objectives:

- To give an advanced review of genetic events in the cell at the molecular level and relate Mendelian genetics with fundamental molecular mechanisms
- Explain in detail tools for analyzing genes, genomes and gene expression within complex biotic systems and to discuss the new technologies such as genomics and the information science that allow a comprehensive analysis of the entire gene set and its expression in an organism
- Explain in detail the concept of genetic unity of living beings and the synthesis of information from different organisms into coherent models that explain many biotic systems
- Explain in detail molecular mechanism which enabled the evolution of biotic systems, or whole organisms, respectively
- To enable advanced understanding of molecular biology techniques and analyses, used in classical biological disciplines, and to give information about the role of molecular biology within modern biology, including its impact on the fields of biodiversity, phylogenetics, phylogeography, population genetics and ecology

Predvideni študijski rezultati:

Intended learning outcomes:

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| <p>Znanje in razumevanje:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Študenti dobijo izčrpen pregled nad celotnim področjem, od klasične in molekularne genetike do molekularne biologije postgenomske ere in nad vplivi razvoja sodobnih molekularnobioloških analiz na klasične biološke discipline kot so biodiverziteteta, filogenija, filogeografija, populacijske genetika in ekologija • Podrobno prepoznajo in uporabijo specifične koncepte in principe • Podrobno obvladajo številna sodobna molekularno-biološka in bioinformatična orodja • Sposobni so poglobljeno povezovati znanja klasične Mendelove genetike, bazičnih molekularnih mehanizmov, genomike in informacijskih ved ter klasične biologije <p>Prenesljive/ključne spretnosti in drugi atributi:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Izbrana teoretična znanja znanja ter praktično obvladovanje številnih tehnik in metod • Sposobnost vrhunske aplikacije različnih konceptov in tehnik, ki so pomembni tudi za druga področja, kot so sistematika, evolucija, ekologija, razmnoževanje živali in rastlin, naravovarstvo in upravljanje z divjimi živalmi, humana genetika in antropologija • Podrobno obvladovanje moderne genetike, uporabne na teh področjih • Kritična presoja moralnih in etičnih problemov, povezanih z znanstvenim napredkom na genetskem področju | <p>Knowledge and Understanding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students get a comprehensive overview of the field of classical and molecular genetics, molecular biology of post genomic era with the impact of modern molecular biology analyses on classical biology disciplines such as biodiversity, phylogenetics, phylogeography, population genetics and ecology • They recognize in detail and apply specific concepts and principles • They are able to use advancedly numerous molecular biology- and bioinformatics tools • They are able to integrate advancedly the knowledge of classical Mendelian genetics with fundamental molecular mechanisms, genomics and information science <p>Transferable/Key Skills and other attributes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Selected knowledge, including practice in laboratory work • Top-level ability of application of different concepts and techniques important for other fields such as systematics, evolution, ecology, animal and plant breeding, nature conservation and wildlife management, human genetics and anthropology • Advanced knowledge of modern genetics applicable in these fields • Critical appreciation of the moral and ethical problems related to scientific advances in genetics |
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Metode poučevanja in učenja:

- Predavanja
- Laboratorijske vaje
- Seminar in diskusije
- Individualno delo s študenti

Načini ocenjevanja:

- Kolokvij
- Seminarska naloga
- Pisni ali ustni izpit

Learning and teaching methods:

- Lectures
- Laboratory excersises
- Seminar and discussions
- Individual work with students

Delež (v %) /
Weight (in %)

Assessment:

- Partial exam
- Seminar essay
- Written or oral exam

Materialni pogoji za izvedbo predmeta :

- *Multimedijska predavalnica*
- *Molekularno biološki laboratorij*
- *Možnost uporabe računalnikov in dostopa do interneta*

Material conditions for subject realization

- *Lecture hall for multimedia presentations*
- *Molecular biology laboratory*
- *Availability of computers and access to internet*

Obveznosti študentov:

(pisni, ustni izpit, naloge, projekti)

- Kolokvij
- Seminarska naloga
- Pisni ali ustni izpit

Students' commitments:

(written, oral examination, coursework, projects):

- Partial exam
- Seminar essay
- Written or oral exam