

### UČNI NAČRT PREDMETA / COURSE SYLLABUS

Predmet: **Fiziologija živali**  
Course title: **Animal Physiology**

Študijski program in stopnja Study programme and level	Študijska smer Study field	Letnik Academic year	Semester Semester
Univerzitetni študijski program Ekologija z naravovarstvom, 1. stopnja	/	3	6
Undergraduate university programme Ecology with Nature Conservation, 1 <sup>st</sup> degree	/	3	6

Vrsta predmeta / Course type

Obvezni / Compulsory

Univerzitetna koda predmeta / University course code:

Predavanja Lectures	Seminar Seminar	Vaje Tutorial	Klinične vaje work	Druge oblike študija	Samost. delo Individ. work	ECTS
45		30			105	6

Nosilec predmeta / Lecturer:

Dušan Devetak

Jeziki / Predavanja / Lectures: Slovenski / Slovenian  
Languages: Vaje / Tutorial: Slovenski / Slovenian

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

Jih ni.	No prerequisites.
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**Vsebina:**

Zunanje in notranje okolje.  
Energetika celice. Energetika organizma.  
Temperatura in termoregulacija.  
Fiziologija membran: od zgradbe membrane do živčne integracije.  
Senzorična fiziologija: čutila in zaznavanje okolja.  
Hormoni in endokrini sistem.  
Celično gibanje, mišice in gibanje živali.  
Živčevje in vedenje.  
Kri in krvožilni sistem.  
Izmenjava plinov – dihanje.  
Ionsko in osmotsko ravnotežje.  
Prehrana in prebava.

**Content (Syllabus outline):**

External and internal environments.  
Cellular energetics. Animal energetics.  
Temperature and thermoregulation.  
Membrane physiology: from membrane structure to neural integration.  
Sensory physiology: sensory organs and sensing the environment.  
Hormones and endocrine system.  
Cell movement, muscles and animal movement.  
Nervous system and behaviour.  
Blood and circulation.  
Gas exchange – respiration.  
Ionic and osmotic balance.  
Feeding and digestion.

**Temeljni literatura in viri / Readings:****Temeljna literatura / Basic:**

Hill, R.W., G.A. Wyse, M. Anderson, 2016: Animal Physiology 4th Edition. Oxford University Press, Oxford.

**Priporočena literatura / Recommended:**

Moyes, C.D., P.M. Schulte, 2015: Principles of Animal Physiology. 3rd Edition. Pearson, Toronto.  
Schmidt-Nielsen, K., 2010: Animal physiology: adaptation and environment. Cambridge University Press. Cambridge.  
Sherwood, L., H. Klandorf, P. Yancey, 2012: Animal Physiology: From Genes to Organisms 2nd Edition. Cengage Learning, Brooks and Cole, Belmont, USA.

**Cilji in kompetence:**

- Obravnavati zveze živalski organizem – zunanje okolje – notranje okolje
- Pojasniti vlogo celičnih membran pri temeljnih fizioloških procesih
- Pojasniti integracijsko vlogo senzoričnega, hormonalnega in živčnega sistema
- Predstaviti temeljne fiziološke procese v živalskem organizmu

**Objectives and competences:**

- To discuss relations: animal organism – internal environment – external environment
- To explain the role of cell membranes in general physiological processes
- To explain integrative role of sensory, hormonal and nervous system
- To present fundamental physiological processes in animal organisms.

**Predvideni študijski rezultati:****Intended learning outcomes:**

<p>Po uspešno opravljeni učni enoti naj bi bili študenti zmožni:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- opisati vlogo membran pri temeljnih fizioloških procesih;</li> <li>- razložiti zgradbo organov in povezavo zgradbe s funkcijo;</li> <li>- načrtovati ter izvajati eksperiment in izsledke interpretirati;</li> <li>- razumeti in zagovarjati etične principe pri poskusih na živalih.</li> </ul>	<p>By the end of this course students should be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- explain the role of membranes in basic physiological processes;</li> <li>- explain the structure of organs and the relationship of structure to function;</li> <li>- design, conduct and report on experiments in animal physiology;</li> <li>- explain and defend ethical approach in animal experiment.</li> </ul>
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#### Metode poučevanja in učenja:

Predavanja  
Laboratorijske vaje – individualno eksperimentalno delo

#### Learning and teaching methods:

Lectures  
Laboratory exercises – individual experimental practice

Delež (v %) /

#### Načini ocenjevanja:

Weight (in %)

#### Assessment:

Kolokvij in poročilo iz vaj	50	Partial exam and report of experimental practice
Pisni izpit	50	Written exam
Opravljen kolokvij in poročilo sta pogoj za pristop k izpitu.		Partial exam and laboratory report are prerequisites for taking the exam.

#### Reference nosilca / Lecturer's references:

KLOKOČOVNIK, Vesna, HAUPTMAN, Gregor, DEVETAK, Dušan. Effect of substrate temperature on behavioural plasticity in antlion larvae. *Behaviour*, ISSN 0005-7959, 2016, vol. 153, issue 1, str. 31-48, doi: [10.1163/1568539X-00003322](https://doi.org/10.1163/1568539X-00003322). [COBISS.SI-ID [21695496](#)]

DEVETAK, Dušan, PODLESNIK, Jan, KLOKOČOVNIK, Vesna. Predator-prey interactions in antlions: transmission of vibrational signals deep into the sand. *Acta entomologica slovenica*, ISSN 1318-1998, dec. 2018, vol. 26, št. 2, str. 121-130, ilustr. [COBISS.SI-ID [1957365](#)]

DEVETAK, Dušan. *Biophysical properties of sand influence predatory behaviour in antlions : Conférence, Laboratoire d'Ethologie Expérimentale et Comparée - LEEC, Université Paris 13 Sorbonne Paris Cité, Mercredi 16 mai 2018*. [COBISS.SI-ID [24061192](#)]

DEVETAK, Dušan. *Behavioural ecology of the prey capture behaviour in larval antlions : lecture, Master Ethology, LEEC - Laboratoire d'Ethologie Expérimentale et Comparée, Université Paris 13 Sorbonne Paris Cité, 20 November 2017*. [COBISS.SI-ID [23511048](#)]

PODLESNIK, Jan, KLOKOČOVNIK, Vesna, LORENT, Vincent, DEVETAK, Dušan. Prey detection in antlions: propagation of vibrational signals deep into the sand. *Physiological Entomology*, 2019, in press