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Pig science 800 (VKD 800)

Qualification Postgraduate

Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences

Module credits 15.00

Programmes MScAgric Animal Science: Livestock Production and Ecology

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 1 lecture per week, 1 discussion class per week

Language of tuition English

Academic organisation Animal and Wildlife Sciences

Period of presentation Year

Module content

Specialised study concerning pig production, considerations when planning pig production units, policy planning and market conditions. Production physiology, housing, nutritional management, breeding practices, diseases and hygiene. Products. Practical scientific and industry orientation through different assignments.

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