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Wildlife management principles and techniques 781 (NLB 781)

Qualification	Postgraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
Module credits	5.00
Programmes	BScHons Wildlife Management
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 lecture per week, 1 practical per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Academic organisation	Animal and Wildlife Sciences
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Module content

The most important techniques applicable to wildlife management and wildlife research are discussed. The principles, applications and restrictions of the following are discussed amongst others: wildlife counts, age determination, age and sex ratios, translocation of animals, chemical immobilisation, mechanical capture techniques, transport of wildlife, land-use, predator control and predator-prey studies.

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