

Course title:	Current findings in plant virology
Course title in Polish:	Aktualne odkrycia w wirusologii roślinnej
Course for discipline:	Agriculture and Horticulture/Biological Sciences

Semester:	8	Status of course:	faculty	Language:	english
Academic year:		Catalog number:			

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Lecturer of course:	Edmund Kozieł (PhD) , dr hab. Katarzyna Otulak-Kozieł prof. WULS-SGGW
Executing unit:	Department of Botany, Institute of Biology, SGGW
Ordering unit:	Doctoral School SGGW

Assumptions, goals and description of the course:	<p>Assumption: PhD students want to extend their knowledge new and interesting new aspects of plant virology. The main aim of the course is to present PhD students the new, recent and most interesting multidisciplinary findings in plant virology. This course is intended to prepare doctoral students to understand the need to use various scientific methods to achieve new and astonishing scientific results in virology and plant biology, and help to facilitate professional work related to scientific research. Scope of course:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How plant viruses avoid plant defense system • Generative organs of plants as open gates for virus transmission • Role of cell wall remodeling in different type of plant response to plant viruses • Plant virus short-distance and systemic transport with context of bioinformatic and microscopic methods based on PDV. • Glutathione as a one of example signalling molecule with multi-importance in plant-virus interaction
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Didactic form, number of hours:	Lecture with use of interactive computer presentations, 10h (hours)
Teaching methods:	Student projects independently or in groups in the form of multimedia presentations prepared in consultation with the lecturers
Limit of people in the group:	30

Learning outcomes		
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KNOWLEDGE - the graduate knows and understands:	SKILLS - the graduate is able to:	COMPETENCES - the graduate is ready to:
To the extent enabling to revise the existing paradigms in the field/discipline - the world achievements, gathering theoretical background as well as general and selected detailed issues	Carry out critical assessment of the scientific research findings and expert activities and their contribution to the knowledge development in the field/discipline	Critically evaluate the achievements in the field/discipline represented
Major general development trends in the field/discipline		Recognise knowledge in solving cognitive and practical problems characteristic for the area of research (field/discipline) and in an interdisciplinary aspect
		Support the ethos of scientific circles and conduct independent research

The method of verification of learning outcomes:	SD1_KW02, SD1_KU05, SD1_KK01 and SD1_KK03 - group project. The project is prepared in a form of multimedia presentation prepared based on available literature sources. Project is actively presented and delivered to other faculty participants and lecturers
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Form of documentation of achieved learning outcomes:	Reports of group projects as multimedia presentations with evaluation in the form of electronic files
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Elements and weights of the final grade:	Weights: 80% is the grade for the multimedia presentation given in the group forum (the presentation grade includes 60% substantive grade and 20% method of presentation) and 20% is the grade for attendance at classes
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Place of the course:	Lectures and final presentations – classroom/hall
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Basic and supplementary literature	
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Estimated number of hours of work of the doctoral student necessary to achieve the assumed learning outcomes:	
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Learning outcomes reference to the second degree characteristics of the National Qualification Framework (level 8) covering doctoral competences:		
Symbol:	Learning outcomes:	8 level NQF
SD1_KW01	To the extent enabling to revise the existing paradigms in the field/discipline - the world achievements, gathering theoretical background as well as general and selected detailed issues	P8S_WG
SD1_KW02	Major general development trends in the field/discipline	P8S_WG
SD1_KU05	Carry out critical assessment of the scientific research findings and expert activities and their contribution to the knowledge development in the field/discipline	P8S_UW
SD1_KK01	Critically evaluate the achievements in the field/discipline represented	P8S_KK
SD1_KK03	Recognise knowledge in solving cognitive and practical problems characteristic for the area of research (field/discipline) and in an interdisciplinary aspect	P8S_KK
SD1_KK08	Support the ethos of scientific circles and conduct independent research	P8S_KR