



MASTER (LM) DEGREE COURSE IN

MARINE BIOLOGY

*Study programme for students enrolled in the academic year 2025-2026 – entirely held in
English*

1st YEAR	
MANDATORY UNITS	CREDITS
MARINE PLANT BIODIVERSITY	7
MARINE ANIMAL BIODIVERSITY	7
ECOLOGY OF NATURAL AND NOVEL MARINE ECOSYSTEMS	9
MOLECULAR METHODS FOR MANAGEMENT AND AQUACULTURE	6
EXPERIMENTAL DESIGN AND STATISTICAL ANALYSIS	6
COMPARATIVE AND ENVIRONMENTAL PHYSIOLOGY OF MARINE ANIMALS	8
SEAFOOD SUSTAINABILITY, PRODUCTION AND CONTROL	6
PRACTICAL MARINE ECOLOGY	2
1 UNIT TO BE CHOSEN AMONG THE FOLLOWING:	CREDITS
MARINE CONSERVATION: PRINCIPLES AND APPLICATIONS	8
PHARMACOLOGY, TOXICOLOGY AND WELFARE IN AQUACULTURE	8
2nd YEAR	
1 UNIT TO BE CHOSEN AMONG THE FOLLOWING:	CREDITS
MARINE ECOTOXICOLOGY	6
FARMING AND FEEDING OF AQUATIC SPECIES	6
1 UNIT TO BE CHOSEN AMONG THE FOLLOWING:	CREDITS
MARINE MICROBIOLOGY	6
PATHOLOGY OF AQUATIC ORGANISMS	6
1 OR 2 FREE-CHOICE UNITS AMONG THE FOLLOWING:	
ENGLISH LANGUAGE B2 (PRODUCTIVE SKILLS)	8
BEHAVIOURAL ECOLOGY	8
REPRODUCTION IN ACQUACULTURE	8

8 ADDITIONAL FREE CHOICE CREDITS	3
FINAL THESIS/DISSERTATION	41

ANY FURTHER NOTES

- Attendance is mandatory according to the didactic regulation.
 - Free-choice credits can be chosen among the university's educational offer as long as they are consistent with the educational path.
- Units specifically for free choice have been introduced into the offer, shown in the table, the contents of which are certainly consistent with the educational path of the study programme.