

University of Salento and Nikon Instruments Srl organise the advanced training phytoplankton course on:



"Lagoonal Phytoplankton: Its Taxonomy, Morphometrics and Pigment Finger Prints"

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Location: Campus Ecotekne, DiSTeBA,

University of Salento, Lecce (Italy)

The purpose has been to improve the skills of the participants in taxonomy and morphology for research purposes and for practical monitoring of phytoplankton.

The course will consist of training on identification and cell morphology of transitional waters and marine coastal phytoplankton, with emphasis on light microscopy and use of electron and confocal microscopy techniques. The course is directed to young scientists at the early stage of their career. The course is free of registration and tuition charges for the participants. The official language is English.

The announcement and the relative application form are available online on the Salento University website (<a href="www.unisalento.it">www.unisalento.it</a>, <a href="Bandie Concorsi section">Bandie Concorsi section</a>). Applications, sent by surface mail and e-mail, must arrive no later than 30 June 2012.

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