



DEPARTMENT OF EARTH SCIENCES

GVN75B Advanced Project in Earth Sciences, 7.5 credits

Avancerat geovetenskapligt projektarbete, 7,5 högskolepoäng

Second Cycle

Confirmation

This course syllabus was confirmed by Department of Earth Sciences on 2020-04-03 to be valid from 2020-04-03, spring semester of 2020.

Field of education: Science 100%

Department: Department of Earth Sciences

Position in the educational system

The course includes 7,5 credits at master's level.

The course can be part of the following programme: 1) Master's Programme in Earth Sciences (N2GVS)

Entry requirements

For admission to the course 150 credits are required, at least 60 credits in the main field of Earth Sciences or Marine Sciences. Applicants with equivalent education can, after review and approval, be given access to the course.

Learning outcomes

On successful completion of the course the student will be able to:

Knowledge and understanding

- demonstrate knowledge and understanding of geoscientific or geographical issues.

Competence and skills

- independently plan and carry out geoscientific or geographical studies and present the results in writing and orally.
- independently search, select and assess geoscientific or geographical information.

- use different types of geoscientific or geographical examination and analytical methods.
- demonstrate good knowledge of project management and carry out tasks within given time frames.

Judgement and approach

- critically identify, formulate, analyze, evaluate and discuss geoscientific or geographical data and obtained results both in writing and orally.

Course content

The course consists of a project work comprising 7,5 credits. The project work includes planning, material collecting, processing and reporting of the project under supervision. The project work also includes literature reading that is necessary for implementation of the project.

Form of teaching

The project work is presented in writing through an essay/report to be presented at a seminar. Participation in seminar exercises is compulsory.

Language of instruction: English

Assessment

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U/G/VG

If a student, who has failed the same examined element on two occasions, wishes to change examiner before the next examination session, such a request is to be submitted to the department in writing and granted unless there are special reasons to the contrary (Chaper 6, Section 22 of Higher Education Ordinance).

In the event that a course has ceased or undergone major changes, students are to be guaranteed at least three examination sessions (including the ordinary examination session) over a period of at least one year, though at most two years after the course has ceased/been changed. The same applies to work experience and VFU, although this is restricted to just one additional examination session.

Grades

The grading scale comprises: Pass with Distinction (VG), Pass (G) and Fail (U).

Course evaluation is performed partly in connection with the examination seminar and partly through Canvas where the student can participate anonymously.

The result and possible changes to the course will be shared with students who participated in the evaluation and students who are starting the course.

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