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Lund University International Master’s Programme in Environmental Studies and Sustainability Science

LUMES Programme Agenda 2019 – 2021 (version 2020-01-09)

Autumn 2019 – Term 1
Before August 28, 2019
Pre-Course Assignment as part of the Earth Systems Science course

August 28 (Wednesday) – October 11 (Friday). BREANÄS field trip, September 11 – September 13
MESB01: Earth Systems Science, 10 credits (33 teaching days)

October 14 (Monday) – November 25 (Monday)*
MESS32: Social Theory and Sustainability, 10 credits (29+1 teaching days)

November 26 (Tuesday) – January 22 (Wednesday)**, 2020
MESS33: Sustainability Science, 10 credits (28+3 teaching days)

*No teaching on November 1 (Alla helgons afton)
**Winter break: December 21, 2019 (Saturday) – January 6 (Monday), 2020 (course starts again on Tuesday, January 7, 2020)

Spring 2020 – Term 2
January 23 (Thursday) – February 26 (Wednesday)
MESS34: Governance of Sustainability, 7.5 credits (23+2 teaching days)

February 27 (Thursday) – April 16 (Thursday) **
MESS35: Urban and Rural Systems and Sustainability, 10 credits (31+2 teaching days)

April 17 (Friday) – May 25 (Monday)***
MESS36: Economy and Sustainability, 7,5 credits (24 teaching days)

May 26 (Tuesday) – June 5 (Friday)****
MESS37: Knowledge to Action, 5 credits (7+9 teaching days)

** No teaching April 9 – 13 (Easter)
*** No teaching, April 30 (Valborgsmässoaftton), May 1 (Första maj), May 21-22 (Kristi Himmelsfärds dag + squeeze day)
**** This course runs in parallel with other courses, starting in October, 2019.
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Autumn 2020 – Term 3
Note:
• The final selection of which selective course offered in autumn 2020 will be presented in March 2020. The courses listed below is an example.
• The final schedule for each course will be available 1 month before the start of the course. It is the teachers’ decision to use the allocated dates as he/she wants and the teachers can switch days with each other if needed.
• A “methods seminar series” will run in parallel with the selective courses.

August 31 (Monday) – October 30 (Friday)
The student selects any two of these courses
• MESS46: Social Movements and Sustainability, 7.5 credits (Monday 13-17 and Thursday 8-12)
• MESS50: Deciphering Landscape: Understanding the Social and Ecological Dimensions from Multiple Perspectives, 7.5 credits (Tuesday 8-12 and Thursday 13-17)
• MESS51: Science and Politics of Climate Change, 7.5 credits (Monday 8-12 and Wednesday 13-17)
• MESS43: Sustainability and Global Health, 7.5 credits (Monday 8-12 and Wednesday 13-17)
• MESS56: Sustainability and Popular Culture, 7.5 credits (Wednesday 8-12 and Friday 13-17)

November 2 (Monday) – January 15 (Friday), 2021
The student selects any two of these courses
• MESS42: Water and Sustainability, 7.5 credits (Monday 8-12 and Wednesday 13-17)
• MESS47: Gender and Sustainability in Theory and Everyday Life, 7.5 credits (Monday 13-17 and Thursday 8-12)
• MESS53: Sustainability and Inner Transformation, 7.5 credits (Tuesday 8-12 and Thursday 13-17)
• MESS54: Resilience and Sustainable Development, 7.5 credits (Tuesday 13-17 and Friday 8-12)
• MESS55: Political Ecology and Sustainability, 7.5 credits (Wednesday 8-12 and Friday 13-17)

*No teaching on Friday October 30 (Alla helgons afton)
**Winter break December 22 (Tuesday) – January 6 (Wednesday), 2021 (course starts again on Thursday, January 7)

Spring 2021 – Term 4
Note! Tentative, exact date for graduation might change!

January 18 – June 6, 2021
MESM02: Thesis, 30 credits
End of May
Thesis Defence Seminars
June *, 2021
Graduation (*the ceremony is organised by the Faculty and the date is yet to be decided. As soon as I have a date I will share it with you. /Amanda)