

# UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

# **SYLLABUS DEL CORSO**

# Ecologia del Paesaggio

2324-2-F7501Q046

#### Course title

Landscape ecology

# **Topics and course structure**

Concept of landscape, landscape models, analysis and management of natural and man-dominated landscapes

## **Objectives**

Knowledge of main topics of landscape ecology

#### Knowledge and understanding

To know main landscape ecology schools and related theories

#### Applying knowledge and understanding

To know main criteria of ecological planning

#### Making judgements

To be able to evaluate different land management scenarios, to be able to evaluate scientific papers

#### Communication skills

To be able to expose principles and theories of landscape ecology learned during the course

#### Learning skills

To be able to read and understand scientific papers and technical documents dealing with landscape ecology

#### Methodologies

Lesson, active teaching methodologies.

#### Online and offline teaching materials

Slides and supplementary matherials (paper and exercises) discussed in classroom

#### **Programme and references**

#### Short programme

Meaning of world landscape, Landscape models, Landscape analysis, Planning and management of landscapes

# Detailed programme

- Introduction
- Meaning of landscape
- · Landscape ecology and ecological theory
- Landscape models
- Landscape systems at global level
- Landscape systems in Europe
- · Landscape systems in Italy
- Patch Matrix Corridors Ecotones
- Ecologican networks in agricultural landscapes
- Indicator and bioindicators at landscape scale
- Ecological footprint and ecosystem services at landscape level
- · Habitat monitoring
- · Landscapes and global change
- Mediterannean landscapes
- Mountain landscapes
- Urban landscapes
- · Landscapes and infrastructures
- · Restoration ecology at landscape scale
- Landscape epidemiology

#### References:

Scientific paper provided during the course and linked in the website of the course

#### **Assessment methods**

Oral examination

The exam will evaluate the ability to understand scientific papers provided and the suggested book in order to connect them with topics of landscape ecology

Mark range: 18 - 30/30

#### Office hours

Monday at 16.30 after appointment by e-mail

# **Programme validity**

One academic year

#### Course tutors and assistants

Claudia Canedoli

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## **Sustainable Development Goals**

NO POVERTY | ZERO HUNGER | GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING | QUALITY EDUCATION | CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION | AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY | INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE | REDUCED INEQUALITIES | SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES | RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION | CLIMATE ACTION | LIFE BELOW WATER | LIFE ON LAND | PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS | PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS