



Univerza v Mariboru

Fakulteta za naravoslovje
in matematiko

UČNI NAČRT PREDMETA / COURSE SYLLABUS

Predmet:	Izbor iz fiziološke ekologije rastlin
Course title:	Selection in Physiological Plant Ecology

Študijski program in stopnja Study programme and level	Študijska smer Study field	Letnik Academic year	Semester Semester
Doktorski študij Ekološke znanosti, 3. stopnja Doctoral Study Ecological Sciences, 3rd degree		1. ali 2.; 1st or 2nd	1.- 4.; 1st-4th

Vrsta predmeta / Course type: Izbirni/Elective

Univerzitetna koda predmeta / University course code:

Predavanja Lectures	Seminar Seminar	Vaje Tutorial	Lab. vaje Laboratory work	Terenske vaje Fieldwork	Samost. delo Individ. work	ECTS
18	4		8		150	6

Nosilec predmeta / Lecturer: Andreja URBANEK KRAJNC

Jeziki / Predavanja / Lectures: slovenski / slovene
Languages: Vaje / Tutorial: slovenski / slovene

Pogoji za vključitev v delo oz. za opravljanje študijskih obveznosti:

Poznavanje fiziologije rastlin na ravni dodiplomskega študija

Prerequisites:

Knowledge of physiological plant ecology at graduate level

Vsebina:

V predmetu so podrobno obravnavana izbrana poglavja iz vpliva naravnih (abiotskih in biotskih) in antropogenih stresnih dejavnikov na fiziološke procese v rastlini s poudarkom na funkcijskih motnjah celičnega metabolizma in odzivom rastlin na stresne dejavnike na nivoju celic in cele rastline
A) Funkcijske motnje celičnega metabolizma

Content (Syllabus outline):

The lecture focuses on selected chapters on the impact of natural (abiotic and biotic) and anthropogenic stress factors on physiological processes in plants with the special emphasis on functional disturbances of cell metabolism and the response of plants to stress factors on the cellular and the whole plant level.
A) Functional disturbances of cell metabolism



Negativen učinek reaktivnih kisikovih vrst (ROS) na subcelularnem nivoju, motnje v metabolizmu ogljika, motnje v mineralni prehrani

B) Odzivi rastlin na stresne dejavnike

Obrambni in reparaturni mehanizmi, detoksifikacija ROS z antioksidanti in encimi; sinteza, kompartmentacija in vloga antioksidantov; aktualna dognanja o vlogi glutationa, askorbinske kisline, tokoferola in karotinoidov v obrambi pred oksidativnim stresom.

Posebni poudarek je na predstavitvi lastnih raziskav v okviru naslednjih učnih sklopov:

1. Daljinski transport vode v drevesu (Fiziološko ozadje ksilemskega toka, povezava med ksilemskim tokom, evapotranspiracijo in fotosintezo, principi meritev vodnega statusa rastlin, meritve ksilemskega toka s TDP (thermal dissipation probe, tipalo termičnega odvoda) in HPV (Heat pulse velocity) senzorji, predstavitev rezultatov merjenja ksilemskega toka v smreki po napadu podlubnikov in okužbi z glivo *Ceratocystis polonica*).

2. Vloga metabolizma žvepla v rastlinah in prilagoditvi na abiotični/biotični stres v kmetijskih ekosistemih

3. Biokemične in strukturne spremembe rastlinskih tkiv kot posledica fizioloških motenj na hortikulturnih rastlinah

Vloga antocianskih vakuolarnih vključkov (AVI, anthocyanic vacuolar inclusions) na barvo cvetov in plodov v povezavi s pomanjkanjem kalcija

Programirana celična smrt v povezavi s fiziološkimi motnjami

4. Bioindikacija onesnaževanja okolja

Negative effects of reactive oxygen species (ROS) on subcellular level, disturbances in carbon metabolism, disturbances in mineral nutrition

Habitat-related aspects of mineral metabolism;

B) The response of plants to stress factors

Defense and reparatory mechanisms, detoxification of ROS with antioxidants and enzymes; synthesis, compartmentation and function of antioxidants; recent advances in the role of glutathione, ascorbate, tocoferol and carotinoides in defense against oxidative stress.

Particular emphasis is placed on the presentation of the lecture's own research in the following learning packages:

1. Long distance transport of water in trees (physiological background of xylem flux, relationship between xylem flux, evapotranspiration and photosynthesis, principles of techniques to measure water flux with TDP (thermal dissipation probe) and HPV (heat pulse velocity) sensors. Presentation of own results of sap flow measurements on spruce affected by the bark beetle and *Ceratocystis polonica* infection).

2. The effects of sulphur metabolism in plants and adaptation to biotic/abiotic stress in agricultural ecosystems.

3. Biochemical and structural changes in plant tissues as a result of physiological disturbances in horticultural crops.

The effects of anthocyanic vacuolar inclusions (AVI) on flower and fruit colour in respect to calcium deficiency.

Programmed cell death associated with physiological disorders.



Reakcijski in akumulacijski indikatorji, kazalci in testni organizmi, metode biomonitoringa, vloga glutationa v detoksifikaciji težkih kovin.

5. Termogeneza aroidnih vrst: fiziološko ozadje termogeneze (regulacija, vloga alternativne oksidaze, vloga salicilne kisline in etilena, hlapni sekundarni metaboliti) ultrastrukturne posebnosti tkiv spadiksa in površine spate, ekološki aspekt termogeneze, 4 tipi termogeneze (morfološke in fiziološke posebnosti, časovni potek gretja posameznih tipov termogeneze), predstavitev znanstvenih objav raziskovalnega delana rodovih *Alocasia*, *Colocasia* in *Arum*, predstavitev rezultatov raziskav v okviru mednarodnega projekta INEA (International Network for Edible Aroids).

- Inventarizacija, morfološke in biokemijske raziskave bele murve, reintegracija morikulture. Pomen fitolitov v listih murv v odzivu na stres. Fitoremediacijski učinek murv.

4. Bioindication of pollution effects

Reaction and accumulation indicators, indicators and test organisms, biomonitoring methods, the role of glutathione in the detoxification of heavy metals.

5. Termogenesis of the aroid species:

physiological background of thermogenesis (regulation, the role of alternative oxidase, the role of salicylic acid and ethylene, volatile secondary metabolites); ultrastructural features of the spadix and the surface of the spatha, ecological aspect of thermogenesis, 4 types of thermogenesis (morphological and physiological features, time course of the heating process in the different types of thermogenesis), presentation of scientific publications and research on the genera *Alocasia*, *Colocasia* and *Arum*, presentation of research results in the framework of the international project INEA (international Network for Edible Aroids).

-Inventory, morphological and biochemical analyses of the white mulberry, reintegration of moriculture. The role of phytoliths in mulberry leaves in relation to stress. Phytoremediation effect of mulberries.

Temeljni literatura in viri / Readings:

- [Schopfer P.](#), [Brennicke A.](#) 2016. Pflanzenphysiologie. Springer Spektrum, Berlin-Heidelberg.
- Taiz, L., E. Zeiger, I. M. Moller, A. Murphy 2020: Plant Physiology. 6th Edition. Sinauer Associates, Inc., Publishers, Sunderland, Massachusetts.
- Hamlyn G. Jones 2013. Plants and Microclimate, A Quantitative Approach to Environmental Plant Physiology, 2013, Cambridge University Press.
- Sadras V. O., Calderini D. F., Crop Physiology, 2009, Academic Press.
- Sadras V.O. & Calderini D.F. 2009. Crop Physiology, Academic Press, Elsevier.
- Larcher W., 2003. Physiological Plant Ecology. 4th Edition. Springer, Berlin.

Znanstvene revije:

Plant Cell and Environment

Plant and Cell Physiology



Journal of Plant Biotechnology
Trends in Plant Science
Trees-Structure and Function
Botany
Forest Ecology and Management
Annals of Botany
Physiologia Plantarum
Plant Physiology and Biochemistry
Journal of Plant Physiology
Plant Pathology

Cilji in kompetence:

- Posebna pozornost je posvečena izbranim odzivom rastlin na izbrane okoljske dejavnike
- Poznavanje daljinskega transporta vode
- Prepoznavanje izbranih toksičnih učinkov kisika
- Poznavanje funkcijskih motenj celičnega metabolizma
- Vpogled v simptome poškodb na nivoju celic in celega organizma
- Obravnava v izbrane obrambne in reparativne mehanizme
- Poznavanje pomena termogeneze v biologiji cvetenja
- Obravnava izbranih analitičnih metod v ekofiziologiji in stresni fiziologiji rastlin

Objectives and competences:

- Special attention is paid to the selected responses of plants to stress factors
- Knowledge of water long distance transport
- Illustration of selected toxic effects of oxygen
- selected functional disturbances in cell metabolism
- Knowledge of injury patterns and symptoms on cell and whole plant level
- An insight into the defense and reparatory mechanisms
- Knowledge of the role of thermogenesis in floral biology
- selected analytical measurements in ecophysiology and stress physiology of plants

Predvideni študijski rezultati:

Znanje in razumevanje:

- Študentje bodo pridobili znanje in razumevanje odziva rastlin na izbrane okoljske dejavnike
- Povezali bodo razumevanje toksičnih učinkov kisika
- Pridobili bodo poznavanje stresnih faktorjev, prepoznavanje simptomov

Intended learning outcomes:

Knowledge and Understanding:

- Students will gain knowledge and understanding of plant response to selected environmental factors
- They will make a connection understanding of the toxic effects of oxygen
 - They will acquire knowledge of stress factors, recognition of symptoms of injury and basic defence and repair mechanisms



<p>poškodb in osnovnih obrambnih in reparaturnih mehanizmov</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Uporabljali bodo izbran metod v ekofiziologiji <p>Prenesljive/ključne spretnosti in drugi atributi:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pridobitev vrhunskega znanja o principih in metodah v ekofiziologiji in stresni fiziologiji rastlin ter uporaba le tega v praksi 	<p>- They will apply selected methods of ecophysiology</p> <p>Transferable/Key Skills and other attributes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Achieving top-level knowledge about the principles and methods in ecophysiology and stress physiology for good practice
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Metode poučevanja in učenja:**Learning and teaching methods:**

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Predavanja • Izbrane fitofiziološke raziskave z uporabo biokemičnih in fizioloških metod v laboratoriju in na terenu s poudarkom na morfologiji in funkciji rastlin pod vplivom okolja • Samostojno delo 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lectures • Selected phytophysiological research using biochemical and physiological methods in laboratory and in field with special attention to environmental impacts to plant morphology and functions • Independent work
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Delež (v %) /

Načini ocenjevanja:

Weight (in %)

Assessment:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seminarska naloga in njena predstavitev • Laboratorijski dnevnik • Pisni izpit 	<p>25%</p> <p>25%</p> <p>50%</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seminar essay and its defense • Diary of laboratory results • Written exam
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