

Target Group

Students, who want to become experts in forest and environment related issues, will feel at home in this course. The competencies students acquire, equip them for positions in forest and ecosystem management and research, environmental planning and analysis as well as sustainable development at national and international levels. Owing to the diverse cultural backgrounds of our students, we aim to recruit broadminded candidates willing to work with and learn from fellow students from other parts of the globe.



FEM M.Sc.
FOREST ECOLOGY
AND MANAGEMENT
ALBERT-LUDWIG-UNIVERSITY FREIBURG

Program Focus

The sustainable use of natural resources will be one of the key issues of the 21st century. The M.Sc. course Forest Ecology and Management focuses on the sustainable management of forested landscapes. In a world, where both the environmental conditions as well as the aspirations of society are highly dynamic, our environment cannot be managed according to fixed recipes. Adaptive management, a fundamental concept of ecosystem management, addresses this uncertainty, and provides the framework for the content of this M.Sc. course. The study program aims at:

- > an understanding and analysis of the direct and indirect effects of mankind on forests and other terrestrial ecosystems,
- > an in-depth understanding of ecological and environmental processes at various levels: cells, individuals, populations, ecosystems, landscapes and global systems, and
- > the provision of methodological knowledge and competence to design and evaluate management plans and accompanying research for a range of natural resources.

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Elective Modules: Forests and Water, Agro- and Farm Forestry, Plantation Forestry, Forests and Climate Change, Conservation Biology, Forest Growth and Silviculture, Ecological Modelling, Non-timber Forest Products and Bioresources, Forest and Resource Inventory, Forest-Atmosphere Interactions. In addition, students can select elective courses from the other M.Sc. Programs offered at the Faculty.

Application

The application forms and the official deadline are available at www.fem.uni-freiburg.de

OVERVIEW	
M.Sc. PROGRAM	FOREST ECOLOGY AND MANAGEMENT (FEM)
LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION	ENGLISH
DURATION	2 YEARS
TOTAL NUMBER OF CREDITS	120 ECTS
BEGINNING OF THE COURSE	WINTER SEMESTER (OCTOBER)
STUDY FEE	500 EURO PER SEMESTER
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	• VERY GOOD KNOWLEDGE OF ENGLISH (TOEFL 600/250) • B.S.C. OR EQUIVALENT IN FORESTRY, ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES, AGRICULTURE, OR RELATED FIELDS



experience.



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