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VP128 BIOS

Visiting Professor Program Academic Year 2024/2025

TEACHING COMMITMENT: 16 hours

COURSE TITLE

Zooarchaeology

TEACHING PERIOD

1st term

SCIENTIFIC AREA

Archaeological Research Methods

LANGUAGE USED TO TEACH

English

COURSE SUMMARY

The module will cover the basis of zooarchaeological research methods and their application to reconstruct human environment relationships, particularly regarding the shift from hunting and gathering to farming.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- 1. To understand the basis of faunal analysis on archaeological sites;
- 2. To gain awareness of the potential of zooarchaeological studies to understand changes in human-environment interactions.

Students will have the opportunity to gain hands-on experience on the osteological analysis of animal remains and data interpretation.

OTHER ACTIVITIES BESIDES THE COURSE

The Visiting Professor will hold at least one seminar open to PhD students from the DBIOS and Historical Studies departments.

VISITING PROFESSOR PROFILE

The successful candidate will be an experienced zooarchaeologists. Their research focus will be the use of faunal remains to understand the transition from hunting-gathering to farming.

CONTACT REFERENT

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