

Breeding, development and training of the young horse, 5 ECTS

6–18 Aug. 2007 at Flyinge National Stud, Skåne, Sweden

Regular last date for course application: 15 March

Receipt of application after 15 March (late application) is accepted, but no later than 15 April

- ✓ Are you interested in the physical and educational development of the horse?
- ✓ Do you want to learn how a horse breed can enhance important abilities of horses through genetic evaluation and selection?
- ✓ Are you interested in what diseases, health problems and defects that are important to consider, and learn about preventing healthcare through management and breeding?
- ✓ Do you want to learn about reproduction techniques and reproduction practice in horse breeding?

.....then this is a course for you!

The Master course **Breeding, development and training of the young horse** will be held as an intensive course during 2 weeks in August 2007, at Flyinge National Stud in Southern Sweden. The facilities will provide unique opportunities to obtain hands on experience during practicals on stud farm horses in between theoretical lectures. The course will also provide a unique opportunity to learn from experienced lecturers from the Equine science program at Flyinge. In addition, leading scientists from the Nordic countries will lecture in their expertise areas. For the practical part of the course, leading young-horse trainers from the sport will share their knowledge in valuation of horses.



The Master course **Breeding, development and training of the young horse** focus on the young horse; from reproduction and management of the mare, to parturition, development, training and management of the young horse for future durability. The course also covers important aspects of preventive health management, as well as the importance of a well defined breeding program for successful development of horse populations.



Prerequisites & eligible students

BSc in Veterinary Medicine, alternatively 180 ECTS (120p) of a Veterinary Medicine program, or BSc in Animal Science, alternatively 180 ECTS (120p) of an Agriculture - Animal Science program, or of any equivalent program of these. General knowledge of European horse management. Skills in English.

The course will be held within the NOVA collaboration, with SLU as the main course organizer. Max 40 students will be enrolled. Students from the Nordic countries are eligible to apply for the course. A limited number of students from the Euroleague (ELLS) universities will also be accepted.

Accommodation will be arranged at the Flyinge stud. Room cost 250 SEK per night and person in double room. Nordic students can apply for Travel Grants through Nordplus. Contact your own university administration or NOVA.

Further Information

For more information go to: <http://www.nova-university.org/novadb/courses/subjhome.php?s=NIMC>

The course outline is found at: <http://www.slu.se/?id=386&Kurskod=HV0032&engelska=true&soksprak=E>

If you have questions concerning the course, please contact: Lina Jönsson, e-mail: Lina.Jonsson@hgen.slu.se

Course organizer: Department of Animal Breeding and Genetics, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences (SLU)

Application

Application code for this course: 50027

Application form (studies in summer semester) for non-Swedish students can be ordered at:

<https://www.studera.nu/vhstemplates/EngStuderaBlankettbestallning1.aspx?id=1391>

Application for Swedish students is done at <http://www.studera.nu>

If you have questions concerning application, please contact: studexp.ultuna@slu.se