

“How to teach about biodiversity of the forest – methods of environmental education”

International course eligible for funding under the Erasmus Plus programme - KA1

- Mobility for Adult Education Staff.

The Wejmutka Białowieża Biodiversity Academy is organising an international course “How to teach adults about biodiversity of the forest- methods of environmental education”. It is a unique opportunity to learn how to run education on biodiversity of the forest for adults in one of the most precious areas of wild nature in Europe.



Date for the sessions will be: **12 - 18 October 2014**

15 - 21 March 2015

The main goals of the course are to prepare educators to their work by:

- showing various methods of teaching about biodiversity of forest habitats and importance of natural processes using Białowieża Forest as an example,
- broadening the horizons of its participants on environmental education – how to teach about nature protection and advantages of protected areas,
- presenting various didactic methods used by different types of education centres-established by state institutions and private,
- exchanging teaching problems and techniques of outdoor and indoor education for adults,
- providing an opportunity to meet like-minded educators from different countries with a common interest in teaching about conservation and popularization of Protected Areas



Course fee: 350 Euro/ course (5days x 70 Euro/day)
Accommodation and meals: 85 Euro/day (x 6 days stay)



“Biodiversity education for a sustainable future”

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Date for the sessions will be: **16 – 22 November 2014**

12 – 18 April 2015

The participants will learn about:

- the practices in education for biodiversity run by different educational institutions and centers located in protected areas;
- different educational themes specific for protected areas: conservation of biodiversity, social communication, dealing with controversial issues, sustainable and unsustainable development of protected areas;
- the role of educational centers located in protected areas will be discussed;
- the expectation of teachers and cooperation with schools in education for biodiversity.



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Other courses:

Outdoor education (5 days course)	October 2014
	February 2015
	September 2015
Ecosystem Services (5 days course)	December 2014
	June 2015
	October 2015
Public communication and negotiations in Nature Conservation (5 days course)	November 2014
	October 2015
Biodiversity Workshop: Practical Amphibian Monitoring course (5 days course)	09-15 June 2014
	June 2015
Biodiversity Workshop: Trees in public spaces (4 days course)	24–28 September 2014
	25-29 March 2015
	September 2015

For more information on courses please contact Białowieża Biodiversity Academy on: biodiversity@wejmutka.pl

If you are interested in funding from the Erasmus Plus programme we can provide you with more details on the application process.

The deadline for the application is: 17th of March 2014

More information about the Erasmus PLUS actions also on your National Agency website:

http://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/national-agencies_en.htm#NL01

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