

# Sensory Ecology



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University of Lund, Sweden

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The senses of animals are essential for every aspect of daily life. Whether detecting a mate or a prey, escaping the attentions of a predator or simply monitoring the surrounding habitat, an animal's senses are critical to its survival. To respond to the opportunities and dangers of the world quickly and effectively, each species must possess a sensory system that is uniquely optimised to its particular ecology. This "sensory ecology" has driven the remarkable range of sensory systems we find in Nature today.

Now in its second decade, the international postgraduate course Sensory Ecology is known throughout the world. The two-week course – which is limited to 40 participants – is organised by the Department of Biology at the University of Lund in Sweden. The course is held every second year in Autumn. The world's leading authorities in sensory ecology are invited to Lund to deliver an outstanding program of lectures covering all animal senses. **The next course will take place in Lund from September 20 - October 3, 2020.**

Places will be allocated on a first-in first-served basis until the maximum number of places is filled (40 places). **The application period is now open and will close when the course is full.**

Please see the course web site for application procedures, details of the course contents and other practical information:

<http://www.biology.lu.se/education/phd-studies/phd-courses/sensory-ecology>

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