

5.0 credits

30.0 h + 15.0 h

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Teacher(s) :	Vandenheede Marc ;
Language :	Français
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Main themes :	<p>1. Ethology definitions and the four questions of Tinbergen; history; behavioural mechanisms (innate and acquired); evolution of behaviour (domestication effect).</p> <p>These notions are illustrated with examples related to domestic animals and Veterinary Medicine.</p> <p>2. Ethograms General characteristics of the behaviour of most domestic species are presented, and the students are making aware of the veterinary applications.</p> <p>3. Questions about Veterinary Ethology and Animal Welfare The potential applications of Ethology to improve animal welfare is discussed during seminars based on a student group work.</p>
Aims :	<p>Understanding how a healthy domestic animal is behaving, and how to understand it.</p> <p><i>The contribution of this Teaching Unit to the development and command of the skills and learning outcomes of the programme(s) can be accessed at the end of this sheet, in the section entitled "Programmes/courses offering this Teaching Unit".</i></p>
Other infos :	<p>Written notes:</p> <p>Powerpoint presentation.</p> <p>Assessment:</p> <p>Evaluation of the group work during seminars. Oral examination with preliminary preparation.</p> <p>Contacts:</p> <p>University of Liège, Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Department of Animal Production (Veterinary Ethology and Animal Welfare)</p> <p>Bd de Colonster, 20 Bât. B43, 4000 Liège tél.: 32/(0)4/366.41.48 GSM: 32/(0)474/74.84.08 fax.: 32/(0)4/366.41.22 email: Marc.Vandenheede@ulg.ac.be</p>
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Faculty or entity in charge:	VETE