

Requirements in

Plant Stress Physiology (INTKT MN001)

MSc course

Dept of Plant Physiology and Plant Biochemistry

Faculty of Horticultural Science

Szent István University

2016/17 spring term

- The program starts on 18th February and concludes on 4th May.
- All classes are scheduled on Thursdays from 12.00 to 13.45 h, in Room A21.
- Attendance at lectures is highly advisable, as not all topics are fully covered in the textbooks available.
- Studying downloadable material from the e-learning website of the University is recommended. For further readings chapters of some textbooks covering parts of the lectures are suggested. More detailed information on these resources is shown below.
- Evaluation will be in the form of written examination on the 11th May at 12.00 in Room A21. Further dates for examination may be negotiated during the course, if needed.

Budapest, 18th February, 2017

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Topics of lectures**Plant Stress Physiology**

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| 18 th February | Introduction to plant stress physiology | I Papp |
| 23 rd February | Signaling in plant stress tolerance | I Papp |
| 2 nd March | Water deficit and drought tolerance | I Papp |
| 9 th March | Instrumental methods in plant stress physiology | T Janda |
| 16 th March | Plant nutrient deficiencies | E Bába |
| 23 rd March | Oxidative stress and hypoxia | Z Takács |
| 30 th March | Chilling and freezing stress | G Kocsy |
| 6 th April | Salt and heavy metal stress | Z Takács |
| 13 th April | Heat and drought stress during flowering | K Jager |
| 20 th April | Stress-adapted microsymbionts for plant stress-tolerance | B Bíró |
| 27 th April | Host-pathogen interactions | to be announced |
| 4 th May | consultation for the examination | |
| 11 th May | written examination | |

Selected readings:

- Downloadable material of the lectures from the e-learning system of the University
- Chapters from textbooks:

Plant Physiology eds Lincoln Taiz and Eduardo Zeiger

Chapter 25
Stress Physiology

Please note, that this textbook (3rd edition) is downloadable free from multiple sites of the internet.

Biochemistry and Molecular Biology of Plants eds Buchanan and Gruissen

Chapter 22; Responses to abiotic stress