

Syllabus

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Title	Spatial variability of environmental variables and mapping methodologies
Language	English/Italian
CFU	2
Hours	16
Program	<p>Aims The aim of the course is to provide:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - knowledge on traditional and innovative mapping methods; - practical skills in mapping of environmental variables; - ability to interpret results. <p>Contents</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Spatial variability of environmental variables: causes (anthropic and natural) and effects; - introduction to spatial data processing: traditional and innovative methods of assessing and mapping environmental variability; - basic concepts of univariate and multivariate geostatistics and geostatistical data fusion techniques; computer session on variogram modelling and production of thematic maps; case studies on spatial variability assessment in precision farming; - geomorphometric variables for production of thematic maps; case studies on soil thickness and soilscape. <p>Methods Lectures, presentation of case studies and practical activities (PC sessions using specific software).</p> <p>Expected outcome Application of the investigated mapping techniques in research projects.</p>
Evaluation: YES/NO	Yes, through practical activities.
Calendar	II semester