

February 2025

Dear Student,

Welcome to our course, “Ausgewählte Themen der Wildtierökologie” (128 804) (Topics in Animal Behavior, Ecology and Evolution). The course will be held on-site/hybrid or online-only. Please check the attached program and our webpage for more information:

<https://www.vetmeduni.ac.at/en/department-of-interdisciplinary-life-sciences/wilhelminenberg-seminar>

To receive credits for this course, the following requirements must be met:

- **Attendance:** You must attend at least 70% of the seminars.
 - If attending in person at the Wilhelminenberg (FIWI lecture hall), you must confirm your presence via signing the attendance list provided at the lecture hall for each and every lecture.
 - If attending online via Vetucation, the videoconferencing software (Collaborate) will automatically record your participation. Please make sure to log in with your real name (your student account), as we will otherwise not be able to credit your future reports.

- **Report:** You are required to write a report in English (approximately 2 pages) on the two lectures that you found most scientifically interesting. This should include a clear and concise summary of the talks (their aims and results) in your own words, along with the reasons for your choice.
Please send this report **within 4 weeks after the last seminar talk of recent semester** (for SS 2025 deadline will be 23rd of July) to Leitung.KLIVV@vetmeduni.ac.at .

Enjoy the course!

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