



ÉCOLE D'ÉTÉ

Species traits: a functional approach to biodiversity, from organisms to ecosystems

GRADUATE COURSE

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- 1. Presentation of concepts and theory related to functional plant traits**
- 2. Analysis of traits at organismal, community and ecosystem levels (including relationship to ecosystem function and ecological services)**
- 3. Examples of use for study of global change and land use change**
- 4. Presentation of available data banks and their correct use**