

Study programmes 2023-2024

Faculty of Social Sciences

Block view of the study programme	Or	Th	Pr	Au	Cr
Block 1					
Compulsory courses					
HTRA0016-1 <i>Thesis</i> - Tatiana ART, Fany BROTCORNE, Vinciane DESPRET, Pascal PONCIN, Christine SERVAIS, Véronique SERVAIS	TA	144	84	-	12
HSTG0022-1 Internship - COLLÉGIALITÉ, Véronique SERVAIS - [40h Internship]	TA	-	-	[+]	2
Module 1: Introduction to animal ethology (15h TH 9h PR) 1 credit					
 Core curriculum Humans among other living things (Fany Brotcorne) Social ethology and ethological methods (Fany Brotcorne) Physiology of sense organs in domestic mammals (horses, dogs, cats), in relation to their beha Physiology and ethology of dogs (Cl. Diedrich) Practical exercises in ethological observation 1 (Fany Brotcorne) Practical exercises in ethological observation 2 (Fany Brotcorne) 	aviour	(T. A	.rt)		
Module 2: Acting respectfully: practicing interactions with animals (1 credit)					
 Core curriculum Animals and philosophy, V. Despret (3h TH) ¿Animal mediation and relations with nature; section Creating collaborative spaces with horses (Guillaume Antoine) Principles of learning in dogs: from operant conditioning to phenomenology, B. de Villers and ¿Equine mediation section Learning theories applied to horses (Marc Pierard) - 9h TH Learning theories applied to horses (Marc Pierard) Practical application - 9h PR Elements in mounted work for option 2 (Patrick Guilmot) - 3h PR 	d V. Ij	osen (3h TI	H 6h F	YR)
Module 3: Structures that link us to animals: culture, imagination and communication (1)	2h TH	I, 12h	PR)	1 cre	dit
 Core curriculum Animal law, Vincent Chapaux (3h TH) Anthropology of human-animal communication, V. Servais (3h Th) Empathy in inter-species relations: a psychological and phenomenological approach, M. Vida Continuation of the section chosen from: ¿Animal mediation and relationships with nature'' section Mindfulness and relationships with animals, P. Guilmot (6h PR) ¿Equine mediation; section Techniques and sensitivity relationships with horses (Patrick Guilmot) - 6h PR 	l (6h '	ГН, б	h PR)	I	
Module 4: Animal mediation systems and their assessment (18h TH, 6h PR) 1 credit					
 Core curriculum Ethics and animal welfare, Claire Diedrich (3h TH) The problem of evaluation in animal mediation projects, V. Servais (3h TH) The multiplicity of animal mediation systems in institutions, B. de Villers (3h TH) Homework: reading (9h TH) Animal mediation systems and evaluation: seminar (3h PR) Continuation of the section chosen from: [Animal mediation and relations with nature section Overview of interventions involving animals, particularly dogs, A. Mignot (3h TH) Queryiew of activities involving animals, particularly horses, A. Mignot (3h TH) 					
Module 5: Mediation and collaboration spaces (15h TH, 9h PR) 1 credit					
Core curriculum - Introduction to mediation, Ch. Servais (2h TH) - Conference on animal mediation, V. Servais (1h TH)					

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- Sociology of animal mediation systems, Jérôme Michalon (3h TH)
- The notion of intermediate space in animal mediation and relationships with nature, V. Servais (3h TH)



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University certificate in animal mediation and connections to nature

- The construction of an intervention framework involving animals and/or nature, B. de Villers (3h TH)
- A critical history of animal confinement, V. Pouillard (6h TH)
- Further reading (6h PR)

Module 6: Continuation of the section chosen from:

Animal mediation and relationships with nature component]

- Eco-psychology and relationships with nature (18h TH, 30h PR) 2 credits
- Horses, nature and Snoezelen, L. Farine (6h PR)
- Introduction to environmental psychology, N. (3h TH)
- Ecotraining and ecopsychology, G. Lauters (6h TH, 6h PR)
- Centred walking and the experience of nature in nature, L. Farine (3h TH, 12h PR)
- Practical exercises and seminar on critical analysis of our relationship with nature (6h TH, 6h PR)

Equine mediation section

- Horses, nature and Snoezelen (Laurence Farine) 6h PR
- Ethology of the horse (Marc Pierard, Patrick Guilmot) 18h
- Gestalt therapy and equine mediation (Veerle Maes) 9h
- Equine mediation accounting for trauma (Veerle Maes) 9h
- Where neuroscience meets equine mediation (Charlène Leconstant) 6h

Module 7: Practical openings and experience sharing (24h TH) 1 credit

Core curriculum

- Systemic approach to support and animal mediation, C. Picqueray (3h TH)
- Working with horses in rehabilitation, G. Senterre, Hippopassion (3h TH)
- Animals and the psychology of trauma, including violence and abuse, B. de Villers (3h TH)
- Autism and pony mediation: methods for free interactions, A. Lorin de Reure (3h TH)
- Educational farms and animal mediation (3h TH)
- Working with animals other than dogs and horses, V. Ipsen (3h TH)

Continuation of the section chosen from:

¿Animal mediation and relations with nature; section

- Working with your dog using a psychotherapeutic approach, N. Fossier-Varney (6h TH)
- ¿Equine mediation; section

Equine mediation and professional experience (Patrick Guilmot) - 6h TH

Module 8: Reflective practice and analysis of professional situations (24h TH) 1 credit

Core curriculum

- Critical autobiography of our relationships with animals, throughout the year (12h TH)

Continuation of the section chosen from:

¿Animal mediation and relationships with nature; section

- Supervision (Bénédicte de Villers) 6h TH
- Analysis of group professional situations, Constant Picqueray (3h TH)
- Exercise on professional positioning (Véronique Servais) 3h TH
- ¿Equine mediation; section
- Supervision 6h TH
- Intervision (Sylvie Drèze) 6h TH