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## Highlights

### Postgraduate course "Animal Movement Analysis" (5-10 July 2015)

*The course content is relevant for students studying movement in a broad range of taxa and environments, however there is an emphasis on birds in the guest lectures and the course exercises (based on an existing set of bird tracking data). Students will learn about the strengths and weaknesses of different tracking technologies for diverse taxa in terrestrial and marine environments. For more information and to register, please click [here](#).*

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#### 1. Workshops / Meetings / Symposia

- **Conference Rhizosphere 4: "Stretching the Interface of Life"** (21-25 June 2015) @ Maastricht, The Netherlands. For more information, please click [here](#).
- **Conference on Spatial Ecology & Conservation** (13-15 July 2015) @ University of Bristol, UK. For more information, please click [here](#).

- **27th International Congress for Conservation Biology (2-6 August 2015)** @ Montpellier, France. For more information, please click [here](#).
- **Wageningen Soil Conference (23-27 August 2015)** @ Wageningen University, The Netherlands. For more information, please click [here](#).
- **Evolutionary Demography Society 2015 Annual Meeting (5-7 October 2015)** @ Lunteren, The Netherlands. For more information, please click [here](#).
- **Euromarine Foresight Symposium: "Future Coast – Europe" (5-7 October 2015)** @ Berlin, Germany. For more information, please click [here](#).
- **Zoology Conference (8-9 October 2015)** @ Amsterdam, The Netherlands. For more information, please click [here](#).
- **Model-IT Symposium (11-14 October 2015)** @ Wageningen, The Netherlands. For more information, please click [here](#).
- **Ecosystem Services Partnership Conference (9-13 November 2015)** @ Stellenbosch, South Africa. For more information, please click [here](#).
- **Conference: Adaptations Futures - Practices and Solutions (10-13 May 2016)** @ Rotterdam, The Netherlands. For more information, please click [here](#).
- **5th International EcoSummit Congress on Ecological Sustainability (29 August – 1 September 2016)** @ Montpellier, France. For more information, please click [here](#).

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## 2. Courses

- **Animal Movement Analysis (5 - 10 July 2015)**. For more information and registration, please click [here](#).
- **iDiv Summer School "Biodiversity Synthesis" (23 – 29 August 2015)**. For more information and registration, please click [here](#).
- **SETAC Summer School "The use of trait-based approaches in Community Ecology and Stress Ecology" (14 - 25 September 2015)**. For more information and registration, please click [here](#).
- **Life History Theory (27 September – 2 October 2015)**. For more information and registration, please click [here](#).
- **Summer School "Agent-based Modelling in Ecology" (28 September – 9 October 2015)**. For more information and registration, please click [here](#).
- **In-depth Course Genotype by environment interaction, uniformity and stability (19 – 23 October 2015)**. For more information and registration, please click [here](#).

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## 3. Position Announcements

- For job openings, check [our website](#).

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#### 4. Other News

- **NWO Visitor's Travel Grants.** Researchers in the Netherlands can apply for a visitor's grant for highly qualified senior researchers from abroad who hold a PhD. With this grant these researchers can stay in the Netherlands for a maximum of four months. For more information and application click [here](#).

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