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eLIFE – news on life at LIFE

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Final deadline for editorial changes is Wednesday before publication of eLIFE on Thursday.

Editorial changes may occur in relation to the online newsletter.

As regards links in the newsletter, please refer to the Danish online version at the faculty's website http://www.life.ku.dk/Maalgruppe/medarbejdere/life_internt/nyhedsbrev.aspx

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Life at LIFE

Meet us – visits, guided tours and talks at LIFE

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Many people want to come and see the "Royal Veterinary and Agricultural University" which enjoys a reputation of being a really good place to visit. When groups contact us to arrange a guided tour, they normally express a particular interest in the gardens, the main building designed by Bindesbøll and "something to do with animals".

To make it easier for potential visitors to see what we offer, we have set up a special website under Meet us at http://www.life.ku.dk/moed_kvl/rundvisninger.aspx

If you have any ideas for talks or guided tours which may interest the general public and which you would like to organise, then please send an email to glb@life.ku.dk or call 323 88.

Those organising the talks and guided tours are free to decide on the scope, timing and contents of their events. The new website is simply intended as a way of marketing all such events.

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You can hear Professor Birger Lindberg Møller on the P1 radio station on 9 and 16 August (Thursdays) at 11.30 am

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What is bioethanol supposed to be good for, how do we safeguard food standards and what are the prospects for plants and people? Professor Birger Lindberg Møller, Department of Plant Biology, will give his answers to these and other questions on the P1 radio programme Vita.
The programme will be broadcast over two Thursdays (9 and 16 August) at 11.30 am.
Professor Birger Lindberg Møller will also be talking about plants as green factories and the possibility of growing genetically modified crops organically.
The programmes will be repeated on 10 and 17 August at 9.0 pm and 5.30 am, respectively.

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Announcements

Editing of new course presentations (course websites) – course/workshop on Tuesday 14 August and Wednesday 22 August at 1.00 - 4.00 pm

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IT is holding a course/workshop on the editing of course presentations on Tuesday 14 August and Wednesday 22 August at 1.00 to 4.00 pm in IT teaching room H60, at the library (DVJB).
The door will be open during the time specified, and everyone is welcome to participate.

Register here

Guidelines on the editing of course presentations can be downloaded here.

http://itlc.kvl.dk/Nyheder/2007/kursuspraesentationsworkshop.aspx

In addition to the formal course description, all LIFE courses have a *course presentation*. See all your course information at kursusinfo.life.ku.dk. The course presentation is an informal way of promoting a course, the

target group being potential course participants. A course presentation is automatically created for all existing courses. The presentation allows teaching staff to profile their courses. Up until the summer of 2007, the course presentation was referred to as the course website – this designation no longer exists.

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Rules on how and when to use the University of Copenhagen name in public debates

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The University of Copenhagen management team and the Rector's Office have approved a set of rules governing the use of the University of Copenhagen name and logo.
The rules emphasise the freedom of speech of staff and the desire that everybody should take an active part in the communication of research results and public debates. At the same time, guidance is provided concerning the use of titles, academic degrees, workplace and the use of the University of Copenhagen design programme. See the rules at http://www.ku.dk/regel/2/2075.html

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See who to contact about what at Communications – LIFE's central communications unit

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At the LIFE website (Danish version) under *Fakultetsservice – Kommunikation* – you will find a wheel illustrating all the various services offered by LIFE's central communications unit. Simply click on a topic to see who to contact for further information and assistance.
http://www.life.ku.dk/om_KVL/organisation/administration/kom.aspx

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Are you thinking about letting a room or a flat for a short period of time? Please contact LIFE's housing coordinator

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We currently need 40 rooms to be able to house all our international students and guests in the autumn term. They are usually very down-to-earth and friendly, and also very grateful and excited about their visit to Denmark.

Most of our international students will be arriving between 15 August and 1 September and will be staying until the end of January or the end of June 2008.

Should you have a room or a flat which could be let for one of these periods, please contact our housing coordinator Charlotte Simonsen on 32078. You will then receive information material and practical information.

Charlotte Simonsen, Buildings, csn@life.ku.dk

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Education

Thinking about studying abroad? Come to International Market Day at the University of Copenhagen, Monday 10 September 2007 at 1.00 - 4.00 pm

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Are you thinking of studying abroad?
Courses, traineeships, fieldwork – there are lots of opportunities all over the world!

The University of Copenhagen's International Market Day offers a chance to talk to representatives of international institutions and organisations and to meet several of our international partner universities. The International Office and the international student counsellors from your faculty can also help you to identify relevant courses etc. abroad so that you know what to apply for and when to apply.
At the small café you can read about the experiences of other students from the University of Copenhagen who have been studying abroad.
The market day is held in *Festsalen* at Frue Plads. The participating institutions will all be manning small stands offering guidance and information material.

Monday 10 September at 1.0 - 4.00 pm in *Festsalen* at Frue Plads - see poster

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Dan David Prize: Call for Nominations & Scholarships 2008

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Dan David Prize, Tel Aviv, Israel:
Call for Prize Nominations 2008 - Nominations deadline 30 November 2007

Call for Scholarship Applications 2008 - Applications deadline 31 March 2008

Read more at www.dandavidprize.org or in the folder here.

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Studying at Brown University, USA, spring 2008 – Apply by Monday 17 September

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In collaboration with Denmark's International Study Programme (DIS), the International Office is offering students at the University of Copenhagen the opportunity to study at Brown University in Providence, Rhode Island, USA, in spring 2008.
See the call Studieophold ved Brown University, et semester i det akademiske år 2008/2009
and the application form here.
Please note that the deadline for applying is 17 September 2007.

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Graduation ceremony on Saturday 6 October – Please register by 6 September with DSR

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True to tradition, a graduation ceremony will be held for all "new" graduates from the Faculty of Life Sciences on Saturday 6 October 2007. The ceremony will be organised by LIFE and DSR to mark – in a festive and formal manner – the end of many years of studies. The programme starts with a brief welcome at 2.00 pm in one of the lecture halls in the Marble Hall. Guided tours of many of the exciting collections, gardens and research facilities at LIFE will then be organised, followed by coffee and cake. The more official part of the programme starts at 4.00 pm with photographs, speeches, songs and the presentation of telegrams by the rector. The day concludes with a buffet. The day is an excellent opportunity for graduates to celebrate their exams together with their relatives in the proper setting.

The price is DKK 100 per graduate, including three relatives. Additional relatives pay DKK 100.

To register, pay by giro to:

De Studerendes Råd
Dyrlægevej 9, 1870 Frb. C
Giro number 803-1150.

To facilitate planning please state your name, address, study number and email address clearly as well as the number of relatives attending.

The final deadline for registering is 6 September 2007.

See you there!

For further information, please contact: dsrdimis@dsr.kvl.dk. or the Secretariat at tel. 35 28 21 54. You can also visit our website:

http://netforum.dsr.kvl.dk/perl/guide/www.dsr.kvl.dk/DSR/udvalg/dimis

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Research funds etc.

See the online version at
http://www.life.ku.dk/Maalgruppe/medarbejdere/life_internt/nyhedsbrev/forskningsmidler.aspx
Here you will find all calls with active links