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 of Mountain areas*

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16th June 2011 → **"Exhibition of minerals, rocks and soils"** at the Edolo Campus of the Faculty of Agriculture

From 16th June to 5th October 2011 → **"Photographic exhibition – the search for the (in)visible"** at the Edolo Campus of the Faculty of Agriculture

From 15th July 2011 → **Enrolment for A.Y. 2011/2012**

20th September 2011 at 5pm → Meeting with prof. Previtali about the **"Exhibition of minerals, rocks and soils"** at the Edolo Campus of the Faculty of Agriculture

For further details see below

News

2011/2012 ENROLMENT

**You can enrol for the academic year 2011/2012
from 15th July to 17th October 2011**

INFORMATION:

For further information about the Mountain University please:

- consult our site www.valmont.unimi.it where you can find information about the course and the study plan, accommodation, photos of university life in Edolo and download the 2011/2012 brochure;
- contact the Secretary in Edolo **Tel. 0364.71324** - **E-mail corso.edolo@unimi.it**;
- visit our campus during the times specified below (please contact the Secretary's Office at least the day before);
- take part in the next OPEN DAY of the Faculty of Agriculture on **15th September 2010** at 9.30 a.m. at the Main Hall C03 in Milan.

OPENING TIMES OF THE EDOLO CAMPUS DURING THE SUMMER:



- *Until 30th September 2011:*
from Monday to Friday from 9.00 a.m. to 4.30pm
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- *Closed: from 15th to 19th August inclusive
8th September (patron saint of Edolo)*

(to visit the Edolo Campus please contact the Secretary's Office at least the day before);

ENROLMENT PROCEDURE:

The enrolment procedure is as follows:

- Deposit the first instalment with Banca INTESA SANPAOLO using the [payment form \(cod.04\)](#); the bank will give you a code to prove you have paid;
- Access the procedure "ENROLMENT" at the self-service terminals or [via WEB](#);
- Insert all the required information and book an appointment to present the documents in Milan;
- The procedure will provide the enrolment application, in two copies, with the necessary information filled in.

SCHOLARSHIPS

For scholarships please see page <http://www.unimi.it/studenti/tasse/1147.htm> where you can find information regarding taxes for various courses, procedures and deadlines for declaring financial situation, requirements and procedures for exemption from taxes and contributions. You should also see the [CIDI](#)s Consorzio Pubblico Interuniversitario site where you can find details of 2011/2012 scholarships.

ENROLMENT IN INDIVIDUAL COURSES

As of 15th July you can enrol in individual courses.

Those interested can attend up to two courses in each academic year, take the exam and receive certification. To take part you need to have a high school diploma. For further information on courses available [CLICK HERE](#)

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NEW UNDERGRADUATE COURSE HEAD

Prof. Giuseppe Carlo Lozzia was elected as the new Head of the Undergraduate Course in Conservation and Sustainable Development of Mountain areas on 21st July 2011 .

We would like to thank prof. Franco Sangiorgi for his efforts over the last two years and wish prof. Lozzia all the best for the next three.

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THE FACULTY OF AGRICULTURE HOSTS TWO EXHIBITIONS

The Mountain University based at the Faculty of Agriculture of Milan University at its Edolo Campus is hosting two exhibitions with free admission.

• “PERMANENT EXHIBITION OF ROCKS, MINERALS AND SOILS”

The exhibition is organized according to the progression from minerals to rocks and then to the soils which are the basis for all anthropic, agricultural, forestry, industrial, infrastructural activities.

The monoliths present in the exhibition show profiles and photos of soils typical of the Valle Camonica and many other alpine valleys.

OPENING TIMES

From Monday to Friday

9.00-12.00 2.30-5.30

Closed: from 15th to 19th August inclusive

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20th SEPTEMBER 2011: PRESENTATION OF EXHIBITION OF ROCKS, MINERALS AND SOILS

On Tuesday **20th September 2011 at 5pm** prof. Previtali will be explaining all about the permanent exhibition of minerals, rocks and soils” The meeting is aimed at teachers and students of all ages. School trips will be organized in order to create an interest in the natural resources of alpine mountains in the local community, in particular students and young people, from play school to university.

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“PHOTOGRAPHIC EXHIBITION – THE SEARCH FOR THE (IN)VISIBLE”

(IN EDOLO FROM 16 JUNE TO 5 OCTOBER)

The exhibition is a trip into the minute, a meeting point between photography and science. It offers a view of the invisible world through images from the research laboratories and archives of the Interdepartmental Centre of Advanced Microscopy of Milan University.

OPENING TIMES

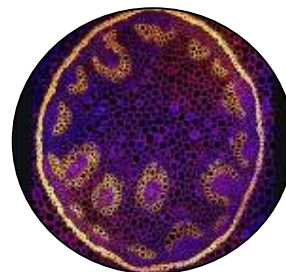
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22 JULY 2011: I GRADUATION SESSION A.A. 2010/2011

Friday 22nd July 2011 the Undergraduate Course Edolo Campus hosted the 1st Graduation Session of the Academic Year 2010/2011. The Commission, chaired by Prof. Franco Sangiorgi, assessed the final theses of 2 candidates:



Donati Marzia (Ponte di Legno - BS)

Thesis: "Intervention to reduce glacier melting: the case of the Presena glacier"

Supervisor: Giuseppe Carlo Lozzia ((Department of Protection of Food, Agriculture and Urban systems and Biodiversity)

Pelizzari Stefano (Sarezzo - BS)

Thesis: "Investigation into the sustainability of livestock farming in Valle Trompia"

Supervisor: Alberto Tamburini (Department of Animal Science – Agricultural Zootechny Section)

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Extra activities

NATURE AND MOUNTAINS... ON SHOW

On Thursday **16th June 2011** at the Faculty of Agriculture – Edolo Campus there was the event **NATURE and MOUNTAINSON SHOW.**

Guest visitors included **Marisa Porrini** Head of the Faculty of Agriculture, **Vittorio Marniga** Mayor of Edolo, **Mario Maisetti** Province of Brescia Councillor and **Gian Maria Rizzi** of Brescia Chamber of Commerce.



After the presentation of the "*Permanent exhibition of rocks, minerals and soils*" by **Franco Previtali** and **Martino Occhi** and of the "*Photographic exhibition – the search for the (in)visible*" by **Claudia Ricci** and **Umberto Fascio** participants visited the two exhibitions.

For further information see the section *News* and our site www.valmont.unimi.it

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Ge.S.Di.Mont

IDEAS FROM SILICON VALLEY



On Monday **27 June 2011** prof. **Mario Belotti**, professor at Santa Clara University, Silicon Valley, California (USA) gave a seminar entitled **"Development programmes for "marginal" areas: ideas for local situations from global experiences"**. organized by the Interdepartmental Centre Ge.S.Di.Mont at the Faculty of Agriculture – Edolo Campus. Prof. Belotti talked to students, young people, aid workers and businessmen about his long and important experience in activities which support social and economical development in "marginal" areas of the world, extrapolating working solutions for local problems

At <http://www.gesdimont.unimi.it/home.html> you can find the audio recording of the seminar.

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A MEETING ABOUT SAFETY IN AGRICULTURE IN EDOLO

The initiative **"SAFE WORK IN AGRICULTURE: AN OPPORTUNITY FOR INVESTMENT"** was held on Friday 1st July 2011, at the Faculty of Agriculture Edolo campus,

The free meeting, organized by the **Interdepartmental Centre GeSdiMont**, in collaboration with Systems & Services, a company that deals with health and safety in the workplace, explained to a large group farmers and forestry operators the Consolidated Health and Safety at Work Law (still known to many as 626) and the principle of prevention in order to prevent carelessness, negligence and uncertainty exacerbating the risks of a reality which already may in itself be dangerous.

Dr. Fabrizio Lela of Services & Systems, Dr. Gianmauro Speziari of A. S.L. Vallecamonica Sebino of Safety in the Workplace Sector and Valentina Casarini student of the undergraduate course in Edolo who is doing an internship regarding safety in agricultural mechanization were the guest speakers.

Given the success of the initiative in the coming months more training sessions for professionals working in agro-forestry and livestock sectors will be organized.

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Val.Te.Mo. Association

PROJECTS

A CIELO APERTO

The project, funded by the Ministry for Youth, is headed by the province of Sondrio and involves the Province of Brescia, Lombardy ERSAF (Regional Agency for Agriculture and Forestry Services) and the Consortium of associated management of Lakes Iseo, Moro and Endine. The project's aim is to promote safety in the mountains in particular among young people.

The Val.Te.Mo Association conducted a survey of the student population on the relationship between young people and the mountains involving 700 students from the first to the fifth year of High School in Valtellina and Vallecamonica who responded online to a questionnaire specifically designed to assess how much teenagers

know about risks that can occur in the mountains.

The association will also be carrying out interviews in summer 2011 in conjunction with the workshops organized as part of the project. These interviews will be filmed and a video made that will be shown in the final event of the project which will be held at the end of December over the Christmas period

INTRODUCTION TO THE "ALBERGO DIFFUSO" IN UPPER VALCAMONICA

A few days ago saw the end of a series of meetings which presented this ambitious project to the citizens of the six municipalities of the Upper Camonica Valley (Monno, Incudine, Vezza d'Oglio, Vione, Temù, Ponte di Legno). The main objective of the meetings was to illustrate the characteristics of the structure, management methods and the advantages and benefits that its introduction would bring to the economy of the Upper Valley.

The meetings started in Monno on May 13th last year, and were followed by the setting up of information desks "Infopoint AD" to provide further information about the "ALBERGO DIFFUSO" .

Further activities will be carried out in July and August. The results will then be processed by the month of September, in order to assess interest in this new activity.

The project has received financing from the Fondazione della Comunità Bresciana, the Union of Municipalities of the Valle Camonica, the Comunità Montana di Valle Camonica and BIM.

HERB GARDEN ENLARGEMENT

The garden of medicinal plants created in 2010 was recently expanded with a small field of berries. After planting raspberries, blackberries, red and white currants, gooseberries and blueberries, irrigation was installed. Currently the students involved are gathering information on the plants in order to set up information panels.

In addition, in collaboration with Istituto Superiore Meneghini in Edolo some seeds of medicinal plants and tinctorial plants were bought. These plants, grown in a greenhouse, will subsequently be used for practice in the laboratory and for a further extension of the existing garden.



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News about us...

This month:

Pianeta Università – Teletutto Puntata del 26 July 2011 ore 20.15 [CLICK HERE](#)

TG1 online - 10 July 2011 [CLICK HERE](#)

La Repubblica Supplemento Settimanale - 30 June/6 July 2011 [CLICK HERE](#)

"Con il "Manager della montagna" i territori montani prendono quota!" - Bergamo Sostenibile May/June 2011 [CLICK HERE](#)

"Un'esposizione tra natura e montagna" pubblicato dal quotidiano - Giornale di Brescia 16 June 2011 [CLICK HERE](#)

Edition of TGR Buongiorno Regione Raitre 7.30 a.m. of 15 June 2011 [CLICK HERE](#)

We also invite you to see page http://www.valmont.unimi.it/italiano/course/dicono_di_noi.html where you can find all the articles published regarding the Undergraduate Course.

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15th to 19th August 2011.***

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Have a good summer holiday!

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