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NEXT EVENTS:

Monday 5 November 2012 → Seminar **"Young farmers in the mountains: a real prospect?"** organized by Interdepartmental Centre Ge.S.Di.Mont.

Wednesday 7 November 2012 → Seminar **"Introduction to tourism economics and in particular to issues related to the development of mountain areas"** organized by Interdepartmental Centre Ge.S.Di.Mont.

Friday 9 November 2012 → Seminar **"Protected Designation of Origin products, from farm to fork. Organic products, national legislation and enforcement"** organized by Interdepartmental Centre Ge.S.Di.Mont.

Monday 12 November 2012 → Seminar **"Hydrogeological instability and land use in alpine valleys"** organized by Interdepartmental Centre Ge.S.Di.Mont.

Tuesday 13 November 2012 → Seminar **"Lifelong learning and digital innovation for the Mountain University"** organized by Interdepartmental Centre Ge.S.Di.Mont.

Wednesday 14 November 2012 → Seminar **"Tourism: the basic characteristics and main trends in demand"** organized by Interdepartmental Centre Ge.S.Di.Mont.

Wednesday 21 November 2012 → Seminar **"The tourist industry and sustainability"** organized by Interdepartmental Centre Ge.S.Di.Mont.

Friday 23 November 2012 → Seminar **"Honey in the Alps: the qualitative characteristics of organic and conventional production"** organized by Interdepartmental Centre Ge.S.Di.Mont.

Tuesday 27 November 2012 → Seminar **"The use of open source GIS software for territorial data bank processing"** organized by Interdepartmental Centre Ge.S.Di.Mont.

Wednesday 28 November 2012 → Seminar **"Strategies and tools to promote mountain areas"**

organized by Interdepartmental Centre Ge.S.Di.Mont.

Wednesday 28 November 2012 → Seminar "**Smells and scents in sensory communication**" organized by Interdepartmental Centre Ge.S.Di.Mont.

Wednesday 5 December 2012 → Seminar "**Organizational models of self-government in the Alps: historical bases for autonomy**" organized by Interdepartmental Centre Ge.S.Di.Mont.

Wednesday 5 December 2012 → Seminar "**Focus areas: winter and summer mountain tourism, gastronomic tourism, ecotourism and tourism in protected areas, hiking**" organized by Interdepartmental Centre Ge.S.Di.Mont.

Tuesday 11 December 2012 → Seminar "**Activities related to agritourism, national and regional legislation**" organized by Interdepartmental Centre Ge.S.Di.Mont.

Friday 14 December 2012 → Seminar "**Protection of agricultural and crop biodiversity: an opportunity for mountain areas**" organized by Interdepartmental Centre Ge.S.Di.Mont.

For further information see below

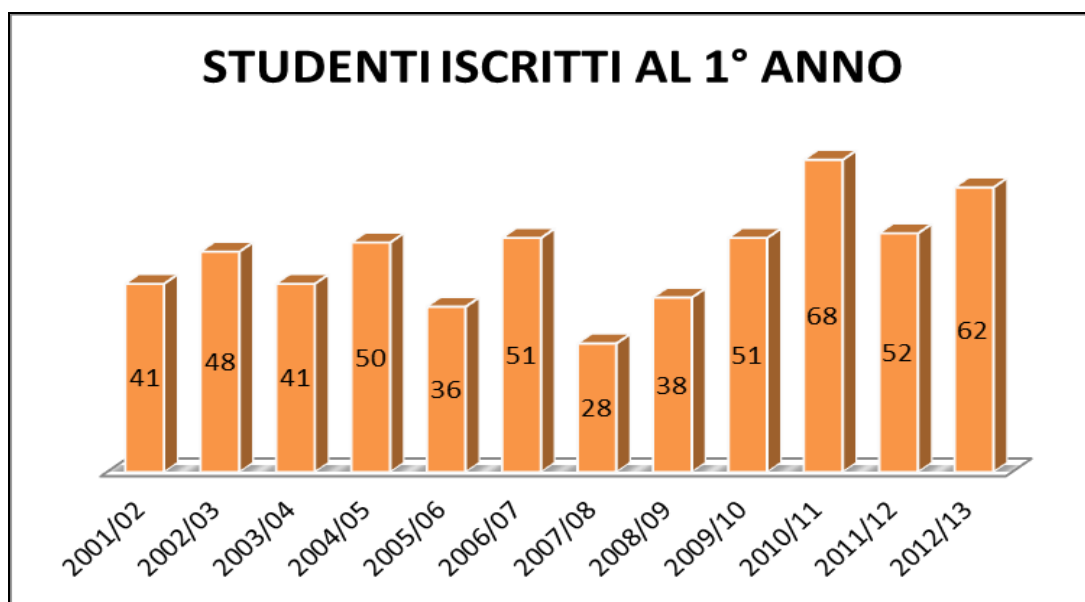
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ACADEMIC YEAR 2012/2013

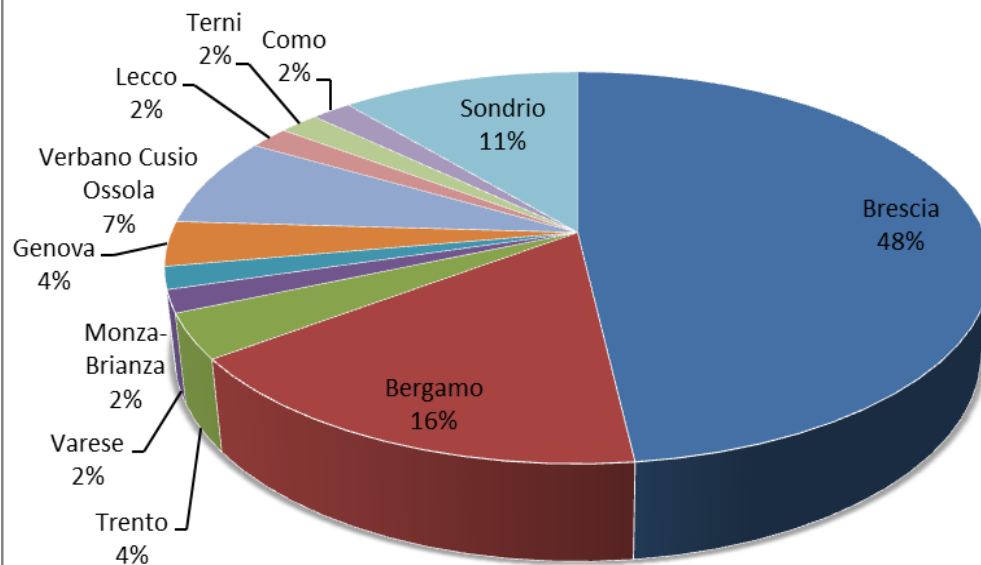
Lectures at the Conservation and Sustainable Development of Mountain areas undergraduate course started on **1st October 2012**.

62 students enrolled in the first year confirming the average of 47 over the last 12 years.



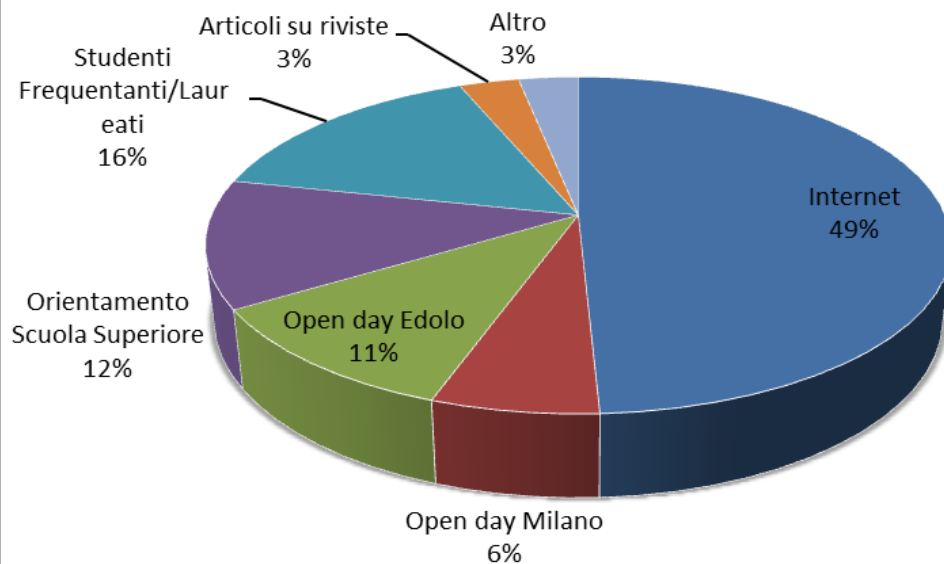
Students are from the following provinces: Brescia, Bergamo, Sondrio, Verbano-Cusio-Ossola, Trento, Genoa, Monza-Brianza, Lecco, Terni, Varese.

PROVENIENZA STUDENTI 1° ANNO



Internet was the most important means for finding out about the degree course.

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Key: Articoli su riviste = articles in magazines; studenti frequentanti/laureate=current students/graduates; Orientamento Scuola Superiore= high school career guidance; Altro= other

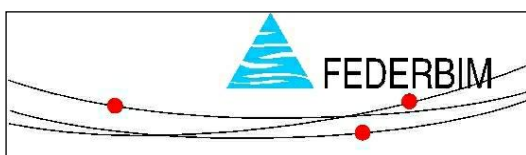
16th OCTOBER 2012: "THE ECOLOGICAL FOOTPRINT FOR THE ANALYSIS OF MOUNTAIN AREAS"



On Tuesday 16 ottobre 2012, the Mountain University hosted the Seminar **"THE ECOLOGICAL FOOTPRINT FOR THE ANALYSIS OF MOUNTAIN AREAS"** held by **Prof.ssa Antonella PIETTA** (lecturer at Brescia University) and organized by Interdepartmental Centre Ge.S.Di.Mont. (www.gesdimont.unimi.it) as part of the project **@zione Rurale**, financed by the Programme of Rural Development 2007-2013 measure 331B.

To see the Seminar [CLICK HERE](#)

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THE MOUNTAIN UNIVERSITY at the BIM FORUM

Ascoli Piceno, October 5th - The National Assembly of FederBim (National Federation of Associations of Mountain catchment areas) saw the forum "Ideas, projects and opportunities for the future for Associations of Mountain catchment areas."

On the invitation of FederBim, part of the Study Group for the agreement between the Ministry of Education and the Mountain University, Anna Giorgi and Giuseppe Carlo Lozzia, lecturers of the degree course, attended the forum presenting results and prospects of the Mountain University.

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INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION: NEWS FROM SOUTH AMERICA

Giovanna Spampinato who graduated in Conservation and Sustainable Development of Mountain areas is now in **Cajamarca**, in the north of Perú, at about 2.700 m a.s.l. where she is taking part in a program of international cooperation.

You can find out more at:

<http://www.valmont.unimi.it/italiano/home>.

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Ge.S.Di.Mont

NOVEMBER and DECEMBER 2012:

As part of the project **@zione Rurale**, financed by the Programme of Rural Development 2007-2013 measure 331B, **Ge.S.Di.Mont.** (www.gesdimont.unimi.it) is organizing a series of events in November and December at the Edolo campus (BS) in via Morino n.8.

Meetings can be followed via web. Participation via web is limited to users who have booked. We therefore invite you to contact the Secretary's Office in Edolo (Tel. 0364/71324 corso.edolo@unimi.it) to find out more.

The meetings are open to the public and free of charge

MEETINGS:

Monday 5 November 2012 – ore 18.00

Seminar: "Young farmers in the mountains: a real prospect?"

Wednesday 7 November 2012 – h.9.00

Seminar: "Introduction to tourism economics and in particular to issues related to the development of mountain areas"

Friday 9 November 2012 – h.18.00

Seminar: "Protected Designation of Origin products, from farm to fork. Organic products, national legislation and enforcement "

Monday 12 November 2012 - h.18.00

Seminar: "Hydrogeological instability and land use in alpine valleys"

Tuesday 13 November 2012 - h.15.30

Seminar: "Lifelong learning and digital innovation for the Mountain University"

Wednesday 14 November 2012 - h.9.00

Seminar: "Tourism: the basic characteristics and main trends in demand"

Wednesday 21 November 2012 – h.9.00

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Friday 23 November 2012 – h.18.00

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Tuesday 27 November 2012 – h.17.00

Seminar: "The use of open source GIS software for territorial data bank processing"

Wednesday 28 November 2012 – h.9.00

Seminar: Strategies and tools to promote mountain areas"

Wednesday 28 November 2012 – h.16.30

Seminar: "Smells and scents in sensory communication"

Wednesday 5 December 2012 – h.9.30

Seminar: " Organizational models of self-government in the Alps: historical bases for autonomy "

Wednesday 5 December 2012 – h.13.30

Seminar: "Focus areas: winter and summer mountain tourism, gastronomic tourism, ecotourism and tourism in protected areas, hiking"

Tuesday 11 December 2012 – h.18.00

Seminar: " Activities related to agritourism, national and regional legislation "

Friday 14 December 2012 – h.18.00

Seminar: "Protection of agricultural and crop biodiversity: an opportunity for mountain areas "



Associazione Val.Te.Mo

APPROVAL of PROJECT: BIO-DIVERSELY AWARE

The UPI (Union of Italian Provinces) as part of "Azione ProvincEgiovani" has approved "**Biodiversely aware - Young people and participation in the protection of rural areas**" presented by the VALTEMO Association in partnership with the Province of Brescia, the Province of Bergamo), Fojanini Foundation, Edmund Mach Foundation.

The project aims to stimulate the interest of young people towards the issues of biodiversity and the protection of mountain areas, favouring and promoting their participation in scientific debate by supporting training in specific skills in the field of sustainable development in mountain areas

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Multimedia Video

RECORDING AND BROADCASTING OF EVENTS AT THE MOUNTAIN UNIVERSITY

Also during this academic year the meetings, seminars and events of the Mountain University can be watched via streaming

This means that the activities which take place at the Mountain University can also be seen by those who cannot be actually present.

The web conferencing service, supported by the CTU of Milan University, allows you to watch live seminars and interact with the speakers.

Participation via web is limited to users who have booked. We therefore invite you to contact the Secretary's Office in Edolo (Tel. 0364/71324 corso.edolo@unimi.it) to find out more.

In addition, please note that **you can take part in the seminars offered by the Mountain University** by connecting remotely via web.

On the Undergraduate programme in Conservation and Sustainable Development of Mountain areas website, on the page dedicated to extra activities <http://www.valmont.unimi.it/italiano/studenti/calendario.html>, there are some links to seminars which have taken place over the last few months at the Mountain University.

WE'RE ON FACEBOOK!

The Mountain University has an official group on *facebook*!

To visit it, [click here](#)

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About us

This month:

"Dai campi spunta l'oro rosso. Lo zafferano camuno è realtà – published by *Bresciaoggi* 24th October 2012 [CLICK HERE](#)

"Federbim e Università della Montagna: un sodalizio strategico per i territori montani" - published by *"Federbim Notizie"* [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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