



TROPICAL BIOLOGY ASSOCIATION

# FIELD COURSES ON THE ECOLOGY AND CONSERVATION OF TROPICAL ECOSYSTEMS 2012



Leading biologists from renowned institutions teach a wide variety of topics through field practicals, lectures and discussion seminars. A unique feature of TBA courses is that they bring together biologists from the host region and Europe\* in equal numbers. This provides a rich learning environment and an excellent opportunity for exchanging ideas and making contacts.

- Increase your understanding of current concepts and put theory into practice
- Design and carry out your own research project
- Gain field experience and learn new techniques
- Collaborate with an international group of ecologists and conservation practitioners

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## TBA COURSES IN 2012

TBA 12/1 – 30 June to 30 July

TBA 12/2 – 8 August to 7 September

TBA 12/3 – 31 October to 30 November

Kibale Forest, Uganda

Amani Nature Reserve, Tanzania

Kirindy Forest, Madagascar



FOR FULL DETAILS, VISIT THE TBA WEBSITE - [WWW.TROPICAL-BIOLOGY.ORG](http://WWW.TROPICAL-BIOLOGY.ORG)

### WHO CAN APPLY?

Anyone with a keen interest in tropical ecology and conservation.

\* Students from Australia, New Zealand, the USA and elsewhere are eligible for TBA courses.

Applicants must have completed at least 3 years of their first degree by the course start date. Teaching will be at Masters degree level.

### HOW TO APPLY?

See details on the TBA website [www.tropical-biology.org](http://www.tropical-biology.org)

TBA accepts applications from students from member and non-member institutions.

Closing date for applications: 20th February 2012.

Successful applicants will be notified by the end of March.

### COURSE FEES

The TBA is a charitable organisation that subsidises all students attending its courses.

The reduced fees are:  
£600 - students from member institutions

£900 - students from non member institutions

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### SCHOLARSHIPS

Participants at European universities are entitled to British Ecological Society scholarships of £200. Scholarships are also available for other nationalities.

### GAIN CREDIT

The recommended European Credit Transfer System (ECTS) for a TBA course is 10 credits.

### CONTACT

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