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# Unifying Mathematical Models of Biodiversity

**Why are ecosystems so diverse?**

**How do species interact?**

**How do they respond to change?**

Can approaches from physics and mathematics (dynamical and probabilistic models) help answer fundamental questions of ecological theory?

This school will provide a synthetic overview of current methods and results through:

- **20 hours of lectures connecting**

- Population dynamics
- Biodiversity & coexistence
- Ecological functions & networks
- Randomness & stochasticity
- Spatial processes

- **discussions & practical sessions**

- Real-world ecology in the Pyrenees
- Testing theory in microcosms
- Links to evolution

- + **optional mountaineering activities (extra fees)**

**Apply to:**

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**by 15 March 2026**

**Fees: 750 € (early bird)**

Scholarships available

**Where: Tarascon-sur-Ariège**

French Pyrenees

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