

Master Project

Insect-Plant Interactions?

Plant Protection?

Insect Pests?

Sounds Interesting?

You are most welcome to contact us for a master project.

In the pine weevil research group at the Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences in Uppsala, we work with an important forest pest insect in Sweden. The adult pine weevil (*Hylobius abietis*) feeds on the stem of newly planted conifer seedlings, thereby causing high economic losses for the forest industry each year. Most of our research is focused on how seedlings can be better protected against damage and to understand plant-insect interactions. To do this, we conduct both field and laboratory experiments.

We are looking for YOU to join us for an independent project. You can bring ideas of your own or choose one of ours.

Starting date: spring 2018

Feel free to contact us if you are interested!

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