



Programrapport

Programmets namn: MSc Resursåtervinning	Ladokkod: KMREC
Antal högskolepoäng: 120	Årskull 2020
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Students are informed at start and during their studies that they have the opportunity to be involved both in committees and other organs at the University. They also get information that they can appeal when they think they have been handled wrongly or got a too low mark in a course. In addition, they are informed about previous year's course and program evaluations and are offered to answer at least two program evaluations and course evaluations for all registered courses. Course and program evaluations are always offered as anonymously forms written by hand or as electronic documents, but also together with group discussion in many cases.

Some important questions that came up during the discussions was that the students wanted somewhere to work and meet. They are working in the lab and many have nowhere to sit down and work, in addition they don't have a meeting area where they can get to gather.

They have some End-note, but not enough to use it

They say they need more courses in lab-work, how to behave, how to use materials etc. Both to be able to work on the thesis work and also for later in other labs.

Some smaller questions that are now changed already in the new programs as also raised, however, except for this all students were happy with the education. The general grade (1-5) was 4.1.

The examination forms are varying amongst the courses. Lectures using white board and/or power point, seminars, discussions, labs, case studies, report writing, oral presentations and study visits are mixed. In the new MSc programs starting autumn 2021 more of the parts seminars, discussions and case studies are involved. The progression could have been higher during the program, however, the background of the students starting is wide and it takes a semester to unit them and give the basic knowledge in Resource Recovery.

The program is connected to the ongoing research in Resource Recovery in many ways and most teachers are involved in research and discussing it in the courses. In addition the extensive one year thesis work also give a good connection to research. Other research around the world is also discussed in the courses.

The resources as teachers, researchers and equipment has been used as sufficient as possible. However, changes have been done for the start of the three new MSc programs replacing the current MSc program.

We as teachers, are happy to see that our students are wanted at the market and that industry values their knowledge. We are also happy to have these students with these skills as potential PhD-students (app 50% of our 30 PhD-students are former MSc students at HB) and we also know that they are wanted at other Swedish universities such as Chalmers, UMU, LTU, University of Linnaeus University etc.

This is the last program evaluation for this International MSc program in Resource Recovery and three main subjects:

Industrial biochemistry

Energy technology

Polymer technology

2021 this three new programs was started to replace the current MSc program:

Resource Recovery- Biotechnology and Bioeconomy

Resource Recovery- Sustainable Energy Processes

Resource Recovery- Polymer Materials for a Circular Economy

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