iDiv Organisation Chart

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Full Members
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Full Members (Non-Core Groups)

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Biodiversity and People
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Biodiversity Conservation
Prof Henrique M. Pereira (MLU)
Biodiversity Economics
Prof Martin Quaas (UL)
Biodiversity Synthesis
Prof Jonathan Chase (MLU)
Experimental Interaction Ecology
Prof Nico Eisenhauer (UL)
Molecular Interaction Ecology
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Physiological Diversity
Prof Stan Harpole (UFZ, MLU)
Species Interaction Ecology
Prof Tiffany Knight (MLU, UFZ)
Theory in Biodiversity Science
Prof Ulrich Brose (FSU)

Junior Research Groups

Evolutionary Ecology
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Evolution and Adaptation
Dr Renske Oonstein (UL)
Macroecology and Society
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Symbiotic Evolution
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Organisational unit

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IPB
Leibniz Institute of Plant Biochemistry
IPK
Leibniz Institute of Plant Genetics and Crop Plant Research
MLU
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MPI BGC
Max Planck Institute for Biogeochemistry
MPI CE
Max Planck Institute for Chemical Ecology
MPI EVA
Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology
UFZ
Helmholtz Centre for Environmental Research – UFZ
UL
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