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#### *M.Sc. in Conservation Biology at Faculty of Life Sciences, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia*

A 1-year M.Sc. course in Conservation Biology has commenced in December 1994 at Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia. The course consisted of course works (Conservation Biology, Field methods, statistics, computers in ecology, population ecology, conservation ethics and legislation, economics of natural resources, principles of in situ and ex situ conservation, biological diversity, etc.) and 4 months of research culminating in a short dissertation.