EVEREST students acquire 15 cp ECTS in total across their 3+ years study period. This workload has a fixed component (5 cp) and a flexible component (10 cp). Credit points are awarded according to the following rules.

In cases where individual arrangements are needed, e.g. due to fieldwork restrictions, please contact the EVEREST coordinators well in advance.

1. Fixed component (5 CP in total)
   - PhD Retreat
     o Attend (at least) once \( \rightarrow 2 \text{ CP} \)
   - Doctoral Seminar (DOSE) \( \rightarrow 2 \text{ CP} \)
     o Host 1
     o Attend 14
     o Hosting a second DOSE can compensate for 4 attendances
   - Meeting of Students in Evolution and Ecology (StEvE)
     o \( \geq 1 \) preferably oral presentation (poster optional) \( \rightarrow 1 \text{ CP} \)
     o Attendance in other years expected

2. Flexible component (10 CP in total)
   - Courses / workshops on scientific or transferrable skills [max. 7 CP accepted]
     o CP specified \( \rightarrow \) we accept these CP
     o CP not specified \( \rightarrow 1-2 \text{ d} = \frac{1}{2} \text{ CP}, \geq 3 \text{ d} = 1 \text{ CP} \)
   - Conference & project workshop attendance [max. 5 CP accepted]
     o With poster or oral contribution \( \rightarrow 1 \text{ CP} \)
     o No contribution \( \rightarrow 1-2 \text{ d} = \frac{1}{2} \text{ CP}, \geq 3 \text{ d} = 1 \text{ CP} \)
   - Teaching [max. 2 CP accepted]
     o According to official teaching load calculations \( \rightarrow 25 \text{ h} = 1 \text{ CP} \)
   - Student supervision (BSc/MSc/LA) [max. 1 CP accepted]
   - Other options [max. 3 CP accepted]
     o MNF graduate academy, \( \frac{1}{2} \) day intros \( \rightarrow 0.25 \text{ CP each} \)
     o Orga tasks (retreat, StEvE, workshop, BBQ) \( \rightarrow 1 \text{ CP} \)
     o Student representative (EVEREST, MNF, …) \( \rightarrow 1 \text{ CP} \)
     o Others (after approval by coordinator/board) \( \rightarrow 1-2 \text{ d} = \frac{1}{2} \text{ CP}, \geq 3 \text{ d} = 1 \text{ CP} \)