My name is Nina Joffard, and I am a postdoc fellow who will join the Dep. Ecology and Genetics at Uppsala University in April 2019 to work on the fragrant orchid Gymnadenia conopsea and its close relative G. densiflora. The aim of my project is to study the consequences of coexistence between the two species on the selection exerted by pollinators on their floral traits, particularly on scent. I will conduct my first field season in June - July 2019 in the island of Öland and I am looking for students interested in doing a research internship to help me in the field. Fieldwork will include morphological measurements, floral scent sampling, hand-pollination experiments and pollinator catches.

As an intern, you will join us in the field for a few weeks and write a short report. You will get 10, 15 or 20 credits depending on the number of weeks you will participate in the project (course code: 1BG363, 1BG364, 1BG365). Travel and accomodation will be covered by the project. Please contact me at nina_joffard@hotmail.fr if you are interested or if you need more information. I look forward to reading from you!