

INTERNATIONAL COMPANION ANIMAL WELFARE CONFERENCE

Twentieth Annual Conference





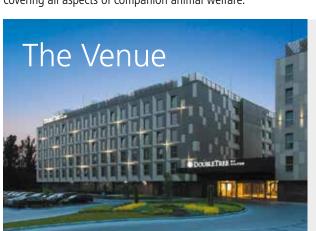
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The ICAWC vision

ICAWC has one simple goal; to work together so that every dog and cat gets the love and care they deserve. Around the world, many companion animals desperately need help and that's why we provide a platform to help raise awareness of these issues. Sharing ideas. Learning about best practices. Inspiring us all to change for the better. Let's get together and make a difference.

ICAWC Heads to Poland

For 2018, we are excited to be visiting Krakow for the first time. Many of the presentations appear on the programme as a result of requests made by you, both via the feedback forms or by email. We look forward to meeting new delegates and welcoming back old friends and can guarantee a full programme covering all aspects of companion animal welfare.





The DoubleTree by Hilton is located in the beautiful city of Krakow and is situated outside of the historic Old Town but is easily accessable by a 10 minute taxi journey. On the doorstep of the hotel you will find a park and a shopping mall featuring a range of retail outlets and restaurants.

We have negotiated a discounted rate for delegates but if for any reason you would prefer to stay elsewhere, please email our Polish agent Agnieszka Bryk at agnieszka.bryk@symposium.pl for details.



EU Dog & Cat Alliance Meeting

The 8th meeting of the EU Dog & Cat Alliance will be held at ICAWC on Tuesday the 9th of October. The meeting will cover EU issues such as the dog and cat trade, breeding and illegal importations. The meeting will only be open to members of the EU Dog & Cat Alliance.

For more information about joining the Alliance for free please visit: www.dogandcatwelfare.eu/about/become-member/

EUPAAG Monday 8th October

The day before the conference starts there will be a one day seminar run by the EUPAAG group. EUPAAG supports the creation of pet advertising advisory groups (PAAGs) in EU member states to tackle the problem of inappropriate online adverts, by asking websites selling pets to adhere to voluntary minimum standards. This one day seminar will teach participants the steps required to form a successful lobby group and interact with websites and law-makers to regulate the online sale of pets. **Please note that this seminar is not part of ICAWC 2018 and must be booked separately**.

Please email **Becky Thwaites** for further details at **eupaag@bluecross.org.uk**

For more information about the work of EUPAAG visit: www.dogandcatwelfare.eu/eupaag/



2018 Programme

Programme 9th October

Meeting of E.U Dog & Cat Alliance

ROOM 1: 10:00 – 11:30am The 8th meeting of the E.U Dog & Cat Alliance (members only)

For information on becoming a member, please visit http://www.dogandcatwelfare.eu/about/become-member



Optional Workshops

*Please note that Polish translation services are not available for workshops.

ROOM 1:		ROOM 2:		ROOM 3:	
13.00 – 14.00	Ask the Expert Interactive Workshop (veterinary and	13:00 – 14:00	Canine Enrichment on a Budget — Heather Wren	13.30 – 15.00	Forever Homes & Alternative Lifestyles; Being Creative to
	behaviour)	14.00 – 15.00	The Nose Knows: Fun Scentwork		Give Cats What They Need –
14.10 – 14.30	MediMark Sponsor Workshop;		in the Kennel Environment –		Vicky Halls
	Infection Control within an		Alasdair Bunyan	15.00 – 15.30	BREAK
	Animal Shelter	15.00 – 15.30	BREAK	15.30 – 17.00	Shelter Medicine – Paula
14.40 – 15.00	Animal Housing by TECHNIK, Sponsor Presentation	15.30 - 17.00	How to Submit a Successful Grant — Craig Rooney &		Boyden & Maggie Roberts
15.00 – 15.30	BREAK		Harry Eckman		
15.30 – 17.00	A Dog's Journey; Behavioural				
	& Operational Advice for				
	Designing Your Shelter –				
	Matt Taylor, Lisa Cooper				
	& Heather Wren				

Programme 10th & 11th October	*Simultaneous translation from English to Polish will be available for all talks
The Social Laboratory; 11 Ways Social Media Testing Can Transform Your Fundraising	Mark Cook
Telemedicine for Dogs in a Remote Mayan Community; A New Look at an Old Probler	n Elena Garde
Welfare Friendly Catching in CNVR Projects	Alasdair Bunyan
Changing Your Country, One Dog at a Time	Svetlo Petrov & Nadia Stancheva
Recognising & Managing Compassion Fatigue	Zoe Belshaw
Dogs Trust Freedom Project; A Pet Fostering Service for People Fleeing Domestic Abuse	e Clare Kivlehan
Smart IT Tools for Dog Population Management	Marta Kopach
From French Teacher to Running an Animal Shelter	Danuta Mikusz-Oslislo
Why Your Organisation Needs a Strategic Plan; A Simple, Practical, Guide on How to C	Create One Harry Eckman
How Developing Your Emotional Intelligence Can Improve Animal Welfare	Vicky Halls
Disaster Response and Management; Rescue on the Slopes of Bali's Erupting Mount A Emergency Response Programme	Agung & Rabies Maria Bjorning, Gyde & Gusti Ngurah Bagus
The Future of Animal Welfare	Mike Arms
All the Challenges of a New Clinic, From Fundraising to Building	Sara Turetta
Fostering as an Alternative to Traditional Shelters	Achala Paani
Animal Welfare at the Heart of Rescue & Rehoming	Sean Wensley
Implementing Change; A Government Supported Mass Rabies Vaccination Programme	e in Kabul Dr Abdul-Jalil Mohammadzai
How do You Tell A Starving Man to Feed His Dogs? The Challenges of Animal Welfare Up	oliftment in Rural Africa Keith Dutlow & Lisa Marabini
International Rehoming	Paula Boyden
Welfare Impact of Housing Cats Together	Sarah Heath
Assessing Dogs; Listen with Your Eyes	Heather Wren
Making the Most of Your Volunteers	Lisa Cooper
Learning with Dogs; An African Approach to Animal Welfare	Adrienne Olivier







Evening & Optional Activities

Welcome Reception



Tuesday 9th October, 7:00pm

Complimentary Welcome Reception at the DoubleTree by Hilton, Krakow

We invite you to join us on the opening night of the conference for our Welcome Reception at the hotel in the Warsaw rooms on the ground floor. Please join us for a chance to mix with other delegates in a relaxed and informal setting.

Optional Gala Dinner

Wednesday 10th October, 7:00pm

Optional Gala Dinner at Dwor Tomaszowice

Guests will be taken by coach to the Tomaszowice Manor, a historic nineteenth century park and estate situated just outside Krakow city, where you will enjoy a drink before sitting down to a 3 course meal.

After falling into disrepair, an intense restoration was undertaken between 1997 – 2000 to restore the site's rustic and historic character.

Price: €50 per person to include transport, 3 course meal and drinks



Krakow City Sightseeing Tour

Friday 12th October Optional Tour

The tour of the Old Town begins with a brief visit to the old Jewish district of Kazimierz. The group will then stroll to Wawel Hill, over which towers the Royal Palace with it impressive arcaded Renaissance courtyard and the famous Gothic cathedral. The group will then visit the oldest university college — the Collegium Maius, and finish the tour in the heart of Krakow at the Main Market Square; the largest medieval square in Europe.

Duration: Half day, 9am-1pm

Price: €22 per person

Inclusions: Guide, entrance tickets to the Royal Chambers, the

Cathedral, St Mary's Church and transportation.



How to Book

You can book online at www.icawc.org or by completing the registration form in block capitals and returning to:

ICAWC, C/O Dogs Trust Worldwide, 17 Wakley Street, London, EC1V 7RQ, UK Email: icawc@dogstrust.org.uk

Agent Bank Details:

Please use the reference with your payment: your name + ICAWC2018

Bank Details and Form of Payment:

Bank Name: Alior Bank S. A.

Account Name: Symposium Cracoviense

IBAN Code: PL28 2490 0005 0000 4600 8819 2807

Swift Code: ALBPPLPW

VAT REG. NUMBER: PL6762061612

Free animal handling equipment at the conference!

SNIP International, Cats Protection and MDCExports Ltd will again be donating items of humane, specialist equipment for use in trap/catch-neuter-return programmes outside the UK. Application forms will be available at the conference. You can view the entire range of MDC products on the website, www.mdcexports.co.uk. Only a limited selection will be available at the conference.







International Grants and Training Programme

If you would like to apply for grant funding or arrange for specialist training to support your organisation's needs, please contact us at international@dogstrust.org.uk or visit our website: www.dogstrustworldwide.com for more information.

The Organiser

Founded in 1891, Dogs Trust is the UK's largest dog welfare charity, and now has 21 Rehoming Centres throughout the UK and Ireland. Dogs Trust believes that no healthy dog should be destroyed and last year looked after over 15,000 dogs. Our mission is "to work towards the day when all dogs can enjoy a happy life, free from the threat of unnecessary destruction". We work with like-minded international animal welfare charities; offering support, advice, training and grants.



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THE TWENTIETH INTERNATIONAL COMPANION ANIMAL WELFARE CONFERENCE

9-11 October 2018 – DoubleTree by Hilton Krakow, Poland

REGISTRATION FORM

Please complete ONE FORM PER PERSON and return to:

ICAWC, c/o Dogs Trust Worldwide, 17 Wakley Street, London EC1V 7RQ, ENGLAND email: ICAWC@dogstrust.org.uk or to book online visit www.icawc.org

Title/Family name	First name							
Name of Organisation								
Email Dietary requirements: vegetarian \square vegan \square other \square								
CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FEE €60 per person (for organisations with income under €10 million) €120 per person (for organisations with income over €10 million)								
Accommodation at: Hampton By Hilton, Krakow, Poland Single - €100 ☐ Double/Twin - €112 ☐								
Check in Date								
Arrival and Departure Information:								
Arrival date Flight number Flying from Arrival time								
Departure date Flight number Flying to Dep. time								
Transfer one way (up to 4 people) €29								
Transfer one way (up to 6 people) €35 ☐ Arrival ☐ Departure								
Optional Programmes and Payment:	Optional Programmes and Payment:							
Tuesday 9th October Registration fee per person	€60 (organisations under €10 million income)							
	€120 (organisations over €10 million income)							
Accommodation (full payment required in advance) – Please include all nights in your amount	€							
– 8th Meeting Of the E.U Dog & Cat Alliance	FREE (Members Only)							
- FREE SPONSOR WORKSHOPS (please indicate which workshops)								
☐ Infection Control Within an Animal Shelter ☐ Animal Housing								
– ALL OTHER WORKSHOPS CHARGED AT €10 EACH								
\square Ask the Expert \square How to Submit a Successful Gran	nt \square Canine Enrichment on a Budget \square The Nose Knows							
☐ A Dog's Journey ☐ Forever Homes & Alternative Lifestyles ☐ Shelter Medicine								
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Wednesday 10th October – Gala Dinner at Dwor Tor	maszowice €50 per person							
Friday 12th October — Optional sightseeing to	ur €22 per person							
Optional airport transfer to/from the Hampton by Hill	Iton, Krakow See pricing above							
(Payable at time of booking to confirm reservation)	Total Amount							
Please indicate which method of payment you are using: Payment taken in Euros.								
Bank Transfer (for bank details see over) Credit Card: VISA Mastercard								
To make payment by credit card, please email: Agnieszka Bryk at agnieszka.bryk@symposium.pl for details.								
<u>Dogs Trust Promise</u> : For over 50 years, we've promised to never put down a healthy dog. We keep our promises, and that includes treating your personal details with care. <u>Data Analysis</u> : In order to communicate with you more effectively, better understand your preferences and ability to support our work, we may analyse your data. <u>Data Sharing</u> : We do share your information within the Dogs Trust Group (currently Dogs Trust Worldwide,								

Dogs Trust Ireland and Dogs Trust Promotions).

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- International Companion Animal Welfare Conference (ICAWC)
- Overseas Behaviour or Education workshops
- International Training Programme (ITP)