



**INTERNATIONAL COMPANION
ANIMAL WELFARE CONFERENCE**

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**CALLING ALL ANIMAL WELFARE WORKERS ACROSS THE WORLD
Join ICAWC 2018 in Krakow, Poland**

If you are interested in animal welfare and want to be instrumental in the direction it takes in your country and across the globe, then don't miss out on the **International Companion Animal Welfare Conference (ICAWC) 2018** being held in Krakow, Poland from 9th-11th October 2018.

2018 is the twentieth ICAWC which has become the leading conference of its kind, providing a platform where hundreds of delegates working in the field of dog and cat welfare can network, exchange knowledge and gain support from like-minded delegates.

25 speakers from across the world will be presenting on topics such as:

- Training and Behaviour
- Population Control
- Veterinary Matters
- Education
- Fundraising

Dogs Trust Chief Executive and ICAWC President, Adrian Burder, comments:

"We are delighted that ICAWC will be visiting Krakow for the first time. We are looking forward to welcoming back old friends and meeting those that have not attended before. I think that anyone who has attended in the past would agree that ICAWC offers a fantastic opportunity for those working in dog and cat welfare to share ideas, and talk to like-minded people from across the world. We are very much looking forward to ICAWC 2018 and are confident that it will be a huge success."

The conference is to be held at the Double Tree by Hilton, Krakow, Poland. The conference registration fee is €60 per person or €120 per person for those from organisations with an annual income of over €10m per annum. Delegates can register online at www.icawc.org.uk or contact Lucy James, ICAWC, 17 Wakley Street, London EC1V 7RQ, UK. Email ICAWC@dogstrust.org.uk

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The International Companion Animal Welfare Conference was developed by its organisers with the belief in working towards a world where no healthy companion animal is destroyed for want of a caring home with responsible owners.

Mission Statement:

The International Companion Animal Welfare Conference (ICAWC) is dedicated to:

- Elevating the level of care for companion animals
- Promoting positive animal welfare legislation
- Developing and promoting educational programmes to encourage better understanding, appreciation and care of companion animals
- Assisting animal welfare organisations in strengthening their projects
- Providing a platform for the interchange of ideas that impact on companion animals
- Through "Strength in Numbers" making the world a better place for companion animals