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JOINT EAST AND WEST CENTRAL EUROPE



ISAE REGIONAL MEETING

Vienna, Austria, September 25-26, 2009

We would like to invite you to the next joint meeting of the East Central and West Central Europe Regions of the International Society for Applied Ethology, which will be held in Vienna, Austria on September 25-26, 2009.

The aim of the joint regional meeting is to present and to discuss ongoing research in the field of applied ethology and animal welfare. In particular young researchers are invited to present their results and to discuss their research. The meeting is open to both members and non-members of the ISAE.

The main theme of the meeting will be "Current research in the East and West Central European region on animal behaviour and welfare". Contributions dealing with all aspects of behaviour and welfare in farm, companion, laboratory and zoo animals are welcome.

One of the main papers will be given by Adam Miklosi, Eötvös Loránd University Budapest, Hungary: Cognition in dogs (to be confirmed).

Location

The meeting will be held at the University of Natural Resources and Applied Life Sciences Vienna (BOKU, www.boku.ac.at).

Call for papers

There will be oral as well as poster presentations. Oral presentations will be restricted to a maximum of 15 minutes plus at least 5 minutes for discussion. Posters will be displayed throughout the meeting and there will be an additional poster session. Deadline for abstract submission is **July 03, 2009**. All participants will be notified about the acceptance and allocation of their presentation by July 31, 2009.

Abstracts

Abstracts should be sent by email to michaela.buertlmair@boku.ac.at using the abstract submission form attached to this announcement. Abstracts must not contain more than **300 words**, excluding title, author's name(s) and first author address. References should not be cited in the abstract.

Time schedule

July 03, 2009	deadline for abstract submission
July 31, 2009	notification about acceptance and allocation of presentations
Sept 15, 2009	final registration deadline
Sept 25-26, 2008	joint regional meeting

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Registration & costs

Conference fee is 50 € for students, 70 € for others. This fee includes the conference materials, coffee breaks, lunch on both days and dinner on September 25th, 2009.

Conference web page

The conference website will be available from June 3, 2009 at <http://www.nas.boku.ac.at/nuwi.html>

Looking forward to meeting you in Vienna,

Christoph Winckler

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