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CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Dear Colleague

Abstract submission for the WBC-2012 will be open from September 1st until October 15th.

We hope to receive submissions from researchers and practitioners alike.

ONLINE REGISTRATION will be available from October 1st.

Visit our website www.wbc-2012.com and follow us on Facebook www.facebook.com/wbc2012

Best regards

João Cannas da Silva
Chairman of the Organizing Committee

José Luis Feio
Vice Chairman of the Organizing Committee

Latin American Buiatrics Association

The XV Latin American Buiatrics Congress was took place in Uruguay this June which used to be organized every two years. The attendance was of 400 delegates from 8 countries. During the opening ceremony an award was delivered by Dr. Pablo Videla to Dr Ramiro Oballe from Peru, who has had a brilliant activity working in the Buiatrics and buiatrics field in Latin America.

The next Latin American Buiatrics Congress will take place in Ecuador in May 2013.

En Uruguay se realizó durante el mes de Junio de 2011 el XV Congreso Latinoamericano de Buiatria, como sucede cada dos años. La concurrencia fue de 400 asistentes. En el acto inaugural se otorgó el premio Dr. Pablo Videla al Dr. Ramiro Oballe Morante de Perú por su destacada participación en el campo gremial y científico de la Buiatria Latinoamericana

El próximo Congreso Latinoamericano se realizará en Quito, Ecuador en Mayo de 2013

Chilean Buiatrics Society

The contribution fee regarding the XXVI World Buiatrics Congress , Santiago 2010 was delivered to the World Buiatrics Association. Many thanks to all of you for attendance and for the cooperation with us.

Se entregó el aporte a la WAB correspondiente al XXVI Congreso Mundial de Buiatria de Santiago 2010. Se agradece a todos por su asistencia y colaboración.

NATIONAL BUIATRICAL CONGRESSES

Country	Name of the association	Website	Congress
United States of America	American Association for Bovine Practitioners	www.aabp.org	<p>Date: September 22-24, 2011 <i>Site:</i> St. Louis, Missouri. <i>Subjects:</i> 44th Annual Conference of the American Association of Bovine Practitioners <i>Name of the organizer:</i> AABP</p>
Hungary	Hungarian Association for Buiatrics	www.mbuiatrikus.org	<p>Date: October 12-15, 2011 <i>Site:</i> Sümeg <i>Subjects:</i> Various <i>Name of the Organizer:</i> HAB E-mail: szenci.otto@aotk.szie.hu</p>
Ireland	Cattle Association of Veterinary Ireland	www.veterinaryireland.ie	<p>Date: October 14-16, 2011 <i>Site:</i> Rochestown Park Hotel, Douglas, Co. Cork. <i>Subjects:</i> Cattle Association of Veterinary Ireland, Annual Conference. <i>Name of the Organizer:</i> Cattle Association of Veterinary Ireland E-mail: info@eventplus.ie</p>
Austria	Austrian Association for Buiatrics	www.buiatrik.at	<p>Date: November 3, 2011 <i>Site:</i> St. Pölten Date: November 4, 2011 <i>Site:</i> Raumberg-Gumpenstein <i>Subjects:</i> Various <i>Name of the organisation:</i> AAB</p>

France	French Association for Buiatrics	www.buiatricsforum.com	<p>Date: November 16-18, 2011 <i>Site:</i> Palais du Pharo, Marseille <i>Subjects:</i> Various <i>Name of the Organizer:</i> FAB E-mail: secretariat.sfb@orange.fr</p>
United Kingdom	British Cattle Veterinary Association (BCVA)	www.bcva.org.uk	<p>Date: November 24-26, 2011 <i>Site:</i> Southport Theatre and Convention Centre <i>Subjects:</i> Various <i>Name of the Organizer:</i> BCVA</p>
Chile	Chilean Buiatrics Society	http://www.dplweb.cl/buiatria/	<p>Date: November 24-26, 2011 <i>Site:</i> Ozorno <i>Subjects:</i> X National Buiatrics Congress <i>Name of the Organizer:</i> CBS</p>
Japan	Japanese Society of Farm Animal Veterinary Medicine	//jsfavm12.umin.jp/index-e.htm	<p>Date: February 3-4, 2012 <i>Site:</i> Sapporo Convention Center, Sapporo <i>Subjects:</i> International symposium on worldwide infectious diseases of farm animal in production medicine; prospective and perspective <i>Name of the Organizer:</i> Mr. Keiji YAMASHITA Kinki Nippon Tourist Hokkaido Co., Ltd. Sapporo Corporate Travel Branch Sapporo Panasonic Bldg.4F, N-3 W-1 Chuo-ku, Sapporo, Japan 060-0003 Fax: +81-11-280-2732 Tel : +81-11-280-8855 E-mail: keiji-y933211@knt-h.co.jp</p>
Spain	Asociacion Nacional de Especialistas en Medicina bovina de Espana	www.anembe.com	<p>Date: April 18-20, 2012 <i>Site:</i> Santander <i>Subjects:</i> XVII Congreso Internacional ANEMBE de Medicina Bovina <i>Name of the Organizer:</i> ANEMBE E-mail: anembe@anembe.com</p>



EBF 2011 - European Buiatrics Forum organized by the French Buiatrics Association

The European Buiatrics Forum is an opportunity for practitioners, teachers, research workers and pharmaceutical industry to meet, learn together, and share ideas and experiences.

Dates: 16-18 November 2011

Site: Palais du Pharo, Marseille, France

Main topics:

- Mastitis disorders
- Reproductive disorders
- Surgery, anaesthesia and pain management in cattle
- Infectious diseases, vaccines and emerging diseases
- Metabolic diseases
- Parasitology

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<http://www.buiatricsforum.com/ebf2011information.html>

First Announcement

**International symposium on worldwide infectious diseases of farm animal in production medicine;
prospective and perspective**

*Hosted by the Japanese Society of Farm Animal Veterinary Medicine affiliated to Japan
Veterinary Medical Association, Tokyo, Japan*

*Supported by Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research (2011) from Ministry of Education,
Culture, Sports, Science and Technology, Japan*

*Jointly held with Annual Conference of Japan Veterinary Medical Association in Sapporo,
February 3rd to 5th, 2012*

Date: February 3rd and 4th, 2012

Venue: Sapporo Convention Center, Sapporo, Japan

Message from the organizing committee

In production medicine, it is important to eliminate risk factors that affect negatively on productivity of farm animals. Infectious diseases are serious problems for the cattle industry. In order to improve the productivity, herd size has been increased in recent years. Thus, once the pathogen invades such large sized farms, it results in serious economical loss.

The prevalence of infectious diseases depends on the geographical characteristics of feeding places, manner of spread of pathogens, control methods in each country, and some other factors. The abnormal weather has been reported worldwide and international trade of farm products is on the increase. There are more opportunities for the pathogen to spread across the borders today. The accurate knowledge and understanding of prevailing status of infectious diseases are absolutely imperative for the establishment of their control methods. Bovine paratuberculosis, bovine viral diarrhoea virus infection, bovine neosporosis and leptospirosis are among the major infectious diseases which reduce the productivity of cattle industry and controlling these diseases is one of the main challenges facing the veterinary profession.

This symposium will provide all the participants with current issues on the major bovine infectious diseases control worldwide. Experts from Europe, North America, and East Asia are invited for their special presentations. Participants are encouraged to contribute their short papers at oral communication session. All who are interested in bovine infectious diseases are cordially invited to join and contribute to the success of this international symposium.

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**SUMMER SCHOOL – REPRODUCTION IN RUMINANTS
(9th – 18th July, 2012)**

Planned summer school will accept all interested students up to max. 30 of them but prerequisites are that they have finished at least 10 semesters of the core curriculum at their home university. It is especially suitable to postgraduate and PhD students since it will be recognized by European College for animal reproduction and European Society for Domestic Animal Reproduction. According to its highly applicable and practical aspects, summer school is also suitable for veterinary surgeons specialized in buiatrics and reproduction. Furthermore, ESDAR will provide scholarships for the best students. All residents of ECAR and similar programs are more than welcome. Summer school will last for 10 days with lectures, seminars and practical student work at the different locations in Split and Sinj. Summer school is planned to be organized at the beginning of July 2012.

Proposed daily schedule:

8.00 – 9.00 Breakfast
9.00 – 11.00 Lectures
11.00 – 11.30 Coffee break
11.30 – 13.00 Lectures
13.00 – 15.00 Lunch
15.00 – 17.00 Lectures

Free time + preparation for next day

Proposed topics and lecturers:

Day 1. Subfertility in dairy cows

Including: metabolic disorders, ovarian disorders, endometritis

Principal: Prof. dr. Geert Opsomer

Associates: Prof. dr. Darko Gereš, Prof. dr. Damir Žubčić, Prof. dr. Marko Samardžija.

Day 2. Pregnancy loss in cows

Including: embryonic mortality, abortion, monitoring pregnancy

Principal: Prof. dr. Ottó Szenci

Associates: Doc. dr. Nikica Prvanović, dr. Boris Habrun, Prof. dr. Goran Bačić

Day 3. Management failures of dairy farms

Including: environment, welfare of the cows, organization of milking, good and bad practice, claw hygiene, mastitis.

Principal: Prof. dr. Geert Opsomer

Associates: Prof. dr. Goran Bačić, Prof. dr. Josip Kos, Prof. dr. Damir Žubčić

Day 4. Assisted reproduction in cows-current perspective

Including: scientific approach, practical approach, using of assisted reproduction as a method of biodiversity protection

Principal: Prof. dr. Urban Besenfelder

Associates: Dr. Mario Matković, Mr. Zvonko Tuček, dr. Martina Karadjole, Prof. dr. Iva Getz

Day 5. Assisted reproduction in small ruminants

Including: protocols for superovulation, cryopreservation, cryobiology, induction of oestrus, induction of ovulation, induction of seasonality

Principal: Doc. Dr. Juraj Grizelj

Associates: Dr. Silvio Vince, Branimira Ževrnja dr. vet. med.

WEEKEND

Sightseeing Split and Diokletian palace

Visit to Sinj, museum of chilvaric knights game “Alka” and studfarm “Alkarska ergela”

Day 6. Evaluation and maximizing bull fertility

Including: andrological and spermological tests, differences between management for dairy and beef bulls, management for maximizing and optimization of fertility of bulls in A.I. centers.

Principal: Prof. dr. Detlef Rath

Associates: Prof. dr. Marijan Cergolj, Prof. dr. Marko Samardžija, dr. Mario Matković, dr. Ivanka Majić Balić, Antonio Orak, dr. vet. med.

Day 7. Influence of clinical disease on reproduction in cows

Including: recognition and avoiding clinical disease and stress in dairy farming, providing excellent environment for dairy cows, influence of stress on health, production and reproduction of dairy cows

Principal: Prof. dr. Hilary Dobson

Associates: Prof. dr. Geert Opsomer, Prof. dr. Marko Samardžija, Prof. dr. Marija Vučemilo, dr. Kristina Matković.

Day 8. Practical work at dairy and sheep farm

Including: technical visit to dairy farm “Bokanjac” and private sheep farm for traditional cheese production in Drniš, analytical approach to productive and reproductive data on farm, analytics of present status.

Principal: Prof. dr. Goran Bačić

Associates: Prof. dr. Geert Opsomer, Prof. dr. Ottó Szenci, Prof. dr. Josip Kos, Prof. dr. Marko Samardžija, Prof. dr. Tomislav Dobranić, dr. Silvio Vince.

Attendance fees and scholarships for PhD students

ESDAR members (vets or non-vets) may attend one or more days of these courses, which would also be very useful for those registered for ECAR exams and applications must be sent to nikica@vef.hr at least five weeks before the intended start of summer school. The attendance fee includes an electronic copy of speakers' presentations – these are not for sale without attendance at the courses. Payment in € must be made within one week after application.

The attendance fees are:	One day:	100 €
	Two days:	150 €
	Whole summer school:	500 €

Students (including residents and PhD students) who have been Student ESDAR members for at least one year can apply for sponsorship to attend. Applications for sponsorship must be submitted through the ESDAR web site <http://www.esdar.org> at least five weeks before the intended start of summer school (first come, first served). Sponsorship will only cover attendance fees and accommodation – travel costs will remain the responsibility of the student. Many cheap airlines use either Split or Zadar.

More information about the venue of summer school could be seen in short spot:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rhmj7S3YDoU>

and part of the social weekend program could be seen in:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aTCgBF0E8zY>

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