



Recent advances in animal welfare science

UFAW Animal Welfare Conference

Birmingham Council House, 3rd July 2008

Timetable

8.30 – 9.30 Registration		
8.30 – 9.30 Poster set up		
9.30 – 9.45 Introduction to meeting:		
	JK Kirkwood UFAW, UK	Welcome to the meeting: aims and remit
9.45 – 10.35		
9.45	C Nicol University of Bristol, UK	Associations between welfare indicators and environmental choice in laying hens.
10.10	DEF McKeegan University of Glasgow, UK	Physiological monitoring of laying hens during emergency whole-house killing with carbon-dioxide gas
10.35- 11.15 Break: Refreshments		
11.15 – 12.55		
11.15	PE Honess University of Oxford, UK	Behavioural response of long-tailed macaques and their infants to changes in caging configuration.
11.40	A Dickinson University of Newcastle, UK	A comparison of manual and automated behavioural analysis methods in mice.
12.05	N Latham University of Oxford, UK	Assessing the effects of cage-cleaning frequency on welfare and health in laboratory mice (<i>Mus musculus</i>)
12.30	NJ Adams Unitec, New Zealand	Behavioural changes associated with short term captivity of wild birds: Implications for translocations
12.55 – 14.15 Lunch – poster session from 1.20		
14.15 – 15.30		
14.15	CM Sherwin University of Bristol, UK	'The elephant in the room' - The welfare of elephants in UK zoos
14.40	JJ Mettam University of Liverpool, UK	The detection and alleviation of pain in fish
15.05	N Clarke University of Bristol, UK	Preliminary evaluation of subjective scoring systems for assessment of post-operative pain in horses
15.30 – 16.10 Break: Refreshments		
16.15 – 17.20		
16.15	K Drnec University of Maryland, USA	EEG and nociceptive processing in cattle
16.35	R Casey University of Bristol, UK	The use of 'cognitive bias' as an indicator of affective state in the domestic dog
17.00	B Brilot University of Newcastle, UK	Cognitive biases in captive European starlings as welfare indicators: how best to measure them?
17.30 End		



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