

Fellow Brethren, Slaves & Companions

Human/Non-Human Animals Relations in Transformation

11 - 15 September 2017, Leiden, the Netherlands

Scientific Organizers

- Clemens Driessen, Wageningen UR
- Maria-José Enders-Slegers, OUNL Heerlen
- Marita Giménez-Candela, UAB Barcelona
- Simone Pollo, U Rome La Sapienza
- Augusto Vitale, ISS Rome

Topics

- Ethics and Law of Human/Animal Relationships
- Animal Welfare
- Lab Animal Experimentation
- Farm Animals
- Pets and Animal Assisted Interventions
- Human/Animal Bonds
- Animal Studies

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Program

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Monday 11 September 2017

Theme of the day: Human/Animal relations: general issues

- 09:00 – 09:45 Arrival, registration
09:45 – 10:00 Welcome by Lorentz Center
10:00 – 10:30 Opening by organizers: welcome and explanation of objectives
- 10:30 – 11:00 Self-introduction of participants
11:00 – 11:15 Coffee and tea break
11:15 – 12:00 **Marie Enders-Slegers** - Human-Animal Relationships, Changing Perspectives
- 12:00 – 14:00 Lunch @Snellius restaurant
- 14:00 – 14:45 **Augusto Vitale** - Animals in laboratory research: state of the art and future perspectives
14:45 – 15:30 **Marita Candela** - Animal Law: state of the art and future perspectives
15:30 – 16:00 Coffee and tea break
16:00 – 18:00 Billboard setup on the shared vocabulary and the composition of the book
18:00 Wine & cheese party @common room

Tuesday 12 September 2017

Theme of the day: Farm

- 09:00 – 09:40 **Clemens Driessen** - Question 1
Relating on the farm: experience, meaning and community, affected by technology, scale, character and place?
- 09:40 – 10:30 **Françoise Wemelsfelder** - Question 2
Where is the animal? Reflections on including the sentient being whose welfare it is.
- 10:30 – 11:00 Coffee and tea break
11:00 – 12:00 General discussion (Moderator: **Steve Cooke**)
- 12:00 – 14:00 Lunch @Snellius restaurant
- 13:00 – 16:00 Working group
16:00 – 16:30 Coffee and tea break
16:30 – 18:00 Report back from working group session

Wednesday 13 September 2017

Theme of the day: Lab

- 09:00 – 09:40 **Simone Pollo** - Question 1
Scientific knowledge as a form of human/animal bond.
- 09:40 – 10:30 **Barney Reed** - Question 2
Lab animals - 'a special case'?
- 10:30 – 11:00 Break
- 11:00 – 12:00 General Discussion (Moderator: **Theo Verheggen**)
- 12:00 – 14:00 Lunch @Snellius restaurant
- 14:00 – 16:00 Working group
- 16:00 – 16:30 Coffee/tea break
- 16:30 – 18:00 Report back from working group session
- 18:00 – 18:30 Departure by bus to workshop dinner
- 18:30 – 21:30 BBQ on the beach
- 21:30 – 22:00 Departure by bus to Hotel Van der Valk, Lorentz Center and Leiden train station

Thursday 14 September 2017

Theme of the day: Companions and AAI

- 09:00 – 09:40 **Elisa Aaltola** - Question 1
The relation between reason and emotions in everyday animal ethics.
- 09:40 – 10:30 **Francesca Cirulli** - Question 2
Human/non-human animal relationships in the context of human health and health practices.
- 10:30 – 11:00 Coffee and tea break
- 11:00 – 12:00 General Discussion (Moderator: **Mickey Gjerris**)
- 12:00 – 14:00 Lunch @Snellius restaurant
- 14:00 – 15:30 Working group
- 15:30 – 16:15 Report back from working group session
- 16:15 Departure to Public event
- 17:00 – 18:00 Public event at the 'Oude Sterrenwacht' downtown Leiden
Pim Martens - Laughing Dogs and Jealous Cats: Emotions of cats and dogs – and how they influence us

Friday 15 September 2017

Theme of the day: Future developments and Book Index

09:00 – 10:45	General Discussion on future developments and funding opportunities
10:45 – 11:15	Break
11:15 – 12:00	Jan Vaarten – Future perspectives
12:00 –	Lunch