

Tuesday morning, November 29th, 2022
Animal housing: what do you mean by enrichment?

09:00 09:05	WELCOME	SGV President
		<i>Chairpersons:</i>
09:05- 09:50	Keynote Lecture Bestial boredom: a biological perspective on animal boredom.	TBD The Royal Veterinary College, U.K
		<i>Chairpersons:</i>
09:50 10:20	Conventional laboratory housing increases morbidity and mortality in research rodents: results of a meta-analysis	Georgia Mason University of Guelph, Canada

COFFEE BREAK- INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION (30 min)

	Environmental Enrichment	Chairpersons:
10:50 11:15	Evaluation of different types of enrichment - their usage and effect on home cage behavior	Lars Lewejohann BfR, D
11:15 11:35	Effects of environmental enrichment on cancer, immunity, and aging	Lei Cao The Ohio State University, USA
11:35 11:55	The use of ball pits and playpens in laboratory Lister Hooded male rats reduces the welfare impacts of aversive procedures	Emma Robinson University of Bristol, UK
	News from the animal facilities	
11:55 12:15	CoC Charta and award	P. Jirkof or A. Bergadano CoC Network
12:15 12:20	Brief communication: Sustained Buprenorphine in CH	TBD
12:20 12:40	Pandemic disaster plan, and ethical point of view	Swiss animal facility network

LUNCH- INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION (1h15)

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Aquatics

	3R insight in research using fish models	<i>Chairpersons:</i>
13:55 14:20	How beaver construction influence fish biodiversity and migration with an animal welfare emphasis on electrofishing	TBD Ecqua GmbH, CH
14:20 14:45	Fish models are extensively used in toxicology: Invertebrate Tools, and In Vitro Alternatives to Fish	TBD University of Plymouth, UK
14:45 15:10	What Zebrafish want: can a better environment produce happier and smarter fish?	M. Lavery University of Guelph, Canada

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15:40 15:55	Small-body fish and genotyping: use of skin swabbing instead of fin clipping	TBD University of Leicester, UK
15:55 16:15	Emotional behavior in aquatic organisms? Lessons from crayfish and zebrafish	M. Soares University of Porto, Portugal
16:15 16:35	Neurosciences, Robotics and animal research: Goldfish driving robot. new insights on navigation mechanisms in animals	TBD Ben Gurion University, Israel
16:35 17:00	Big data ressource: how telemetry, data analysis and movement modelisation may help understanding navigation routes of whales	TBD University of Concepción, Chile
17:00 17:25	African Turquoise Killifish: an emerging model in ageing study	TBD Max Planck Institute for Biology of Ageing, Germany

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Tuesday November 29th 2022: SGV General Assembly at 18:00

Wednesday morning, November 30th, 2022

Communication in animal experimentation

3Rs

09:00 09:05	WELCOME	SGV President
	Communication and transparency in animal experimentation	Chairpersons:
Keynote lecture 09:05 09:35	Open Transparent Communication about Animals in Laboratories: Dialog for Multiple Voices and Multiple Audiences	L. Carbone
	Should we continue caring about communication in animal experimentation	Chairpersons:
09 :35 09 :45	Results of the Initiative vote in Switzerland	B. Ledermann President SGV
9:45 10:00	What effort was invested by the Swiss institutions and companies to inform the public about animal experimentation (comparison before and after the initiative)	European Animal Research Association (EARA)
10:00 10:20	Communicating between Peers, Authorities, and the Public (plus award)	B. Ledermann President SGV
10:20 10:40	Public interest in animal experimentation–how to make them care? Working group	M. Heimann SAVIR/SGV/FfL
10:40 10:55	Swiss transparency agreement on animal research (STAAR): what's new?	TBD SWISS UNIVERSITIES

COFFEE BREAK- INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION (30 min)

	3Rs session	Chairpersons:
11:25 11:50	The European Commission strategy on full replacement of animal experimentation in Science and Education	TBD EU Commission
11:50 12:20	PNR 79 « Advancing 3R – Research, Animals and Society »	TBD University of Vienna, Austria
12:20 13:00	Summary of the projects	Grantees presentation

LUNCH- INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION (1h15)

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How to reduce animal surplus; Rehoming of animals in Switzerland

	How to effectively reduce the number of surplus animals.	Chairpersons:
14:15 14:30	A brief overview of the animal facility statistics in Switzerland	TBD Swiss animal facility network
14:30 15:00	How can we reduce animal surplus and why can't we avoid surplus animals in GM breeding	Pawel Pelzcar University of Zürich, CH
15:00 15:20	The breeding calculator (3RCC project)	Philippe Bugnon University of Zürich, CH
15:20 15:45	High laboratory mouse pre-weaning mortality associated with litter overlap, advanced dam age, small and large litters	TBD University of Porto

COFFEE BREAK- INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION (30 min)

16:15 16:45	Re-homing, a survey of laboratory animal rehoming practice across 41 UK animal research facilities	TBD University of Southampton, UK
16:45 17:15	Re-homing of research animals in Switzerland	Paulin Jirkof - University of Zürich, CH Julika Fizzi - STS, CH
17:15 17:45	An ethical point of view of the subject	TBD

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