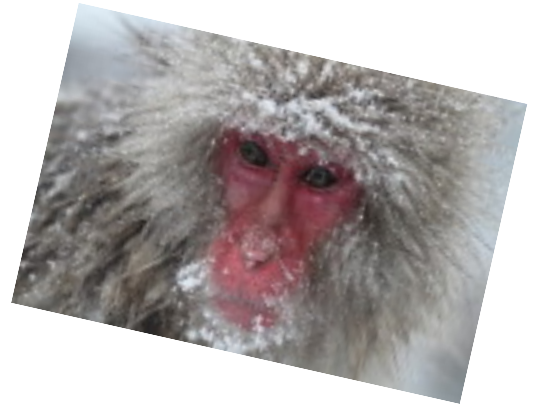


Wild Animal Welfare

Committee

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The Wild Animal Welfare Committee (WAWC) is delighted to announce a full-day virtual conference on Monday 19 April 2021 from 08:45 – 17:00 hrs BST.



It's our third conference and we have three key questions to answer!

Wild Animal Welfare: Does it matter? Can it be assessed? How can it be optimised?



This international online event will include sessions on:

- **Safeguarding wild animal welfare using the Five Domains approach**
- **The contextual nature of how we value wild animals**
- **Evaluation of wild animal welfare**
- **Interactions between animal welfare, species conservation and management, and human issues**

Confirmed speakers setting out to answer our three questions include:

Ngaio Beausoleil, Massey University, New Zealand; **Mark Jones**, Born Free Foundation; **Sarah Dolman**, Whale and Dolphin Conservation/WAWC member; **Mike Radford**, University of Aberdeen; **Heather Bacon**, Jeanne Marchig International Centre for Animal Welfare Education (JMICAWE); **Alick Simmons**, former UK Deputy CVO /WAWC member; **Becca Franks**, New York University; **Cathy Dwyer**, SRUC/JMICAWE; **Sandra Baker**, WildCru, University of Oxford/WAWC member; **Justine Shotton**, Marwell Zoo and BVA; **Jessica Findlay**, NatureScot; **Chris Draper**, Performing Animal Welfare Society /WAWC member; **Steven McCulloch**, Winchester University; **Alastair MacGugan**, NatureScot.



The event will be chaired and moderated by members of the WAWC, a charity set up in 2014 to provide independent advice and evidence about the welfare of free-living wild animals in the UK, aiming to reduce harm to animals and prevent suffering caused by human activity. For this online event, we particularly look forward to hearing views from around the world – making connections, contrasts and comparisons about how we interact with the sentient individuals who share our different environments.

Find out more about the WAWC at www.wawcommittee.org

Register for the conference at <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/8028284674528591630>

The WAWC is suggesting a contribution of £25 to attend this full day interactive conference.

However, you can attend free of charge, or make a smaller donation, by entering one of the following **DISCOUNT CODES** on the registration page:

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