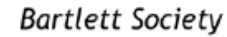


From Royal Gifts to Biodiversity Conservation: The History and Development of Menageries, Zoos and Aquariums
SYMPOSIUM PROGRAMME ~ THURSDAY 19TH MAY 2011

08:00 – 08:30	COFFEE AND TEA ON ARRIVAL		
Session Chair: Professor Gordon McGregor Reid			
08:30 – 08:45	Welcome	Dr Mark Pilgrim	Director General, Chester Zoo
08:45 – 09:00	Symposium introduction - including 75 years of the Society for the History of Natural History	Professor Geoff Moore	President, Society for the History of Natural History
09:00 – 09:30	Heini Hediger and the foundations of zoo biology	Dr Alex Rubel	Director, Zurich Zoo and Past President, World Association of Zoos and Aquariums
09:30 – 10:00	The history and development of the World Association of Zoos and Aquariums	Dr Markus Gusset	Conservation Officer, World Association of Zoos and Aquariums
10:00 – 10:30	The history and future of aquariums - a cultural and ecological perspective	Bernd Brunner	Author of "The Ocean at Home - An Illustrated History of the Aquarium"
10:30 – 10:50	MORNING BREAK		
Session Chair: Dr Markus Gusset			
10:50 – 11:20	The development of regional and national zoo associations and conservation outreach	Sally Walker	Zoo Outreach Organisation, South Asian Zoo Association for Regional Cooperation
11:20 – 11:50	The history and development of the European Association of Zoos and Aquaria: from early traditions to modern management	David Field	Zoological Director, ZSL and Chair, International Species Information System
11:50 – 12:20	The history and development of the Canadian Association of Zoos and Aquariums – managing zoos in the New World	Bill Peters	National Director, Canadian Association of Zoos and Aquariums
12:20 – 12:50	The development of zoos and aquariums as charitable organisations	Dr Miranda Stevenson	British and Irish Association of Zoos and Aquaria, Executive Office
12:50 - 13:45	LUNCH		
Session Chair: Sally Walker			
13:45 – 14:15	From captive to conservation: the IUCN Conservation Breeding Specialist Group (CBSG) and the evolving role of zoos.	Dr Onnie Byers	Executive Director, IUCN SSC Conservation Breeding Specialist Group
14:15 – 14:45	The evolution of zoos as environmental education providers	Dr Maggie Esson	Education Programmes Manager, Chester Zoo
14:45 – 15:15	The evolution of record-keeping and development of ISIS - the International Species Information System	Karin Schwartz	Biological Database Manager, Chicago Zoological Society
15:15 - 15:40	AFTERNOON BREAK		
Session Chair: Dr Maggie Esson			
15:40 - 16:10	Vets, historically the most dangerous creatures in a zoo...now out in the wild	Professor Malcolm Bennett	Director of National Zoonoses Research Centre, School of Veterinary Science, University of Liverpool
16:10 – 16:40	New information from old bones - remnants from the Tower of London menagerie	Louise Tomsett	Curator, Mammal Group, Zoology Department, The Natural History Museum, London
16:40 – 17:10	Financing the early zoo: Manchester Zoological Gardens - charitable status and selling shares	James Kiddle	Student, Biological and Forensic Sciences, University of Derby
17:10 - 17:30	Day one summary	Gina Douglas	Honorary Archivist, Linnean Society, Meetings Secretary, Society for the History of Natural History
17:30	End of day 1 - CONFERENCE DINNER AT 19:30		



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08:00 – 08:30 COFFEE AND TEA ON ARRIVAL

Session Chair: Gina Douglas

08:30 – 09:00	Arts, plants, animals, the living zoo history in Budapest	Professor Miklós Persányi	Director General, Budapest Zoo and Botanical Garden and Past Chair, EAZA
09:00 – 09:30	Doing a roaring trade: travelling menageries in 19 th century Britain	Dr Helen Cowie	Postdoctoral Research Fellow, University of Plymouth
09:30 – 10:00	The history and development of wild animal collections in Bulgaria	Dr Gabriela Petkova-Campbell	Newcastle University
10:00 – 10:30	Dublin Zoo: the long-term impact of 19th century penny visitors	Catherine de Courcy	Historian, Dublin Zoo

10:30 - 11:00 MORNING BREAK

Session Chair: Dr Graham Rowe

11:00 - 11:30	Brighton Zoological Gardens: 1832-1833	Dr Graham Rowe	Lecturer, Biological and Forensic Sciences, University of Derby
11:30 - 12:00	The Sheffield jungle 1910/11	Ian Trowell	National Fairground Archive, University of Sheffield
12:00 - 12:30	Salad, sandbags, shrapnel and sustainability: learning the lessons from how zoos and botanic gardens survived wartime challenges	Mark Norris	Education Manager, Newquay Zoo

13:00 - 14:00 LUNCH

Session Chair: Professor Geoff Moore

14:00 - 14:30	Society for the History of Natural History award presentation and AGM	Professor Geoff Moore	President, Society for the History of Natural History
14:30 - 15:00	The Robertson Museum and Aquarium at Millport's marine station: a century of compromise	Professor Geoff Moore	President, Society for the History of Natural History
15:00 - 15:30	The history of the Horniman Museum aquarium	James Robson	Deputy Aquarium Curator, Horniman Museum and Gardens

15:30 - 16:00 AFTERNOON BREAK

Session Chair: Dr Onnie Byers

16:00 – 16:30	Natura Artis Magistra, Amsterdam: strategies for a new future of a 19th century institution	Professor Erik A. De Jong	Artis Chair Culture, Landscape and Nature, Natura Artis Magistra Royal Zoo, Amsterdam
16:30 – 17:00	175 years of Bristol Zoo: reflecting on the past role of zoos as a guide to their future	Dr Jo Gipps	Former Director General, Bristol Zoo, Chair of IUCN-CBSG Advisory Committee and Past Chair, WAZA Conservation Committee
17:00 – 17:15	Conclusions	Professor Geoff Moore	President, Society for the History of Natural History
17:15 – 17:30	Closing remarks	Professor Gordon McGregor Reid	Director Emeritus, Chester Zoo, Past President, WAZA and Past President Linnean Society of London

End of symposium

WEDNESDAY 18TH & SATURDAY 21ST MAY 2011

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