



UNGULATE TAGs AGENDA

Sunday, March 26-Tuesday, March 28
Room 301CD

Sunday, March 26

9:30 am - 10:30 am

Welcome, Introductions and Ice Breaker

10:30 am - 12:00 pm

TAG Chair Updates

- Dan Beetem, The Wilds: Antelope/Cattle/Giraffe/Camel TAG
- Martin Ramirez, Woodland Park Zoo: Hippo, Peccary, Pig, Tapir TAG
- David Powell, Saint Louis Zoo: Equid TAG
- Michelle Hatwood, Audubon Species Survival Center: Deer & Caprinae TAG
- Adam Eyres, Fossil Rim Wildlife Center: Rhino TAG

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm Lunch

1:00 pm - 1:30 pm

Animal Program Designation Discussion

1:30 pm - 3:10 pm

Ungulate Scientific Management Session (20 minutes each)

- The hunt for a ruminant pregnancy test
 - Melanie Richter, Memphis Zoo, Dept of Conservation and Research
- Applying Demographic Global Data to Inform Management of Ungulate Species
 - Katelyn Mucha, Species360
- Reversibility considerations of an anti- GnRF immunological product protocol to reduce behavioral stress of 5.0 giraffe
 - Cindy Hall, Naples Zoo
- Hippos are uniquely tied to their environment and one another through their gut microbiome
 - Christopher Dutton & Amanda Subalusky, University of Florida, Dept of Biology
- A perspective on ungulate management and welfare assessment across the traditional zoo to large landscape spectrum
 - David Powell, Saint Louis Zoo, Dept of Reproductive and Behavioral Sciences

2:50 pm - 3:00 pm Break

3:00 pm - 3:40 pm

TAG Initiatives

- Ungulate Resource Group (URG)
- Marketing Team
- Ungulate Conservation Task Force

3:40 pm - 4:00 pm

Giraffe SSP Updates

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Ungulate Management Session Part 1 (20 minutes each)

- Technical Rope Techniques for Large Mammal Procedures at Disney's Animal Kingdom®
 - Kristen Wolfe, Disney's Animal Kingdom
- Everybody Play Nice Now: Managing A Bachelor Pronghorn Herd Successfully Through Rut
 - Ashley Roberts, San Diego Zoo
- Giraffe Male Herd Management
 - Rebecca McLachlan, B Bryan Preserve

Monday, March 27

8:00 am - 8:10 am

Welcome and Announcements

8:10 am - 9:50 am

Reports From the Field (20 minutes each)

- Challenges associated with remote area capture of Dama gazelles (Nanger dama)
 - Julie Swenson, DVM, Associate Veterinarian, Fossil Rim Wildlife Center
- Patagonian deer. Leading efforts to reverse the species decline: establishment of the first Conservation and Breeding Center in Patagonia, Argentina.
 - Cristian Gillet, Operaciones Zoológicas, Dirección de Operaciones Fundacion Temaikén
- Mountain Tapir Conservation Update: Ecuador
 - Liza Dadone, VMD
- CCCI- Tapir Project Update
 - Martin Ramirez, Woodland Park Zoo
- Action Indonesia Update
 - JT Svoke, Zoo Miami & Dan Beetem, The Wilds

9:50 am - 10:20 am

Giraffe Conservation Foundation (GCF)

- Stephanie Fennessy, Executive Director, GCF

10:20 am - 10:30 am

Break

10:30am - 10:45 am

C2S2 & Source Population Alliance Updates

- Adam Eyres, Fossil Rim Wildlife Center

10:45 am - 11:25 am

Working Group Breakout Session

11:25 am – 12:00 pm

Working Group Report Outs

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Lunch

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Ungulate Management Session Part 2 (20 minutes each)

- The Planning & Behind-the-Scenes for JBZ's Time to Soar Campaign: Mixed Species Habitat
 - Tim Sampson, John Ball Zoo
- Unique Challenges and Opportunities with Training in Large, Multispecies Field Habitats
 - Matt Gelvin & Nathan Olsen, San Diego Zoo Safari Park
- When to call it: Admiring the teamwork and training efforts for the well-being of the reticulated giraffe "Abi"
 - Rachel McNemee, Topeka Zoo and Conservation Center
- Hoof Health Improvement in Hartmann's Mountain Zebras at SCBI through Dietary Supplements and Substrate Modification.
 - Tara Buk, Smithsonian's National Zoo and Conservation Biology Institute

2:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Hoof Care Workshop Part 1

- Dr. Bruce Nock MS, PhD, Founder, Liberated Horsemanship
- Ann Corso, Director, Liberated Horsemanship
- Cindy Hall, Animal Operations Manager, Naples Zoo, and Certified Hoof Care Professional, Liberated Horsemanship

5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

AZA Welcome Reception

6:30 pm - 9:00 pm

TAG Waterhole

Tickets \$10.00 per person; Food, Cash Bar, Auction, and the Amazing Wheel of Misfortune

Tuesday, March 28

8:00 am - 9:30 am

AZA General Session

9:30 am - 10:30 am

Break with Exhibitors and TAG Chair Meet & Greet

Come meet the TAG Chairs! Ask questions, make suggestions and voice concerns

10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Hoof Care Workshop Part 2

12:00 pm - 12:30 pm

Wrap up and closing remarks

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm

Lunch

1:30 pm – 8:00 pm

Zoo Day

Other Ungulate Related Meetings

Monday, March 27

Giraffe SSP open office hours during lunch

Eastern Bongo SSP Masterplanning

Wednesday, March 29

Rhino TAG

Thursday, March 30

White Rhino and Greater One-Horned Rhino TAG Masterplanning