

ZRA 2010 Annual Conference At A Glance

September 29 – October 3, 2010

Calgary, Alberta, Canada



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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2010

- 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. Registration (Hotel Foyer)
- 4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. ZRA Annual Conference Training (Executive Boardroom)
****members required to attend will be notified in advance***

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2010

- 7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. ZRA Certified Records Manager (CRM)
Examination Preparation Workshop
Full Day Workshop (Sapphire Room)
- 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. ZRA 2010 Leadership Development Program
***Sponsored by Disney's Animal Programs and
Environmental Initiatives,
Wildlife Conservation Society and Saint Louis Zoo***
Closed Meeting (Sapphire Room)
- 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Lunch
ZRA Board of Directors Meeting
(Sapphire Room)
- 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Zoological Information Management System (ZIMS)
Interactive Demonstration and Use Workshop
(Sapphire Room)
Elisabeth Hunt, *Director of Training and
Technical Support, International Species Information
System (ISIS)*
Adrienne Miller, *Subject Matter Expert, International
Species Information System (ISIS)*
- 1:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Griffin Valley Ranch Horseback Riding and Wagon Ride
(Optional Event)
- 6:30 p.m. Buses Depart Hotel for Big Rock Brewery
- 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Icebreaker at Big Rock Brewery
- 9:00 p.m. Buses Depart for Hotel

Breakfast on Your Own (all sessions for today will be held in Emerald B)

- 7:15 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Registration (Hotel Foyer)
- 8:00 a.m. – 8:15 a.m. Welcome, Acknowledgements and Announcements
Calgary Zoo Executive Staff
Deanna Snell, *2010 ZRA Annual Conference Host*
Debby Martin, *2010 ZRA Annual Conference Program Chairman*
Pam Pritchard, *2010 ZRA Annual Conference Assistant*
- 8:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. State of the Association
Alan F. Rost, *ZRA President*
Elaine Huddleston, *Chairman, ZRA Membership Services Committee*
Dawn Petefish, *Chairman, ZRA Bylaws Committee*
- 9:30 a.m.–10:00 a.m. Keynote Presentation
Dr. Sandie Black, *BSC, DVM, Dip.Path, Head Veterinarian, Calgary Zoo*
- 10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. ***Break sponsored by the Columbus Zoo***
- 10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. Social Demands for Animal Records:
Ethics and Response Strategies
Sue Rock, *CRM, BA, Account Manager, The Rockfiles, Inc.*
- 10:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. Cultural Variations in the Management
of Wildlife in Captivity
Dr. Avanti Mallapur, *Ph.D., Dallas Zoo*
- 11:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. International Species Information System
(ISIS) Update and Zoological Information
Management (ZIMS) Overview
Elisabeth Hunt, *Director of Training and Technical Support*
- 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. ***Lunch sponsored by Recall North America and ZRA Recognition Ceremony (Emerald B)***
- 1:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Transportation Stress
Jennifer Woods, *Owner and Livestock Handling Specialist, J Woods Livestock Services*
- 1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. All That Paperwork From a Broker's Perspective
Lisa Lee, *Canadian Client Service Manager*
Rochelle Anderson, *United States Client Service Manager*

- 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Wildlife Permits and Cross Border Shipping Roundtable
Michael Carpenter, *Senior Biologist, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS)*, and Larry Ottman, *Manager of Operations, Wildlife Enforcement, Canadian Wildlife Service (CWS)*
- 3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. **Break sponsored by the Granby Zoo**
- 3:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Zoological Information Management (ZIMS) Interactive Demonstration and Use Workshop (Emerald B)
Elisabeth Hunt, *Director of Training and Technical Support, International Species Information System (ISIS)*
Adrienne Miller, *Subject Matter Expert, International Species Information System (ISIS)*
- 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. ZIMS and USFWS Permits (open forum)
- 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Dinner on Your Own

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2010 (ZOO DAY)

- 7:30 a.m. Buses Depart for Calgary Zoo
- 8:00 am – 9:00 noon Breakfast (The Terrace in the ENMAX Conservatory)
Sponsored by San Diego Zoo
- 9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. At Risk Species: Amphibians to Whooping Cranes
Dr. Des Smith, *Ph.D., Conservation Research Scientist, Calgary Zoo*
- 9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Beyond the Walls: Utilizing Zoo Data for Teaching and Research
Dr. Douglas Whiteside, *DVM, DVSc, Dipl.ACZM, Senior Staff Veterinarian, Calgary Zoo*
- 10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. Zoological Information Management Survival (ZIMS)
Deanna Snell, *Registrar, Calgary Zoo*
Mike Souza, *Assistant Registrar, San Diego Zoo*
Wendy Wienker, *Registrar, Woodland Park Zoo*
- 10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Association of Zoos and Aquariums (AZA) Institutional Record Keeping Course: Past and Future
Glenous Favata, *Registrar, Toledo Zoo*
Adrienne Miller, *Subject Matter Expert, International Species Information System (ISIS)*
- 11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Lunch On Your Own, Behind the Scenes Tours and Zoo Tour
- 3:00 p.m – 7:30 p.m. Silent Auction Opens (Foyer of the Terrace in the ENMAX Conservatory)
- 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Cash Bar and Appetizers

- (*The Terrace in the ENMAX Conservatory*)
- 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Dinner
(*The Terrace in the ENMAX Conservatory*)
- 8:00 p.m. – 8:45 p.m. The Secret Zoo
Kevin Strange, *Head, Conservation Outreach*
- 9:00 p.m. Buses Depart for Hotel

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2010

Breakfast on Your Own (all sessions for today will be held in Emerald B)

- 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. ZRA Annual Business Meeting
- 10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. **Break sponsored by Livingston International**
- 10:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Zoological Information Management System (ZIMS)
Interactive Demonstration and Use Workshop
Elisabeth Hunt, *Director of Training and Technical Support, International Species Information System (ISIS)*
- Adrienne Miller, *Subject Matter Expert, International Species Information System (ISIS)*
- 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. **Lunch provided for by Recall North America**
- 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Zoological Information Management System (ZIMS)
Interactive Demonstration and Use Workshop
(Executive Boardroom)
***concurrent with general sessions**
Elisabeth Hunt, *Director of Training and Technical Support, International Species Information System (ISIS)*
Adrienne Miller, *Subject Matter Expert, International Species Information System (ISIS)*
- 1:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Wildlife Permits and Legislative Updates
Lynn McDuffie, *Assistant Curator of Records, Disney's Animal Programs and Environmental Initiatives, ZRA Legislative Advisor*
- 1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. The Zoological Registrar Department: Organizational Structure, Budgeting, Staffing and Resources
Rae Lynn Haliday, *CRM, MBA, Registrar, Saint Louis Zoo*
- 2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. Developing and Implementing a Records Disposition Policy
Uta Fox, *CRM, MA, Supervisor, Compliance & Training Unit, Calgary Police Department*

2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Association of Zoos and Aquariums (AZA) Institutional Data Management Advisory Group (IDMAG) Natasha Scott, <i>Collections Registrar, Virginia Aquarium and Marine Science Center</i>
3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Break sponsored by Mersant International
3:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Animal Transactions Part III Michelle Federspiel, <i>Registrar, Ft. Wayne Children's Zoo</i>
3:45 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	2010 ZRA Salary Survey: Trends and Analysis Krista Adelhardt, <i>MS, Assistant Registrar, Saint Louis Zoo</i>
4:15 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.	Installation of New Officers Alan F. Rost, <i>ZRA President</i>
6:00 p.m.	Buses Depart for Chinook Mall (optional event) 5 Pin Bowling and/or Shopping Trip
9:00 p.m.	Buses Depart for Hotel

POSTER SESSIONS

None

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2010

7:30 a.m.	Buses Depart for Post Conference Trip to Banff National Park
9:00 am – 9:30 a.m.	Buses Arrive at Banff National Park (options include Banff Springs Hotel, Cave and Basin, Bow Falls, Whyte Museum and free time for shopping and walking)
4:00 p.m.	Buses Return to Hotel
6:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Buses Arrive at Hotel

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