‘Best practice and alternatives to animal experiments in education and training’

Organised by Ministry of Agriculture (Government of Croatia), InterNICHE & Animal Friends

Venue: Veterinary and Food Safety Directorate, Ministry of Agriculture

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Program

08.30 - 09.00  Arrivals and registration

09.00 - 09.10  Welcome – Dr Tomislav Kiš (Assistant to Minister), Dr Branka Šošić (National Ethics Committee, Ministry of Agriculture) & Maja Orešković Igrić (Animal Friends Croatia)

09.10 - 09.20  Introduction to the seminar – Nick Jukes (InterNICHE)

09.20 – 10.30  Best practice and alternatives to animal experiments in education and training – Nick Jukes (InterNICHE)

Introduction to replacement alternatives and their successful implementation, with video clips and demonstrations.

10.30 – 10.45  Questions and answers

10.45 – 11.15  Tea break

11.15 – 11.45  The advantages of alternatives – Nick Jukes (InterNICHE)

Exploring the pedagogical, ethical and economic advantages of alternatives, with reference to published studies.

11.45 – 12.00  Questions and answers
12.00 – 12.30 Progress towards replacement in Serbia – Katarina Novaković (ORCA Serbia & InterNICHE Partner)
A review of progress towards replacement in education and training in Serbia, with reflections on ethical committees.

12.30 – 12.45 Questions and answers

12.45 – 13.45 Lunch break

13.45 – 14.15 Resources to support humane education and training – Nick Jukes (InterNICHE)
An overview of the resources available to support replacement in education and training, including the content and functionality of the InterNICHE website.

14.15 – 14.30 Questions and answers

14.30 – 15.30 Multimedia Exhibition – with Nick Jukes (InterNICHE)
Exhibition, demonstrations and trial of software, models, mannekins and simulators.

15.30 – 15.45 Tea break

15.45 – 16.45 Open discussion: Strategies for development and implementation of alternatives
- with Nick Jukes (InterNICHE), Dr Branka Šošić (National Ethics Committee, Ministry of Agriculture) & Katarina Novaković (ORCA Serbia & InterNICHE Partner)

16.45 – 17.00 Review of the day and next steps – Nick Jukes (InterNICHE) & Dr Branka Šošić (National Ethics Committee, Ministry of Agriculture)

17.00 Thanks and close