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# CONSERVATION MEDICINE AND WILDLIFE HEALTH INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR

Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> and Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February, 2022

*Teramo, Campus Aurelio Saliceti  
Via Renato Balzarini 1 - Località Colleparco.*

## Provisional programme

### Thursday 17th February, 2022

- 8:30 Registration, coffee, networking.  
9:00 Official opening of the Seminar by Teramo University and Maiella National Park.

#### 9.30 Keynote Session 1.

Advanced in wildlife health and conservation medicine.

■ **Keynote lecture.** *A. Alonso Aguirre* (Chair and Professor of the Department of Environmental Science and Policy, College of Science, George Mason University, Fairfax, Virginia, USA)  
*Conservation Medics and Planetary Doctors: Transdisciplinary Teams Addressing Zoonotic Disease Emergence, Global Environmental Change, and Biodiversity Loss.*

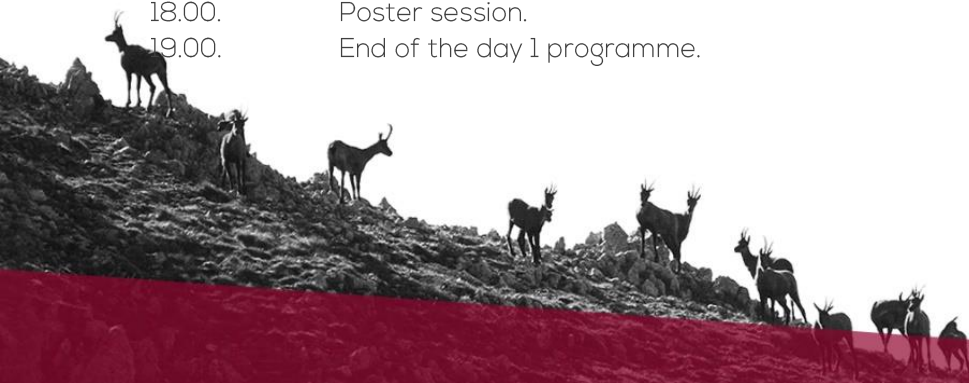
- 11.00 Coffee break  
11.30-12.50 Contributed talks  
12.50 Synthesis and discussion.  
13.15 Lunch break

#### 14.30 Keynote Session 2.

Capture and handling techniques and wildlife health research.

■ **Keynote lecture.** *Jorge Ramon Lopez Olvera* (Professor of the Department of Animal Medicine and Surgery, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Bellaterra - Barcelona, Spain)  
*Wildlife live trapping for research and conservation. The opportunity to advance in Conservation Medicine, the responsibility of animal welfare.*

- 16.00-17.20 Contributed talks  
17.20. Discussion and seminar day 1 roundup.  
18.00. Poster session.  
19.00. End of the day 1 programme.





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## Friday 18th February, 2022

### 9.00 Keynote Session 3.

Infectious and parasitic diseases and wildlife-livestock interface

■ **Keynote lecture.** *Marie-Pierre Ryser-Degiorgis* (Associate Professor and Head of Wildlife Group, Institute for Fish and Wildlife Health, Vetsuisse Faculty, University of Bern, Switzerland)

*An overview of important infectious wildlife diseases in the Alpine context.*

- 10.30-11.10. Contributed talks
- 11.10. Coffee break
- 11.30-13.00. Contributed talks
- 13.00. Lunch break.

### 15.00. Keynote Session 4.

Perspectives in ecosystem health, environmental change and human-wildlife interface.

■ **Keynote lecture.** *Christian Gortázar* (Professor of the Institute for Game and Wildlife Research I.R.E.C., Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha & CSIC, Ciudad Real, Spain)

*Environmental Change and Human-Wildlife Interface: assessing the risks of zoonoses from wildlife in the SARS-CoV-2 era.*

- 16.30-17.30. Contributed talks.
- 17.30. Discussion and seminar day 2 roundup.
- 18.00. Poster session.
- 18.30. Closing ceremony.

Please refer to the conference web site at: [www.conservationmedicineseminar.it](http://www.conservationmedicineseminar.it) for further information on the conference and the submission process.

You may also contact the organizers at [info@conservationmedicineseminar.it](mailto:info@conservationmedicineseminar.it) in case of further questions.

#### KEY DATES

- 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2021: Deadline for abstract submissions
- 14<sup>th</sup> January, 2022: Notification of acceptance/rejection
- 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2022: Deadline for seminar registration

THE REGISTRATION IS FREE (0 EUR registration fee).

We look forward to welcoming you in Teramo and in Maiella National Park!

Organizing Committee: Prof. Cristina E. Di Francesco (Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Teramo);  
Prof. Fulvio Marsilio (Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Teramo)  
Dr. Simone Angelucci (Maiella National Park, Caramanico Terme (PE), Italy);  
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