

## **ANIMAL RESEARCH REVIEW PANEL**

## MEETING FOR MEMBERS OF ANIMAL ETHICS COMMITTEES

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2011

Australian Catholic University – MacKillop Campus

Leone Ryan Auditorium, James Carroll Building, 40 Edward Street, North Sydney

## **PROGRAMME**

08:30 - 09:00	Arrival and Registration
Session 1	
09:00 – 09:05	Welcome / Introduction Prof Marea Nicholson (Associate Vice-Chancellor (Sydney), Australian Catholic University) Prof Andrew Dart (Chair, ARRP)
09:05 – 09:20	Thank you/farewell to Professor Margaret Rose Dr Regina Fogarty(Deputy Chair, ARRP)
09:20 - 09:40	Education Package Update Professor Margaret Rose (Chair, ARRP Education Steering Subcommittee)
09:40 – 10:20	Key Note Speaker Poultry in behaviour research Professor Chris Evans/Dr K-lynn Smith (Department of Biological Sciences, Macquarie University)
	Questions/discussion time
10:20 - 10:50	Morning Tea
Session 2	
10:50 – 11:05	AEC Annual Reports Professor Andrew Dart (Chair, ARRP)
11:05 – 11:50	Panel Discussion & Introduction of Case Studies:  Weighing ethical decisions against the benefits of research  Facilitated by Dr Simon Bain  Panellists: Ms Stephanie Abbott (Member, ARRP - Animal Societies Federation (NSW) Nominee)  Dr Simon Bain (Director - Office of Research Integrity, Australian National University)  Dr David Neil (Lecturer - Philosophy Program, University of Wollongong)  Dr Roger Garsia (Chairman, Sydney Local Health Network Animal Welfare Committee & Clinical Immunologist, RPAH Camperdown NSW)
11:50 – 12:40	Break-out groups Case studies allocated to groups for discussion
12:40 – 13:40	Lunch
Session 3	
13:40 – 14:25	Whole group discussion: Groups present on findings of case studies Facilitated by Dr Simon Bain
14:25 – 15:05	Key Note Speaker  Marine mammal training & behaviour  Dr David Slip (Research Biologist (Marine Mammals), Taronga Conservation Society Australia)
	Questions/discussion time
15:05 – 15:45	Electronic Meetings & Systems  Ms Ingrid Paton (Executive Officer, Charles Sturt University AEC)  Ms Margaret Wright (Executive Officer, University of NSW AEC)  Dr Karolyn White (Category "Other" Member, Macquarie University AEC)
15:45 – 16:05	Sheep Behaviour & Training Ms Donnalee Taylor (University of New England)
16:05 – 16:15	Closing Dr Regina Fogarty