Tuesday 20th March 2012
Hartpury College

Presentation 5
Upcoming conferences and how to find out about them
Dr Georgina Crossman
British Equestrian Federation
Why attend a conference?

• **Presenting**
  – Often quicker turn around than submitting a paper to a journal
  – Peer-review process
  – Direct feedback at conference can feed into other presentations or papers

• **Attending and presenting**
  – Networking!
  – Collaboration!
  – Learning experience
Things to consider?

• Presenting
  – Which conference is best?
    • Timing
    • Audience
  – Check out copyright for your paper/abstract – often different requirements for different conferences/disciplines
Upcoming conferences ...
Alltech - Hartpury Equine Performance ‘Olympic’ Conference

Wednesday 4th April 2012

Aimed at students and scientists interested in the application of emerging equine science research to promote superior performance, health, welfare and career longevity in the equine athlete under the following themes:

- Rider performance;
- Equine performance;
- Horse and rider performance; and
- Management of the performance horse

Dr Pat Harris, Dr David Marlin, Dr Andrew Hemmings, Dr Jane Murray and Mary King

Delegate cost: £20 - £40

http://www.befred.org
BSAS Annual Conference

Tuesday 24th & Wednesday 25th April
Jubilee Campus, University of Nottingham

Student programme – pm, Mon 23rd & am, Tues 24th

Equine Nutrition  Prof Pat Harris
Equine Reproduction and Health  Dr John Newcombe & Dr Jane Morrell
Equine and Animal Movement  Dr Renate Weller & Dr Thilo Pfau
Behaviour and Welfare of Captive Animals  Prof Jonathon Cooper

Discount registration extended until 30th March
http://www.bsas.org.uk/Meetings_&_Workshops/Annual_Conference/
Horses, Tourism and Leisure: continuities, transformation and change

Tourism, leisure, local development, businesses, participants and stakeholders

9th, 10th and 11th May, Saumur, France

Ingénierie du Tourisme, du Bâtiment et des Services, Université of Angers and Institut Français du Cheval et de l’Equitation

International debate between researchers specialising in Social and Human Sciences and public and private stakeholders concerned with the development of equestrian-based tourism and leisure
International Conference on Equine Exercise Physiology
Training, health, nutrition, biomechanics & physiotherapy of the performance horse
Sat 16th & Sun 17th June 2012
Aintree Racecourse
Student Poster Competition
Sessions: Equine Exercise Physiology, Nutrition, Biomechanics and Rehabilitation
Covering Eventing, Show Jumping, Dressage, Endurance Driving and Racing
http://www.iceep.org
6th European Workshop on Equine Nutrition (EWEN) 2012

Faculty of Veterinary Medicine of the Technical University of Lisbon
Satellite of the annual meeting of EAAP (Horse Commission)

Sessions include:

• Plant Physiology and its relation to feeding value
• Nutritional assessment of forage quality
• Grazing / Ingesting Behaviour
• Grazing and Pasture Management
• Impact of Harvest, preservation and storage conditions on forage quality
• Forage Feeding Systems
• Sustainable development of rural areas with horses
• Sustainable development of rural areas with horses - socio-economical aspects

Online Registration - extended Early Bird Deadline
Register until 31st of March for early registration discount
About WCPAS IX:
• Leading keynote speakers from the world of Sport Performance Analysis
• Cutting edge applied science & research on all aspects of sport & performance
• Interact and develop academic friendships through research
• Abstract deadline 2nd April 2012
• Registration now open
• Attend to present & learn...
• Attend to listen & learn...
• Attend to make new friends...& learn!

Relevant abstracts accepted already:
• A preliminary investigation into the effects of jumping saddle design on rider posture. Cassie White & Lauren Birkbeck (UK)
• The effects of rider specific Pilates on rider position from a lateral view: a six week study. Eleanor R. Boden, Charlotte Brigden & Hayley Randle (UK)
• Anthropometric and fitness characteristics of female Novice, Intermediate and Advanced level Event riders. Jenni-Louise Douglas, Mike Price & Derek M. Peters (UK)
• Themed sessions when enough related abstracts accepted.

www.worc.ac.uk/wcpas9/
Sessions include:

- Horse genetic resources focused to Central Europe
- Emerging diseases and challenges in horse production
- Horse business meeting and free communications

Further information can be found at:

http://www.eaap2012.org/
BEFRED currently displaying 16 conferences and events

Utilise BEFRED FB Page

### 2nd Altech Hartpury Conference

**Start Date:** 04-Apr-2012  
**End Date:** 04-Apr-2012  
**Organisation:** Altech-Hartpury Conferences  
**Venue:** Hartpury College

**Altech-Hartpury Equine Performance 'Olympic' Conference 2013**

The conference is aimed at all those with an interest in how equine research can inform training methods, enhance performance, extend careers and improve welfare in the equine athlete. Leading speakers from the equine research field, Dr David Martin, Dr Andy Hemmings, Dr Fed Holmes and Dr Jane Murray, who will present their research alongside students - the next generation of researchers. And aptly for the Olympic year, the closing address will be given by a past and potentially future Olympic medal winner – Mary King.

Throughout the conference the application of research into practical equine management and training is a key goal:

Student oral presentations and poster themes include:

- Equine performance
- Rider performance
- Horse and rider performance and
- Management of the performance horse

We welcome abstracts from undergraduate and postgraduate students in these areas. The deadline for abstract submission is 10th March 2012. Presenters have a reduced conference registration fee of £10 and must confirm their attendance and be registered before 30th March 2012.

**Delegates Info**

Early bird registration is open now: student tickets are available for £20 and full members can register for £30 up to 30th March. Book online [here](http://www.hartpury.ac.uk/Hartpury-College/Shop/) or through the website link below.

**Website**  
http://www.hartpury.ac.uk/Hartpury-College/Shop/

**Notes**

The full Programme of Events and submission guidelines can be found on the BEFRED website.
Please log onto BEFRED www.befred.org for further information
## BSAS Event Calendar

http://www.bsas.org.uk/Meetings_&_Workshops/Event_Calendar/

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Equine Research Network (EqRN)

• Est’d Sept 2009
• International network of social scientists interested in research on matters equine across a broad range of fields, subjects, and disciplines
• Work together and with researchers from other disciplines with an interest in equine activities, health and welfare

http://www.eqrn.net/news-a-events/forthcoming-events
Many conferences ... ... much choice!
More information can be found here:
http://www.bef.co.uk/Equine_Research/Advancing_Equine_Scientific_Excellence.html
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Advancing Equine Scientific Excellence