

ICLAS: Oceania Regional Committee				
Meeting Agenda				
Time:	10am NZDST			
Date:	24 November 2021			
Venue:	Online Teams link			
Invited:	Jim Webster (Chair)	Patrick Sharp (in USA)		
	Jodi Salinsky	Vanessa Borman (Secretary)		
	Mike King	Cynthia Pekow (ICLAS President)		
Apologies:				
Useful link:	https://iclas.org/regional-committees			

### 1. Welcome

Please welcome Cynthia, ICLAS President to our meeting.

Unfortunately, our in-person meeting room in Wellington and post-meeting: Tour of the Malaghan Institute with Ian Saldanha has been postponed to 2022. Date to be decided.

### **2. ICLAS Funding**

Regional Committees: reach out to the associations in your region to encourage funding requests for activities for 2022. Refer them to the application for support on the ICLAS web page at <u>https://iclas.org/regional-committees/</u>.

Regional Committee was successful at funding to support meeting and openness activities – Yay!

Time to start discussing with our networks for next year! - The deadline for submission is @ September 2022. We have the ethics survey from Otago as a resubmit. Discussion was had regarding this, suitability and who would need to be involved; requires a lot of input and thought. Submissions due in by late May 2022.

### ICLAS visibility in the region - brainstorm

Suggestion: ICLAS support ANZCCART with the 3Rs animation. Everyone keen and we will arrange a meeting of the animation sub group in late January. ACTION: Jodi to give Mike animation contacts from workshop 3R's European book link shared by Patrick: <u>https://www.elsevier.com/books/practical-handbook-on-the-3rs-in-the-context-of-the-directive-2010-63-eu/dal-negro/978-0-12-821180-9</u>

What does ICLAS do? Please see brochure link:

https://media-01.imu.nl/storage/iclas.org/7405/iclas-brochure2020.pdf

Cynthia discussed the promotion of Veterinary Scholarship programmes for validated schools. ICLAS can provide scholarships for funding for validated programmes.

## **3 ICLAS Webpage**

All Committees, submit to our webmaster the items to be edited or updated. This may be easily accomplished if a screen shot is taken of each page to be edited, and comments are made directly on the photo. An example is attached. The webmaster is Javier Guillen, with email jguillen@aaalac.org

Guidance documents – links to be added to ICLAS Oceania webpage: <u>https://www.aaalac.org/resources/regulations-resources/</u> <u>https://www.mpi.govt.nz/animals/animal-welfare/animal-welfare-overview/animal-welfare-resources/</u> <u>https://www.agresearch.co.nz/animal-ethics/resources/</u>

Email was sent to Javier after meeting today to action the above and Ekatarina (ICLAS Secretary) and Cynthia cc'd in so they are advised once links have been added.

# **4 Committee actions**

Action	For	Update		
Follow up on email to Gilly regarding Maori views	Mike	Marc emailed, Contact after next meeting of research group		
Lab animal work/people in the following area: purpose see if any interest in anything that ICLAS has to offer relating lab animal science and to extend invite for membership to our committee				
Contact University of Fiji	ibol	Fiji National University have been contacted – have an AEC also have a vet school. – Sound like the best option for contact. Will find the best person for the committee! Closing in.		
USP have a campus in Samoa	Jodi			
University of South Pacific, Fiji	Jodi	Contacted!		
Solomon Islands National University	Jodi			
Papua New Guinea	Jodi			
Ask ICLAS re: funding for AEC survey	Jim	Emailed August 2021		
Vet Scholarship – to be mentioned at ANZLAA Vet SIG Journal club, and MMLA Journal club, gauge interest. Charles River Short Course? Some other options to follow up	Jodi + Patrick	On hold		



Nov 2020: Investigate wildlife-based research in	TBC Everyone	What is the composition of the
Australia and NZ, in relation to indigenous	Possibly a survey?	ethics committees?
ethical/cultural views and how this might be	Guidance	List of AEC to contact. NZ = MPI
included in Animal Ethics.	required.	OIA? Range of questions:
		Survey to be repeated every year
Shared document for committee to add notes:	Mike to do a quick	for 10 years.
link removed as not been added to.	costing -	Length of time on committee, lay
	-	people what do they do? Age?
		Profession? Vegetarians? Gender,
		Snapshot as AEC represents
		society. Place of birth.

### **5 General Business**

Malcolm France has left this committee. His replacement needs to be considered. ACTION: Jodi to keep finding a replacement.

### **6 Future meetings**

Goal of quarterly meetings is to include one in person meeting: Next meeting date: TBC Doodle poll to be sent out.

AgResearch office in Wellington maybe an option for the meeting. **Matairangi meeting room confirmed at Level 6, 17 Whitmore Street, Wellington Central, Wellington Accommodation option: Naumi Studio Hotel Wellington, 213-223 Cuba Street, Te Aro, Wellington 6011** <u>04-913 1800</u> <u>https://naumihotels.com/studiowellington/</u>

Meeting ended: 11:00am

