

# *Animal Welfare Reconsidered*

## **Wednesday, December 6<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

*19:00 – 21:00: Dinner at Jules Verne (Schlüterstraße 61)*

## **Thursday, December 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

*8:00 – 9:00: Breakfast at WIKO*

### Session 1: Chair – Peter; Rapporteur - Mike

9:00– 9:40: Wanting nothing or nothing's wanting? (Opponent: Appleby)

9:40 – 10:20: Is boredom a lesser welfare concern? (Opponent: Christensen)

10:20 – 10:30: Coffee

10:30– 11:10: Is agency important to animals? (Opponent: Knierim)

11:10– 11:50: Is welfare not just about the animal? (Opponent: Sena)

11:50– 12:00: Wrap-up (Hillmann & Gyax)

*12:00 – 13:30: Lunch at WIKO*

### Session 2: Chair – Mike; Rapporteur - Dan

13:30– 14:10: Biomarkers of cumulative experience? (Opponent: Sandoe)

14:10 – 14:50: Is it possible to aggregate welfare into a single welfare score?  
(Opponent: Špinka)

14:50 – 15:00: Coffee

15:00– 15:40: How happy is your pet? The problem of subjectivity in the assessment  
of animal welfare (Opponent: Franks)

15:40– 16:20: If welfare is about the individual then how can it be assessed at the  
group level? (Opponent: Bateson)

16:20– 16:30: Wrap-up (Hillmann & Gyax)

*19:00 – 21:00: Dinner at Restaurant Tugra (Kurfürstendamm 96)*

## **Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

*8:00 – 9:00: Breakfast at WIKO*

### Session 3: Chair – Dan; Rapporteur - Peter

9:00– 9:40: Negotiating the slippery slope: which gets further, asking for small or large changes? (Opponent: Meagher)

9:40 – 10:20: Economics: a useful tool or a straitjacket? (Opponent: Weary)

10:20 – 10:30: Coffee

10:30– 11:10: Can new or stricter laws really improve welfare? (Opponent: Serpell)

11:10– 11:50: Can measuring benefits and harms contribute to change? (Opponent: Winkler)

11:50– 12:00: Wrap-up (Hillmann & Gyax)

*12:00 – 13:00: Lunch at WIKO*

*13:00 – 15:00: Hike through Grunewald and open discussion*

### Session 4: Chair – Dan; Rapporteur – Mike, Peter & Dan

15:00 – 15:30: Coffee

15:30– 16:50: Round table Discussion (points of overlap, new ideas, next steps)

16:50– 17:00: Wrap-up (Weary)

*19:00 – late: participants to travel home or stay for an evening in Berlin visiting the Christmas Markets, etc.*

## **Saturday, December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

*Dan, Mike and Peter to meet to write first draft of introduction*