

# ISAZ 2010

*“Cross-cultural Perspectives on Human-Animal Interactions”*

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07:30: Poster set-up.

**08:20: Opening remarks:** Erika Friedmann & James Serpell

**Research Presentations I: Session Moderator:** James Serpell

08:30: **Keynote speaker:** Göran Erikssen (Sweden), “Cultural Resistance to Wildlife Restoration: Wolves in Sweden.”

09:10: Amy Smith (Australia), “Moral Arguments and Attitudes toward Genetic Rescuing of Wolves on Isle Royale, Michigan, USA.”

09:30: Penny Bernstein (USA), “Linguistic Comparison of Pet Cat Names between USA and Belgium.”

09:50: Beth Daly (Canada), “Vegetarian Practices and Animal Attitudes: Two Profiles.”

10:10: Samia Toukhsati (Australia), “Attitudes and Behaviours towards Companion Animals in Thailand: Results from Interviews.”

**10:30: Coffee/Tea Break & Poster Session (Sponsored by BergJournals.com)**

**Research Presentations II: Session Moderator:** Stine Christiansen

10:50: Kurt Kotrschal (Austria), “Effects of Human Personality on Relational Patterns with Companion Dogs and Cats.”

11:10: Lee Zasloff (USA), “Why People Get Their Goats: Exploring the Human-Caprine Relationship.”

11:30: Susan Waiblinger (Austria), “Stockperson Attitudes and Animal Handling Behaviour on Austrian and Italian Dairy Farms.”

11:50: Tiina Kauppinen (Finland), “Farmers’ Attitudes Affect Piglet Production Parameters.”

**12:10: ISAZ AGM (approx. 20 mins)**

**Lunch & Poster Session (Sponsored by American Humane)**

**Research Presentations III: Session Moderator: Björn Forkman**

13:30: **Keynote speaker:** Brinda Jegatheesan (USA), “The Importance of Culture in Human-Animal Interactions.”

14:10: Therese Rehn (Sweden), “The Effect of Different Types of Interactions on Dog Behavior at the Reunion with a Familiar Person.”

14:30: Mariko Yamamoto (Japan), “Attitudes of Orthopedically Impaired People toward Service Dogs.”

14:50: Rebecca Johnson (USA), “Shelter Dog Behavior Improvement: Dog Walking as Enrichment.”

15:10: Tammie King (Australia), “Describing the Ideal Companion Dog.”

**15:30: Coffee/Tea Break & Poster Session**

**Research Presentations IV: Session Moderator: Lynette Hart**

15:50: Arnold Arluke (USA), “Barriers to Bystander Intervention when Witnessing Animal Cruelty.”

16:10: Karoline Turner (Austria), “Psychopathologies in the Human-Animal Relationship: Emotional Competences, Animal Cruelty, and Interpersonal Violence in Criminal Offenders Compared to Not Incarcerated Persons.”

16:30: Eva Burger (Austria), “Video Analysis versus Self-assessment Questionnaires: Evaluation of an Animal-Assisted Training (MTI).”

16:50: Birgit Stetina (Austria), “Enhancing Self-Concept and social skills of Drug Addicted Criminal Offenders during a Dog-assisted Group Training MTI.”

17:10: Aki Sato (USA), “Organizational Structures and Their Impact on Professional Social Work Assessment Regarding the Roles Pets Play in Clients’ Lives.”

17:30: **Close**

**19:30: Conference Dinner at “Gustavianska Våningen” Solliden Restaurant at Skansen.**

## Posters

1. Judith Adams (UK), “Anthropomorphism and variation in the human–animal bond.”
2. Judith Adams (UK), “Predicting zoophilia: How the role of maternal unresolved attachment and infant dissociation affects adult human–animal sexual interactions.”
3. Chia-Chun Tsai (Taiwan), “The influence of a friendly dog on physiological stress and anxiety in nursing students.”
4. Lisa Maria Glenk (Austria), “Effects of human-animal interaction on animal physiology and behaviour during animal-assisted interventions (AAI) in neuropsychiatry.”
5. Miyako Izawa (Japan), “The presence of dogs improves the learning environment for children.”
6. Anne McBride (UK), “Educating children about dogs through projects in the classroom”
7. Anne McBride (UK), “Do owners represent a secure base for their dogs?”
8. Noriko Nijiima (Japan), “Social attitudes and awareness towards cat-working cafes in Japan.”
9. Birgit Stetina (Austria), “Enhancing emotion recognition with AAT? Changes in children and adults during the dog-assisted group training (MTI).”
10. Kanako Tateishi (Japan), “Relationship between the owner's personality and the dog's behavior problem: in cases of separation anxiety.”
11. Karen Thodberg (Denmark), “Prevalence of animal-assisted activities and animal-assisted therapy in Denmark.”
12. Hiroshi Yamada (Japan), “Positive changes of the attitudes of less attached persons to animals by keeping animals.”

