

UK Symposium **2023**



September 20-22

Hampshire, England



International Association of
Avian Trainers and Educators

2023 Symposium Schedule

Tuesday, September 19

Arrive at Marwell Hotel – informal networking during the evening in hotel bar and lobby

All times are subject to change.

Wednesday, September 20

Sessions will be in the Marwell Hotel Conference Room

0800-0830	Welcome and Housekeeping
0830-0900	Recognizing the Signs of Cardiovascular Disease in Aging Raptors <i>Kit Lacy, Cascades Raptor Center</i>
0900-0930	Let's Put the Word 'Cast' in the Past <i>Mike Simmons, A World of Wings</i>
0930-1000	The Horstmann Trust <i>Holly Cale, Horstmann Trust</i>
1000-1015	BREAK
1030-1100	How do Paradise Park and the WPT Interact Together? <i>David Woolcock, World Parrot Trust</i>
1100-1130	Transitioning from Tethered to Free-lofted in a Zoo Licensed Environment <i>Paul Ryder, Eagle Heights Wildlife Foundation</i>
1130-1200	Training Boe, the Egyptian Vulture <i>Gary Benton, Hawk Conservancy Trust</i>

1200-1230	IATCB Through the Years <i>Sid Price</i>
1230-1400	LUNCH (provided)
1400-1430	Learning on the Fly – Lessons Learnt from Spotty Ducks and Monochromatic Geese <i>Nikki Stakesby-Lewis, Wildfowl and Wetlands Trust</i>
1430-1500	Training and Research on Gentoo Penguins (<i>Pygoscelis papua papua</i>) <i>Cristina Sala Viciano, Oceanografic</i>
1500-1515	BREAK
1530-1600	Can we Give our Animals More Choice Whilst Participating in Cooperative Care? <i>Kelli Inglis, Winging It Bird Training</i>
1600-1630	Winter Woodland Lights: Owls After Dark <i>Tom Morath, Hawk Conservancy Trust</i>
1630-1700	Connecting with our Bird Display Audiences (Four of my Favourite Behaviours) <i>Andy Hallsworth, Zoological Society of East Anglia</i>
1700	End of Day - Dinner (on own)

Thursday, September 21

Hawk Conservancy Trust Day

0800	Meet for coach in hotel lobby
0945-1000	IAATE Talk: Welcome to the Trust

1100-1115	Good Morning with the Vultures
1130-1215	Wings of Africa
1230-1300	Nifty Nest Builders Workshop: Lure Swinging Workshop: Burrowing Owls
1300-1400	LUNCH (on own)
1400-1445	Masters of the Sky
1500-1530	IAATE Talk: Masters of the Sky Vulture training deconstruction
1545-1630	Woodland Owls
1645-1700	IAATE Talk: Managing and Training a Striated Caracara
1730-1745	IAATE Talk: Sum up
1745-1830	IAATE: Free time, a chance to chat to staff in key areas National Bird of Prey Hospital Burrowing Owls Featherstone Aviaries
1830	Coach back to hotel

Friday, September 22

Sessions will be at the Marwell Zoo

0800-0830	Welcome and Housekeeping
0830-0900	Feathers and Friendships: Building Zoo Connections for Parrot Conservation <i>Charlotte Foxhall , World Parrot Trust</i>

0900-0930	Wader Go WWT! <i>Kerry Hill, Wildfowl and Wetlands Trust</i>
0930-1000	Bald Eagle: Protected Contact Training <i>James Knight, Hawk Conservancy Trust</i>
1000-1030	Seasonal Nutrition Based on Natural History <i>Kat Nicola, Marwell Zoo</i>
1030-1045	BREAK
1100-1130	Antecedent Arrangement is Everything! <i>Nicky Plaskitt, Shaping Behaviour</i>
1130-1215	TOUR of Energy for Life by Marwell Zoo
1215-1345	LUNCH (provided)
1345-1415	The Application of Avian Training on the Re-introduction of the Red-billed Chough to Kent <i>Mark Habben, Wildwood Trust</i>
1415-1515	The Art of Training Birds <i>Steve Martin, Natural Encounters, Inc.</i>
1515 - 1530	Raffle
1530	End of day - free time in Marwell Zoo
1930	BANQUET MEAL at the Marwell Hotel

Saturday, September 23

Optional Trip to World Parrot Trust Kiwa Centre

