



**ESVCE**  
European Society of  
Veterinary Clinical Ethology

## ESVCE AGM 2021

**Date: Oct 19<sup>th</sup> 2021**

**Venue: Web meeting**

**Time: 21:00 CET**

**Members present:** Christine Halsberghe (CH), Sylvia Masson (SM), Manuel Mangoli (MM), Kevin McPeake (KM), Goncalo Da Gracia Pereira (GGP), Barbara Schoning (BP), Stefania Ucchedu (SU), Chiara (Mariti?) (CM), Christel Moons(CMO), Silvana Diverio (SD), Marina Merli (MMA), Jorg Gressmann (JG), Stephane Bleuer-Elsner (SBE), Sylvia Garcia- Belenguer ? (SGB), Esther Wuertz(EW)

1. Greetings from CH to all those present.

2. Minutes of last meeting-There were no objections or abstentions, so the minutes were approved.

3. 2020 Board report (including financial report)-There were no questions on the financial report. BS thanked the board for the well written reports. CM enquired on the number of vets/affiliates. Those were: in 2020, 483/27 and in 2021, 507/24

4. Information on future activities of the board and activities for members, including news from working groups. – Valerie Jonckheer-Sheehy and Emmanuelle Titeux had been invited to send updates but they were not able to do so or join the meeting. Hopefully there would be progress to report at the next meeting.

A new working group on the use CBD in behavioural medicine had been formed and SBE gave an update. It is a trendy issue but a bit foggy since there are products used without clear indication of the concentration or dosage. The group wants to report on what products are available, where they can be found and if they are legal according to the country they are being used. They will try to collect experiences from those vets who use them and also try to parallel them to human medicine. The group is made up of five members willing to begin the process and the first zoom meeting will be held in the coming week.

5. Rudy De Meester grant – There is information on the website regarding the grant and anyone interested can contact the Board. It was promoted during the congress and promotion will continue.

6. AOB

A.Future activities – Webinars will be held next year. Once they are organized informatory email will be sent to the members.

B. Annual congress - SBE congratulated the board on the great organization of the annual congress. Need to find a way to make the congress PPTs available. There were diverse opinions during the college AGM about live vs online/hybrid congresses. Need to be discussed for the future.

7. Next meetings – The next AGM and congress is scheduled to be live in Palm de Majorca, September 28-October 3. A hybrid option will be looked into.