**2020 UPDATE FOR INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF MAMMALOGISTS MEETING IN 2021**

IMC13 will be held in Anchorage Alaska USA 9th to 15th July 2021 and is a Joint meeting with ASM.

Important dates for this meeting are as follows:

 Deadline for symposium and workshop proposals – 1 May 2020

 Accepted symposia and workshops announced – July 2020

 Meeting registration opens – July 2020

 Abstract submission opens – Summer 2020

Preparations for IMC-13 are progressing nicely. I hope that you have all received the links to the website for the conference (https://imc13.com) and the associated promotional video (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vG81BqqpeDs).

Guidelines for the preparation of proposals for Symposia or Workshops can be found on the conference website (see above).

A single page MS Word file for each of these guidelines has been prepared as a file:

Guidelines for the Proposal of Symposia for the 2021 Joint ASM-IMC Meeting

Guidelines for the Proposal of Workshops for the 2021 Joint ASM

PLEASE NOTE THAT ASM (American Society of Mammalogists) has now cancelled their Annual Meeting for 2020. As things develop ASM and IFM will need to consider in June 2020 if it will be possible to hold the IMC13 in July 2021.

I will pass on that decision to AMS members when I have knowledge of it.

Regards

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