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» International Course on Laboratory Animal Science, Utrecht, The Netherlands, June 13-24, 2005.

A two week intensive course on laboratory animal science will be organized at the Division of Laboratory Animal Science in June 2005. This course is organized once a year since 1993. The objective of this course is to present basic facts and principles that are essential for the humane use and care of animals and for the quality of research. For information and application forms please contact Mr. Stephan van Meulenbrouck, MA, Division of Laboratory Animal Science, Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, P.O. Box 80.166, 3508 Utrecht, The Netherlands
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» 5th World Congress on Alternatives & Animal Use in the Life Sciences, August 21st-25th 2005, Berlin, Germany.

Informationen zum 5. Weltkongress über Alternativen zu Tierversuchen können bei CTW Congress Organisation Thomas Wiese GmbH, Berlin
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abgerufen werden.

» 6th International Conference on Modelling in Medicine and Biology, 7-9 September 2005, Bologna, Italy.

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» INVITROTRAIN: Training course on alternative (non-animal) test methods for the hazard identification of chemicals, September 26-28, 2005, Berlin, Germany.

Preliminary program of the training course: Lectures: Welcome and information about the Invitrotrain project. The 3Rs in the hazard identification of chemicals. Skin models in hazard identification. Prediction models and validation of 3Rs methods. Discussion and evaluation of the course. Seminars: The skin corrosion/irritation test. The 3T3 NRU photo toxicity test. Skin penetration/permeation. Evaluation and interpretation of data. Laboratory: training at the bench: I Skin corrosion. II 3T3 NRU photo toxicity. III Skin penetration/permeation.
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» Joint Conference of the Scandinavian Society of Cell Toxicology and Estonian Society of Toxicology: Chemicals, human and environment, October 20-23, 2005, Toila, Estonia.

The scientific programme of SSCT-ETS 2005 unifies the scientific interests of our two Societies and will focus on:
- Cellular toxicity and toxicity mechanisms;
- Novel *in vitro* methods in bioanalysis;
- Environmental toxicology and hazard assessment;
- Alternative methods in toxicity testing: *in vitro*, *in silico*, 3Rs;
- Occupational toxicology.
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» AALAS National Meeting 2005, November 6-10 2005, St. Louis, MO, USA.

AALAS' National Meeting includes over 150 educational seminars, platform and poster sessions, workshops, special topic lectures, and round table discussions covering a wide range of topics designed to keep AALAS members on the leading edge of their field. The AALAS National Meeting is the largest gathering in the world of professionals concerned with the production, care, and use of laboratory animals.

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