Gateways to the Future of Animal Transport
March 1 - 4, 2020, at the St. Regis in Abu Dhabi, UAE
Annual Conference - 2020 Abu Dhabi webpage

HOTEL
The St. Regis Abu Dhabi merges authentic Arabian hospitality with more than a hundred years of bespoke St. Regis tradition. Crafted for modern connoisseurs who desire exceptional experiences The St. Regis Abu Dhabi brings distinctive St. Regis New York legacy to the captivating Arabian Address of Nation Towers on the Abu Dhabi Corniche, the social epicenter for royalty, the discerning traveller and luminaries in the art of living. Located at the heart of the Abu Dhabi Corniche, the hotel is directly connected to Nation Galleria Mall and is just minutes from Marina Mall and the sophisticated World Trade Center. It is also in the close vicinity of many of the embassies, oil and gas companies and other business institutions in the city.

Take advantage of the special ATA room block rate of 685.95 AED per night through February 23, 2020
- Room rates quoted above include all applicable tourism/municipality/VAT and government taxes and breakfast at The Terrace restaurant.
- Above rates are also available for those of you who wish to book a few nights extra before or after the Conference! Start date - February 25 with an end date of March 8, 2020.

Reservations - click here for direct access to the St. Regis

SPONSORSHIPS
Don't delay in joining the animal transportation community as a sponsor in Abu Dhabi. There are a few sponsorship levels still available, so we know there is one that will give you the recognition you deserve and the support ATA needs to bring outstanding educational sessions to our members and stakeholders.

SPONSOR OPPORTUNITIES
CALL FOR POSTERS
Abstract topics - Abstracts should be related to the transportation of animals as it relates to:

- Welfare
- Stress
- Meat quality
- Environmental control
- Biosecurity guidelines
- Training programs
- New transport designs - Crate and trailers
- Technology relating to animal transport, monitoring etc.

CALL FOR POSTERS
Submission deadline: December 31, 2019

HONOR A COLLEAGUE
Each year ATA is proud to recognize outstanding contributions and leadership in the animal transportation industry. Award categories vary on industry contribution and the full award description list is below.

If you would like to nominate someone who exemplifies excellence in animal transportation in one of the areas, please complete the submission form. Submission deadline: January 3, 2020

- Award Descriptions
- Submission form

WEBINAR SERIES
ATA hosted the Equine Influenza in the Shipping Industry webinar November 20th. The session was well attended and we thank our presenters for their expertise:

- Dr. Reinhard Böse, Executive President, Labor Dr. Böse GmbH, Germany
- Dr. Caterina Termine, MRCVS, Veterinary Advisor & Equine Influenza specialist, FEI, Switzerland
- Dr. Matthieu Laviron, Veterinarian, Lamorlaye, France
- Dr. James Gilkerson, Professor Veterinary Microbiology, Melbourne University, Australia

Full audio and presentations will be posted soon under the MEMBERS ONLY section of the website.

NEW WEBSITE LAUNCH
ATA announces the launch of new website. Leaders
thought a new, contemporary look and feel, combined with more and easier to find information were an absolute necessity. Although there are some details still to be completed, we do invite you to review the site and to let us know your thoughts and ideas as they are more then welcome!

SPECIAL NOTE: A personalized email will be generated to all ACTIVE members which will instruct you on how to login to the new database for the first time. A customized USERNAME and PASSWORD will be in this email, so please keep an eye out in your junk/spam filters for an email subject: *ATA – Launch of NEW website and database USER DETAILS.*

### IN THE NEWS

Below are curated links to recent articles from around the world concerning our industry which you may find interesting:

- New Study to monitor horse wellbeing in air travel - click [here](#)
- Global Animal Transporation Market 2019 Industry Growth - click [here](#)
- ATA leader attends TIACA - click [here](#)
- Unfriendly skies for medical innovation - click [here](#)
- World Horse Welfare Annual Conference - click [here](#)
- Beef producers not backing down on livestock transport regs - click [here](#)
- New Bill would help Livestock Haulers - click [here](#)
- No change to regulation on calf export age on horizon - click [here](#)
- UfW Taskforce Intelligence Bulletin November 2019 - click [here](#)
- UK Civil Aviation Authority looks to widen scope for assistance dogs - click [here](#)

*Have an article, news item, or video clip that you think members might find interesting? Send it along to us!*

### Happy Thanksgiving to our members!

The office will be closed, Thanksgiving day - November 28 and Friday, November 29th.

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