

# Meeting of the ICAR Sheep, Goat and Camelid Working Group (SGC-WG)

## Teams, 16<sup>th</sup> February 2022

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# Agenda

- **Matters regarding wool**
  - Results from the questionnaire on wool
    - Presentation (Marija Špehar)
    - Follow-up (all)
  - Proposition of recommendations on European wool collection and promotion centers
    - Presentation (Marco Antonini)
    - Follow-up (all)

# Questionnaire on wool

- Questionnaire closed in June 2020
- Marija Špehar accepted during the last meeting in 2021 to take in charge the valorisation of the survey
- Replies are very rich and might be relevant materials to start writing recommendations

# Wool guidelines

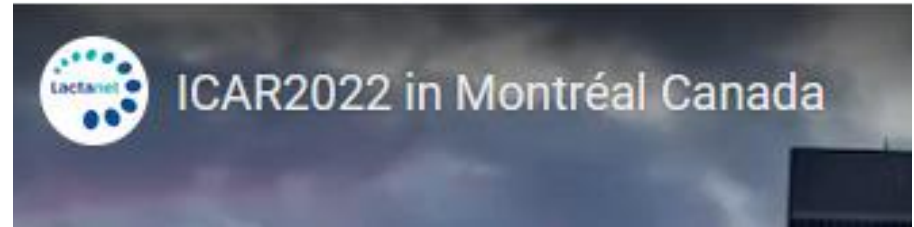
## Possible template

- Introduction
- Link to results of the survey
- Definition, terminology, rationale
- Scope
- Trait definition, data recording and validation
  - Definition, method, unit, etc
  - Computation of elaborate trait
- Use for genetic evaluation (transformation of the data, genetic parameters, models, considerations for use in selection)
- Use for flock/herd management (if relevant)
- Acknowledgements, references, annexes

# European wool collection and promotion centers

- Draft guidelines on European wool collection & promotion center (cf. Marco Antonini)
  - [center to collect the wool and sort it according to quality + way to improve management of flock before shearing and also during shearing. Rules to produce the fleece].

# Next ICAR meeting



## Join us in MONTRÉAL for the 2022 ICAR/Interbull Conference May 30 to June 3, 2022

*«Due to the current and evolving governmental directives for the organization of public events in Canada, registration is postponed until the end of February. Given this decision, please note that the deadline for submission of abstracts for the ICAR meetings has been extended one month to March 14, 2022.*

*The registration fees will be made available as soon as the type of event, either fully virtual or hybrid, has been decided.*

*We apologize for the inconvenience and the uncertainty of planning that this situation creates on your end. Our strongest wish is to welcome you in person in Montreal in the safest and most comfortable conditions possible. A final decision will be communicated to you in the weeks ahead.»*

The ICAR2022 Organizing Committee

**Registration:** end of Feb

**Abstract:** March 14

**WG meeting:** Tuesday, May 31  
in the morning (8.30-12.30)

**Session** “New developments in  
Sheep, Goat and Camelids within  
ICAR”: Thursday, May 2?