

Schedule Animal Assisted Intervention 31/3 – 4/4 2025

Place: Hernquistsalen, SLU, Gråbrödragatna 7, Skara

Date	Time	Activity	Teachers
31 March	13:00-13:15	General introduction	Lena Lidfors & Anna Lundberg
Chair: Lena	13:15-14:00	What I am going to tell you about on Tuesday	Marie-Jose Enders-Slegers
	14:15-15:00	What I am going to tell you about on Wednesday	Kerstin Uvnäs-Moberg
	15:15-16:00	What I am going to tell you about on Thursday	Ng Zenithson (Zoom)
	16:15-17:00	Animal Welfare and Ethology	Ruth Newberry
	18:00-20:00	Get-together	ALL
1 April Chair: Sofia	08:30-12:00	Theoretical backgrounds of the human-animal bond and working mechanisms in Animal Assisted Interventions: research and practice in different client groups	Marie-Jose Enders-Slegers
Chair: Anna	12:00-13:00	LUNCH	
	13:00-14:30	Group work on questions from Marie-Jose	Students
	15:00-16:20	Ethics and AAI	Petra Andersson
	16:30-17:00	Plenary discussion of the day	ALL
	18:00-20:00	Visit to Cranes at Lake Hornborga	ALL
2 April Chair: Sofia	08:30-12:00	Physiological effects on humans and animals during physical interactions	Kerstin Uvnäs-Moberg
Chair: Anna	12:00-13:00	LUNCH & travel to Axevalla New Horse Center	
	13:00-17:00	Theoretical background and practical exercises in Dog Assisted Interventions and Equine Assisted Interventions at Axevalla New Horse Centre in half groups	Sara Karlberg Susanne von Dietze
	17:00-18:00	General discussion & travel back to Skara	ALL
3 April Chair: Anna	08:30-10:00	Animal Assisted Education	Andrea Beetz (Zoom)
Chair: Anna Chair: Lena	10:15-11:00	School dogs for pupils with problematic school absence	Lena Lidfors
	11:15-12:00	Group work on questions from teachers	Students
	12:00-13:00	LUNCH	
	13:00-16:30	Animal welfare, behaviour and health in AAI	Ng Zenithson (Zoom)
	16:40-17:00	Plenary discussion of the day	ALL
	19:00-21:00	Fare-well dinner	ALL
4 April Chair: Lena	08:30-09:00	What we think they said was....	Two PhD students
	09:10-09:40	What I think is important when designing AAI studies	Ruth Newberry
	10:00-10:45	What we hope you have learned during this course	Some teachers
	11:00-11:50	General discussion and suggestions for the future in the AAI field	ALL
	11:50-12:00	Closing remarks and farewell	Lena Lidfors & Anna Lundberg