



## **ISHAM Working Group Annual Report 2017**

1	Title of Working Group	ISHAM Veterinary Mycology Working Group (ISHAM-VMWG)
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3	Website URL for external website (if relevant)	https://www.isham.org/working-groups/veterinary-mycology
4	Objectives for the forthcoming year	To support all scientific aspects that deals on mycology and veterinary sciences:  - 28-29 June 2018 (Amsterdam): Two days pre-ISHAM Workshop Veterinary Mycology  - July 1st, 2018 (Amsterdam): Scientific session 3.4: Veterinary Mycology Working Group
5	Achievements of the Working Group in 2017 (250 words)	A joint symposium between ISHAM-Veterinary Mycology Working Group and European Society of Veterinary Clinical Pathology was organized successfully in Imperial College, South Kensington, London (UK) on September 7 <sup>th</sup> 2017.  The third ISHAM-International Veterinary Mycology Course under the umbrella of ISHAM has been planned for 2018, which will be organized pre-ISHAM congress in Amsterdam.  Attempts are also under way to complete a textbook on emerging and epizootic fungal infection before ISHAM 2018 meeting and the Atlas of Veterinary Pathogenic Fungi by 2020.
6	Publications arising from the WG	A review paper has been published by members of ISHAM-VMWG in 'Medical Mycology' journal.  Title: Fungal infections in animals: a patchwork of different situations.  Authors: Seyedmojtaba Seyedmousavi, Sandra de M. G. Bosco, Sybren de Hoog, Frank Ebel, Daniel Elad, Renata R Gomes, Ilse D. Jacobsen, An Martel, Bernard Mignon, Frank Pasmans, Elena Piecková, Anderson Messias Rodrigues, Karuna Singh, Vania A Vicente, Gudrun Wibbelt, Nathan P. Wiederhold, Jacques Guillot.
7	Is your Working Group going to continue for the next year?	Yes.