

Dear Colleagues,

The XVIIIth Congress of the World Veterinary Poultry Association will be held from the 19th to 23rd August 2013 in Nantes - France.

We continue to work in close connection with WVPA officials and congress sponsors.

1. French/Shengen visa

Please remember that the process for getting a French/Shengen visa can take time in some instances. If you have members who need a visa to come to WVPAC2013 it is best that they think about getting their visa sooner rather than later.

For help in this matter and for letters of invitation please contact **the congress secretariat** wvpac2013@zoopole.asso.fr

2. Regarding the promotion of the congress in your next national meetings, please find attached some **slides of the congress**. You can also download this short presentation on the Congress website: open our account and then download the file "slides_WVPAC 2013_May 2013" <http://www.wvpac2013.org>.

3. ZOOPOLE développement – ISPAIA (PCO) is registered as a **continuous training** center for French veterinary activities. The congress could be used as a continuing education event also for you, subject to approval by your national authorities. If there is a registration scheme for veterinary continuous training activities in your country, please contact the congress secretariat (see above) and we shall try to find links in order to report to your national authorities the number of credit points you have been awarded by attending WVPAC2013.

The website is updated regularly, please visit it! The full programme is now online <http://www.wvpac2013.org>.

Looking forward to meeting you in Nantes in August 2013,

Best regards

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