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(UK registered charity 1122246)

Volunteer Public Relations and Communications Officer/s needed to help promote the objectives of the Bella Moss Foundation at conferences at:

BSAVA 3-6th April 2014

One Health Conference 13th October 2014, Royal Society of Medicine, London.

Are you passionate about animal and human welfare? Dedicated to ensuring the responsible use of antibiotics in society? Would you like to volunteer on our conference stands?

In return you will get free access into the BSAVA Congress (not lectures) and the forthcoming One Health conference.

Background to Bella Moss Foundation

The Bella Moss Foundation is a charity which promotes prudent antimicrobial use and hygiene practices in the field of human and veterinary medicine. The Foundation works in an advisory capacity educating and supporting pet carers, veterinary and medical professionals on the prevention and treatment of resistant bacteria.

The Foundation was set up in 2005 by Jill Moss, a high profile broadcasting journalist and actress, following the death of her dog Bella, from a badly managed MRSA infection. With Jill at the helm, the Foundation has developed into an international champion of best practice on the prudent use of antimicrobials, providing the crucial link between patients and veterinary clients to world class resources and clinical advice through leading experts in the field.

Future plans: One Health Conference 2014

The Bella Moss Foundation in association with the Royal Society of Medicine is proud to host the One Health Conference **'Making a powerful concept work for infectious diseases'** to be held 13th October 2014. Website will be live early March www.onehealthbmf.com

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Our Goals

Good (One) Health is about preventing infections in the following ways:

Highlighting best hygiene practices in veterinary medicine.

Offering support and advice to people whose animals have multi-resistant infections.

Promoting the responsible use of antibiotics.

Educating about the spread of antimicrobial resistance, and the link between humans and animals.

Volunteer Commitment:

We would ask that you to commit to volunteer shifts at conferences which are two and a half (2.5) hours in length, twice a day for the duration of the conference. It is crucial that you do give us notice if you agree and cannot make the events as we rely on volunteers. BSAVA is (four days) at the ICC Birmingham and the One Health Conference (one day) in Central London.

Competencies:

If you have a self-starter attitude, a high level of enthusiasm and an outgoing predisposition, we would love to have you as a volunteer.

A background in life sciences, the veterinary or medical related profession would be highly desirable, but we are looking for enthusiastic volunteers and we provide web site links where you can research the topic of antimicrobial resistance.

What we can offer:

In return, this is a fantastic opportunity to be associated with a well-respected charity within the veterinary and medical profession and play an active role in helping to bring about greater awareness of the issues associated with antimicrobial resistance, a huge concern on the global agenda which affects hundreds of thousands of people every day.

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BSAVA

Hosts a world class scientific program and over 280 exhibitors from all industry sectors, the BSAVA conference offers excellent opportunities to network in the largest veterinary conference in Europe. In 2012, the BSAVA conference broke all records with more than 10,000 people in attendance, comprising of vets, vet nurses, practice managers and students, creating a truly international stage for the entire veterinary profession to flourish. <http://www.bsava.com/Congress.aspx>

To volunteer please contact

Please send a cover letter (1 page maximum) and a short CV to info@thebellamossfoundation.com subject title **volunteer BSAVA/One Health**

Due to high volume of enquiries we receive as a charitable organisation relying solely on the efforts of our volunteers, please be patient with our response. Note: all applicants must be able to legally work within the UK.

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