

WAZA Conference Sponsorship & Exhibition Policy

1. General Participation & Eligibility

We welcome the participation of organisations that align with our mission to advance global animal welfare and conservation.

- **Member Participation:** Active members in good standing are welcome to register as standard attendees or upgrade their presence by sponsoring or exhibiting.
- **Non-Member Participation:** Non-member corporate organisations **must** secure a sponsorship or exhibition package in order to participate in and attend the conference. Standard attendee registration is not available for non-member corporate entities.
- **Review Process:** All non-member enquiries regarding sponsorship or exhibition are subject to review by the WAZA Executive Office. Approval to sponsor, exhibit, or attend is not guaranteed and is granted at the discretion of the WAZA Executive Office.

2. Distribution of Materials & On-Site Displays

To maintain a clean, organised, and equitable environment for all attendees and official sponsors and exhibitors, strict guidelines apply to the distribution of physical materials and temporary installations.

- **Distribution of Materials:** The distribution of any printed publications, manuals, brochures, promotional materials, products, or flyers is strictly limited to approved sponsors and exhibitors. These materials must be kept and distributed entirely within the designated booth space of sponsors and exhibitors.
- **Display & Installations:** All approved materials, including custom branded displays, experiential installations, or themed pieces, must be confined entirely within the sponsor's or exhibitor's official designated booth space. Standalone pop-ups, artwork, or displays are not permitted in common areas, corridors, or walkways without a bespoke sponsorship agreement.
- **Conference Goodie Bags:** The inclusion of promotional products, publications, or samples in the official conference attendee bags is strictly reserved for

partners who have secured a bespoke sponsorship package. Additional fees apply for this opportunity, and all items must be pre-approved by the Organising Team.

- **Logistics & Handling:** The Organising Team and venue staff do not provide receiving, storage, or handling assistance for shipments or materials belonging to standard delegates or non-exhibiting organisations. Logistical support, venue access for setup, and delivery coordination are strictly reserved for official sponsors and exhibitors.
- **Prohibited Actions:** Leaving materials, publications, or displays in common areas, session rooms, dining halls, or on registration desks for attendees to pick up is strictly prohibited. Unapproved materials found in these areas will be removed and discarded by the venue staff.

3. Opportunities and Packages

Organisations interested in showcasing their publications, products, or services to our attendees are encouraged to become an official conference partner.

- Please review our official [Sponsorship and Exhibition Package](#) for a full list of opportunities, pricing, and booth availability.
- All requests to sponsor or exhibit must be submitted by the deadlines outlined in the package.