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2023 ANNUAL REPORT

UPF-Centre for Animal Ethics



Universitat
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OUTPUT FIGURES

83 Talks & Conference papers

33 Media appearances

15 Scientific publications

7 Guest Speakers

3 New books

3 Graduate theses supervised

3 CAE-Talks

3 New CAE statements

1 PhD thesis defended

212 Facebook posts and Tweets

Other activities

1. ACTIVITIES

January 2023

- **Macarena Montes** gives a workshop with Kirsten Stilt on the *Rights of Nature, Rights of Animals* at University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA). Los Angeles, USA, online. January 7, 2023.
- **UPF-CAE** screening in the UPF Poblenou Campus: *When Pigs Escape*, a documentary by Jusep Moreno. Barcelona. January 11, 2023.
- CAE-Talk: **Júlia Castellano** interviews Jusep Moreno, director of the documentary *When Pigs Escape*. Barcelona, online. January 12, 2023
- **Catia Fara** presents *Why We Can't Leave Nature Alone. Ten Questions Answered About Wild Animal Suffering*. Online Colloquium Series, The Society for the Study of Ethics and Animals (SSEA). USA, online. January 12, 2023
- **Macarena Montes** presents *The Rights of Animals and Nature: The Case of Estrellita, the Woolly Monkey*, at the III ILAS-HUFS HK+ 2023 International Conference, Central University. Chile. January 16, 2023.
- **Marta Tafalla** presents *Filosofia ecofeminista per pensar i actuar davant la crisi ecològica* in the XVII Ciclo de Filosofía en las Bibliotecas Públicas de Barcelona. Biblioteca Sagrada Familia - Josep M. Ainaud de Lasarte. Barcelona. January 16, 2023.
- **Catia Faria** publishes the book *Animal Ethics in the Wild* with Cambridge University Press. January 16, 2023.
- **Eze Páez** and **Pablo Magaña** present *A Democratic Argument for Animal Uplifting* at the seminar of the Department of Logic, History, and Philosophy of Science. Universidad Nacional de Educación a Distancia. Madrid. January 17, 2023.
- **Marta Tafalla** presents *El valor d'un bosc davant la crisi ecològica* in the Taula Rodona: Bosc de Volpelleres. Passat, present i futur Casa de Cultura, Sant Cugat del Vallès. January 19, 2023.
- The **UPF-CAE** receives a response from the European Commission on the report "EU Research & Animal Suffering. Scrutinizing the Horizon 2020 Programme". January 20, 2023.
- The **UPF-CAE** sends a question to Anna Sanitjas, Directora General d'Ecosistemes Forestals i Gestió del media of the Catalan government, Generalitat de Catalunya, on how the authorities plan to deal with coypus. No response is received. January 23, 2023.
- **Paula Casal** presents *Bullfighting and the conditional value of tradition*. Universidad Antonio Ruiz de Montoya. Animal Law Project. Lima, Peru. January 27, 2023.

- **Eze Páez** and **Pablo Magaña** present *A Democratic Argument for Animal Uplifting* at the Sheffield Animal Studies Research Centre Ethics & Politics Seminar. Sheffield, United Kingdom. January 30, 2023

February 2023

- CAE-Talk *Educación y activismo: ética animal en las aulas*. **Laura Fernández** talks with **Sandra Amigó** and Pilar Badía. Barcelona, online. February 6, 2023.
- **Macarena Montes** and Kristen Stilt publish “Animal Rights Through the Rights of Nature: The Ecuadorian Constitutional Court’s Ruling on Estrellita the Woolly Monkey”, in *Harvard Review of Latin America*. February 10, 2023.
- **Marta Tafalla** presents her book *Filosofía ante la crisis económica* at Taller de Ética y Derecho Animal 2023, organised by Universidad Carlos III. Madrid, online. February 14, 2023.
- **Marta Tafalla** participates in the panel discussion *Què estem aprenent de la pandèmia?* within the series *Diàlegs de la Pandèmia*, organised by Ajuntament de Barcelona in La Model. Barcelona. February 21, 2023.
- **Olatz Aranceta-Reboredo** participates in the seminar *Compassion in (S)pain: the Discourse of Zoological Parks’ Interest Groups* as invited speaker at the MA in International Studies in Media, Power and Difference. Universitat Pompeu Fabra. Barcelona. February 21, 2023.
- **Pablo Magaña** presents *Introducción: Proyecto Nim* at the Ciclo de Cine Animalista. Universidad de Valencia. Valencia. February 23, 2023.
- **Marta Tafalla** participates in the panel discussion *Alternatives anticapitalistes* organised by Junteu-vos. Escola d’hivern de la Gueralda. Vinseum, Vilafranca del Penedès. February 27, 2023.
- **Catia Faria** participates in the *Encuentro Internacional Feminista: We Call it Feminism. Feminismo para un mundo mejor*, organised by Ministerio de Igualdad. Madrid. February 27, 2023.
- **Eze Páez** presents *El estatus moral, político y jurídico de los animales*, at the seminar of the Doctoral Program in Law of the Tlaxcala University. Tlaxcala, Mexico. February, 2023.

March 2023

- **Macarena Montes** presents *Animal Rights and the Rights of Nature*, at the launch of the *Revista Harvard Review of Latin America*, hosted by the David Rockefeller Center for Latin American Studies at Harvard University. Cambridge, USA. March 1, 2023.
- The **UPF-CAE** issues a statement regarding the hunting emergency declared by the Government of Catalonia in February to reduce the wild boar population. March 6, 2023.

- **Macarena Montes** presents with Kristen Stilt *Animal Rights and the Rights of Nature* at NYU Animal Studies. New York, USA, online. March 8, 2023.
- **Olatz Aranceta-Reboredo** presents *Compassion in (S)pain: Zoo, Aquarium and Animal Theme Parks' Lobbying Ethics* as invited speaker at the Research Seminar organised by the MSc Strategic Communication & Public Relations (University of Stirling & Universitat Pompeu Fabra). Barcelona. March 8, 2023.
- **Marta Tafalla** participates in the panel discussion *Rewilding y decrecimiento ante la emergencia ecosocial*. Instituto de Filosofía del CSIC. Madrid. March 17, 2023.
- **Macarena Montes** presents with Kristen Stilt *The Estrellita Ruling and the Rights of Animals*, at the III Seminar on the Estrellita Case, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador, Law School. Quito, Ecuador. March 22, 2023.
- **Marta Tafalla** publishes "Overcoming Climate Breakdown Denial and Neglect through the Aesthetics of Nature" in *Contemporary Aesthetics*, vol. 21. March, 2023.
- **Marta Tafalla** writes the postface for the book *Bailar encadenados* by Jorge Reichmann, published by Editorial Icaria. March, 2023.

April 2023

- **Paula Casal** edits a monographic ethics dossier for *Revista Cultural* 142 with interviews and articles from seven CAE members. April-May-June, 2023.
- The **UPF-CAE** issues a statement on industrial farming of octopuses in farms. April 12, 2023.
- **Catia Faria** publishes "Vulnerability and the Ethics of Environmental Enhancement" in *Ethics, Policy & Environment*, volume 26, 2023 - Issue 2: Positive Duties to Wild Animals, Guest Edited by Kyle Johannsen. Pages 179-197. April 14, 2023.
- **Eze Páez** publishes "Wild Animal Ethics: A Freedom-Based Approach" in *Ethics, Policy & Environment*, volume 26, 2023 - Issue 2: Positive Duties to Wild Animals, Guest Edited by Kyle Johannsen. Pages 159-178. April 17, 2023.
- **Pablo Magaña** presents *La representación política de los animales no humanos: una introducción* at the Seminario de Estudios del Futuro. Universidad de Santiago de Compostela. Santiago de Compostela, online. April 18, 2023.
- **Macarena Montes** is guest lecturer at Prof. Kristen Stilt's Animal Law Class, Harvard Law School. Cambridge, USA. April 18, 2023.
- **Marta Tafalla** presents her book *Filosofía ante la crisis ecológica* at the bookstore Natura Llibres, Alins, Alt Pirineu. April 29, 2023.

May 2023.

- CAE-Talk: *New forms of dialogue and activism for other animals*. **Olatz Aranceta-Reboredo** talks with podcasts producers María R. Carreras (ECA) and María Suñol & Sergio González (Infovegana). Barcelona, online. May 5, 2023.
- **Catia Faria** presents *Ética animal, más allá de la explotación humana*. III Jornadas Internacionales de Ética Aplicada, Universidad Complutense de Madrid/Universidad de Chile. Chile, online. May 10, 2023.
- **Paula Casal** presents *Clima, Animales y Género* at a workshop co-organised by the Department of Philosophy - Humanities of UPRRP and the Collège International de Philosophie. France. May 17, 2023.
- **Macarena Montes** presents *Animal Personhood in Latin America* at William E. Doyle Inn of Court. Denver, Colorado. May 17, 2023.
- **Paula Casal** presents *The Problem of Mice* at Festival of Ideas. New Reflections on Political Philosophy. Organised by Patrick Turmel. University of Laval, Canada. Barcelona. May 19, 2023.
- **Laura Fernández** presents the book *Hacia mundos más animales* (Madrid, Ochodoscuatro) at the Vallecas Book Fair. Madrid. May 20, 2023.
- **Oltaz Aranceta - Reboredo** presents 'We Care': *espainiako lobby espezisten diskurtsoa* at Topaketa Antiespezistak, NOR. Basque Country. May 20, 2023.
- **Marta Tafalla** presents *Rewilding: un cambio de paradigma ético y estético* in I Congreso Internacional de Humanidades Ecológicas - Universidad Autónoma de Madrid. Madrid. May 22-24, 2023.
- **Catia Faria** presents *Animal-friendly AI: Reflexiones iniciales sobre la alineación no-antropocéntrica de la Inteligencia Artificial*, Seminario Ética Experimental y de la Tecnología (TECNEX), Grupo de Investigación en Ética Tecnológica (GETTEC), Universidad de Granada. Granada. May 25, 2023.
- **Marta Tafalla** publishes the chapter "Complementariedad entre ética ecológica y ética animal" in the book *Humanidades ecológicas. Hacia un humanismo biosférico*, Tirant, Valencia, edited by José Albelda, Fernando Arribas-Herguedas, Carmen Madorrán, pp. 191-208. May 2023.

June 2023

- The **UPF-CAE** issues a statement urging all European countries to join the boycott against 119 Icelandic "blood farms" called for by 17 NGOs. June 9, 2023.

- **Macarena Montes** presents *Animal Personhood in Latin America* at the III Animal Law Conference, Instituto Distrital de Protección y Bienestar Animal. Bogotá, Colombia. June 9, 2023.
- **Laura Fernández** and Tugce Ataçi present *Integrating the Animal Standpoint Into Critical Gender & LGBTI+ Media Studies*. International Congress on Media, Gender and Sexualities: Representations, Literacies and Audiencies, Centro de Ciencias de Benasque Pedro Pascual. Benasque. June 6–10, 2023.
- **Marta Tafalla** presents *Reconciliar-nos amb la natura i decrièixer* within Celebración del Día Mundial del Medio Ambiente, organised by la Xarxa Barcelona + Sostenible, Ajuntament de Barcelona. Espai Francesca Bonnemaison. Barcelona. June 9, 2023.
- **Olatz Aranceta-Reboredo** presents *Compassion in (S)pain: How Interest Groups Contribute to the Perpetuation of Animal Captivity and Exhibition*. Invited speaker at the VII Jornades d'Investigadors Predoctorals de la UdG. Girona. June 15, 2023.
- **Olatz Aranceta-Reboredo** presents *Lobbying Against Compassion? An Examination of Spanish Zoological Parks' Interest Groups' Discourse* at Animal Advocacy against the grain? Traditions and transformations in and around the movement. The 8th International Animal Futures Conference/ The 8th Biennial Conference of the European Association for Critical Animal Studies (EACAS), Tallinn University. Tallin, Estonia, online. June 16–17, 2023.
- **Laura Fernández, Núria Almiron** and Miquel Rodrigo-Alsina present *'Love Animals? Support Animal Research' Humane-washing and the Compassion Rhetoric in the Spanish Animal Experimentation Industry* at Animal Advocacy against the grain? Traditions and transformations in and around the movement. The 8th International Animal Futures Conference/ The 8th Biennial Conference of the European Association for Critical Animal Studies (EACAS), Tallinn University. Tallin, Estonia, online. June 16–17, 2023.
- Translation of **Marta Tafalla's** novel *Nunca sabrás a qué huele Bagdad* to German: *Du wirst niemals erfahren, wonach Bagdad riecht*. Translation by Ursula Wolf. June, 2023.
- Five CAE members participate at the Animal Advocacy Conference in Keynes College at the University of Kent. Canterbury, United Kingdom. June 22-24, 2023:
 - **Laura Fernández, Núria Almiron, Estela Díaz-Carmona** and **Olatz Aranceta-Reboredo** present *Mapping the Animal Industrial Complex Lobbying in Spain: Three Paradigmatic Coalitions*.
 - **Olatz Aranceta-Reboredo** presents *Lobbying Against Compassion: The 'Defense' of Bullfighting in Spain*.
 - **Maria Ruiz Carreras**, former CAE Board presents *Interest Groups, Discourse, and Food Orientations: The Case of the European Dairy Industry*.
 - **Macarena Montes**, CAE Board Member, participates in the discussion.

- **Laura Fernández's** article (with Gabriela Parada Martínez) is translated to Italian: "Il veganismo non è una dieta. Una revisione critica antigraffobica e antispecista del 'veganismo come stile di vita'". *Liberazioni*, 53: 30–43. ISSN: 1825-6465. June, 2023.
- **Paula Casal** presents *Distributive Justice and Animal Ethics*. Conference of Political Philosophy organised by André-Anne Cormier (University of York, Canada) and UPF. Barcelona. June 2023.

July 2023

- **Macarena Montes** presents with Kristen Stilt *Animal Rights and the Rights of Nature* at the Animal Law Summer School, University of Antwerp. Antwerp, The Netherlands, online. July 7, 2023.
- **Olatz Aranceta-Reboredo** and **Núria Almiron** present 'We Care': A Critical Discourse Analysis of Spanish Zoo, Aquarium and Animal Theme Parks' Lobbying Ethics at the International Association for Media and Communication Research Conference (IAMCR): Inhabiting the Planet: Challenges for Media, Communication and Beyond. Lyon, France. July 9-13, 2023.
- **Núria Almiron, Laura Fernández,** and Miquel Rodrigo present *Manufacturing authenticity in science. A critical discourse analysis of how public relations negotiates compassion in animal experimentation* at the International Association for Media and Communication Research Conference (IAMCR): Inhabiting the Planet: Challenges for Media, Communication and Beyond. Lyon, France. July 9-13, 2023.
- **Macarena Montes** presents with Kristen Stilt *Animal Rights and the Rights of Nature*, at Aspire, Harvard University. Cambridge, USA. July 19, 2023.

August 2023

- **Paula Casal** presents *Race, Species and Discrimination* at the Conference on Discrimination, organised by the Center for the Study of Discrimination. Aarhus University. Aarhus, Denmark. August 16, 2023.
- **Eze Páez** and **Pablo Magaña** publish the article "A Democratic Argument for Animal Uplifting" in *Inquiry. An Interdisciplinary Journal of Philosophy*. Online first. August 18, 2023.
- **Paula Casal** presents *Distributive Justice and Animals. Addressing the Problem of Mice* at the Triennial European Conference on Analytical Philosophy. Vienna University and Central European University. Vienna, Austria. August 21, 2023.
- **Pablo Magaña** publishes the article "Animals in the order of public reason" in *Philosophical Studies* 180: 3031-3056. August 30, 2023.

September 2023

- **Macarena Montes** is guest lecturer in Prof. David Favre's Animal Law Class, Michigan State University, College of Law. East Lansing, USA. September 12, 2023.
- **Macarena Montes** presents *Animal Law Career Talk*, at the University of Denver, Sturm College of Law. Denver, USA. September 13, 2023.
- **Laura Fernández** presents the poster *Violent images and moral shock in the promotion of veganism and animal liberation activism*. Fauna Connections: Using Data to Help Animals, remote symposium organised by Faunalytics. USA, online. September 14, 2023.
- **Macarena Montes** presents *Animal Rights and the Rights of Nature: The Case of Woolly Monkey Estrellita* at New Legal Perspectives: The Synergy of Law and Science to Protect the Rights of Nature Conference, Michigan State University, College of Law. East Lansing, USA. September 14, 2023.
- **Macarena Montes** presents *Woolly Monkey Estrellita: The Case that Linked the Rights of Nature and Animal Rights*, at Earth Law Symposium, Animal Rights Panel, George Washington University. Washington DC, USA. September 15, 2023.
- **Marta Tafalla** participates in the panel discussion *Ecofeminismo y Ética Animal*, with Alicia Puleo y Amanda Romero, moderated by Lucía Arana. Vegan Fest. Terrassa. September 17, 2023.
- **Leire Morrás** joins the UPF-CAE as a member of the scientific board. Dr. Morrás has a postdoctoral Investigator position at the CritiCC research group at the UPF department of communication. September 18, 2023.
- **Paula Casal** presents *The Rights of the Great Apes*. Animal Law Seminars, Lewis and Clark Law School, Oregon, USA, and Universidad Nacional Mayor de San Marcos, Lima, Perú. Organised by Marcia Condoy and Isaac Peña Lobato. Oregon, USA, online. September 20, 2023.
- **Paula Casal** presents *Sharing the Planet with Other Species*. Non Anthropocentric Ethics Seminar. Universidad de Antioquia. Medellín, Colombia. September 22, 2023.
- **Laura Fernández** presents *El proyecto COMPASS*, at the grassroot collective Asamblea Antiespecista de Madrid. Madrid. September 23, 2023.
- New book edited by **Núria Almiron**: *Animal Suffering and Public Relations. The Ethics of Persuasion in the Animal-Industrial Complex* published by Routledge. includes contributions from a number of UPF-CAE members, including **Núria Almiron, Olatz Aranceta-Reboredo, Paula Casal, Catia Faria, Laura Fernández, Óscar Horta, Fabiola Leyton, Pablo Magaña, Macarena Montes, Eze Paez, Daniela R. Waldhorn** and one invited author, Dayrón Terán. September 28, 2023.

- **Macarena Montes** presents with Kristen Stilt *Rights of Nature as a Path to Animal Rights*, at the Canadian Animal Law Conference. Toronto, Canada. September 30, 2023.

October 2023

- **Olatz Aranceta-Reboredo** goes on a 3 month stay of research at the Centre for Human-Animal Studies in Edge Hill University, United Kingdom. October-December, 2023.
- **Catia Faria** participates in the meeting: *Mapping the Patriarchy in Conservation*, organised by Joni Seager (Bentley University) and Tom Crompton (Common Cause Foundation). Online October 5, 2023.
- **Marta Tafalla** participates in *Reconciliarnos con las demás especies: decrecimiento, veganismo y rewilding*, at the VIII Congreso Internacional de Pensamiento Filosófico Contemporáneo: Filosofía y Ruralidades, organised by Sociedad Asturiana de Filosofía. Universidad de Oviedo y Museo Etnográfico del Oriente de Asturias. Oviedo. October 6-8, 2023.
- **Olatz Aranceta-Reboredo** presents *Species, Values and Contradictions: Investigating Nonhuman Animal Portrayals in Basque Children's Media on 3Kluba* at the Annual Meeting of the International Association of Vegan Sociologists: Vegan Intersectionalities. Online. October 7-8, 2023.
- **Laura Fernández** presents *Fat Veganism in Spain and Latin America: Insights from Fat Activists Towards Body Liberation Beyond Species*. Annual Meeting of the International Association of Vegan Sociologists: Vegan Intersectionalities. Online. October 7-8, 2023.
- **Paula Casal** presents *Los derechos hominidos*, Course on Animal Law, Colegio de Abogados. Barcelona. October 10, 2023.
- **Laura Fernández** and **Macarena Montes** participate in the VIII Coloquios de Derecho Animal, organised by Universidad Central de Chile, Universidad de Atacama, Universidad Michoacana de San Nicolás de Hidalgo (UMSNH), Grupo de Investigación en Derecho Animal (GIDA) and Red de Derecho de América Latina y el Caribe (REDACL). Chile, online. October 10-13, 2023:
 - **Macarena Montes** presents *Advancing the Rights of Animals Through the Rights of Nature*.
 - **Laura Fernández** presents *Cómo nos (con)mueve la imagen: shock moral, comunicación estratégica y activismo antiespecista*.
- **Laura Fernández** participates in the seminar *Meet the New Researchers of CRICC*, where she presented her research lines, including the COMPASS project. Organised by the CRICC-UB (Centre of Research in Information, Communication and Culture), at the Faculty of Information and Audiovisual Media, Universitat de Barcelona. Barcelona. October 25, 2023.

- **Marta Tafalla** participates in the panel discussion *Com es pot alimentar el món sense sobrepassar els límits planetaris*, as part of a seminar organised by CEI International Affairs. Palau Macaya, Barcelona. October 26, 2023.
- **Laura Fernández** and Tugçe Ataci present *Challenging the Dominance of Anthroparchial Worldviews: A Proposal for Incorporating Feminist Animal Standpoints into Communication Studies* in a workshop in the "Philosophy of Communication" section of ECREA organised by the DHIGECs-COM group. Faculty of Information and Audiovisual Media, Universitat de Barcelona. Barcelona. October 26, 2023.
- UPF-CAE co-directors **Núria Almiron** and **Paula Casal**, meet with Vice-rector for Social Commitment and Sustainability Eva Pujadas at UPF to encourage our university to support the Plant-Based Treaty (<https://plantbasedtreaty.org/>). October 26, 2023.

November 2023

- PhD researcher **Camille Lavoix** from the Department of Environmental Humanities at the Julius-Maximilians-Universität Würzburg (JMU), Germany, visits the UPF-CAE from 1 to 30 November 2023.
- **Berta Martínez** joins the UPF-CAE as an intern to complete her degree in Sociology at the University of Barcelona. November 2023-March 2024.
- **Macarena Montes** presents with Kristen Stilt *Rights of Nature and Rights of Animals* at The Law, Ethics & Animals Program, Yale Law School. New Haven, USA. November 2, 2023.
- **Catia Faria** gives the keynote *Wild Animal Vulnerability and Environmental Enhancement* at the Workshop on Wild Animal Welfare. New York University. USA. November 4, 2023.
- **Laura Fernández** and Gabriela Parada lead the workshop *Fugas, desmesuras y fisuras: activismos gordes, resistencias y disidencias corporales*. In: *Cuerpos que no son uno. Prácticas gordas en la frontera*, Centro de Estudios del Museo Reina Sofía, organised by Tatiana Romero and Lucrecia Masson. Museo Reina Sofía. Madrid. November 4, 2023.
- **Catia Faria** presents *Animal Ethics in the Wild. Thinking the Future: Conversations on Technology, Subjectivity and Ethics* at the Institute for Contemporary Ethics, North West University. South Africa, online. November 15, 2023.
- **Macarena Montes** responds to John Adenitire's with *Are There Any Animal Rights?*, at the Talk Series – Fundamental Rights for Non-Humans: Foundations, Faults, and Future, Queen Mary University of London. London. November 17, 2023.
- **Pablo Magaña** publishes (with Rubén Marciel) "(Not So) Happy Cows: An Autonomy-Based Argument for Regulating Animal Industry Misleading Commercial Speech" in the *Journal of Applied Philosophy*. November 22, 2023.

- **Eze Paez** participates in the seminar *Bestiaries. Now and Before with Justice for Animals...* Activity of the "Bestiari" project by Carlos Casas and Filipa Ramos for the 60th International Art Exhibition - La Biennale di Venezia. Barcelona. November 23, 2023.
- UPF-CAE Doctoral seminar with the presentations and discussion of **Camille Lavoix** (Julius-Maximilians-Universität Würzburg, Germany), "Re(claiming) the lion's share. In search of reality and diversity in the representation of lions", and **Luca Filaci** (University of Cagliari, Italy), "Animalidad intrínseca y relacionalidad inmanente. Posibles caminos hacia una nueva postura ecológica". Barcelona. November 24, 2023.
- **Núria Almiron**, co-director of UPF-CAE, participates in the panel discussion *Memòries de la Terra: Adob o residu* organised by the Born Centre de Cultura i Memòria as part of the series "Memòries de la Terra". Barcelona. November 28, 2023.
- UPF-CAE members participate in *The Factual Animal: Audiovisual Representation of Real Animals Other-than-Human* conference hosted by CIGE research project at the Universitat de València. Valencia. November, 29 – December 1, 2023:
 - **Paula Casal** presents her book with Peter Singer *Los derechos de los simios* and closes the conference as keynote speaker presenting *Captive Apes, Elephants and Dolphins*.
 - **Olatz Aranceta-Reboredo** presents *Beyond the Spectacle: Exploring Audiovisual Representations of Other-than-Human Animals in the Lobbying of the Animal-Based Entertainment Industry*.
 - **Laura Fernández** and **Núria Almiron** (with Miquel Rodrigo) present *Happy Smiles, Animal Heroes and Scientific Footprints: Spanish Industry's Visual Depiction of Nonhuman Animals Used for Experimentation*.
- **Marta Tafalla** presents her book *Filosofía ante la crisis ecológica* at Vegana.gal, vegan fair. Madrid. November 26, 2023.
- **Marta Tafalla** participates in a roundtable discussion *La caça, a debat*, with Rosendo Castelló, and Josep Vicent Jovaní, moderated by the writer Raül Garrigasait. Museu de la ciència. Barcelona. November 29, 2023.
- **Tatiana Lozano Jaramillo** is awarded with the Rita Wing-CAE's scholarship and joins the UPF-CAE as 2023-2024's intern. November 2023.
- **Eze Paez** joins **Paula Casal** as UPF-CAE representatives at the UPF Planetary Wellbeing Project at the Universitat Pompeu Fabra. November 2023.
- **Olatz Aranceta-Reboredo** presents *Beyond Spectacle and Tradition: A Critical Discourse Analysis of Spanish Animal-Based Entertainment Lobbies*, project briefing of COMPASS research project, at Animal Think Tank. Lancaster, United Kingdom. November, 2023.

December 2023

- **Laura Fernández** presents *Feminismos y antiespecismo: (la urgente) ética del cuidado más allá de la especie* at the International Congress on Gender Perspective and Feminisms, Social Movements, and Political Strategy organised by the University of Barcelona and the City Council of Cornellà. Cornellà de Llobregat. December 11, 2023.
- **Núria Almiron** took part in the *Jornada sobre la traçabilitat de les decisions públiques* (Conference on the traceability of public decisions) organised by the Direcció General de Bon Govern, Innovació i Qualitat Democràtiques (Generalitat de Catalunya). Barcelona. December 11, 2023.
- **Laura Fernández** participates in the panel discussion "Com tanquem Casa Tarradellas?" with Salvador Pueyo and Mar Calvet, which aimed to explore alternative solutions and strategies for a more sustainable food production. Organised by Espectre Verd in La Lleitat Santsenca. Barcelona. December 14, 202
- UPF-CAE Guest speaker: **Jeff Sebo** (New York University) presents *Insects, AI systems, and the moral circle*. **Catia Faria, Eze Paez, Daniela R. Waldhorn** and **Leire Morrás** participate as respondents. Barcelona. December 14, 2023.
- **Catia Faria** presents *Wild Animal Suffering: A Gender-Sensitive Approach*. Animal Ethics and Animal Minds Workshop. University of Santiago de Compostela. Santiago de Compostela. December 15, 2023.
- **Catia Faria** publishes "No mires hacia arriba, mira hacia delante. Defensa planetaria, animales no humanos y la importancia del futuro". In Simó, E. y Peña, E. (ed.). *Defensa Planetaria*. Madrid: Dykinson. December 2023.
- **Adrià Moret** joins the UPF-CAE. December 2023.
- **Adrià Moret** publishes "Taking Into Account Sentient Non-Humans in AI Ambitious Value Learning: Sentientist Coherent Extrapolated Volition" in *Journal of Artificial Intelligence and Consciousness* 10 (02): 309-334, December 2023.
- **Adrià Moret's** paper "An Inclusive Account of the Permissibility of Sex: Considering Children, Non-human Animals, and People with Intellectual Disabilities" is accepted by *Social Theory & Practice*. December 2023.
- **Olatz Aranceta-Reboredo** publishes "Gatibutzaren ikuskizuna: animalien zapalkuntza zooetan eta akuarioetan" in *Animalien askapenerako gogoetak*. *Zaunk!* Iruñerria antiespezista. December 2023.

2. PRESS ARTICLES BY THE BOARD

"Henry Spira, el activista que doblegó a las multinacionales" by **Peter Singer** in *El Caballo de Nietzsche*, January 21, 2023.

"La doble moral de la llei de benestar animal", by **Núria Almiron** in *Ara.cat*, February 15, 2023.

"Algunos humanos no son personas, y algunos animales no humanos sí lo son" by **Paula Casal**, in *Mètode*, March 22, 2023.

"La escopeta nacional aún dispara", by **Jose Tarín** in *Revista Cultural 142*, April-May-June, 2023.

"Esclavos felices, sumisos y altruistas", by **Núria Almiron** in *Revista Cultural 142*, April-May-June, 2023.

"8 Razones para pasarse a una dieta vegetal", by **Marta Tafalla** in *Revista Cultural 142*, April-May-June, 2023.

"Revolución judicial en Latinoamérica: Animales no humanos como personas", by **Macarena Montes Franceschini** in *Revista Cultural 142*, April-May-June, 2023.

"Cuando la hora del cambio nunca llega", by **Júlia Castellano** in *Revista Cultural 142*, April-May-June, 2023.

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Marta Tafalla is interviewed in "Sobrevivir al Descalabro". Parts I and II. November 2023.

Marta Tafalla participates in "Especial sobre veganismo" by Carne Cruda Radio. December 14, 2023.

Núria Almiron is interviewed in the Podcast of Cultural Studies, by Toby Miller, December 15, 2023.

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4. GRADUATION, MASTER and PhD thesis mentored by CAE's board members

PHD Thesis:

- **Jose A. Moreno.** "El clima de las élites. Cobertura periodística y percepción política de los think tanks contrarios a la acción climática en Europa" [The climate of the elites. Press coverage and political perception of climate action contrarian think tanks in Europe]. Supervisor: **Núria Almiron.** Doctoral Programme, Department of Communication, Universitat Pompeu Fabra. December 2023.

Master's Thesis:

- **Sara Bourhaba Esbri:** "Preservando Cuerpos y Valores: Un Análisis de la Taxidermia desde la Ética Animal y la Perspectiva de Género" [Preserving Bodies and Values: An Analysis of Taxidermy from an Animal Ethical and Gender Perspective]. Supervisor: **Catia Faria.** Master in Applied Ethics, Complutense University of Madrid. September 2023.
- **Eva Navarro:** "'Meat-me": from flesh machines to individualities. A case for an anti-speciesist degrowth" [Preserving Bodies and Values: An Analysis of Taxidermy from an Animal Ethical and Gender Perspective]. Co-supervised by **Marta Tafalla** and Salvador Puello. Master in Political Ecology. Degrowth and Environmental Justice, ICTA. Autonomous University of Barcelona. March 27, 2023.
- **Laura Martí Martorell:** "Revisió del concepte i del debat actual sobre les espècies exòtiques invasores. El cas de la cotorra argentina (*Myiopsitta Monachus*) a la ciutat de Sant Cugat del Vallès" [Revision of the concept and current debate on invasive exotic species. The case of the Argentine parakeet (*Myiopsitta Monachus*) in the city of Sant Cugat del Vallès.]. Supervised by **Marta Tafalla.** Master in Humanidades Ecológicas, Sustentabilidad y Transición Ecosocial. Universitat Politècnica de València y Universidad Autónoma de Madrid. June, 2023.

5. MODULES TAUGHT ON NONHUMAN ANIMALS in the university curricula

Ética animal (animal ethics), Master's program on Applied Philosophy, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, taught by **Marta Tafalla.**

Ética Animal (Animal Ethics). Master in Applied Ethics. Complutense University of Madrid, taught by **Catia Faria.**

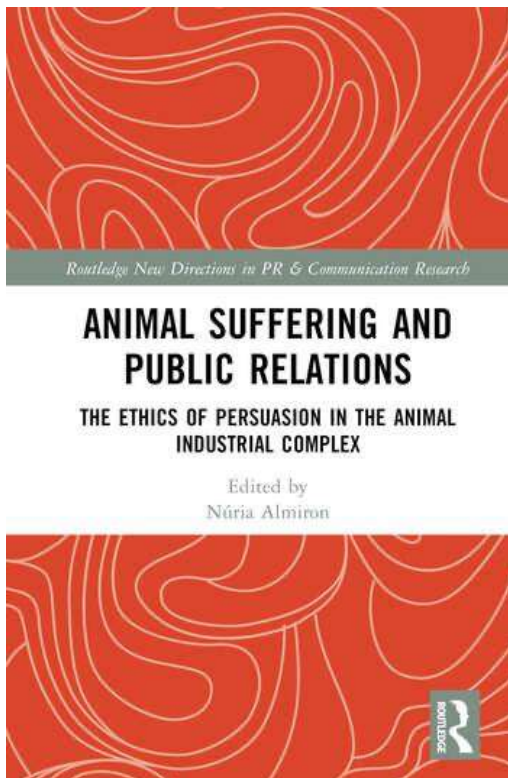
Racionalidad, Utilidad y Libertad (Rationality, Utility and Freedom). Master in Epistemology of Natural and Social Sciences. Complutense University of Madrid, taught by **Catia Faria.**

Bioética (Bioethics). Bachelor Degree in Philosophy. Complutense University of Madrid, taught by **Catia Faria.**

Anthropological and Sociological Bases of Human Behaviour, Bachelor of Psychology, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, taught by **Catia Faria.**

Section of *Distributive Justice Today*, MA in Political Philosophy, taught by **Paula Casal.**

6. MEMORIES



New book edited and co-authored by UPF-CAE members: *Animal Suffering and Public Relations. The Ethics of Persuasion in the Animal-Industrial Complex* (Routledge).



Laura Fernández presenting the paper *Integrating the animal standpoint into critical gender & LGBTIQ+ media studies*. June 15, 2023.



Paula Casal, Introduced by Elvio Beccarini before her keynote address at the Triennial European Conference on Analytical Philosophy, University of Vienna, August 2023.

Núria Almiron in the panel discussion *Memòria de futur: Adob o residu?* El Born, centre de cultura i memòria. November 24, 2023





Laura Fernández's workshop in ECREA'S Philosophy of Communication. October 26, 2023.



Marta Tafalla at CaixaForum Macaya, October 26, 2023.



Catia Faria, New York University, November 4, 2023.



Alicia Puleo and Marta Tafalla at the Vegan Fest, Tarrassa, September 17, 2023.



Eze Páez, in the seminar *Bestiaris. Ara i abans*.
November 23, 2023.



Laura Fernández, Paula Casal, Olatz Aranceta-Reboredo, Camille Lavoix & Estela Díaz in *The factual Animal*, University of Valencia, 29

November-1 December, 2023.



Leire Morrás, Júlia Castellano, Eze Paez, Paula Casal, Jeff Sebo, Catia Faria, Daniela R. Waldhorn y Jose Tarin, after Jeff Sebo's talk, Barcelona, 14 December, 2023.

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