

UCL Animal Rights Society presents...

Animal Rights Virtual Careers Event

6-8:30PM Wednesday 8th March

Via zoom (link will be sent out closer to the event)



Event Schedule

Time	Speaker	Topic
6:00-6:15	Advocates for Animals	Animal Law
6:15-6:30	A-Law	Animal Law
6:30-6:45	Nicolas Treich	Economics & Welfare
6:45-7:00	Lori Marino	Science & Research
7:00-7:15	Climax Foods	Biotechnology
7:15-7:30	The Humane League	Charities & NGOs
7:30-7:45	Animal Rebellion	Charities & NGOs
7:45-8:00	Animal Think Tank	Charities & NGOs
8:00-8:15	Collective Fashion Justice	Animals in the Fashion Industry

Advocates for Animals

Legal career opportunities within animal protection

Advocates for Animals is the first UK law firm dedicated to animal protection.



Advocates for Animals is a not for profit and works with animal groups, activists and individuals on a wide variety of legal areas and have helped **enforce and further animal protection law.**

Advocates for Animals is managed by **Edie Bowles**, who has turned the idea of an animal law firm not only into a reality, but into a dynamic organisation offering a range of services. From fruition, Advocates for Animals has also been blessed with a committed team that goes above and beyond every day to help our clients and animals.

A combination of good timing, unparalleled expertise, and unrelenting passion for animal protection, has ensured that Advocates for Animals has been established as **the leading firm for anyone who needs specialist legal assistance to protect animals**



A-LAW

Legal career opportunities within animal protection

The **UK Centre for Animal Law (A-LAW)** is a charity that brings together lawyers and other people interested in animal protection law to share experience and to **harness that expertise for the benefit of animals.**



Our Mission, Vision & Values

Our **mission** is to promote knowledge and education about the law relating to animal protection, to achieve a better legal framework for animals, and to see existing laws being applied properly.

Our **vision** is a world where animal interests are fully protected by law.

Our **values** are integrity, trustworthiness, transparency, teamwork, accountability, diversity and inclusivity.



Nicolas Treich

Economics and animal welfare

Nicolas Treich is an Associate researcher at the Institut National de la Recherche pour l'Agriculture, l'Alimentation et l'Environnement (INRAE), and a member of Toulouse School of Economics (TSE) at the University Toulouse Capitole.



His work focuses on risk and decision theory, environmental economics, benefit-cost analysis and, more recently, on **animal welfare**. He has published scientific papers on subjects including the **precautionary principle, the value of statistical life, and climate policy**. He has organised several international conferences and written numerous articles for the general public, as well as reports on risk policy issues.



Lori Marino

Science & Research

"Why Scientists make the best advocates"

Lori Marino is a neuroscientist and expert in animal behaviour and intelligence, formerly on the faculty of Emory University. Receiving her Ph.D. in biopsychology in 1995, Lori is internationally known for her work on the evolution of the brain and intelligence in dolphins and whales (as well as primates and farmed animals).



She is also an expert on **marine mammal captivity issues** such as dolphin assisted therapy and the educational claims of the zoo and aquarium industry.

In 2001, she co-authored a ground-breaking study offering the first conclusive evidence for **mirror self-recognition in bottlenose dolphins**, after which she decided against further research with captive animals.



Lori is the Founder and President of **The Whale Sanctuary Project**, which aims to end the exploitation of captive whales by creating seaside sanctuaries where they can live in a natural environment.

She is also the Founder and Executive Director of **The Kimmela Center for Animal Advocacy**, which focuses on bridging the gap between academic research and scholarship and on-the-ground animal advocacy efforts.



Climax Foods

Karthik Sekar
Biotechnology

Climax Foods is unearthing smarter paths from plants to products, creating a new generation of plant-based foods at lower cost to consumers and the environment without sacrificing flavor and texture



Karthik Sekar is the **Head of Data Science** at Climax Foods.

Receiving his PhD in Chemical Engineering at Northwestern, he's worked in the fields of **microbial fermentation, systems biology, and metabolomics**. Previously, Karthik worked as postdoc at ETH Zurich, a SWE at Emerald Cloud Lab, and authored After Meat, arguing that the **inefficiency of animals in food** production means inevitable replacement.



The Humane League UK

Cordelia Britton
Charities and NGOs

Cordelia is the **Head of Campaigns** at **The Humane League UK**, an organisation voted top charity for the seventh consecutive year by Animal Charity Evaluators due to our effectiveness

"Our mission is to **end the abuse of animals raised for food**, and we do that through hard hitting **corporate campaigns**, and **government lobbying**. We will discuss the way our staff team is structured, the kinds of roles we offer and that you may be interested in, and also why volunteering with us could be a great way for you to **take your advocacy career to the next level.**"



Animal Rebellion

Charities and NGOs

Animal Rebellion's mission is to build a **broad-based movement**, capable of achieving transformative change to mitigate the climate catastrophe and positively impact the lives of trillions of animals, through **nonviolent civil resistance**. We focus on highlighting the significant impacts of animal farming and fishing on the environment and normalising the crucial solution of a plant-based food system within the wider environmental movement. Our ultimate aim is to secure **a just and sustainable transition to a plant-based system**



ANIMAL 
REBELLION

Animal Think Tank

Charities and NGOs



Our Vision

We believe that a truly free society means freedom for everyone—including other animals.

We're creating a world where **animals have the freedom to shape their lives** according to their own needs and wants, and where their interests are taken into consideration in every area of society.

A world that **respects all animals as individuals** with unique personalities, languages and cultures.

A world where **humans work with other animals to protect our shared home**, so we can all thrive for generations to come.

Our Mission

The greatest leaps forward in social progress were made possible by the success of other freedom movements. That's why we're **building a powerful, resilient movement** that can go the distance in ensuring all animals have their freedom embraced by society and protected in UK law. We will achieve this by **empowering everyday people** to stand up for **Animal Freedom** and create lasting change together.

Collective Fashion Justice

Animals in Fashion Industry

Our mission is to **illuminate the interlinked injustices in fashion supply chains** that harm the planet, people and our fellow animals. By uprooting their intertwined harm, we work to **create a total ethics fashion system.**

Collective
Fashion
Justice



The term **'total ethics fashion'** exists to express intersections and collectivity where other concepts and terms related to responsible production, consumption and relationships with fashion have not. It exists to demand an all encompassing and holistic view of this responsibility, and of care. To counter the increasing narrowness of terms like 'ethical fashion', 'fair fashion', 'vegan fashion', 'sustainable fashion', 'cruelty-free fashion' and 'eco-friendly fashion', which have been overused and misused to such a degree the meaning is twisted, contorted and eventually lost.

