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URL

http://worldanimal.net/

Subject

Animal societies - Directories

Accessibility

Free

Language

English

Publisher

World Animal Net

Brief History

In 1986 World Animal Net president and co-founder Wim DeKok began compiling information on the organizations working for animal protection around the world.

Eventually, this work led to the publishing of the World Animal Net International Directory of Animal Protection Organizations. The directory garnered many accolades and, for the first time ever, allowed organizations to search for and contact peers working on similar issues on the other side of the world. World Animal Net (WAN) was established in 1997 to improve communication and coordination among the world's animal protection groups.

Scope and Coverage

It is the world's largest database of animal protection societies, with more than 17,000 listings in over 170 countries. Today World Animal Net is the world's largest network of animal protection societies with over 3,000 affiliates in more than 100 countries and special consultative status at the United Nations. World Animal Net (WAN) develops programs and 'best practice' resources for the animal protection community.

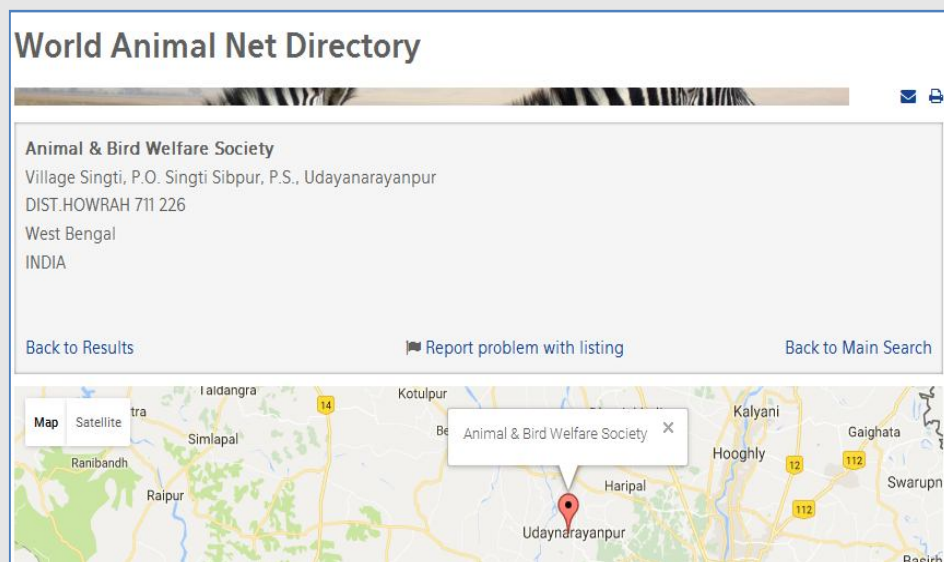
Kind of Information

Directory can be searched from different angles like name of society, country, ZIP codes, activities etc.

After searching geographically, two main categories can be seen :

1. Continent and
2. Country/ Territory

Name of all states are enlisted in each country. Clicking on the name of each state, total no. of societies can be seen including their locations, maps etc. Such as, a society of West Bengal shows the following result :



Different programmes are provided with beautiful pictures which include free course on strategic advocacy, guidance on building consortiums and collaborations, and their work on constitutions and legislation, projects etc. Those projects promote the official recognition of animals as sentient beings worthy of inclusion in constitutions. Information about animal welfare, animal protecting policy, fundraising etc. are

provided under “Resources” category. The courses are divided in some modules. Important documents are given in PDF format. They also give information about achievements, strategy, members, sitemap etc. WAN newsletters are also kept in this site.

In ‘**blogs**’ column, each blog is published including author’s name, publishing detail and beautiful photo.

Special Features

- Website can be browsed from different angles, ‘**browse by topic**’, ‘**browse by author**’ etc.
- World Animal Net's strategic advocacy course are taught by you tube videos.
- Content can be shared through Google+.
- LinkedIn is attached with this site.
- Related links like: **World Animal Navigator, International Fund for Animal Welfare, World Wide Animal Rescue, and the Pegasus Foundation** etc. are given also.

Arrangement Pattern

Date and year wise arrangement can be seen in case of events.

Names of geographical areas are arranged alphabetically. Such as :

Africa

Asia

Europe

Latin America and Caribbean

North America

Oceania

Under job opportunities, hyperlinks of job websites are arranged alphabetically like:

- [AAP Rescue Centre](#)
- [American Humane Association - Job Opportunities](#)
- [Animal Jobs Digest](#)
- [Animal Jobs Direct](#)
- [AnimalJobs.com](#)
- [Animal Legal Defense Fund](#)
- [Animal Sheltering.org - Jobs](#)
- [Brooke - Job vacancies](#)
- [Charity Job UK - Animal Jobs](#)

Remarks

The directory has become an invaluable tool to both individuals and organizations working in animal protection worldwide. WAN's mission is to improve the status and welfare of animals worldwide. Strategic advocacy course helps animal protection organizations to understand the need and context for advocacy in achieving social change for animals and how to put effective advocacy into practice. The WAN Directory helps to locate other organizations across the world - to collaborate, build consortiums, and make referrals; as well as helping policymakers and individuals to locate animal protection organizations to consult and ask for assistance.

Comparable Tools

➤ The Complete Animal Directory (www.thecompleteanimaldirectory.com/)

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