**The 98th annual meeting of the German Society for Mammalian Biology**

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This year’s meeting aims to bring together researchers and practitioners working on all aspects of mammalogy to share results, hypotheses, and innovative methodologies to advance research and practice in this field. Thematic sessions will be focused on behaviour, ecology, management and conservation of mammals, but a sufficient space will be assigned also to contributions from the other fields of mammalogy. The official language of the meeting is English.

Contributions will be welcome on all aspects concerning the management and conservation of mammals, and their behaviour and ecology. Contributions on any other zoological topic dealing with mammalian biology are welcome, including, for example, morphology, systematics, genetics, zooarchaeology, or palaeontology. Multi- and transdisciplinary topics are especially encouraged and will be prioritised if the number of oral presentation requests exceeds the available slots.