

AZA AC/GC TAG

Antelope, Cattle, Giraffid and Camelid TAG

AZA Mid Year TAG Update –2021



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TAG

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TAG**

**New TAG , new name. Combined the
Antelope and Giraffe TAG and the Wild
Cattle and Camelid TAG**

Antelope, Cattle, Giraffid and Camelid TAG Leadership



- Due to combining the two TAGS, there is a new subgroup structure within the TAG and Vice-Chairs assigned for each.
- **Chair:** Steve Metzler (San Diego Zoo Safari Park)
- **Vice-Chairs:**
 - Dan Beetem (The Wilds) Wild Cattle and Camelid Subgroup VC
 - Adam Eyres (Fossil Rim) Aridland Antelope Subgroup VC
 - Andi Kornak (Cleveland Metroparks Zoo) Woodland Antelope Subgroup VC
 - Mike Murray (Lincoln Park Zoo) Giraffid Subgroup VC
 - Matt James (Dallas Zoo) Small Antelope Subgroup VC
- **Steering Committee (Elected):**
 - Ashleigh Kandrach (Lion Country Safari) **Through Jan 2022**
 - Adam Felts (Columbus Zoo) **Through Jan 2022**
 - Donna Doherty (Bronx Zoo, WCS) **Through Jan 2022**
 - Tim Sampson (John Ball Zoo) **Through Jan 2022**
 - Michael Jones (Louisville Zoo) **Through Jan 2022**
 - Tony Barthel (Smithsonian National Zoo) **Through Jan 2023**
 - Christina Gorosuch (Cincinnati Zoo) **Through Jan 2023**
 - JT Svoke (Zoo Miami) **Through Jan 2023**
 - **VACANCY**

Antelope, Cattle, Giraffid and Camelid TAG Programs



- (51 *Ex Situ* Species Evaluated)
- 1 **Green SSP**
- 24 **Yellow SSPs**
- 9 **Red SSPs**
- 1 **Candidate Program**
- 9 **Monitored Species**
- 7 **PHASE OUT**



Woodland Antelope Subgroup

(12 Yellow SSPs, 1 Monitored Species, 2 PHASE OUT)



Woodland Antelope Subgroup- Vice Chair Andi Kornak

- Roan Antelope - Yellow SSP – Andi Kornak – Regional Studbook
- Sable Antelope - Yellow SSP – Jill Piltz – Regional Studbook
- Common Eland - Yellow SSP – Lou Keeley – Regional Studbook
- Eastern Bongo - Yellow SSP – Courtney Janney – Regional Studbook
- Greater Kudu - Yellow SSP – Denny Charlton – Regional Studbook
- Lesser Kudu - Yellow SSP – Lauren Harster – Regional Studbook
- Lowland Nyala - Yellow SSP – Steve Metzler – Regional Studbook
- Sitatunga - Yellow SSP – Gil Myers – Regional Studbook
- Impala - Yellow SSP – Matt McHarness – Regional Studbook



Woodland Antelope Subgroup Continued...

(12 Yellow SSPs, 1 Monitored Species, 2 PHASE OUT)



Woodland Antelope Subgroup- Vice Chair Andi Kornak

- Common Wildebeest – Yellow SSP - Kristen Wolfe – Regional Studbook
- Common Waterbuck – Yellow SSP – VACANT– Regional Studbook
- Nile Lechwe - Yellow SSP – Mike Murray – Regional Studbook
- Giant Eland – Monitored Species – Steve Metzler TAG Chair - Contact
- Red Lechwe – PHASE OUT (Replace with nile lechwe)
- Ugandan Kob – PHASE OUT (Replace with nile lechwe)

Aridland Antelope Subgroup

(9 Yellow SSPs, 2 Red SSPs, 4 Monitored Species, 2 PHASE OUT)



Aridland Antelope Subgroup- Vice Chair Adam Eyres

- Addax – Yellow SSP – Jamie Ivy - International Studbook – Wendy Enright
- Scimitar-horned Oryx – Yellow SSP – RoxAnna Breitigan – International Studbook – Tania Gilbert
- Arabian Oryx – Yellow SSP - Michelle Hatwood – International Studbook
- Gemsbok – Yellow SSP – Lissa McCaffree – Regional Studbook
- Addra Gazelle – Yellow SSP – Charlie Tucker – Regional Studbook
- Thomson’s Gazelle – Yellow SSP – Matt Gelvin – Regional Studbook
- Slender-horned Gazelle – Yellow SSP – Brigid Randle – International Studbook
- Speke’s Gazelle – Yellow SSP – Christy Poelker – Regional Studbook
- South African Springbok – Yellow SSP – Jessica Vigneault– Regional Studbook



Aridland Antelope Subgroup

Continued....

(9 Yellow SSPs, 2 Red SSPs, 4 Monitored Species, 2 PHASE OUT)



- Nubian Soemmerring's Gazelle – Red SSP – Nicole Becker – Regional Studbook
- Peninsular Pronghorn – Red SSP – Melodi Tayles – Regional Studbook
- Grant's Gazelle – Monitored Species – Allison Malkowski – Contact
- Fringe-eared Oryx – Monitored Species – VC Adam Eyres - Contact
- American Pronghorn– Monitored Species – VC Adam Eyres - Contact
- Blackbuck – Monitored Species – VC Adam Eyres - Contact
- Red-fronted Gazelle – PHASE OUT (Replace with TAG recommended gazelle sp.)
- Cuvier's Gazelle – PHASE OUT (Replace with TAG recommended gazelle sp.)



Small Antelope Subgroup

(1 Yellow SSP, 5 Red SSPs, 1 Monitored Species, 2 Phase Out)



Small Antelope Subgroup- Vice Chair Matt James

- Yellow-backed Duiker – Yellow SSP – Matt James – International Studbook – Jessica Biggins
- Gerenuk – Red SSP – Christina Seely – Regional Studbook
- Bontebok – Red SSP – Lissa McCaffree – Regional Studbook
- Red-flanked Duiker – Red SSP – JT Svoke – Regional Studbook
- Blue Duiker – Red SSP – Sarah Ksiazek – Regional Studbook
- Klipspringer – Red SSP – Cassandra Kutilek – Regional Studbook
- Steenbok – Monitored Species – Steve Metzler TAG Chair - Contact
- Kirk's Dik-Dik – PHASE OUT (Replace with blue or red-flanked duiker)
- Black Duiker – PHASE OUT (Replace with blue or red-flanked duiker)



Giraffid Subgroup

(1 Green SSP, 2 Yellow SSPs)



Giraffid Subgroup- Mike Murray Vice Chair

- Generic Giraffe – **Green SSP** - Sheri Horiszny – Regional Studbook – Erin Cantwell
- Masai Giraffe – **Yellow SSP** - Sheri Horiszny – Regional Studbook – Erin Cantwell
- Okapi – **Yellow SSP** – Steve Shurter – Regional Studbook – International Studbook – Sander Hoffman



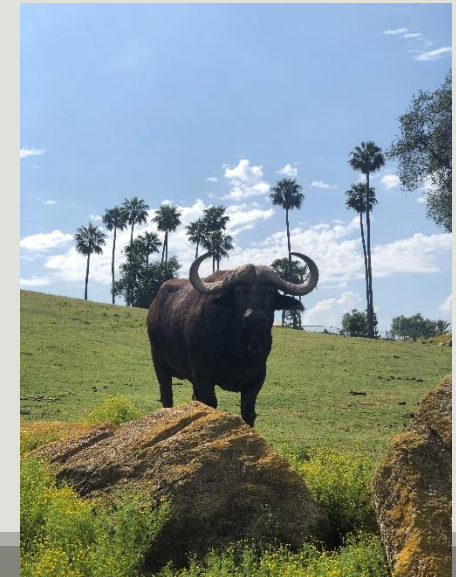
Wild Cattle and Camelid Subgroup



(2 Red SSPs, 1 Candidate Program, 3 Monitored Species, 1 Phase Out)

Wild Cattle and Camelid Subgroup- Vice Chair Dan Beetem

- Banteng – Red SSP – GSMP – International Studbook - Steve Metzler
– Regional Studbook – Curt Coleman
- Anoa – Red SSP – GSMP - Telena Welsh – Regional Studbook
- Plains Bison – Candidate Program – Mollye Nardi - Regional Studbook
- African Savanna Buffalo – Monitored Species – Jordan Schimming – Regional Studbook
- Guanaco - Monitored Species
- Bactrian Camel (Domestic Species) – Monitored Species
- Gaur – PHASE OUT (Replace with TAG recommended cattle sp.)

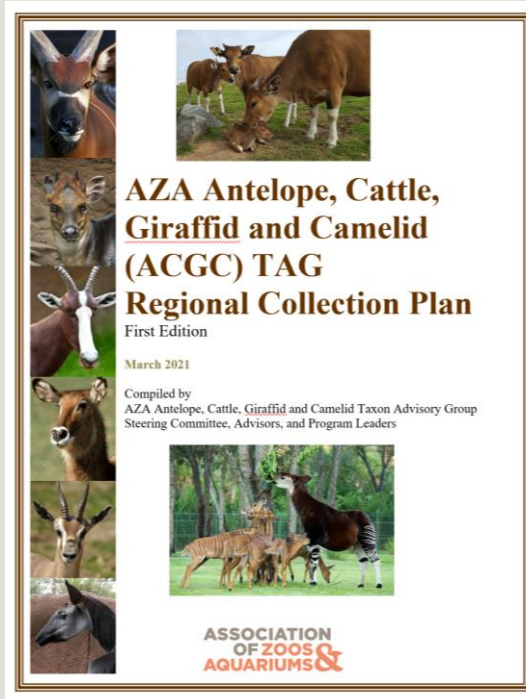




New RCP in April 2021

RCP Draft out in December 2020, final out in April 2021

2014 Antelope and Giraffe RCP was 180 pages. Wild Cattle and Camelid RCP was 34 pages. This newly combined ACGC TAG RCP is down to 55 pages.



Other AC/GC Presentations of Interest



- **2026 Year of the Bison Roundtable:** Moderator - Mollye Nardi
 - AZA Midyear Tuesday, April 6, 2-3pm EST
- **Saola Foundation, The Saola in Lao and Vietnamese Culture:** President Bill Roubichaud
 - Zoom, Saturday, March 27th, 11:30am EST. Go to saolafoundation.org, Events to register

The Future of Ungulate SSPs

Presentations and Discussion, Toady at 3pm EST

