Dear zebrafish & medaka community,

The understanding of high quality animal care and lab animal welfare is constantly increasing. During the Nordic zebrafish meeting in Uppsala 14-15 September 2017, the notion of starting a series of Nordic zebrafish husbandry & care workshops was discussed, and based on the positive attitudes towards this we now take the initiative to host the 1st Nordic Zebrafish & Medaka Care Workshop with both zebrafish and medaka implemented in the name.

This workshop will take place on Wednesday 7 February 2018 from 10-16:00 at Oslo Innovation Centre, Forskningsparken, Gaustadalléen 21, 0349 Oslo, Norway.

Participation is free-of-charge.

The preliminary program includes presentations from:
- Ana Catarina Certal, President, Zebrafish Husbandry Association
- Marianne Kraugerud, Fish diseases and pathology expert
- Adrian Smith, NORECOPA
- Peter Alestrom, Joint workgroup for Zebrafish guidelines
- Gunvor Knudsen, Mattilsynet, Norwegian Food Safety Authority - Current challenges faced by fish researchers regarding the 3Rs, enrichment and euthanasia

Afternoon: Short presentations from fish labs, a general discussion and a site visit at the local zebrafish facility.

Be part of the continuous dialogue and education on how we as a research community can ensure the high quality of animal care and welfare in science!

Sign up today with jn@scanbur.com (deadline for sign up is Wednesday 31 January).

In case of questions, please do not hesitate to contact Trude Sæterøy at ts@scanbur.com

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