<u>A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE</u> <u>AND NOT HAVING A SHARE CAPITAL</u>

COMPANY NO. 6974374 (ENGLAND AND WALES)

REGISTERED CHARITY NO. 1133119

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 ST DECEMBER 2014

KING LOOSE & CO STATUTORY AUDITORS

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COMPANY INFORMATION

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<u>Secretary</u>	Kenneth Applebee O.B.E
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<u>Charity Number</u>	1133119
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DIRECTORS' AND TRUSTEES' REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2014

The directors and trustees present their report for the year ended 31st December 2014.

Animals in Science-Education Trust was incorporated on 28th July 2009 as an incorporated charity limited by guarantee and is governed by a memorandum and articles of association.

Objects, organisation and activities, including Public Benefit Statement

The charity is established to further the advancement of education and promotion of excellence in the welfare of animals in science.

The trust aims to:

- Provide bursaries contributing towards course fees and travel and accommodation costs;
- Develop teaching packages;
- Create course materials including handbooks and videos;
- Provide web-based learning;
- Develop and provide block-release summer schools and tutorials;
- Support students with special needs.

In considering these aims and objects, the Trustees have reviewed the guidance issued by the Charity Commission in relation to public benefit, and consider that the public benefit test continues to be satisfied.

Directors and trustees

All directors of the company are also trustees of the charity, and there are no other trustees. All of the trustees named on page 1 served during the period, or as otherwise noted.

Trustees appointment and training

Trustees are appointed at the annual general meeting, usually held in late Spring. Nominations are put forward prior to the meeting, when the individual has confirmed their willingness to serve, and then formally proposed, seconded and voted upon at the meeting itself.

Induction of new Trustees is informal, mainly covered by word of mouth and attendance at meetings where policy decisions are taken, and matters of concern discussed. There is no specific training policy for new Trustees/Directors.

Review of progress and achievements

These initial periods of activity have seen the commencement of fundraising, together with the raising of awareness of the charity's existence and objectives amongst those who may be eligible to benefit.

Tangible fixed assets for use by the charity

The trust does not yet own any fixed assets.

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Finances and reserves policy

The attached financial statements show the current state of the finances which the Trustees consider to be sound.

It is the policy of the charity to build up sufficient unrestricted funds, which are the free reserves of the charity, to a level which will equate to approximately six months budgeted unrestricted expenditure. This will provide sufficient funds to cover the ongoing promotion of the charity's objects, together with the associated support and administration costs. The charity's reserves at the year end date are considered to be in line with this policy.

Investment policy

Investments are held in short to medium term bank deposit accounts in order to provide flexibility and ease of access. The highest available rate of interest is actively pursued, but this is dependent upon the capital sum available to be invested and the overriding requirement of accessibility. The investment objective is to maintain the purchasing power of the monies until they are required to satisfy the grant making process.

Risk management

The trustees have examined the major strategic, business and operational risks which the charity faces or may face, and confirm that systems are in place to enable regular reports to be produced, so that the necessary steps can be taken to lessen any such risks.

Statement of Information to Auditors

So far as each of the directors/trustees serving at the time this Report is approved are aware:

- * There is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors, King Loose & Co are unaware; and
- * The directors/trustees have taken all steps that they ought to have taken to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the auditors are aware of that information.

A resolution will be put to the members at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting, appointing Messrs King Loose & Co as auditors for the coming year.

Small Company Provisions

This report has been prepared in accordance with the Small Companies' regime of the Companies Act 2006.

<u>Approval</u>

This report was approved by the board of directors and trustees on2015, and signed on its behalf by:

Kenneth Applebee O.B.E. (Secretary)

STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2014

The trustees are required by law to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charity, and of its results for that period. In preparing those financial statements, the trustees are required to:

- * select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- * make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- * state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- * prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity, and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

By order of the board of directors and trustees

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<u>REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO THE TRUSTEES OF</u> ANIMALS IN SCIENCE – EDUCATION TRUST

We have audited the financial statements of Animals in Science – Education Trust for the year ended 31st December 2014 on pages 5 to 10, which comprise the Statement of Financial Activities and Summary Income and Expenditure Account, the Balance Sheet and the related notes. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

This auditors' report is made solely to the charity's trustees, as a body, in accordance with Section 145 of the Charities Act 2011 and the regulations made under Section 154 of that Act. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the Trustees those matters we are required to state to them in an auditors' report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume any responsibility to anyone other than the Charity's Trustees as a body, for our work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and auditors

As explained more fully in the Trustees' Responsibilities Statement, the trustees are responsible for the preparation of financial statements which give a true and fair view.

We have been appointed as auditor under Section 145 of the Charities Act 2011 and report in accordance with regulations made under Section 154 of that Act. Our responsibility is to audit and express an opinion on the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and international Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's (APB's) Ethical Standards for Auditors.

Scope of the audit of the financial statements

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of:-

- a) whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the Charity's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed;
- b) the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the trustees; and
- c) the overall presentation of the financial statements.

In addition, we read all the financial and nonfinancial information in the Directors' and Trustees' Report to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements:-

- a) give a true and fair view of the state of the Charity's affairs as at 31st December 2014, and of its incoming resources and application of resources, for the year then ended;
- b) have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- c) have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Charities Act 2011 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:-

- a) the information given in the Directors' and Trustees' Report is inconsistent in any material respect with the financial statements; or
- b) sufficient accounting records have not been kept; or
- c) the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting record and returns; or
- d) we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.

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Oxford OX2 7JL	Statutory Auditor

Dated

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 ST DECEMBER 2014

SUMMARY INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

		Un <u>restricted</u> <u>Funds</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>Funds</u> <u>2014</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>Funds</u> <u>2013</u>
<u>No</u>	<u>ote</u>	£	£	£
Incoming resources				
Voluntary Income	2	22,055	22,055	22,280
Fundraising Income		-	-	-
Investment Income		2	2	2
Total incoming resources		22,057	22,057	22,282
Resources expended				
Costs of generating funds				
Fundraising		700	700	1,212
Charitable expenditure				
Bursary and grant support given	3	20,030	20,030	8,141
Costs incurred in furtherance of the Charity's activities	4	8,976	8,976	8,250
Governance costs	5	2,106	2,106	2,781
Total resources expended		31,812	31,812	20,384
Net (outgoing)/incoming resources for the period, being (net expenditure over income)/net income over expenditure and net movement in				
funds	6	(9,755)	(9,755)	1,898
Fund balances brought forward		70,614	70,614	68,716
Fund balances carried forward		60,859 	60,859	70,614

There were no other recognised gains or losses in respect of 2014 and 2013 other than those reflected in the statement of financial activities.

The notes on pages 7 to 10 form part of these accounts.

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST DECEMBER 2014

		<u>2014</u>			<u>2013</u>
	Note	£	£	£	£
Current assets Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	9	3,486 58,885		71,814	
		62,371		71,814	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	10	1,512		1,200	
Net current assets			60,859		70,614
Total assets less current liabilities, being net assets			60,859		70,614
Represented by: Unrestricted income funds	13		60,859		70,614

The directors are satisfied that the company was entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 and that members have not required an audit in accordance with Section 476. However, an audit is required in accordance with Section 145 of the Charities Act 2011.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:-

- 1. ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Section 386; and
- 2. preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company as at the end of the financial year and of its profit or loss for the financial year in accordance with the requirements of Section 396 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of this Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the charitable company.

Approved by the board of directors and trustees on				
	Professor Sir Richard Gardner			
	Kenneth Applebee O.B.E.			

The notes on pages 7 to 10 form part of the accounts.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2014

1. <u>Accounting policies</u>

(a) **Basis of preparation**

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

In preparing the financial statements, the charity follows best practice as laid down in the Statement of Recommended Practice "Accounting and Reporting by Charities" (SORP 2005) issued in March 2005.

The charity has taken advantage of the exemption to prepare a cash flow statement, as contained in Financial Reporting Standard 1, on the grounds that it is a small charity.

(b) Activities

The financial statements include the results of the charity's operations as described in the directors' and trustees' report.

The company commenced activity in early 2010 following the granting of its charitable status. The Charity has one activity only.

(c) Incoming resources

Income of all kinds is accounted for when receivable, i.e. in the period in which the charity is entitled to receipt. No permanent endowments have been received in the period.

(d) Resources expended

Expenditure is included on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all costs related to the category.

All core cost categories are regarded as being of a support nature to the Charity's principal activity, as described in the Annual Report. It is anticipated that any future specific projects will be covered by restricted funds - i.e. funds raised specifically for that project.

(e) Value added tax

Value added tax is not recoverable by the Charity, and as such is included in the relevant costs in the statement of financial activities.

(f) Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds comprise those funds which the trustees are free to use in accordance with the objects of the charity, as defined in the constitution.

All of the charity's assets are currently represented by unrestricted funds.

(g) The value of services provided by volunteers is not incorporated into these financial statements.

Where services are provided to the charity as a donation, that normally would be purchased from suppliers, this contribution is included in the financial statements at an estimate based on the value of the contribution to the charity. Donated services are analysed in note 2.

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FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2014

2. Voluntary Income

	Unrestricted Funds د	Total Funds 2014	Total Funds 2013
	£	£	£
Donated Services	8,800	8,800	9,212
Donations and Sponsorships	13,255	13,255	13,068
	22,055	22,055	22,280

The charity is indebted to the Institute of Animal Technology for funding the Christmas Drinks reception (a fundraising activity), and for providing advertising space in the IAT Bulletin on a regular basis, free of charge (shown as part of the costs recognised as incurred in furtherance of the charity's activities). The value placed on these contributions by the Trustees is £8,800. The income equivalent is recognised within incoming resources as voluntary income, and the equivalent charges included within costs.

3. <u>Bursary and Grant Support</u>

5.

All such grants are paid to individuals, or directly to educational establishments on their behalf.

4. <u>Costs Incurred in Furtherance of the Charity's Activities</u>

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2014 £	Total Funds 2013 £
Advertising, website and awareness campaig	n 8,976	8,976	8,250
Governance Costs			
	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2014 £	Total Funds 2013 £
Administration Costs	-	-	649
Auditors Remuneration - Audit	1,000	1,000	1,000
- Accountancy etc	752	752	848
Trustees Travel Expenses	354	354	284

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6. <u>Surplus for the period/Net Income over Expenditure</u>

2014 £	201 £
1,000	1,000
752	848
Nil	Nil
	£ 1,000 752

7. <u>Staff costs</u>

The charity is administered by voluntary workers and there are, therefore, no staff costs incurred. Accordingly, no member of staff is paid more than £60,000 per annum.

8. <u>Trustees' expenses</u>

No trustee, nor any person connected with them, has received or is due to receive any remuneration for the year directly or indirectly from the charity's funds. Occasional low value reimbursements are made to trustees in respect of expenditures incurred on behalf of the charity.

9. <u>Debtors</u>

		2014 £	2013 £
	Prepaid expenses	3,486	-
10.	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	===== 2014 £	===== 2013 £
	Accruals and Sundry Creditors	1,512	1,200

11. Reconciliation of movement in shareholders' funds

Animals in Science – Education Trust, being a company limited by guarantee and a registered charity, has no shareholders; it is, therefore, inappropriate to include a reconciliation of the movement in shareholders' funds.

ANIMALS IN SCIENCE – EDUCATION TRUST NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2014

12. <u>Share capital</u>

Animals in Science – Education Trust is limited by guarantee and does not have a share capital.

13. Unrestricted Funds

All of the charity's net assets are currently represented by unrestricted funds.

14. <u>Contingent liabilities or commitments</u>

In the opinion of the trustees, there were no contingent liabilities or legally binding commitments at 31^{st} December 2013.