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Online Master in Animal Law and Society (1st ed.)

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The online Master in “Animal Law and Society” began its first edition on 18th March 2015. It is a great source of joy for all and a very important achievement that has gained success through the support and work of many people.

It is the first Online Master in the world on the subject of Animal Law; with this we move forward by providing professional training to all those interested to “know more, to work better for animals” but cannot themselves come to Barcelona to participate in the onsite Master, which this year celebrates its fourth edition.

The Master relies on a consolidated group of professionals in law, Veterinary sciences, Bioethics, Sociology, Nutrition and Medicine to offer an interdisciplinary and international programme, based on teaching oriented toward professional practice, but also toward investigation - teaching and investigation are the two sides of the scales that must always be kept perfectly balanced. In fact, all our online Master students must complete an End of Master Work, which is guided and overseen by a tutor and, in the majority of cases, this work of investigation ends up being the seed that becomes a doctoral thesis, for which the SGR Investigation Group ADS (=Animals, Law, Society) of the Autonomous University of Barcelona has its own line of investigation in the Doctorate Programme of the Law Faculty at the UAB.

The online Master relies on the invaluable help and technical support of the Editorial “[Tirant lo Blanch](#)”, which has vast experience in online teaching, and which guarantees a quick and accessible connection for both Professors and Students alike. As a distinctive feature of the institution, the Autonomous University of Barcelona has stimulated the creation of this online Master in the subject of Animal Law, in which we have come to be pioneers in recent years. In 2007 the ADS Investigation Group was officially created among the Investigation Groups that later became known as the SGR Group for the Agency of Quality (AGAUR) of the Catalanian Government.

Finally, what really gives value to the Master is the human element that sustains it. First of all, the Students, with their dedication and their enthusiasm. Online learning demands a lot of motivation and discipline and, of course, in these first weeks of the course, we already understand the high level of training of our Students of this 1st edition, something that stimulates us Professors of the Master to improve. Secondly, the staff of the Master, composed of module tutors, coordinators of the Master and the Management.

In order for today's Students and those that are excited to undertake this adventure in the future can get to know us, we have recorded a video that is available to all on our Youtube channel (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pjBftDpfXzA>)

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