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The North American Primate Sanctuary Alliance ([NAPSA](http://NAPSA.org)), is pleased to announce the appointment of their new Program Manager, Erika Fleury. Before joining NAPSA, Erika served as a volunteer and independent consultant to primate sanctuaries, and she is the author of the book *Monkey Business: A History of Nonhuman Primate Rights*. Erika will continue the work of NAPSA by supporting its mission as well as working with member sanctuaries in strengthening North American primate sanctuaries.

“I am proud to be joining a group of people who do so much on behalf of captive primates,” Erika explained. “Primate welfare is something I care deeply about, and I look forward to assisting NAPSA with this important work.”

Ms. Fleury replaces Sarah Baeckler Davis, who left NAPSA in October to pursue other endeavors.

NAPSA was founded in 2010 by the directors of seven of the leading chimpanzee sanctuaries on the continent. The mission of NAPSA is to advance and advocate for the welfare of captive primates.

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