

	GASTROENTEROLOGY Sponsored by Hill's Pet Nutrition	EMERGENCY	CARDIORESPIRATORY	DENTISTRY	SURGERY Sponsored by Provet	ONCOLOGY	NEUROLOGY	UPAV EXOTICS
8:15-9:05	Rational approach to the vomiting dog and cat <i>Stanley Marks</i>	Major body system assessment in the small animal emergency patient <i>Dez Hughes</i>	Respiratory examination and diagnostics <i>Lynelle Johnson</i>	Feline and canine tooth resorption <i>Curt Coffman</i>	What is current in wound management and wound reconstruction in small animals <i>Daniel Brockman</i>	Treating cancer in pet animals: The 'one cancer' concept <i>Rod Straw</i>	Do dogs have strokes? Cerebrovascular disorders <i>Richard LeCouteur</i>	The ethics of exotics <i>Anne Fawcett</i>
9:10-10:00	Oesophageal disease: The forgotten organ <i>David Twedt</i>	Environmental emergencies: The potentially lethal effects of the elements of the environment and how to manage them in dogs and cats <i>Terry King</i>	Changing views on treatment of preclinical mitral valve disease in dogs <i>Niek Beijerink</i>	Feline gingivostomatitis: Diagnosis and treatment options <i>Curt Coffman</i>	Urinary tract surgery: From dribbly bums to blocked bladders <i>Andrew Marchevsky</i>	Treatment of mammary cancer in dogs <i>Tony Moore</i>	Motor unit disease: Polyneuropathies and junctionopathies <i>Georgina Child</i>	Desexing of small mammals: A practical approach <i>Brendan Carmel</i>
10:00-10:40	MORNING TEA							
10:40-11:30	CONGRESS OPENING CEREMONY							
11:35-12:25	The chronic vomiting cat <i>David Twedt</i>	Helpful hints in small animal emergencies: A plethora of tips and guidelines to aid decisions on the run <i>Terry King</i>	Management of incidental heart murmurs in cats <i>Niek Beijerink</i>	To extract or not to extract <i>Ruth Barthel</i>	Which liver lobe is that? The dos and don'ts of hepatobiliary surgery <i>Andrew Marchevsky</i>	Canine lymphoma: New perspectives on treatment <i>Tony Moore</i>	Motor unit disease: Myopathies, the oft forgotten and misdiagnosed <i>Georgina Child</i>	Reptile anaesthesia: Cardiorespiratory anatomy, physiology and clinical management <i>Tegan Stephens</i>
12:25-13:25	LUNCH							
13:25-14:15	Roadmap to chronic refractory diarrhea in dogs and cats <i>Stanley Marks</i>	Getting the most from your cardiovascular and respiratory assessment <i>Dez Hughes</i>	Canine nasal disease <i>Lynelle Johnson</i>	Surgical extractions <i>Ruth Barthel</i>	Developments in understanding of congenital portosystemic shunt disease and its treatment in dogs <i>Daniel Brockman</i>	Treating cancer in pets: The diagnosis and surgical oncology <i>Rod Straw</i>	Seizures & epilepsy I: Diagnostic approach <i>Richard LeCouteur</i>	Chlamydia testing in pet birds <i>Alex Rosenwax</i>
14:20-15:10	What's the latest on canine hemorrhagic gastroenteritis? <i>Stanley Marks</i>	Emergency approach to the acute abdomen <i>Dez Hughes</i>	Approach to stridor and stertor <i>Lynelle Johnson</i>	Diagnosing and staging oral tumours in an orderly fashion <i>Loic Legendre</i>	Portosystemic shunts in cats: Are they different? <i>Daniel Brockman</i>	Treating cancer in pets: Medical and radiation oncology from a surgeon's perspective <i>Rod Straw</i>	Seizures & epilepsy II: Treatment & management update <i>Richard LeCouteur</i>	When the CAT meets unusual and avian pets: Computerized tomography as a diagnostic tool <i>Shangzhe Xie</i>
15:10-15:50	AFTERNOON TEA							
15:50-16:40	Acute pancreatitis in dogs: What is really new? <i>Caroline Mansfield</i>	Common respiratory emergencies <i>Sarah Haldane</i>	Diagnostic strategy in heart disease <i>Fiona Meyers-Campbell</i>	Mandibulectomies: Variations on a theme <i>Loic Legendre</i>	Medial patella luxation <i>Phil Moses</i>	Why is treating lymphoma in cats so hard? <i>Tony Moore</i>	Localising the lesion: Where to start looking and what's on the list <i>Sam Long</i>	Floppy rabbit syndrome: A case series <i>Gerry Skinner</i>
16:45-17:35	Canine chronic hepatitis <i>David Twedt</i>	Monitoring the critical patient: What do you really need? <i>Sarah Haldane</i>	Optimising management of congestive heart failure in practice <i>Fiona Meyers-Campbell</i>	Commonly seen malocclusions and treatment options <i>Tony Caiafa</i>	Cruciate disease: Where is the evidence? <i>Phil Moses</i>	Histiocytic diseases in dogs <i>Tony Moore</i>	The movers and shakers: The latest from the world of seizures and epilepsy <i>Sam Long</i>	
17:35-19:30	INTERNATIONAL STAND UP DINNER							

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8:15-9:05	Differentiation of feline GI lymphoma from IBD: Does it really matter? <i>Stanley Marks</i>	Emergency approach to the blocked cat <i>Dez Hughes</i>	Tracheal collapse and bronchomalacia <i>Lynelle Johnson</i>	Crown lengthening <i>Ruth Barthel</i>	Surgical management of congenital and acquired mitral valve disease in dogs <i>Daniel Brockman</i>	Soft tissue sarcomas <i>Rod Straw</i>	Shakes, tremors and twitches I: Overview of movement disorders of dogs and cats <i>Richard LeCouteur</i>	
9:10-10:00	Demystifying bacterial-associated diarrhea in dogs <i>Stanley Marks</i>	Clinical use of plasma lactate measurement <i>Dez Hughes</i>	Bacterial pneumonia: Diagnosis and therapy <i>Lynelle Johnson</i>	Dental radiology: Interpretation and cases <i>Ruth Barthel</i>	Update on surgical options for congenital pulmonic stenosis <i>Daniel Brockman</i>	Mast cell tumours <i>Rod Straw</i>	Shakes, tremors and twitches II: Update on therapy for movement disorders <i>Richard LeCouteur</i>	Medicine and surgery of mythological beasts <i>David Neck</i>
10:00-10:40	MORNING TEA							
10:40-11:30	Emerging newer liver diseases <i>David Twedt</i>	Management of small animal intoxications: What's new, what's old, what works <i>Terry King</i>	The ABCs of ECG interpretation <i>Niek Beijerink</i>	Does periodontal disease affect the rest of the body? <i>Tony Caiafa</i>	TPLO, TTA, MMTA, CBLO, TTO, ECCR, TR: Alphabet soup? Or is there a correct stifle stabilisation for you? <i>Andrew Marchevsky</i>	Imaging the cancer patient: When is advanced imaging needed? <i>Peter Bennett</i>	Mononeuropathies: The idiopathic and the bad <i>Georgina Child</i>	Melioidosis in captive Lumholtz's tree kangaroos (Dendrolagus lumholtzi) <i>Annabelle Olsson</i>
11:35-12:25	Feline liver disease and triaditis syndrome <i>David Twedt</i>	Cats are not small dogs: How cats handle their critical diseases <i>Terry King</i>	Arrhythmia management in dogs and cats <i>Niek Beijerink</i>	Maxillectomies: Variations on another theme <i>Loic Legendre</i>	GI surgery: Making it easier in practice <i>Andrew Marchevsky</i>	When and why do I need to order immunohistochemistry? <i>Peter Bennett</i>	My approach to the patient presenting with spinal cord disease <i>Georgina Child</i>	A practical guide to the bloated rabbit: Diagnosis and management of small intestinal obstruction (bloat) in rabbits <i>Lizzie Selby</i>
12:25-13:25	LUNCH							
13:25-14:15	Probiotics: What's the evidence for their benefit in diarrheic dogs and cats? <i>Stanley Marks</i>	New concepts in fluid therapy: How to feel comfortable NOT using colloids <i>Dez Hughes</i>	Pulmonary hypertension: Recognition and management <i>Lynelle Johnson</i>	Flap design: A tension releasing process <i>Loic Legendre</i>	"Look mum, it's a twister": Gastric, splenic, intestinal, hepatic and lung torsion <i>Daniel Brockman</i>	Osteosarcoma <i>Rod Straw</i>	Inflammatory CNS diseases of dogs: GME, NME, or NE? <i>Richard LeCouteur</i>	An update on <i>Macrorhabdus ornithogaster</i> <i>Hamish Baron</i>
14:20-15:10	PLENARY - FROM FROCKS TO CROCS: ONE VET'S JOURNEY - Annabelle Olsson							
15:10-15:50	AFTERNOON TEA							
15:50-16:40	Chronic pancreatitis in dogs and cats: Diagnostic and treatment dilemmas <i>Caroline Mansfield</i>	Analgesia in the small animal emergency patient <i>Sarah Haldane</i>	Feline heart disease, hypertension and hyperthyroidism: Putting it all together <i>Fiona Meyers-Campbell</i>	Dental nerve blocks and pain management for the dental patient <i>Curt Coffman</i>	Hip luxation: Key strategies for effective treatment (and errors to avoid) <i>Phil Moses</i>	How can we use the immune system to help us treat cancer? <i>Peter Bennett</i>	Getting into the right head space: Intracranial disease and what to do about it <i>Sam Long</i>	Anne Martin and Stephen Ross scholarships. Applicant case reports and reviews: <i>J Whinfield, T Vowell, C Gaches</i>
16:45-17:35	Copper associated liver diseases <i>David Twedt</i>	Transfusion medicine <i>Sarah Haldane</i>	Challenging cardiac case studies <i>Fiona Meyers-Campbell</i>	Advanced periodontal disease: Treatment and options <i>Curt Coffman</i>	Locking plates: What are they and how will they change your life <i>Phil Moses</i>	How to monitor and manage the sick cancer patient <i>Peter Bennett</i>	Ataxia and unsteady gaits: An update on spinal cord disease <i>Sam Long</i>	Avian paediatrics <i>Bob Doneley</i>
17.45-22.15	AUSSIE PARTY NIGHT							

	FELINE MEDICINE Sponsored by Hill's Pet Nutrition	ENDOCRINOLOGY Sponsored by Dermcare	OPHTHALMOLOGY	DERMATOLOGY Sponsored by Royal Canin	SURGERY Sponsored by Provot	IMAGING	DENTISTRY
8:15-9:05	Feline aspergillosis: An overview <i>Vanessa Barrs</i>	Hyperadrenocorticism: How to optimise management <i>David Church</i>	Pearls of the ophthalmic exam <i>David Maggs</i>	Is this dog atopic? Diagnosis of atopy <i>Ralf Mueller</i>	Advances in general surgery: Principles and practices <i>Catriona M MacPhail</i>		Dental extractions in rabbits and rodents <i>Loic Legendre</i>
9:10-10:00	Adrenal disease in cats: Getting more than you bargained for <i>Vanessa Barrs</i>	Hypoadrenocorticism: Diagnosis and management in 2017 <i>David Church</i>	The seven colours of corneal pathology <i>David Maggs</i>	Treatment of atopic dermatitis: What if glucocorticoids fail? <i>Ralf Mueller</i>	Advances in general surgery: Toys, tools and implants <i>Catriona M MacPhail</i>	Technical radiography: Excellence at every stage <i>Zoe Lenard</i>	Bone augmentation: Why and how <i>Loic Legendre</i>
10:00-10:40	MORNING TEA						
10:40-11:30	Insights into feline mycobacterial infections <i>Carolyn O'Brien</i>	Hypercalcaemia in dogs and cats: Diagnosis and treatment <i>Dennis Chew</i>	Cataracts and other lens problems <i>Anna Deykin</i>	MRSP in canine pyoderma: Challenges of diagnosis and treatment <i>Linda Vogelnest</i>	Arthritis in small animals: Is there more that we can do? <i>Stephen Fearnside</i>	Optimising image quality in digital imaging <i>Zoe Lenard</i>	Basic endodontic techniques <i>Curt Coffman</i>
11:35-12:25	Feline geriatrics <i>Carolyn O'Brien</i>	Idiopathic hypercalcaemia in cats <i>Dennis Chew</i>	Surgery of the eyelids and third eyelid <i>Anna Deykin</i>	Skin cytology techniques: Maximising value of this vital diagnostic tool <i>Linda Vogelnest</i>	Canine arthroscopy: Is it worth the effort? <i>Stephen Fearnside</i>	Thoracic radiology: The pulmonary parenchyma <i>Cathy Beck</i>	Introduction to veterinary prosthodontics: Crown restoration <i>Curt Coffman</i>
12:25-13:25	LUNCH						
13:25-14:15	Dealing with dermatophytes <i>Vanessa Barrs</i>	PU/PD: When the blood and urine tests are normal-ish <i>Darren Merrett</i>	Ocular signs of systemic disease <i>Mark Billson</i>	Practical diagnosis of canine papules and pustules <i>Sonya Bettenay</i>	Minimally invasive surgery for the practitioner <i>Catriona M MacPhail</i>	Thoracic radiology: The cardiovascular structures <i>Cathy Beck</i>	How composites work <i>Ruth Barthel</i>
14:20-15:10	Feline idiopathic cystitis: Urological, neurological or psychological? <i>Andrea Harvey</i>	Canine hypothyroidism <i>Darren Merrett</i>	Neuro-ophthalmology <i>Mark Billson</i>	Pododermatitis in dogs and cats <i>Sonya Bettenay</i>	Complex fracture management <i>Stephen Fearnside</i>	Thoracic radiology: Interactive cases <i>Cathy Beck</i>	Feeding tubes <i>Ruth Barthel</i>
15:10-15:50	AFTERNOON TEA						
15:50-16:40	Management of feline hyperthyroidism: What's new? <i>Andrea Harvey</i>	Diabetes mellitus: What's new and important in 2017 Part I <i>David Church</i>	Breed approach to ophthalmology <i>Anna Deykin</i>	All you wanted to know about dermatophytes <i>Sonya Bettenay</i>	New approaches and methods in external fixation for long bone fractures <i>Jason Beck</i>	Imaging round cell neoplasia in the cat: A close look at ultrasound <i>Zoe Lenard</i>	Dental homecare: Does it work and where is the evidence? <i>Tony Caiafa</i>
16:45-17:35	Approach to the jaundiced cat <i>Andrea Harvey</i>	Diabetes mellitus: What's new and important in 2017 Part II <i>David Church</i>	My approach to non healing ulcers <i>David Maggs</i>	Demodicosis in small animal practice <i>Ralf Mueller</i>	Intervertebral disc disease: The best ways to diagnose and treat <i>Jason Beck</i>	CT of the feline head: Why we should skip radiography <i>Zoe Lenard</i>	When should we use antimicrobials in dentistry <i>Tony Caiafa</i>
19:00-LATE	GALA AWARDS DINNER						

	DERMATOLOGY Sponsored by Royal Canin	UROGENITAL	OPHTHALMOLOGY	INFECTIOUS DISEASE Sponsored by Purina	SURGERY Sponsored by Provet	CLINICAL PATHOLOGY AND PRINCIPLES OF MEDICINE Sponsored by IDEXX	DENTISTRY
8:15-9:05	My clinical approach to the alopecic patient <i>Sonya Bettenay</i>	Chronic kidney disease in dogs and cats I: Staging and initial management <i>Dennis Chew</i>	The patient's eye is red, now what? <i>David Maggs</i>	Infectious causes of diarrhoea in cats: Diagnosis <i>Michael Lappin</i>	Controversies in gastric dilation-volvulus syndrome <i>Catriona M MacPhail</i>		Surgical management of palatal defects <i>Tony Caiafa</i>
9:10-10:00	Do dermatologists still use cortisone? <i>Sonya Bettenay</i>	Chronic kidney disease in dogs and cats II: Control of secondary hyperparathyroidism and progressive renal inflammation <i>Dennis Chew</i>	Glaucoma in dogs <i>David Maggs</i>	Infectious causes of diarrhoea in cats: Treatment <i>Michael Lappin</i>	Pleural space disease <i>Catriona M MacPhail</i>	Haematology: Maximising the yield from the results <i>Graham Swinney</i>	Prosthodontics II: Tooth preparation, crown fabrication and cementation <i>Curt Coffman</i>
10:00-10:40	MORNING TEA						
10:40-11:30	What's new in management of otitis externa and media? <i>Linda Vogelnest</i>	Acute kidney injury: Not just dialysis <i>David Senior</i>	Surgical management of canine glaucoma <i>Mark Billson</i>	Infectious causes of cancer in the cat <i>Julia Beatty</i>	Rehabilitation of the spinal patient <i>Stephen Fearnside</i>	We're all teachers now I: Thinking and learning styles and their relevance to supporting students in practice <i>Jill Maddison</i>	Dental embryology and tooth development <i>Curt Coffman</i>
11:35-12:25	How to get the most out of a skin biopsy <i>Ralf Mueller</i>	Proteinuria: Manageable or a death sentence <i>David Senior</i>	Ocular neoplasia <i>Mark Billson</i>	Parvovirus infections in cats: Old and new <i>Vanessa Barrs</i>	Advances in open wound management <i>Stephen Fearnside</i>	We're all teachers now II: Using and teaching problem based clinical reasoning skills in practice <i>Jill Maddison</i>	Oronasal fistula repair and selected palatal surgeries <i>Ruth Barthel</i>
12:25-13:25	LUNCH						
13:25-14:15	The treatment of feline allergic dermatitis <i>Sonya Bettenay</i>	Managing prostatic disease in dogs <i>David Senior</i>	Vision loss <i>Robin Stanley</i>	Diagnosing feline leukaemia virus and feline immunodeficiency virus infections <i>Julia Beatty</i>	Pelvic fractures: When to operate and when to not <i>Jason Beck</i>	What does a positive test mean? <i>Sue Foster</i>	Vital pulpotomy <i>Ruth Barthel</i>
14:20-15:10	Adverse food reactions: What has changed? <i>Ralf Mueller</i>	Incontinence: From wet to dry <i>David Senior</i>	Eye problems in older dogs and cats <i>Robin Stanley</i>	Bugs and drugs: Understanding rational antibacterial therapy <i>Jill Maddison</i>	Pelvic fractures: Surgical management <i>Jason Beck</i>	Practical urinalysis: Getting the most out of a seemingly easy test <i>Sue Foster</i>	Fracture repairs: Leaving a smaller footprint <i>Loic Legendre</i>
15:10-15:50	AFTERNOON TEA						
15:50-16:40	Could this be autoimmune? Diagnosis of autoimmune skin disease <i>Ralf Mueller</i>	Pandora syndrome (feline interstitial cystitis): Beyond the bladder and LUT signs <i>Dennis Chew</i>	Ophthalmic emergencies <i>David Maggs</i>	Infectious upper respiratory disease in the cat <i>Michael Lappin</i>	Advances in management of upper airway obstruction <i>Catriona M MacPhail</i>	The diagnostic dilemma of hepatic and pancreatic disease: What do the numbers really mean? <i>Jill Maddison</i>	TMJ: Imaging, pathology and treatment <i>Loic Legendre</i>
16:45-17:35	CONFERENCE CLOSING CEREMONY						
17:35-18.30	FAREWELL DRINKS						