



2018 CONFERENCE

Senior & Geriatric Care and
Emergency Medicine & Critical Care

SAVE THE DATE

Distinguished Speakers *Subject to change

Jeannine Berger, DVM, DACVB, DACAW, CAWA
Tony Buffington, DVM, MS, PhD, DACVN
Kara Burns, MS, MEd, LVT, VTS
Mike Chaddock, DVM, EML
Elizabeth Colleran, DVM, MS, DABVP (Feline)
Diane Eigner, VMD, MBA, CVPM, CHPV
Christina Fernandez, DVM, MRCVS, DACVECC
Alex German, BVSc, PhD, CSAM, DECVIM-CA, MRCVS
Margaret Gruen, DVM, MS, PhD
Jennifer Johnson, VMD, CVPP
Justine Lee, DVM, DACVECC, DABT
Gregory Lisciandro, DVM, DABVP, DACVECC
Susan E. Little, DVM, PhD, DACVM-Parasit
Linda Lord, DVM, MS, PhD
Cathy Lund, DVM
Gary Norsworthy, DVM, DABVP (Feline)
Adesola Odunayo, DVM, MS, DACVECC
Jessica Quimby, DVM, PhD, DACVIM
Sheilah Robertson, BVMS (Hons), PhD, DACVAA, DECVAA, DACAW, DECAWBM (WSEL), CVA, MRCVS
Ilona Rodan, DVM, DABVP (Feline)
Elke Rudloff, DVM, DACVECC, cVMA
Margie Scherk, DVM, ABVP (Feline)
Debra Zoran, DVM, PhD, DACVIM-SAIM

Conference Features

- *Feline-specific material presented by expert speakers.*
- *Sessions for those who see cats at all levels of their career.*
- *Two Veterinary Tracks, a two-day Technician/Nurse Track, and a one-day Practice Management Track.*
- *Lunch & Learn sessions – additional CE is offered through lunch with speakers. Attendance is limited.*
- *Oral and Poster Presentations.*
- *Networking and social activities with colleagues.*
- *Meals and coffee breaks in our interactive exhibit hall.*
- *Feline-friendly Handling Lab. Attendance is limited.*

Conference Education

Pre-conference Day: topics such as Pandora Syndrome: Acute & Chronic Care, Placebo-associated Responses, Nutrition & Disease Prevention During Growth Period, Managing URIs, and Feline Scratching.

Senior & Geriatric Care: topics such as Cognitive Dysfunction, Chronic Diarrhea, Anesthesia & Analgesia, Chronic Pain, Environment Enrichment, Feeding Behavior, Nutritional Needs & Management, Hospice & Euthanasia, Early Detection Programs, Comorbidities, and more.

Emergency Medicine & Critical Care: topics such as Urinary Tract Obstruction, Feeding Tubes, Mistakes to Avoid in the Emergency Patient, The First Five Minutes, Global FAST Ultrasound, Transfusion Medicine, Respiratory Distress, DKA, Sedation, Toxicities, and more.

Technician/Nurse Track: topics such as Acute Pain Scores, Anesthesia & Pain Management for Difficult Cats, Osteoarthritis, Diabetes, Nutritional Counseling, FLUTD, IBD, CKD, Parasitology, and more.

Practice Management Track: topics such as Diversity & Inclusion for Staff & Clients, Cat Friendly Housing, Preventive Care Practice Model, Wellbeing, and Creating a Cat Friendly Team.

Lunch & Learn Sessions: topics such as Obesity, Pain Management, Heartworm Disease, CKD, Ticks & Disease, Hypertension & CKD, and more.

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