Speakers Bureau

For MVMA District VMA Meetings

The following is a listing of continuing education programs available to Missouri District Veterinary Medical Associations for local meetings.

These programs are pre-approved for MAVP C.E. Credit. They are also underwritten to the following specifications:

For University of Missouri College of Veterinary Medicine presenters:

The University underwrites the travel expenses for speakers.

To schedule any of the presenters, contact the Veterinary Medical Teaching Hospital 573-882-7821 at least 45 days in advance of your meeting and ask to speak to the speaker of your choice. Be prepared with a specific date and time in mind.

For Non-University Partner for Progress Presenters:
Contact them via phone or e-mail listed in their section to discuss speaker, topics, fees or sponsorship opportunities.
Missouri Veterinary Medical Association’s
Missouri Academy of Veterinary Practice

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Presenters from the
University of Missouri
College of Veterinary Medicine

Sandra Axiak, DVM
Assistant Professor
Any cancer related topic, some examples are:
- Updates in current clinical trials and new cancer treatments
- Transitional cell carcinoma
- Prostate Carcinoma
- Injection site sarcomas in cats
- Melanoma
- Mast cell tumor
- Osteosarcoma
- Lymphoma
- Chemotherapy safety and administration

Linda Berent, DVM, PhD
Associate Dean for Academic Affairs
Anything related to clinical pathology: cytology, hematology, clinical chemistry, endocrine testing.

Lisa Britt, DVM, MS
Assistant Teaching Professor
- Radiographic techniques
- Radiographic positioning
- Basic radiographic interpretation
- Ultrasound
- Organ donation awareness
- Children and pets
- Radiography of the Thorax
- Equine Radiography

Elizabeth Bryda, BS, MS, PhD
Associate Professor, VPB
- Comparative Medicine (with emphasis on comparative genetics)
- Genetic Monitoring for lab animals
- Genetics in any context
Joan R. Coates, DVM, MS
Associate Professor
- Disorders of Paraparesis
- Differentials for Neck Pain
- Management issues of acute spinal cord injury
- The encephalopathic dog and cat
- Emerging treatments for granulomatous meningoencephalomyelitis (GME)
- Traumatic brain injury
- How I treat the idiopathic and status epilepticus dog
- Acute vestibular dysfunction: A balancing act
- The acute lower motor neuron dog
- Neurologic examination of the critical patient
- Degenerative myelopathy
- The neurologic examination

Leah Cohn, DVM, PhD
Associate Professor, Internal Medicine
- Respiratory, infectious, or immune mediated disease

Cristi Cook, DVM, MS
Assistant Teaching Professor
- Radiographic technique/positioning
- Radiology and radiographic interpretation
- Ultrasound
- Advanced Diagnostic Imaging (CT/MRI/Nuclear Medicine)
- Be the Change Vacations - Non-profit organization building schools/education centers in underprivileged areas of the world

Craig Datz, DVM, MS
Assistant Professor/Resident in Clinical Nutrition
- A variety of subjects related to canine and feline – immunology, allergies, vaccines, infectious diseases, zoonotic diseases, internal parasites, external parasites, heartworm disease, nutrition for medical conditions, commercial pet foods, unconventional/home diets, behavior and feline medicine

Amy DeClue, DVM, MS
Assistant Professor
- Small animal endocrine disease
- Small animal respiratory disease
- Diagnosis and management of sepsis in the small animal patient

John R. Dodam, DVM, MS, PhD
Department Chair/Associate Professor
- Anesthesia for the animal with heart disease (or liver or kidney disease or respiratory disease)
- New trends in veterinary anesthesia
- Anesthesia Mishaps-recognition and prevention
- Monitoring the anesthetized patient
Anesthesia for Caesarean Section
Equine Anesthesia topics
Anesthesia and your pet

Stephanie Essman, DVM, MS
Assistant Teaching Professor, Radiology
Radiology/ultrasound related

Deborah M. Fine, DVM, MS
Assistant Professor
Electrocardiography-What’s it really good for?
Emergency management of arrhythmias
Treatment of congestive heart failure in dogs and cats
Canine Cardiomyopathy
Feline Cardiomyopathy
Cardiovascular emergencies
Feline aortic thromboembolism (saddle thrombus)
Acquired valve disease in dogs
Congenital disease in dogs and cats
Equine Cardiology

Craig Franklin, DVM, PhD, dACLAM
Professor
Careers for veterinarians in biomedical research
Laboratory animal medicine
Comparative medicine (emphasis on pathology and animal modeling)
Inflammatory bowel disease
Immunology (esp. immune response to infectious disease, autoimmune disease, and mucosal immunology)
Pathology and diseases of lab animals (or pocket pets)
Spontaneous and genetically engineered animals

Elizabeth A. Giuliano, DVM, MS
Associate Professor and Ophthalmology Section Leader, UMC-VMTH
Any topic on ophthalmology - equine, food animal, or small animal oriented. I also can lecture on exotic animal ophthalmology. Breed clubs are often interested in C.E.R.F. (Canine Eye Registry Foundation) information and lectures which I can also provide.

Gayle Johnson, DVM, MPVM, PhD
Professor, Department of Pathobiology, Associate Director, Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Lab
Topics Relayed to Neuropathology, Diagnostic Testing, Pathology in General

Philip J Johnson, BVSc(Hons), MS, MRCVS
Professor of Internal Medicine
All aspects of equine medical practice
For example: treatment of colic, weight loss, diarrhea, cough, PUPD, infectious diseases of horses, neurological topics, endocrinology, cancer medicine, laminitis, obesity, etc.

Rebecca Johnson, PhD, RN
Associate Professor
   Health and the Human Animal Bond
   Maximizing the Human Animal Bond for Clients

Marie Kerl, DVM, MPH
Associate Teaching Professor
   Small animal nephrology - (acute or chronic renal failure, PU/PD, Protein-losing nephropathy)
   Bleeding disorders
   Fluid and electrolyte abnormalities
   Interesting medicine and critical care cases
   Shock and SIRS

Jackie Kleypas, DVM
Clinical Instructor
   Update on Canine Heartworm Disease
   Feline Heartworm Disease

Joanne Kramer, DVM
Assistant Teaching Professor
   Equine surgery and lameness

Michael R. Lewis, MS, PhD
Associate Professor
   Nuclear Medicine, Radiopharmaceutical Research

F. A. (Tony) Mann, DVM, MS, Diplomate ACVS, Diplomate ACVECC
Professor
   Acute Emergency Wound Management
   Acute Abdomen
   Surgical Intervention for Respiratory Distress
   Cardiopulmonary-cerebral Resuscitation
   Oncological Surgery

Richard Meadows, DVM
Teaching Professor
   A wide variety of subjects - ear disease, dermatology, dentistry, chronic renal failure in cats, current treatments update, parasitology, canine pediatrics, liver disease, vaccinations, communications, Update on Heartworm Disease, Clinical Case Review, What You Didn’t Know You Didn’t Know (variety of small animal clinical tidbits).
Nat T. Messer IV, DVM
Professor
  Equine Endocrine Disease
  Equine Laminitis
  Equine Geriatrics
  Equine Welfare and Unwanted Horses

John Middleton, DVM, PhD
Associate Professor
  Various Food Animal Medicine and Surgery Topics Including:
    Surgical Diseases of Cattle
    Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy
    Management of Calfhood Diarrhea
    Anthelmintic Resistance in Small Ruminants
    Disorders of Small Ruminants
    Mastitis in Dairy Cows & Heifers/Small Ruminants
    Milk Microbiology for the Practitioner
    Diseases of South American Camelids
    Problem Oriented Approach to Herd Outbreaks
    Principles of Vaccination
    Evidence-based medicine
    Methicillin-resistant staphylococcal infections (MRSA)

Dusty Nagy, DVM, MS, PhD
Assistant Teaching Professor-Food Animal Medicine and Surgery
Dipl. ACVIM-Large Animal
  To veterinarians: Food animal topics: calf diarrhea, adult GI disease, ocular
disease, neurologic disease, bovine leukemia virus, passive transfer, camelid
diseases
  To groups: colostrum management, calf health, calf diarrhea, diseases of sheep
and goats

Jesse Kevin Nagy, DVM, MS
Assistant Teaching Professor
  Imaging- Radiology and Ultrasound

Dennis O'Brien, DVM, MS, PhD
Professor
  Brain diseases including epilepsy, trauma, movement disorders, neoplasia and
encephalitis.
  Genomics and hereditary diseases.
  Epilepsy

Jacqueline W. Pearce, DVM, MS,
Assistant Teaching Professor
  Exotic Animal Ophthalmology
  Ophthalmology Emergencies
  Small Animal Ophthalmology
  Large Animal Ophthalmology (including food/fiber animals)
New Advances in Ophthalmology
Genetic Eye Diseases in Dogs

Shannon Reed, DVM, MS, DACVS
Assistant Teaching Professor
Equine colic diagnosis and treatment
Equine ultrasound
Equine advanced lameness diagnostics
Equine emergency triage
Equine surgery

Leona Rubin, PhD
Associate Professor
Importance of research animal models in improving human and animal health.

Loren Schultz DVM, MS
Assistant Teaching Professor
Antibiotic use in food animals
Bovine C-section approaches
Using epidemiology in private practice

Daniel Shaw, DVM, PhD
Professor
Diagnosis, treatment, and control of diseases of poultry, game birds, and livestock

Kim A. Selting, DVM, MS
DACVIM (Oncology)
Associate Teaching Professor
Chemotherapy in private practice
Cancer testing: beyond the biopsy
The glowing dog: debunking myths of radiation therapy
New chemotherapy agents
Melanoma, Mast cell tumors, and metastasis: life on the cutting edge
Targeted anticancer therapies: the future is here
Cancer clinical trials: what you and the pet owner should know
Lymphoma
Osteosarcoma
Mast cell tumor

Carlos Souza, DVM
Assistant Teaching Professor
Portosystemic shunts
Tracheal collapse
Acute abdomen: Diagnosis and Treatment
General surgical oncology
Gastrointestinal surgery

Dr. George C. Stewart, PhD
Professor
Present to veterinarians, groups, or general on: biodefense, anthrax, and bioterrorism.

**Roger William Stich, BAS, MS, PhD**
Associate Professor
- Canine Ehrlichiosis
- Tick-borne Zoonoses
- Tick Biology
- Blood-borne parasites
- Ticks
- Tick-borne Diseases
- Anaplasmosis
- Tick-borne diseases of cattle
- Companion Animal Parasites

**Dawna L. Voelkl, DVM**
Assistant Professor
- Options for estrus suppression in the mare
- Scheduled breeding of mares
- Management of selected reproductive emergencies in the stallion
- Endocrine diagnosis of reproductive disorders in the mare and stallion
- Management of equine dystocia in a field setting
- Ovine and caprine reproduction
- Canine Pyometra: Pathogenesis and Options for Medical Management
- Update on Infectious Reproductive Diseases in the Horse

**Catherine M. Vogelweid, DVM, PhD**
Associate Professor
- Disaster planning & preparedness for veterinary practices and clients.

**Dietrich Volkmann, BVSc, MMEdVet (Gyn)**
Teaching Professor
- Bovine
  - Diagnosis and control of trichomoniasis
  - The application of early pregnancy diagnosis and fetal sexing in beef herds
- Equine
  - Diagnosis and treatment of equine endometritis
  - Management of equine dystocia under field conditions
  - Rational use of hormones during pregnancy
  - Management of the mare with premature mammary development during pregnancy
  - Management of pregnant mares exposed to on tall fescue grazing
  - Equine embryo transfer
  - Management options for equine twin pregnancies
- Canine
  - Diagnostic and therapeutic management of spayed bitches that show signs of estrus (ovarian remnant syndrome and its differentials)
  - Serum progesterone and alternative options for the determination of the optimal breeding date in bitches
  - Conventional and modern techniques for the artificial insemination of bitches
• Routine whelping management aimed at optimal puppy survival
• Management of canine dystocia
• Management of bitches for elective Cesarean section
• Canine semen freezing
• Breeding soundness evaluation of the male dog

**Marlyn S. Whitney, AB, DVM, MS, PhD**
Clinical Associate Professor of Vet Clin Pathol
- Hematology--including evaluation of the blood smear, differential diagnosis of anemia.
- Cytology
- Clinical chemistry
- Sample handling/how to get the most from your laboratory submissions

**Charles E. Wiedmeyer, DVM, PhD, Diplomate ACVP**
Associate Professor – Veterinary Clinical Pathology
- Clinical Chemistry (Liver, Renal, Acid/base disturbances)
- Clinical Pathology Case Reviews
- Cytology
- Glucose monitoring of diabetic patients

**Fred A. Wininger, VMD, MS**
Assistant Professor
- Structural and functional neuroimaging techniques
- Surgical approaches to the brain
- Novel seizure therapies

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*To book University speakers, review the cover page and contact the College of Veterinary Medicine. Make sure to discuss honorarium and travel expense as outlined on cover sheet.*

Veterinary Medical Teaching Hospital
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MVMA’s Partner for Progress Presenters
NON-UNIVERSITY SOURCES

Bayer Animal Health

Food Animal

- Baytril 100 update – there are several items and relatively new Bayer data that would be good to present, such as an interstitial fluid study, Baytril vs Nuflor GrowSafe Study, killing kinetics, MPC (Mutant Prevention Concentration - not real deep, just the basics and maybe a little new data), treatment and control of Mycoplasma bovis, and treatment and control of BRD.
- Antimicrobial review – if a pretty non-commercial presentation were desired, a straight up review of modes of action, class of antimicrobials, etc. is always good (reinforce class rotation, concentration-dependent killing vs time-dependent, etc.).
- Insecticide ear tag studies review
- EPM / Marquis – diagnosis, loading dose info, etc.
- Legend / Joint therapy – several excellent studies to help reinforce the strong scientific data behind Legend
- Insecticide review which would include on-animal (i.e. insecticide tags, sprays, and pour-ons), facility, environment, feed-throughs (Rabon Oral Larvicide) and rotational concepts.
- Innate immunity – an introduction of the topic, some of the basic terms, etc.
- PED update (swine).
- Feedlot industry update – a “current issues” presentation from the feedyard segment, in case Missouri vets are working with producers trying to get calves ready and desirable for feedyards.
- Synchronization considerations
- Considerations for aborting heifers
- The Defense Point System for developing pest management programs.

To arrange for a speaker on one of these topics, please contact your Bayer Animal Health sales representative listed below:

Food Animal
Tom Haines 913-645-1333 tom.haines@bayer.com

Companion Animal:

- The Changing and Uncertain Landscape of Heartworm Disease
- To Bite or Not To Bite – What Approach Should You Choose in the Battle Against CVBD?
- Supporting a Pet’s Healthy and Active Lifestyle with a Whole Body Comfort Approach

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Companion Animal
- Tracy Miller, SW Missouri 417-882-4005 Tracy.miller@bayer.com
- Bryce Matray, SE Missouri 636-448-3460 bryce.matray@bayer.com
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