

Pre-congress labs and workshops
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Wednesday 4th July & Thursday 5th July

4.7. / full day & 5.7. morning	TPLO	Wet lab	University Bellaterra Barcelona
5.7. / morning	Stenting lab	Dry lab	Palau de Congressos de Catalunya
5.7. / morning	Laparoscopic surgery skill laboratory – Dry lab		Palau de Congressos de Catalunya

Thursday 5th July	Start of the main programme	Palau de Congressos de Catalunya
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15.00-16.30	Registration
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16.30-17.30	Opening session Cellular therapies in human medicine	Chair: A. Sanchez
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17.45-20.15	Resident Forum	Chair:
17.45-18.00	Mechanical testing of a new designed osteotomy for tibial tuberosity advancement using the modified Maquet technique.	N. Barteley
18.00-18.15	Long term assessment of ultrasonographic liver measurements, liver function and owner satisfaction after complete and partial extrahepatic portosystemic shunt attenuation in d	K. Bowlt
18.15-18.30	Mechanical comparison of various loop and crimp configurations for extracapsular stabilization of the cranial cruciate ligament-deficient stifle	J.Aisa
18.30-18.45	Serum pepsinogen as a prognostic marker in canine gastric dilatation and volvulus	I. Israeli
18.45-19.00	3-Dimensional kinematics of the normal elbow at the walk and at the trot	R. Guillou
19.00-19.15	Evaluation of lateral safe implantation corridors in feline thoracolumbar vertebrae. Computed tomography and clinical studies in eight cats.	R. Vallefucio
19.15-19.30	MMP-2 as an early synovial biomarker for cranial cruciate ligament disease in dogs. A prospective clinical study.	L. Boland
19.30-19.45	Long term results of the efficacy of postoperative antibiotic prophylaxis in clean orthopaedic implant surgery in dogs: a prospective randomised study in 100 consecutive cases	A. Pratesi
19.45-20.00	Feline ureteric stents: Long term follow up of 21 cases	N. Bound
20.00-20.15	Application of a novel osteointegration screw for treatment of incomplete ossification of the humeral condyle in 4 dogs (6 elbows) and humeral unicondylar fracture in addition to ε	M. Solano

20.30-23.30	Welcome get together in the gardens of the Hotel Rey Juan Carlos I
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Friday 6th July

In Depth - Soft Tissue Surgery Intra-hepatic Shunts			In depth - VSSO HOT topics in Surgical Oncology			In Depth- Orthopedic surgery Stifle joint disease in the cat		
		Chair: G.Chanoit			Chair: J. Kirpensteijn			Chair: S. Langley Hobbs
08.30-08.55	Current knowledge, pathophysiology	V. Sluijs	08.30-09.00	HOT Interventional Oncology	C. Weisse	08.30-09.00	Therapy for CCR-what has been done so far	E. Schnabl
08.55-09.20	Diagnostic imaging modalities	M. Kramer	09.00-09.30	HOT SRS	N. Bacon	09.00-09.20	TPLO in cats	A. Kasa
09.20-10.05	Open surgical techniques	D. Brockman	09.30-10.00	HOT Melanoma vaccine	J. Kirpensteijn	09.20-09.40	TTA/MMT in cats	N.Fitzpatrick
10.05-10.30	Interventional radiology techniques	C. Weisse	10.00-10.30	Improve your HOT onc surg skills	S. Boston	09.40-10.00	Aetiology and pathogenesis of CCR in cats	E. Schnabl
10.30-11.00	Discussion		10.30-11.00	Coffee Break		10.00-10.30	Multiligamentous stifle injuries	N. Fitzpatrick
11.00-11.30	Coffee Break		11.00-11.30	HOT adrenal surgery	J. Farese	10.30-10.50	Patella fracture/luxation	S. Langley-Hobbs
	Short Communications		11.30-12.00	HOT Use of VAS in oncologic surgery	J. Liptak	10.50-11.20	Coffee Break	
11.30-11.45	Clinical outcome of 42 dogs with primary scapular bone tumors treated by scapulectomy: A Veterinary Society of Surgical Oncology (VSSO) Retrospective Study	V. Montinaro	12.00-12.30	HOT Round Table for cases	all	11.20-11.50	Physiotherapy in cats	D.Millis
11.45-12.00	Surgical treatment of acromegaly in cats	B. Meij				11.50-12.15	Panel Discussion	all
12.00-12.15	Outcomes and complications associated with epicardial pacemakers in 28 Dogs and 5 Cats (2005-2010)	G. Chanoit						
12.15-12.30	Additional local therapy with primary re-excision or radiation therapy improves survival and local control after incomplete surgical excision of mast cell tumours in dogs	S. Boston						
12.30-12.45	Intentional marginal excision of canine limb soft tissue sarcomas followed by radiotherapy	J. Demetriou						
12.45-13.00	Discussion							
12.45-14.15	Lunch Break		12.30-14.15	Lunch Break		12.15-14.15	Lunch Break	

13.00-13.45	Meet the expert – Physiotherapy; how to get started-			D. Millis
13.00-13.45	Meet the expert – Pitfalls in tracheal stenting			C. Weisse
13.00-13.30	Information session for Residents and Supervisors: credentials / grants / exam			
	In depth – Ectopic ureters	Chair: R. Nickel	In depth – What is new in orthopedic surgery	Chair: S. Scharvogel
	Current knowledge and diagnostic modalities	14.15-16.30	New Implants	14.30-15.00 Appendicular osteosarcoma- current treatment options J. Liptak
14.15-14.40	Pathophysiology and genetic aspects	R. Nickel	New Implants	15.00-15.20 Osteosarcoma in small dogs and cats P. Amsellem
14.40-15.15	Diagnostic modalities: CT, contrast radiography vs ultrasound	C. Lamb	New Implants	15.20-15.40 Multilobular osteosarcoma J. Farese
15.15-15.30	Diagnostic modalities: endoscopy/fluoroscopy	C. Weisse	New Implants	15.40-16.00 Non-appendicular Osteosarcoma N. Bacon
15.30-15.45	Role of Urodynamic investigation	A. Hamaide		
15.45-16.15	Coffee Break	16.30-17.00	Coffee break	16.00-16.30 Coffee break
	Treatment		Short communications ortho	16.30-16.50 Palliation of bone pain S. Boston
16.15-16.35	Conventional surgery	A. Hamaide	17.00-17.15 Comparison of the effect of locking vs standard screws on the mechanical properties of bone-plate constructs in a comminuted diaphyseal fracture model. M. Verset	16.50-17.10 Bone, tendon and skin ingrowth prostheses for limb salvage N. Fitzpatrick
16.35-16.55	Endoscopic treatment	C. Weisse	17.15-17.30 Minimally invasive plate osteosynthesis for the treatment of antebrachial fractures in dogs L. Guiot	17.10-17.30 Future trends: Biomarkers in oncology J. Kirpensteijn
16.55-17.15	Management of concurrent USMI: urethral bulking	R. Nickel	17.30-17.45 Micro total hip replacement in dogs and cats. M. Dominic	17.30-18.00 Discussion
17.15-17.35	Management of concurrent USMI: Hydraulic occluder	C. Weisse	17.45-18.00 Fracture repair in 62 small animal patients using the PAX locking plate system M. Barnhart	
17.35-18.00	Panel discussion			
18.10-19.00	Resident Talk and discussion			Mayhew & Wiggert
18.10-19.30	ECVS Annual Business Meeting for ECVS Diplomates mandatory			

Saturday 7th July

In depth – New developments in ear surgery		Chair: G. ter Haar	Vet endoscopic society session		Chair: G. Dupre	In depth – Tendon injuries		Chair:
						First presentation combined with the large animal group - Lecture hall F		
08.30-08.55	Diagnostic imaging of middle ear disease	C. Lamb	08.30-09.15	Entry techniques in laparoscopic surgery	P. Mayhew	08.20-08.50	– An overview of the basic biology of tendon and ligament disease	J. Patterson-Kane
08.55-09.20	Endoscopic treatment of ear diseases	G. Oechtering	09.15-10.00	Laparoscopic assisted surgery	MA. Radlinsky	09.00-09.30	Diagnostic imaging	A. Wiggert
09.20-10.15	Bulla Osteotomy: When, how (lateral versus ventral, how big?)	D. White				09.30-09.50	Tendon repair	D. Millis
10.15-10.30	Discussion		10.00-10.30	Laparoscopic genital surgery (1) Ovariectomy and one hole laparoscopic techniques	G. Dupré	09.50-10.15	New prosthetic implant for chronic Achilles tendon repair	M. Morton
10.30-11.00	Coffee Break		11.00-11.30	Laparoscopic genital surgery (2) Ovario-Hysterectomy	B. Fransson	10.15-10.45	Coffee Break	
11.00-11.25	Myringotomy/ ventilation tubes	tbd	11.00-11.30	Coffee Break		10.45-11.45	Rehabilitation in tendon injuries	D. Millis
			11.30-11.50	Why should you place your patient in sternal recumbency?	MA. Radlinsky	11.45-12.15	Panel Discussion	
11.25-11.55	Treatment of hearing losses	G. ter Haar	11.50-12.10	Randomized controlled clinical trial of lift laparoscopy vs. CO2 pneumoperitoneum	B. Fransson			
11.55-12.20	Cholesteatoma: Diagnosis and treatment	D. White	12.10-12.30	VATS lung lobectomy: The UC Davis experience	P. Mayhew			
12.20-12.35	Discussion		12.35-14.15	Lunch Break		12.15-14.15	Lunch Break	
12.35-14.15	Lunch Break							
13.00-13.45	Meet the expert – Early diagnosis of hip dysplasia							A. Vezzoni
13.00-13.45	Meet the expert – Lateral corpectomy							P. Moissonier
13.00-13.45	Lunch time talk – Critical reading of article							J. Pascoe/O. Gauthier
14.15-16.00	Poster session							P. Moissonnier, S. Baines
	A new approach in the ultrasonographic examination of the larynx in the dog: first clinical results in healthy dogs.							F. Arnault
	Computed tomographic evaluation of the canine salivary gland apparatus.							A. de Castro Marques
	Preputial reconstruction after tumor excision: 3 cases							F. Massari
	Investigation of incidence and risk factors for surgical glove perforation in small animal veterinary surgery.							N. Moëns
	Comparison of concurrent imaging modalities in staging of dogs with appendicular osteosarcoma							M. Oblak
	Post-hospital discharge procedure specific surgical site infection (SSI) surveillance in small animal patients							A. Singh
	Muroid retention cysts of the soft palate in two cats							V. Trufcheva
	Hemilaminectomy and Vertebral Stabilization for Thoracolumbar Intervertebral Disc Associated Vertebral Instability in 11 Dogs							T. Aikawa

Perpendicularity of freehand drilling in context of osteochondral transfer procedures	P. Böttcher
Reference values for a visual analog scale questionnaire in lame free dogs.	P. Böttcher
Biomechanical testing of biphasic synthetic bone wedges or titanium wedges for advancement of the tibial tuberosity	S. Etchepareborde
Combined intramedullary and external skeletal fixation for the management of tarsometatarsal luxation in 17 cats and 7 dogs	S. Girling
The effect of carpal extension and carpal position on indirect and direct rotation of the radius.	R. Joseph
Comparison of proliferative potential and chondrogenic differentiation potency of stem cells isolated from bone marrow, synovium, and infrapatellar fat pad in dogs	E. Kazuya
Optimized normalization of ground reaction forces in a heterogeneous population of dogs	U. Krottschek
Epidural idiopathic sterile pyogranulomatous inflammation causing spinal cord compressive injury in four dogs	T. Aikawa
Radiographic measurement of the femoral and tibial alignment in small breed dogs hindlimbs with and without medial patella luxation.	L. Piras
A new bioactive artificial ligament for intracapsular stabilization of cranial cruciate ligament (CRCL) deficiency: a 3 and 12 months study in sheep.	V. Viateau
Complications/outcomes of static hydraulic urethral sphincter for treatment of urethral sphincter mechanism incompetence in 12 dogs.	P. Delisser
Evaluation of the effectiveness of bandages on restricting carpus range of motion in healthy dogs at a walk using electrogoniometry	S. Gilbert
Combined use of axial pattern flap and free skin graft for closure of large skin wound in 2 cats	S. Gilbert
Free proximal cortical ulnar autograft for the treatment of distal radial osteosarcoma in a dog	E. González Gasch
Change of length of the crista tibiae based on the position of the most proximal point of the margo cranialis tibiae in the dog	M. Hluchy
An in vitro comparison of the mechanical properties of two bone-plate constructs with 2.4mm LCP plates and 2.4mm LC-DCP plates in a comminuted diaphyseal fracture model	I. Irabetagoyena
Lubra plate: Still a technique to use?	M. Krauss
A novel intracapsular stabilization technique applied in 6 dogs with cranial cruciate ligament (CRCL) rupture: a pilot study	M. Manassero
Medial humeral epicondylitis in cats.	R. Streubel
Grass awn migration in dogs- retrospective study of 23 cases	D. Vnuk
Radio-ulnar incongruence in elbows with FCP but no other cartilage pathologies.	P. Böttcher
Orthosis in small animals: a solution or a complement for orthopedic problems.	A. Banos
Congenital sternal cleft with patent ductus arteriosus in a german sheperd dog.	M. Benlloch
Association of thoraco-lumbar discal hernia morphometry seen on computed-tomography with clinical outcome: retrospective study of 65 dogs	Ph. Buttin
Caecal inversion in a cat.	J. Carillo
Benefits of thoracolumbar lateral corpectomy for chronic intervertebral disc disease treatment in dogs. Results of a 14 years retrospective study among 107 dogs in two veterinary	C. Carozzo
Combined gluteal muscle transposition and internal obturator muscle elevation superficial to repair a bilateral perineal hernia with bladder retroflexion in a female cat	JM. Domínguez
Successful treatment of refractory seizures with phenobarbital, propofol and medetomidine following congenital portosystemic shunt attenuation	D. Heidenreich
Combination of metacarpal pad transfer and thick split-thickness meshed skin graft to reconstruct the weight-bearing surface in a dog	K. Minier
Thoracic vertebral x-ray abnormalities in the french bulldog: An epidemiological study	P. Moissonier
Management of vaginal stenosis by ballooning dilation under endoscopic guidance after vaginourethroplasty in a dog.	S. Noel
Adaptation of the bricker urinary diversion technique following radical cystectomy and prostactectomy in a dog with transitional cells carcinoma (TCC)	L. Santos Benito
Ultrasonographic examination and cross sectional area (csa) of main tendons of shoulder and elbow in german shepherd dogs	G. Spinella
Biomechanical comparison of the angular stability of screws in the 3.5 Locking compression plate (LCP) and the 3.5mm string of pearls (SOP) plate.	M. Glyde

16.00-16.30	Coffee Break	16.00-16.30	Coffee Break	16.00-16.30	Coffee Break
	Short communications: Endoscopic, endoscopic-assisted, mini-invasive surgery		Short Communications: Neurosurgery		Short communications: Orthopedic surgery
	Chair: G. Dupré		Chair:		Chair:

16.30-16.45	Use of the Vitom in laryngeal surgery	G. Oechtering	16.30-16.45	Assessment of post-operative recovery and second disc extrusion after hemilaminectomy and fenestration in 831 dogs with thoracolumbar intervertebral disc herniation	T. Aikawa	16.30-16.45	Biomechanical testing of a standardised length of osteotomy for Modified Maquet Technique	S. Estepareborde
16.45-17.00	Perineal access for male cystoscopy	C. Weisse	16.45-17.00	A comparison of thoracolumbar intervertebral disc extrusion in French Bulldogs and Dachshunds and its association with congenital vertebral anomalies	T. Aikawa	16.45-17.00	Minimally invasive nail osteosynthesis for the treatment of femoral and tibial fractures in dogs	L. Guiot
17.00-17.15	Laparoscopically assisted placement of peritoneal dialysis catheter with omentectomy and omentopexy	G. Dupré	17.00-17.15	Effect of ventral slot procedure on spinal cord compression in dogs with single static intervertebral disc disease.	P. Böttcher	17.00-17.15	Prevalence, risk factors and outcome of post operative tibial tuberosity fractures in dogs undergoing TTO procedure	M. Rossanese
17.15-17.30	Three-port laparoscopically assisted technique for treatment of pyometra in 12 dogs	P. Mayhew	17.15-17.30	Lumbosacral distraction-fusion using a novel intervertebral distraction spacer and dorsally applied screw-rod fixation system for treatment of degenerative lumbosacral stenosis in 12 dogs	A. Danielski	17.15-17.30	External skeletal fixation for the treatment of acetabular fractures in 35 cats.	M. Hamilton
17.30-17.45	Endoscopic approach to the nasal sinuses in dogs and cats	G. Oechtering	17.30-17.45	Modified ventral stabilization using positively threaded profile pins and polymethylmethacrylate for atlantoaxial instability in 49 dogs	T. Aikawa	17.30-17.45	Outcome and complications after dual mobility total hip replacement in dogs (50 cases with 6 months minimal clinical and radiographic follow up)	P. Guillaumot
17.45-18.00	Discussion		17.45-18.00	Comparison of the holding power of cortical and cancellous positive-profile threaded pins and of cranial and caudal insertion sites in T13 and L1 vertebral bodies in dogs	F. Bernard	17.45-18.00	Comparison of osteoarthritis and long-term force plate gait analysis for extracapsular reconstruction and tibial plateau leveling osteotomy in dogs	U. Krotschek

18.10-19.00	Jörg Auer lecture							Chair:
	Robots....and how they can improve performance in minimal invasive surgery							J. Palou
20.00	Bus departure from the Hotel Rey Juan Carlos I							
20.30-end	Farewell Dinner and awards at the Poble Espanyol - with disco after midnight							