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1:45 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.

Monica Dixon Perry, CVPM

Room 209

Non-Scientific
- 1:45 p.m. – 2:35 p.m. Embracing Technology – It’s No Longer Optional. It Has Become a Lifeline for VetMed
- 2:50 p.m. – 3:40 p.m. Financial Management – Top Tips for 2024 – Part 1
- 3:55 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. Financial Management – Top Tips for 2024 – Part 2
- 5:00 p.m. – 5:45 p.m. Making Work More Purposeful and Meaningful – It’s Needed Even in Vet Med!

1:45 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.

Rebekah Mack, DVM

Room 207-208

Small Animal
- 1:45 p.m. – 2:35 p.m. Lower Urinary Tract Disease: Complete Clinical Update
- 2:50 p.m. – 3:40 p.m. Biomarker Bonanza: Understanding Acute or Active Kidney Disease
- 3:55 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. Proteinuria and Hypertension: The Key to Kidney Care

1:45 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.

Jon E. Zawislak/ Andrew Long/Dustan Clark

Room 102

Scientific
- 1:45 p.m. – 2:35 p.m. Honey Bees / Honey Bee Hive Health
- 2:50 p.m. – 3:40 p.m. Honeybee Medicine in Your Practice: Why Beekeepers Need Veterinarians
- 3:55 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. AR Apiary Laws/Honey Bee Disease/EFB What to Look For

1:45 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.

John Gilliam, DVM

Room 201-202

Large Animal
- 1:45 p.m. – 2:35 p.m. Clinical Use of Diagnostic Ultrasound in Food Animal Practice I
- 2:50 p.m. – 3:40 p.m. Clinical Use of Diagnostic Ultrasound in Food Animal Practice 2
- 3:55 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. The Do’s and Don’ts of Bovine Euthanasia
- 5:00 p.m. – 5:45 p.m. Food Animal Practice Tips

1:45 p.m. – 3:40 p.m.

Terry Conger, DVM

Room 205

Poultry
- 1:45 p.m. – 2:35 p.m. Poultry
- 2:50 p.m. – 3:40 p.m. Poultry

5:45 p.m.

Exhibit Hall Closed

6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

LSU Reception

Embassy Suites Hotel

SATURDAY – FEBRUARY 3

7:00 a.m.
Past Presidents Breakfast
(All Past Presidents Welcome)

Embassy Suites-Salon A

7:00 a.m.
Exhibits open with coffee and pastries

Hall A

7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Registration

Grand Lobby (Main Level down the stairs)
8:00 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. | Chris Johnson, DVM | Room 209
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**Small Animal**
Point-of-Care Ultrasound Essentials  
Pulmonary & Thoracic Point of Care Ultrasound  
Abdominal Point of Care Ultrasound & Patient Tracking  
Unexpected & Interesting Cases using Point of Care Ultrasound

8:00 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. | Laura Nafe, DVM | Room 207-208
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**Small Animal**
8:00 a.m. – 8:50 a.m. | Diagnosis and Treatment of Fungal Infections in Dogs and Cats – Part 1  
9:05 a.m. – 9:55 a.m. | Diagnosis and Treatment of Fungal Infections in Dogs and Cats – Part 2  
10:10 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. | Update on Canine Vector Borne Disease  
11:15 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. | Challenging Infectious Disease Cases

8:00 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. | Bridget Heilsberg, DVM | Room 102
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**Equine**
8:00 a.m. – 8:50 a.m. | Colic Emergency Basics: Review of General Steps for Field Practitioners  
9:05 a.m. – 9:55 a.m. | Equine Reproduction: General Overview of Artificial Reproduction & Cycle Manipulation  
10:10 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. | Equine Field Reproduction: Managing the Problem Mare  
11:15 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. | Equine Field Reproduction: Being the Best Referring Vet You Can Be

8:00 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. | Clare Scully, DVM and Jenna Bayne, DVM | Room 201-202
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**Large Animal**
8:00 a.m. – 8:50 a.m. | Neuro Disease in Ruminants Part I  
9:05 a.m. – 9:55 a.m. | Neuro Disease in Ruminants Part II  
10:10 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. | Pregnancy Diagnosis in Small Ruminants  
11:15 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. | Pregnancy and Delivery Small Ruminants

8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. | Technician (CVT)/Assistant Meeting | Room 203-204
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**Technicians/Assistants**
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. | Evan’s Syndrome: A Technician’s Role - Yvonne Brandenburg, CVT, RVT, VTS (Internal Medicine- Small Animal)  
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. | Cracking the Code: Understanding Blood Chemistry - Yvonne Brandenburg, CVT, RVT, VTS (Internal Medicine- Small Animal)  
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. | A Tech’s Guide to Managing the Diabetic Ketoacidosis Patient - Yvonne Brandenburg, CVT, RVT, VTS (Internal Medicine- Small Animal)  
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. | AVTA General Membership Meeting (MEMBERS ONLY- 1 HR CE)  
12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. | LUNCH (ON YOUR OWN)  
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. | Pancreatitis: When Exocrine Goes Haywire - Yvonne Brandenburg, CVT, RVT, VTS (Internal Medicine- Small Animal)  
2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. | Cattle Diseases and Vaccine Strategies - Cy Shurtleff, DVM  
3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. | Veterinary CPR Lecture and Wet Lab - Amy D’Andrea, RVT, CVT, VTS (EVN) with Pet Emergency Academy

- This lecture includes a three-hour lecture/wet lab that is **for registered attendees ONLY!**
Day-of registration will be allowed but pre-registration is both encouraged and cheaper for you!

An e-book will be provided to every participant, but the first 30 participants to check into the class at the conference will also receive a printed book free of charge!

Each participant will also receive a certificate showing CPR certification as well as a lobby certificate for their practice to display.

Noon – 1:15 p.m.  
Awards Luncheon  
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1:15 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.  
Exhibit Hall Appreciation  
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Laura Nafe, DVM  
Room 207-208

Small Animal
1:45 p.m. – 2:35 p.m.  
Urine Luck! Management Tips for Challenging Urinary Tract Infections in Dogs
2:50 p.m. – 3:40 p.m.  
Canine Urolithiasis: To Dissolve or Not to Dissolve?
3:55 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.  
Updates on Management of Chronic Kidney Disease
5:00 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.  
Challenging Urinary Cases

1:45 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.  
Jennifer Ballard, DVM  
Room 205

Lab
Pulling Chronic Wasting Disease Samples

1:45 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.  
Bridget Heilsberg, DVM  
Room 102

Equine
1:45 p.m. – 2:35 p.m.  
From the Ground Up: Structuring a Large Animal Startup Practice for Success
2:50 p.m. – 3:40 p.m.  
Practice Culture Starts with You: Developing Mission & Vision Statements & Core Values
3:55 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.  
Technician Utilization: Incorporating Technician Visits and Uses into Large Animal Practice
5:00 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.  
Leading with Authenticity: The Value-Based Life and Work-Life Balance

1:45 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.  
Clare Scully, DVM and Jenna Bayne, DVM  
Room 201-202

Large Animal
1:45 p.m. – 2:35 p.m.  
Pregnancy Toxemia
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Biosecurity of Cow-calf Herds
3:55 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.  
Troubleshooting Small Ruminant Reproductive Failures
5:00 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.  
Emergency Conditions in Small Ruminants

3:00 p.m.  
Exhibit Hall Moves Out

SUNDAY – FEBRUARY 4

7:00 a.m.  
Coffee and pastries  
Outside 203-204

7:00 a.m. – 7:30 a.m.  
Inspirational Service  
Room 203-204

Christian Veterinary Mission – Dr. Rocky Lindsey
8:00 a.m. – Noon  

**Small Animal**
8:00 a.m. – 8:50 a.m.  
Corynn Cackler, DVM  
Room 207-208  
The First 15 Minutes: Assessment & Stabilization of the Acute Patient  
Immune-Mediated Hemolytic Anemia & Thrombocytopenia  
Hemoabdomens – What If It’s Not a Splenic Mass?  
Hot & Bothered – Heatstroke Injury in Dogs & Fire Exposure in Cats

9:05 a.m. – 9:55 a.m.  
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8:00 a.m. – 11:55 a.m.  

**Kelley Doocy, DVM, DACVIM**  
Room 209  
Nutritional Dilated Cardiomyopathy: An Update on Diet Related Cardiac Disease  
Chronic Valvular Disease: An Update on Diagnosis and Treatment Strategies  
Point of Care Thoracic Ultrasound and FAST Scans: Uses and Cardiac Applications  
Ask a Cardiologist - Discussion & Q/A

8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.  

**Laura Rothfeldt, DVM**  
Room 203-204  
My Cow Got Rabies, Now What? An Update on Rabies Epidemiology in Arkansas and the U.S.  
Got Bugs? A Little Bit of Tick Talk, But Also Mosquitoes, Kissing Bugs, and Sand Flies Too!

8:00 a.m. – Noon  

**Jared Taylor, DVM**  
Room 201-202  
Review of Immunology and Vaccinology  
Applied Vaccinology  
On-Ranch Weaning and Backgrounding  
Replacement Heifer Selection and Development  
Meeting Adjourns

**SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE**