

**European College of Veterinary Surgeons ECVS**  
**16th Annual Scientific Meeting, June 28–30, 2007, Dublin, Ireland**  
**Pre congress labs and work shops, June 27, 28 & 29**



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**Small animals**

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**Wednesday, June 27th at the University College Dublin, Ireland**

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**Tracheal & urethral stents** – full day workshop



The goal of the course is to introduce the participants to veterinary interventional radiology in terms of current indications, equipment, and general techniques. This particular course will focus on tracheal and urethral stenting. Following completion of the course, attendees should feel confident performing these procedures including choosing the appropriate patients, stent sizing, stent placement, and follow-up care  
morning - theory, afternoon - wet lab

*Faculty:* Chick Weisse, DVM ACVS, Veterinary Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, USA  
Jeffrey Solomon, MD, Infiniti Medical LLC, New York, USA  
Jared Finegold, Infiniti Medical LLC, New York, USA

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**Thursday, June 28th at The Burlington Hotel Dublin, Ireland**

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**TTA** – full day workshop

Participants will be introduced to the surgical technique of TTA and its characteristics  
The TTA – Advancement of the tibial tuberosity for the treatment of cranial cruciate-deficient canine stifle advances a new concept in surgical treatment of cranial cruciate disease in small animals. The authors, Prof. Pierre M. Montavon and Dr. S. Tepic offer a practical course for veterinarians, who are interested in this new technique. The course includes exercises on plastic bone models, video and/or live demonstrations. Two educational videotapes and/or DVDs, a handout and a presentation model with a full set of implants are complimentary

*Faculty:* Pierre Montavon, Prof. DVM, Vetsuisse Faculty University Zurich, Switzerland  
Randy Boudrieau, Prof. DVM ACVS /ECVS, Tufts University, North Grafton, MA, USA  
Katja Voss, DVM ECVS, Vetsuisse Faculty University Zurich, Switzerland  
Tomas Guerrero, DVM ECVS, Vetsuisse Faculty University Zurich, Switzerland  
Slobodan Tepic, Dr. sci. Director Kyon AG, Zurich, Switzerland

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**TTO** – full day workshop



Theory and new concepts. Diagnosis and decision making, pre-op planning to meniscal surgery. TTO step by step, post-op care and complications. Theory and practical exercises.

*Faculty:* Warrick Bruce, BVSc(dist), MVM, DSAS(orthopaedics), MACVSc, Hamilton, New Zealand

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**Circular Fix Ex** – full day workshop

History, evolution and clinical applications of the Ilizarov method. Treatment of fractures of radius, ulna and tibia. Post operative care: general care of the apparatus, hints and tips on how to optimize the tolerability and avoid complications. Distraction osteogenesis according to Ilizarov; indications, techniques and complications related with bone lengthening. Treatment of non-unions and deformities and bone transport according to Ilizarov. In the afternoon practical exercises.

*Faculty:* Antonio Ferretti, Med Vet, Dipl ECVS, Milano, Italy  
Bruno Peirone, Prof. Med. Vet, University of Torino, Italy  
Alessandro Piras, Med. Vet, Spec Chir Vet MRCVS, Newry, Ireland  
Matteo Tommasini, Med Vet, Dipl ECVS, Roma, Italy

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**Friday, June 29th at The Burlington Hotel Dublin, Ireland - parallel session to main programme**

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**TPLO** – afternoon workshop



TPLO: Old theories and new acquisition, technology and the surgical technique. The plate application technique will be shown in a video. The participants will apply the TPLO locking plate on a tibia bone model

*Faculty:* Alessandro Piras, Med. Vet, Spec Chir Vet MRCVS, Newry, Ireland  
Randy Boudrieau, Prof. DVM ACVS /ECVS, Tufts University, North Grafton, MA, USA  
Aldo Vezzoni DVM ECVS, Cremona, Italy

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### Pre congress labs and work shops, June 27 & 28

#### Large animals

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#### Sinus and dental surgery – full day workshop

08.45–09.00	H. Tremaine	Introduction	VETERINARY INSTRUMENTATION
09.00–09.30	H. Tremaine	Dental extraction per os	
09.30–09.50	B. Boussauw	Buccotomy techniques - principles	
09.50–10.20	B. Bladon	Removal of mandibular teeth by buccotomy	
10.20–11.00	B. Boussauw	Removal of maxillary teeth by buccotomy	
11.00–11.15	Coffee break		
11.15–13.00	<b>Wetlab – dental removal oral and buccotomy</b>		
13.00–14.00	Lunch		
14.00–15.00	<b>Wetlab – removal of caudal cheek teeth by buccotomy</b>		
15.00–15.30		Trephination, osteoplastic sinus flap in the standing horse	
15.30–15.45	H. Tremaine	Sinus surgery under general	
15.45–16.15	H. Tremaine	Repulsion techniques and managing complications in dental / sinus surgery	
16.15–16.30	Coffee break		
16.30–18.00	<b>Wetlab – sinus surgery</b>		

*Faculty:* Bruce Bladon, BVM&S CertEP DESTS MRCVS ECVS, O’Gorman Slater Main and Partners, Newbury, Berkshire, GB  
Bernard Boussauw, DVM ECVS Dierenkliniek De Bosdreef, Moerbeke-Waas, Belgium  
Herry Tremaine, B.Vet.med., M.Phil, ECVS, MRCVS, University of Bristol, Langford, Bristol, Avon, Great Britain

#### Ophthalmic surgery – full day workshop

08.45 – 09.00	B. Gilger	Introduction	VETERINARY INSTRUMENTATION
09.00 – 13.00	B. Gilger / C. Latimer T. Grimes	Adnexa / Eyelids: Lectures and wetlab Temporary tarsorrhaphy Entropion tacking procedure - Hotz-celsius entropion repair 2-layer eyelid closure – eyelid lacerations Cryotherapy of eyelid masses / SCC	
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch		
14.00 – 18.00	B. Gilger / C. Latimer T. Grimes	Corneal surgery lectures and procedures Corneal epithelial debridement Superficial keratectomy Conjunctival pedicle graft Corneal laceration repair Full-thickness corneal graft	

*Faculty:* Brian Gilger, DVM ACVO, North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC, USA  
Terry Grimes, VetMed(Lond), PhD, MRCVS, DVR, DVOphthal(RCVS), DECVO, University College Dublin, Ireland  
Claire Latimer, DVM ACVO, Rood and Riddle Equine Hospital, Lexington, KY, USA

#### Small animal and large animal combined

**Thursday, June 28th at The Burlington Hotel, Dublin, Ireland**

<b>LCP workshop - afternoon workshop</b>	This workshop is aimed at providing in depth knowledge in the new LCP system in small animals and large animals
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*Faculty:* Jörg Auer, Prof. Dr.med.vet. ACVS /ECVS, Vetsuisse Faculty University Zurich, Equine hospital, Zurich, Switzerland  
Don Hulse, Prof. DVM ACVS/ECVS, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, USA