

2021 National Parent Club Canine Health Conference

All times presented are in the Central Time Zone

Friday Afternoon, August 13th

- 1:30 PM Conference Welcome
 J. Charles Garvin, MD, FACS, Chairman, AKC Canine Health Foundation Board of Directors
 Christina Lawrence, Vice President, Purina Masterbrand & Breeder/Enthusiast
- 1:45 PM Immunology, Allergy, Aging, and Nutrition
 Ebenezer Satyaraj, PhD
- 2:25 PM Canine Atopic Dermatitis and Food Allergies
 Craig Griffin, DVM, DACVD
- 3:05 PM Pyoderma and the Role of the Microbiome in Atopic Dermatitis
 Galia Sheinberg, DVM, DLACVD
- 3:45 PM *Afternoon Break*
- 4:00 PM Local and Systemic Changes in Lipid Profile as Potential Biomarkers for Canine Atopic Dermatitis
 Harm HogenEsch, DVM, PhD
- 4:40 PM Atopic Dermatitis - A One Health Approach
 Domenico Santoro, DVM, MS, DrSc, PhD, DECVD, DACVD, DACVM
- 5:20 PM **Dermatology and Immunology Panel Discussion**
 Drs. Griffin, HogenEsch, Santoro, Satyaraj, Sheinberg
- 5:50 PM *Conference Concludes for the Day*

Saturday Morning, August 14th

- 8:00 AM The Canine Health Information Center Program – Status Update
 Eddie Dziuk, MBA
- 8:10 AM Environmental Cancer Risk in Dogs and People
 Lauren Trepanier, DVM, PhD, DACVIM, DACVCP
- 8:50 AM Tumor-permissive Collagen Signatures in Canine Mammary Gland Tumors: Development of Prognostic Markers and Targeted Therapies for Improved Outcomes
 Susan Volk, VMD, PhD, DACVS
- 9:30 AM* The Life and Times of the Hero Dogs of 9/11 (*Keynote)
 Cynthia M. Otto, DVM, PhD, DACVECC, DACVSMR (*2021 Asa Mays, DVM Award Recipient)
- 10:30 AM *Morning Break*
- 10:45 AM Precision Medicine in Canine Lymphoma
 Nicola Mason, BVetMed, PhD, DACVIM (Internal Medicine)
- 11:25 AM **Canine Cancer Panel Discussion**
 Drs. Mason, Otto, Trepanier, Volk

Saturday Afternoon, August 14th

- 11:55 AM *Lunch Break*
- 12:30 PM *Afternoon Announcements*
- 12:35 PM Is Cannabidiol the Cure for Canine Epilepsy?
Stephanie McGrath, DVM, MS, DACVIM (Neurology)
- 1:15 PM Lysosomal Storage Diseases of Dogs
Gary S. Johnson, DVM, PhD
- 1:55 PM *Afternoon Break*
- 2:10 PM Genetic and Therapeutic Explorations on Canine Degenerative Myelopathy
Joan R. Coates, DVM, MS, DACVIM (Neurology)
- 2:50 PM Meningoencephalomyelitis of Unknown Origin in Dogs
Nicholas Jeffery, BVSc, PhD, MS, DECVS, DECVN, DSAS, FRCVS
- 3:30 PM **Neurology and Epilepsy Panel Discussion**
Drs. Coates, Jeffery, Johnson, McGrath
- 4:00 PM 2021 Asa Mays, DVM Award Recipient Introduction
- 4:30 PM *Conference Concludes for the Day*

Sunday Morning, August 15th

- 8:15 AM An Update on Genetic Evaluation of Labrador Tricuspid Valve Dysplasia and Boxer ARVC
Kathryn M. Meurs, DVM, PhD, DACVIM (Cardiology)
- 8:55 AM The Role of Echocardiographic Exam in Screening for Myxomatous Mitral Valve Disease in Cavalier King Charles Spaniels
Michele Borgarelli, DVM, PhD, DECVIM-CA (Cardiology)
- 9:35 AM Congenital Heart Disease in Dogs
Samantha Kovacs, BS, DVM/PhD Candidate
(Mentor: Joshua Stern, DVM, PhD, DACVIM (Cardiology))
- 10:15 AM *Morning Break*
- 10:30 AM Chagas Cardiomyopathy in Dogs Infected with *Trypanosoma cruzi*
Ashley Saunders, DVM, DACVIM (Cardiology)
- 11:10 AM **Cardiology Panel Discussion**
Drs. Borgarelli, Meurs, Saunders, Stern & Ms. Kovacs
- 11:40 AM *Conference Wrap-up and Conclusion*

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