



Conference Program - Subject to Change

SPEAKER

TOPICS

Friday, August 12th

Scientific Program 1:30 - 6:00

Donald F. Smith Cornell University	History of Veterinary Medicine and Canine Research
Mark Neff Van Andel Research Institute	Today's Complex Genetic Research and the Canine Advantage
Kathryn Meurs North Carolina State University	Research in Canine Cardiology
Albert Jergens Iowa State University	Research in Inflammatory Bowel Disease
Joan Coates University of Missouri, Columbia	Research in Degenerative Myelopathy

Friday, August 12th

Social Event 7:30 - 9:00

Coffee and Dessert
Please join us for coffee, dessert and a cash bar. Mingle with fellow participants and meet the conference speakers.

Saturday, August 13th

Scientific Program 8:00 - 4:00

Jaime Modiano University of Minnesota	Keynote: Cancer Research Overview and Cellular Pathogenesis
Matthew Breen North Carolina State University	Canine Comparative Cancer Genetics
Nicola Mason University of Pennsylvania	Cancer Biotherapeutics
Douglas Thamm Colorado State University	Clinical Oncology Trials
Rondo Middleton Nestlé Purina PetCare	Nutrients and effects during Chemotherapy
Karen Greenwood Pfizer Animal Health	Pharma Industry's Future Trends in Oncology Drug Development
Panel Discussion Moderator David Haworth	Future of Canine Cancer Research and Treatment
Arleigh Reynolds Nestlé Purina PetCare	Performance and Immune Enhancing Nutrition/Digestive health
Cynthia Otto University of Pennsylvania	September 11 - Tens Years Later for the Search and Rescue Dogs

Saturday, August 13th

Social Event 4:30 - 9:00

Conference Dinner at Purina Event Center

Sunday, August 14th

Conference Program 8:00 - 1:00

Break Out Sessions	AKC Canine Health Foundation Three rounds of break out sessions allow attendees to learn about the topics that interest them the most and provide discussion opportunities. Examples of topics that may be included are: Canine Health Information Center (CHIC) Development and Use of Canine Health Surveys Financing Canine Health Research CHF Grant Process Research Advantages using the the Purebred Dog Model Purina Parent Club Partnership Program Orthopedic Foundation for Animals Genetic Tests: How to Interpret Results and Incorporate Them Into Your Breeding Program Fundraising Techniques & Ideas Comparative Medicine The Research Cycle: Bench to Clinic Nutritional Needs of Sporting Dogs Challenges of Veterinary Pharmaceuticals
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