



















VETERINARY TECHNICIAN AGENDA (FRIDAY 8/11)

START TIME	END TIME	GENERAL SESSION	SESSION 1	SESSION 2	SESSION 3	SESSION 4	
6:00 AM	6:30 AM	Daily Morning Yoga Sponsored by 					
7:00 AM	7:50 AM	Allergic Bulldogs: The "Everything" Approach (Frost), Sponsored Breakfast Session 					
8:15 AM	8:30 AM	Welcome/Introduction					
8:30 AM	9:30 AM		Dental Tips and Tricks (Berg) Sponsored by 	Dispelling Dental Myths (Berg) Sponsored by 	Q&A with Dental Experts (Berg/Goldstein) Sponsored by 		
9:30 AM	10:00 AM	AM Coffee Break/Visit Exhibit Hall					
10:00 AM	11:00 AM		It Takes a Village: A Technician's Perspective on Achieving a Comfortable Recovery (Sisak)	The Day of Surgery: A Technician's Role in Pain Management (Sisak)	The Homecoming: Overcoming Obstacles in Pain Management (Sisak)		
11:00 AM	12:00 PM		How to Further Your Career as a Technician - The Importance of Mentoring: "The More We Train - The More We All Gain" (Sisak)	How to Further Your Career as a Technician: Elevating Your Career Through Professional Organizations (Berg)	How to Further Your Career as a Technician: The Importance of Networking and Professionalism (Johnson)	Q&A Session	
12:00 PM	12:15 PM	Lunch Break/Visit Exhibit Hall					
12:15 PM	1:15 PM	Nutritional Support for Pets with Cancer (Ruggiero), Sponsored Lunch Session 					
1:30 PM	2:30 PM		Confidence is Key: How to Prioritize the Polytrauma Patient (Gendron)	Minimize Your Poly "Drama": Anesthetic Considerations for the Polytrauma Patient (Sisak)	Recovery Can Be a Long Road (Gendron)		
2:30 PM	3:30 PM		The Technician who Saved the Day: Making Yourself Indispensable Through Behavior Education (Radosta)	The Essential Technician: How Tech Appointments Can Save You, Your Team and Pets (Radosta)	Crossing the Rainbow Bridge: Is There a Place for Euthanasia in the Treatment of Behavior Problems? (Radosta)		
3:30 PM	4:00 PM	PM Refreshment Break/Visit Exhibit Hall					
4:00 PM	5:00 PM		I've Never Had a Dog Like This! Why Some Dogs Develop Serious Behavior Problems, and Others Don't (Radosta)	The Importance of Early Cancer Detection in Dogs (Flory) Sponsored by 	Cancer Detection in 2023: Can a Blood Test Really Find Cancer? (Flory) Sponsored by 		
7:00 PM	9:00 PM	Welcome Reception (After Pawty at the Patio) at the Plaza Bar, Sponsored by 					

VETERINARY TECHNICIAN AGENDA (SATURDAY 8/12)

START TIME	END TIME	GENERAL SESSION	SESSION 1	SESSION 2	SESSION 3	SESSION 4	
6:00 AM	6:30 AM	Daily Morning Yoga Sponsored by 					
7:00 AM	7:50 AM	Treatment of Canine Parvovirus (Zersen), Sponsored Breakfast Session 					
8:00 AM	9:00 AM		CPR Basics (Pachtinger)	Fluid Therapy 101 (Pachtinger)	Abnormal Urine Color (Pachtinger)		
9:00 AM	9:30 AM	AM Coffee Break/Visit Exhibit Hall					
9:30 AM	10:30 AM		Blood Transfusion Basics (Lee)	Get Me the Vitamin K1 Stat! (Lee)	5 Critical Care Updates You Must Know! (Lee)		
10:30 AM	11:30 AM		Megaesophagus: How the Technician Can Help Keep Things Moving! (Willis)	Hypoadrenocorticism for the Technician (Willis)	Radiology: One Does Not Simply Push a Button! (Willis)		
11:30 AM	12:15 PM	Lunch Break/Visit Exhibit Hall					
12:15 PM	1:15 PM	Immune Checkpoint Inhibition: The Rising Star in Oncology Therapeutics (Greene), Sponsored Lunch Session 					
1:15 PM	2:45 PM		Arming Your Staff With Dermatology Knowledge (Lockwood)	Cytology Collection in the Derm Patient (Lockwood)	Understanding the Flaring Patient: What do We Need to Know to Help (Lockwood)	Understanding Caregiver Burden with Our Derm Patients (Lockwood)	
2:45 PM	3:45 PM		Don't Skip a BEAT (Gendron)	The DL on Diagnostics (Gendron)	Treatment and Monitoring the Cardiac Patient (Gendron)		
3:45 PM	4:15 PM	PM Refreshment Break/Visit Exhibit Hall					
4:15 PM	5:15 PM		Tachypnea Making You Tachypneic? (Jaffey)	Feline Asthma: Prednisolone Versus Inhaled Fluticasone (Jaffey)	It All Looks Black and White to Me: FAST US (Jaffey)		
5:00 PM	6:00 PM	Yappy Hour Fiesta Networking Event Sponsored by  					

VETERINARY TECHNICIAN AGENDA (SUNDAY 8/13)

START TIME	END TIME	GENERAL SESSION	SESSION 1	SESSION 2	SESSION 3	SESSION 4	
6:00 AM	6:30 AM	Daily Morning Yoga Sponsored by 					
7:00 AM	7:50 AM	Non-pharmaceutical Approaches to Lessening Stress-associated Diseases in Cats (Lappin), Sponsored Breakfast Session 					
8:00 AM	9:00 AM		Partnering for Positive Results – Say “Yes, and” to Build Effective Teamwork Through the Power of Ensemble (Thoren)	Partnering for Positive Results – Say “Yes, and” to Build Effective Teamwork Through the Power of Ensemble (Thoren)	Partnering for Positive Results – Say “Yes, and” to Build Effective Teamwork Through the Power of Ensemble (Thoren)		
9:00 AM	9:30 AM	AM Refreshment Break/Visit Exhibit Hall					
9:30 AM	10:30 AM		A Technician's Guide to Rodent Care (Johnson)	A Technician's Guide to Guinea Pig and Rabbit Care (Johnson)	Walk the Walk and Talk the Talk on Exotic Small Mammal Case Studies! (Johnson)		
10:30 AM	12:00 PM		COHAT: The Technician's Time to Shine (Perry)	Dental Nerve Blocks for the Win (Perry)	The Technician's Role in Oral Surgery (Perry)	Empathic Client Communication in Dentistry (Perry)	

SCHEDULE IS PRELIMINARY & SUBJECT TO CHANGE (AS OF 7/7/23) PLEASE NOTE: ATTENDEES MUST STAY IN THE TRACK PRE-SELECTED DURING REGISTRATION.