

World Association for the History of Veterinary Medicine (WAHVM)

44th INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS

27-29 February 2020

30 January 2020

CONGRESS PROGRAMME

WEDNESDAY 26 FEBRUARY 2020

Time	Duration	Title	Participants
10h00	-	Arrival at Farm Inn	All
13h00	120	WAHVM Board Members' Luncheon (own account)	Board Members
15h00	90	WAHVM Board Meeting	Board Members
16h30	90	Registration opens	All
18h00>	-	Free Time & Dinner at the Hotel (own account)	Participants staying at hotel

DAY 1 – THURSDAY 27 FEBRUARY 2020

Time	Duration	Theme	Title	Participants/Speaker
07h00	45		Breakfast at Hotel	Participants staying at hotel
07h30	60		Registration /Arrival coffee and tea	
Session Chairs: Gareth Bath & Abigail Woods				
08h30	30	Session 1 Free Topics	Opening & Welcome	SAVA/VHS/WAHVM President
09h00	40		Keynote: Bloodlines and Bloodlies – The Equine Experiment in Africa	Sandra Swart
09h40	30		MEDUNSA: The rise and demise of South Africa's second veterinary faculty	Neville Owen
10h10	30		Mid-morning refreshments/Posters	
Session Chair: Peter Koolmees				
10h40	30	Session 2 Free Topics	Jenner's Zoological Perspective	Abigail Woods
11h10	30		Animal disease in iron-age and early medieval Western Europe: Knowledge, understanding and management	Patrick O'Reilly
11h40	30		Puzriš-Dagan: Organization of an animal concentration centre during UR III period	Silvia Nicolas Alonso
12h10	30		Request to cancel an appointment for the Civil Veterinary Service in the Dutch East Indies in 1890	Jons Straatman
12h40	50		Lunch	
Session Chair: Susan Jones				
13h30	30	Session 3 Free Topics	Felled by the Wolves of Finland: Tracking down the Foot-and-Mouth Disease Virus	Dylan Proctor
14h00	30		Eradicating Foot and Mouth Disease in North America, 1946-1954	Rebecca Kaplan
14h30	30		Reduction of antibiotic use in farm animal and aquaculture production in Norway over the last 30 years	Halvor Hektoen
15h00	30		Regulating Rumensin: Defining Antibiotic Feeds in the U.S. in the Wake of Resistance	Nicole Welk-Joerger
15h30	15		Mid-afternoon refreshments/Posters	

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Session Chair: Rudolph Bigalke					
15h45	40	Session 4 Vet Histories of International Cooperation	Keynote: A brief historical overview of the World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) and its historical relationship with countries in southern Africa	Gideon Brückner	
16h25	30		Collaboration between the veterinary schools of Utrecht and Onderstepoort - A political history	Peter Koolmees	
16h55	30		The Swiss Connection - A. Theiler and colleagues as an example of a successful international veterinary cooperation	Andreas Pospischil	
17h25	30		'No one over here has had the pluck to do [this]': International intercommunity collaboration and the investigation of canine inherited disease	Alison Skipper	
17h55	60	End of Day 1			
18h30	90	Welcome Reception @ The Farm Inn			Participants who booked

DAY 2 – FRIDAY 28 FEBRUARY 2020

Time	Duration	Theme	Title	Participants/Speaker	
07h30	45	Breakfast at Hotel		Participants staying at hotel	
07h30	60	Registration /Arrival coffee and tea			
Session Chair: Gareth Bath					
08h30	40	Session 5 Tropical Diseases	Keynote: Historic highlights of South African Veterinary R&D in tropical diseases	Rudolph Bigalke	
09h10	30		Making Plague a Tropical Disease	Susan Jones	
09h40	30		Eminent South African Veterinary Virologists	Daan Verwoerd	
10h10	30	Mid-morning refreshments/Posters			
Session Chair: Gideon Bruckner					
10h40	30	Session 6 Tropical Diseases	The history of East Coast fever in southern Africa	Ben Mans	
11h10	30		Heartwater: a simple disease with a peculiar distribution that has exasperated farmers and scientists for eons	Ken Pettey	
11h40	30		South African Veterinary Bacteriologists	Maryke Henton	
12h10	30		A study of the ecology of anthrax in the Kruger National Park, South Africa	Valerius de Vos	
12h40	50	Lunch			
Session Chair: Ken Pettey					
13h30	30	Session 7 Tropical Diseases	Jaundice in sheep in South Africa – confusion and resolution	Gareth Bath	
14h00	30		Notable veterinary parasitologists of South Africa	Heloise Heyne	
14h30	30	Free Topics	The historical collections of the faculty of veterinary medicine in Munich: lost and hidden treasures	Veronika Goebel	
15h00	30		Preserving South Africa's veterinary history: a collaborative approach	David Swanepoel	
15h30	30	Mid-afternoon refreshments/Posters			
16h00	60	AGM – All WAHVM Members			
17h00	90	End of Day 2 – Free Time			
19h00	120	Congress Dinner @ The Farm Inn			Participants who booked

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DAY 3 – SATURDAY 29 FEBRUARY 2020

Time	Duration	Theme	Title	Participants/Speaker
07h00	60	Breakfast at Hotel		Participants staying at hotel
07h30	30	Arrival refreshments and poster viewing		
Session Chair: WAHVM President				
08h00	30	Session 8	Open Discussion: Veterinary History vs Veterinary Science	Abigail Woods
08h30	30		Closing of the Congress Announcement of 2022 Host Country	Abigail Woods
09h00	90	Game Drive at the Farm Inn		Participants who booked
11h00	±5 hours	Tour to Onderstepoort (with packed lunch)		Participants who booked
16h00	-	Arrive back at The Farm Inn		
	-	Dinner at the Hotel (own account) and Departures		Participants staying at hotel

POSTER

Title	Speaker
Preliminary study of rabies prevalence in animals in Madrid during the Spanish Civil War (1936-1939)	Joaquín Sánchez de Lollano Prieto

SUNDAY 1 MARCH 2020

Departures or Organised Tours (Individual Arrangements)

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