Welcome

Fellow Technicians,

At the University of Florida, we value technicians and believe that a strong technician team is the true backbone to any practice. We have a passion for strengthening the knowledge of all technicians, knowing that their expertise and compassion are crucial to the outcomes for their patients.

We are excited to offer you the opportunity to join us at the University of Florida Veterinary Hospitals for a day of continuing education. This year we have expanded our program and are offering two different tracts of small animal topics, as well as a full morning of talks on large animal medicine. We will also be providing hands-on opportunities to delve deeper into the topics through master classes and labs, enhancing your learning experience.

We hope that you will join us for our 2015 conference and look forward to seeing you!

Best wishes,

Danielle Jonas, CVT
Program Coordinator
UF Small Animal Hospital Veterinary Care Manager

Continuing Education at the UF College of Veterinary Medicine

The University of Florida is an approved provider of CE credits for veterinary technicians by the Florida Department of Business & Professional Regulation, Board of Veterinary Medicine. Attendees will receive up to seven contact hours.
Schedule

Registration from 7:30 a.m. until 8:20 a.m.
Morning sessions are open to all and available on a first-come, first-served basis

Time | Small Animal | Large Animal
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9:30 a.m. - 10:20 a.m. | Regional Anesthesia: Yes, You ‘Caine! - Lauran Capolon, RVT | PDA: Everything You Wanted to Know but Were Afraid to Ask - Melanie Powell, CVT | Teaching an Old Dog New Tricks: Geriatric Rehabilitation - Wendy Davies, CVT, CCRA, and Stacy Lopez, LVN, CCRA | Parasitism in Small Ruminants - Elizabeth Nelson, BVSc

10:30 a.m. - 11:20 a.m. | The Purf-Fect Feline Experience: Tips and Tricks for Feline Nursing and Anesthesia - Jennifer Sager, CVT, VTS | Veterinary Chemotherapy: Common Fears and Solutions - Carly Damianio, CVT | Acute and Open Wound Management - Matthew Johnson, DVM, DACVS | Anesthesia Techniques in Small Ruminants - Terry Torres, LVN, VTS


Break - 12:30 p.m. until 12:45 p.m.

Lunch and Learns (Choose one) - Boxed Lunches Available - 12:45 p.m. until 1:30 p.m.
- The Professional Technician: Making the Most Out of Your Career - Chiquitha Crews, CVT
- Wellness: Preventing Burnout & Compassion Fatigue - Ron Del Moro, PhD, LMHC
- Practical Social Media Marketing - Martha Mallicote, DVM, DACVIM
- Are You Special? Becoming a Veterinary Technician Specialist - Jennifer Sager, CVT, VTS (limit 15)
- Effective Communication in the Midst of Chaos - Suzanne Pereau, LAHT

Afternoon Labs

Labs & Masterclasses (Choose two) - 1:40 p.m. until 2:30 p.m. and 2:40 p.m. until 3:30 p.m.
Label your first, second, and third choices with 1, 2, and 3.

### Small Animal
- Masterclass: Clinical Pathology Review: Tumor Lysis Syndrome
- Masterclass: Monitoring During Anesthesia: How & Why
- Masterclass: Thoracic & Abdominal Radiographic Case Review
- Masterclass: Veterinary Chemotherapy Basics
- Lab: Bandaging Review for Techs
- Lab: Basic Handling of Exotics
- Lab: Cardiac Exam for Techs

### Large Animal
- Lab: CPR Review
- Lab: Massage Techniques for Small Animals
- Lab: Neurologic Exam
- Lab: Regional Blocks in Small Animals
- Lab: Equine Ophthalmology Exam
- Lab: Handling of Small Ruminants
- Lab: Technical Rescue of Large Down Animals (2 hours)

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Register by phone
352-392-1701

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Fill out & mail the form below

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