



McCormick Place Convention Center

2301 S. Lake Shore Drive, Chicago, IL

2013 Aquatic Veterinary Program

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Saturday - July 20, 2013		McCormick Place Convention Center, Room W175c
7:00 AM	Nick Saint-Erne	Freshwater and Marine Ornamental Industry
8:00 AM	Helen Roberts	Adding Fish Medicine to Private Practice
10:00 AM	Nick Saint-Erne	Freshwater and Marine Life Support Systems
11:00 AM	Helen Roberts Scott Weber	Case-based Water Quality
12:00 PM	LUNCH	
1:00 PM	Helen Roberts	History and Physical Examination
2:00 PM	Stephen Smith	Common Infectious Diseases of Fish
3:00 PM	Stephen Smith	Biosecurity and Quarantine Considerations for Aquaria
4:00 PM	Scott Weber	Anesthesia and Analgesia
Sunday - July 21, 2013		McCormick Place Convention Center, Room W175c
8:00 AM	Jill Arnold	Hematology: Chemistry Profiles
9:00 AM	Jena Questen	Surgical Techniques
10:00 AM	Scott Weber	Necropsy Pathology
11:00 AM	Caryn Poll	Clinical Diagnostics and Treatment of Fish
12:00 PM	LUNCH	
1:00 PM	Myron Kebus	Fish Disease Cases on Fish Farms
2:00 PM	Myron Kebus	Fins and Feathers: Comparing Fish Health and Poultry Health Regulatory Programs
3:00 PM	Myron Kebus	Economic Issues for Practitioners Related to Fish Regulatory Medicine
4:00 PM	Mohamed Faisal	Role of Veterinarians in minimizing the spread of reportable fish diseases at the facility, regional, and global levels
5:00 PM	Mohamed Faisal	Reportable Fish Diseases in the USA



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Sunday - July 21, 2013		Aquatic Veterinary Wet Lab – Shedd Aquarium
2:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Jena Questen, Helen Roberts, Nick Saint-Erne, Scott Weber	This off-site wet lab will teach basic fish physical examination, imaging, anesthesia, hematology and necropsy Enrollment is limited to 24 veterinarians (pre-registration required)

Monday July 22, 2013		McCormick Place Convention Center, Room W175c
8:00 AM	Lisa Naples	Marine Mammal Medicine
9:00 AM	Caryn Poll	Public Aquarium Veterinary Medicine
10:00 AM	Greg Whittstock	Overview of the Pond Industry
11:00 AM	Greg Whittstock	Future of Pond Industry
12:00 PM	LUNCH	
1:00 PM	Julius Tepper	Pond Life Support Systems
2:00 PM	Julius Tepper	Clinical Aspects of Design and Function of Aquasystems
4:00 PM	Nick Saint-Erne	Koi Health General
5:00 PM	Jena Questen	Cavoy Vaccine

Tuesday July 23, 2013		McCormick Place Convention Center, Room W175c
8:00 AM	Julius Tepper	Predators of Koi
9:00 AM	Nick Saint-Erne	Tropical Fish Cases
10:00 AM	Julius Tepper	How Do I Treat Cutaneous Ulcers?
11:00 AM	Stephen Smith	Lab Animal Problems - What's wrong with my zebrafish?
12:00 PM	LUNCH	
1:00 PM	Stephen Smith	Parasitic diseases of tropical and ornamental fish
2:00 PM	Scott Weber	Environmental Cases
3:00 PM	Helen Roberts	Surgical Cases
4:00 PM	Julius Tepper, Nick Saint-Erne, Stephen Smith, Scott Weber & Helen Roberts	Round-table Panel Discussion: Ornamental fish issues