


# ACVIM SPECIALTY SYMPOSIUM (PRE-FORUM)

**Wednesday – June 9, 2010**

In 2010, each ACVIM Specialty discipline will meet to rekindle the sense of camaraderie and commitment that established the ACVIM as the strong, member-driven organization it is today while introducing ACVIM Candidates to the unique advantages of Board-certification in the Specialty they aspire to join. ACVIM Specialty Symposium content has been determined by ACVIM Diplomate feedback and the President of each ACVIM Specialty, and will specifically focus on scientific and administrative issues relevant to each of the ACVIM's five specialties — Cardiology, Neurology, Oncology, Large Animal Internal Medicine, and Small Animal Internal Medicine.

<b>Key:</b>	Open to ACVIM Diplomates, ACVIM Candidates, & Invited Guests Only	Open to ACVIM Candidates Only
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<b>Cardiology Program</b>				<b>ROOM</b>
	<b>8:00 am - 8:10 am</b>	Cardiology Specialty President Welcome	M. Oyama	<b>204C</b>
PFC01	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>8:10 am - 9:50 am</b>	ARCH Registry Discussion Panel on Diagnostic Guidelines for Dilated Cardiomyopathy, Arrhythmogenic Right Ventricular Cardiomyopathy, & Tricuspid Valve Dysplasia	K. Meurs, D. Sisson, W. Thomas	<b>204C</b>
	<b>9:50 am - 10:05 am</b>	<b>BREAK</b>		<b>Lobby</b>
PFC02	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>10:05 am - 10:55 am</b>	The Risk When Drugs Either Lengthen or Shorten QT	R. Hamlin	<b>204C</b>
	<b>10:55 am - 12:00 pm</b>	Specialty of Cardiology Business Meeting	M. Oyama	<b>204C</b>
PFC03	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>11:00 am - 12:00 pm</b>	Cardiology Candidate Function: Detecting & Interpreting Changes in Ventricular, Atrial, & Arterial Physiology	R. Hamlin	<b>210C</b>
	<b>12:00 pm - 1:30 pm</b>	Specialty of Cardiology Luncheon & Diplomate Certificate Ceremony		<b>201B</b>
PFC04	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>1:30 pm - 2:20 pm</b>	Veterinary Interventional Cardiology: Past Challenges, Current Successes & Future Opportunities	M. Miller	<b>204C</b>
PFC05	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>2:25 pm - 3:15 pm</b>	SOTA: Pediatric Interventional Cardiology: Where We Are Now & Where We Are Going in the Future	R. Grifka	<b>204C</b>
	<b>3:15 pm - 3:30 pm</b>	<b>BREAK</b>		<b>Lobby</b>
PFC06	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>3:30 pm - 4:20 pm</b>	Interventional Cardiology Discussion Panel	R. Grifka, D. Hogan, M. Miller, C. Orton, D. Sisson, A. Tobias	<b>204C</b>
PFC07	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>4:25 pm - 5:15 pm</b>	Unusual Case Presentations in Veterinary Cardiology	W. Thomas	<b>204C</b>
	<b>5:30 pm - 7:00 pm</b>	<b>ACVIM Specialty Symposium Reception</b> 		<b>Ballroom A / B</b>

<b>Neurology Program</b>				<b>ROOM</b>
	<b>8:00 am - 8:10 am</b>	Welcome & Mingle	N. Olby	<b>206A</b>
PFN01	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>8:10 am - 9:00 am</b>	Year in Review: Brain Tumor Therapy	P. Dickinson	<b>206A</b>
PFN02	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>9:00 am - 9:50 am</b>	SOTA: The Bioenergetic & Epigenomic Interaction in Health & Disease	D. Wallace	<b>206A</b>
	<b>9:50 am - 10:10 am</b>	<b>BREAK</b>		<b>Lobby</b>
PFN03	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>10:10 am - 11:00 am</b>	SOTA: The Genetics & Pathophysiology of Mitochondrial Diseases, Animal Models & Therapeutics	D. Wallace	<b>206A</b>
PFN04	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>11:10 am - 12:00 pm</b>	Collaboration Between Private Practice & Academia	C. Dewey	<b>206A</b>
	<b>12:00 pm - 1:30 pm</b>	Specialty of Neurology Luncheon & Diplomate Certificate Ceremony		<b>206B</b>
	<b>1:30 pm - 4:30 pm</b>	Specialty of Neurology Business Meeting	N. Olby	<b>206A</b>
PFN05	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>1:30 pm - 4:30 pm</b>	Candidate Function: Neurology Resident Review: Electrophysiology Cases	P. Cuddon	<b>201A</b>
	<b>5:30 pm - 7:00 pm</b>	<b>ACVIM Specialty Symposium Reception</b> 		<b>Ballroom A / B</b>

## ACVIM EXAM RATING













Marriott Grand Ballroom F






Thursday, June 10 • 8:30 am – 7:00 pm; Friday, June 11 • 7:00 am – 7:00 pm; Saturday, June 12 • 7:00 am – 3:00 pm






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Oncology Program				ROOM
	8:30 am - 8:45 am	Oncology Specialty President Welcome 	C. Henry	204A
PFO01	8:45 am - 9:45 am	COTC +/- VCOG Updates 	M. Paoloni	204A
	9:50 am - 10:05 am	<b>BREAK</b> 		Lobby
	10:05 am - 11:45 am	Specialty of Oncology Business Meeting	C. Henry	204A
PFO03	10:05 am - 10:55 am	Candidate Function: Academia vs. Private Practice vs. Industry - The Possibilities are Endless! 	C. Clifford, K. Hahn, D. Thamm	201A
PFO04	10:55 am - 11:45 am	Candidate Function: Clinical Trials: The Pros & Cons of Participating 	A. Rusk	201A
	12:00 pm - 1:30 pm	Specialty of Oncology Luncheon & Diplomate Certificate Ceremony 		205B
PFO05	1:40 pm - 2:30 pm	SOTA: Teaching the Old Dogs New Tricks: Comparative Oncology in the Genomic Era 	K. Richards	204A
PFO06	2:30 pm - 3:20 pm	SOTA: Advances in Lymphoma Research & Treatment: 2010 	K. Richards	204A
	3:20 pm - 3:35 pm	<b>BREAK</b> 		Lobby
PFO07	3:35 pm - 4:25 pm	Of Mice & Men (and DOGS!): Xenogenic DNA Vaccination for Canine Malignant Melanoma 	P. Bergman	204A
PFO08	4:25 pm - 5:15 pm	Clinical Pharmacology: What We Don't Know Could Hurt Someone 	D. Gustafson	204A
	5:30 pm - 7:00 pm	<b>ACVIM Specialty Symposium Reception</b> 		Ballroom A / B





Large Animal Internal Medicine Program – Equine				ROOM
	8:00 am - 8:10 am	Large Animal Internal Medicine Specialty President Welcome	M. Barton	204B
PFL01	8:10 am - 9:00 am	Publication & Common Manuscript Errors	N. Cohen, K. Hinchcliff	204B
PFL02	9:00 am - 9:50 am	Grant Writing Guide	N. Cohen, K. Hinchcliff	204B
	9:50 am - 10:05 am	<b>BREAK</b>  Schering-Plough Animal Health		Lobby
	10:05 am - 10:55 am	Specialty of Large Animal Internal Medicine Business Meeting	M. Barton	204B
	10:05 am - 11:35 am	Candidate Function: Job Interviews & Contracts: Internal Medicine Specialist	R. Magnus	205A
PFL03	10:55 am - 11:45 am	Case Report Update & Discussion	J. MacLeay	204B
	11:50 am - 1:50 pm	Specialty of Large Animal Internal Medicine Luncheon & Diplomate Certificate Ceremony  Schering-Plough Animal Health		Ballroom B
PFL04	2:00 pm - 2:50 pm	The Internist as a Profit Center	R. Magnus	204B
PFL05	2:50 pm - 3:40 pm	Panel: The Internist as a Profit Center	B. Buchanan, R. Magnus, H. McKenzie, E. Voss, D. Zimmer	204B
	3:40 pm - 3:55 pm	<b>BREAK</b>  Schering-Plough Animal Health		Lobby
PFL06	3:55 pm - 4:45 pm	Highlights from Havemeyer: Ophthalmology	C. Plummer	204B
PFL07	4:45 pm - 5:35 pm	Highlights from the World Association for the Advancement of Veterinary Parasitology	W. Vaala	204B
	5:35 pm - 5:45 pm	Honorary ACVIM Diplomate Presentation	M. Barton	204B
	5:45 pm - 7:00 pm	<b>ACVIM Specialty Symposium Reception</b> 		Ballroom A / B
	7:30 pm - 11:00 pm	Large Animal Internal Medicine Specialty Dinner 		OFFSITE

Large Animal Internal Medicine Program – Food Animal				ROOM
	8:00 am - 8:10 am	Large Animal Internal Medicine Specialty President Welcome	M. Barton	204B
PFL01	8:10 am - 9:00 am	Publication & Common Manuscript Errors	N. Cohen, K. Hinchcliff	204B
PFL02	9:00 am - 9:50 am	Grant Writing Guide	N. Cohen, K. Hinchcliff	204B
	9:50 am - 10:05 am	<b>BREAK</b>  Schering-Plough Animal Health		Lobby
	10:05 am - 10:55 am	Specialty of Large Animal Internal Medicine Business Meeting	M. Barton	204B
	10:05 am - 11:35 am	Candidate Function: Job Interviews & Contracts: Internal Medicine Specialist	R. Magnus	205A
PFL03	10:55 am - 11:45 am	Case Report Update & Discussion	J. MacLeay	204B
	11:50 am - 1:50 pm	Specialty of Large Animal Internal Medicine Luncheon & Diplomate Certificate Ceremony  Schering-Plough Animal Health		Ballroom B
PFL08	2:00 pm - 3:40 pm	SOTA: Panel on Antimicrobial Resistance Considerations in Food Animal Internal Medicine	S. Modric, A. Salyers	202A
	3:40 pm - 3:55 pm	<b>BREAK</b>  Schering-Plough Animal Health		Lobby
PFL09	3:55 pm - 5:35 pm	Food Animal Internal Medicine SIG	G. Fecteau, P. Walz	202A
	5:35 pm - 5:45 pm	Honorary ACVIM Diplomate Presentation	M. Barton	204B
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	7:30 pm - 11:00 pm	Large Animal Internal Medicine Specialty Dinner 		OFFSITE

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Small Animal Internal Medicine Program				
8:00 am - 8:10 am	Small Animal Internal Medicine Specialty President Welcome			<b>Ballroom C</b>
	<b>Track 1 – 207A</b>	<b>Track 2 – 201C</b>	<b>Track 3 – Ballroom C</b>	<b>Track 4 – 207C</b>
8:10 am - 9:00 am	Minimally-Invasive Surgery C. Rawlings <b>PFS01</b>	Taking the Problem Out of the Problem Client: The Art & Science of Client Communication N. Kay <b>PFS02</b>	Disease Report & Surveillance: The Role of Small Animals G. Moore <b>PFS03</b>	
9:00 am - 9:50 am	Minimally-Invasive Surgery C. Rawlings <b>PFS05</b>	Great Expectations: How Clients' Expectations are Changing N. Kay <b>PFS06</b>	HPAI H5N1 in Cats K. Hartmann <b>PFS07</b>	
9:50 am - 10:15 am	<b>BREAK</b> 			<b>Level 2 Lobby</b>
10:15 am - 11:45 am	Specialty of Small Animal Internal Medicine Business Meeting		S. Marks	<b>Ballroom C</b>
10:15 am - 11:45 am	<b>PFS08</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Candidate Function: Contracts & Negotiations		J. Tait	<b>208A</b>
	<b>Track 1 – 207A</b>	<b>Track 2 – 201C</b>	<b>Track 3 – Ballroom C</b>	<b>Track 4 – 207C</b>
12:00 pm - 1:30 pm	Specialty of Small Animal Internal Medicine Luncheon & Diplomate Certificate Ceremony 			<b>Ballroom A</b>
1:45 pm - 2:35 pm	SOTA: Evolution of Human Endourology: Stones, Tumors & Obstruction D. Bagley <b>PFS10</b>	Managing Weight Loss in Chronic Disease L. Freeman <b>PFS11</b>	Pandemic H1N1 Influenza in Cats B. Sponseller Feline Primary Hyperoxaluria R. Goldstein <b>PFS12</b>	Interpreting Diagnostic Data Using the Right Side of the Brain H. de Morais <b>PFS13</b>
2:40 pm - 3:30 pm	SOTA: Evolution of Human Endourology: Stones, Tumors & Obstruction D. Bagley <b>PFS14</b>	Oncology Update for the Internist C. Henry <b>PFS15</b>	Clinical, Biochemical, & Molecular Genetic Characterization of Porphyria in Cats U. Giger Cat Genomics: DNA Arrays & The Veterinarian's Role in Cat Diseases L. Lyons <b>PFS16</b>	Risk Factors & Risk Reduction A. Hill <b>PFS17</b>
3:30 pm - 3:45 pm	<b>BREAK</b> 			<b>Level 2 Lobby</b>
3:45 pm - 4:35 pm	Veterinary Endourology: Reverse Translational Medicine from Human to Veterinary Medicine A. Berent <b>PFS18</b>	Ventilatory Vignettes J. Bach <b>PFS19</b>	Age Related Gene Expression Changes in Cats J. Brockman Genomic & Proteomic Analyses of Feline Arthritis S. Al-Murrani <b>PFS20</b>	Pitfalls of Observational Studies P. Morley <b>PFS21</b>
4:40 pm - 5:30 pm	Veterinary Endourology: Fluoroscopy & Endoscopy for Novel Therapies A. Berent <b>PFS22</b>	MRI Interpretation for the Internist S. Holmes <b>PFS23</b>	Genome-Wide Analysis of Granulomatous Colitis in the Boxer Dog M. Craven Revolutionizing Diabetes Mellitus Treatment S. Niessen <b>PFS24</b>	Pitfalls of Prospective Studies G. Moore <b>PFS25</b>
5:30 pm - 7:00 pm	<b>ACVIM Specialty Symposium Reception</b> 			<b>Ballroom A / B</b>

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## ACVIM Specialty Symposium Reception

Enjoy refreshments and reminisce the day's events with your colleagues

**Convention Center Ballroom A / B**