VETERINARY MRI HANDS ON TRAINING COURSE

10th - 11th November, 2017
Veterinary Specialty Center of Tucson - Arizona

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Continuing education is a major pillar of Esaote’s dedication to veterinary MRI application.

In this Vet MRI hands on training course, you will learn from veterinary imaging experts and share experiences with other Vet MRI users, to improve your skills and take full advantage of your MRI system’s capabilities.

Moreover you will be provided with practical guidelines on how to optimize sequence parameters, position the patient and target the body structures to be studied with the proper coil, in order to produce high resolution images to diagnose with pinpoint accuracy.

This is not a sit and watch session, in fact to boost interaction, attendees will be divided into groups for case lab and live sessions on the Vet MRI Grande system, for a complete educational experience.

FOR THIS REASON THE HANDS-ON-TRAINING SESSION WILL BE LIMITED TO A MAXIMUM OF 45 ATTENDEES.

PARTICIPANTS WILL RECEIVE UP TO 13.0 CE (PENDING RACE APPROVAL)

Erminio Bassi - Esaote - Product Manager Marketing Vet MRI

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The Organizer reserves the right to alter the scientific programme and the speakers due to circumstances beyond his control - in case of any changes, the revised version of the programme will be available on www.esaotevetmrimeeting.org
CODY ALCOTT  
DVM, Diplomate ACVIM  
Cody Alcott has a long and extensive background in both small and large animal medicine and specifically neurology. After he received his Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degree at Iowa State University College of Veterinary Medicine, Dr. Alcott pursued primary care practice in California working on dogs, cats and horses. He was given the opportunity to pursue a residency in large animal medicine back at Iowa State. After completing his residency and becoming board certified in Internal Medicine, he was asked to stay on as part of the teaching faculty as an Equine Medicine Clinician at the Lloyd Veterinary Medical Center - teaching hospital for the Iowa State College of Veterinary Medicine. It was during this time at Iowa State that he decided to pursue his love of neurology and neurosurgery, so he completed a neurology residency there while fulfilling his teaching duties. Dr. Alcott has done extensive research, receiving over $76,000 in grant money, has published over 20 peer-reviewed papers as well as given numerous lectures while at Iowa State. As much as he loved his time in Ames and all of those years in an academic setting, private specialty practice is what he longed to return to. He and his wife, Portia (a primary care veterinarian), along with their three children and multiple four legged members of their family, are thrilled to make Tucson their new home (our warm and sunny Arizona climate is an added advantage after their years in the upper Midwest!).

- 2015: Diplomate Certification in the American College of Veterinary Medicine (Neurology).
- 2011-2014: Residency in Comparative Neurology, Lloyd Veterinary Medical Center, Iowa State University College of Veterinary Medicine, Ames, Iowa.
- 2009-2014: Equine Medicine Clinician and Teaching Faculty, Lloyd Veterinary Medical Center, Iowa State University College of Veterinary Medicine, Ames, Iowa.
- 2009: Diplomate Certification in the American College of Veterinary Medicine (Large Animal Internal Medicine).
- 2006-2009: Residency in Large Animal Internal Medicine, Lloyd Veterinary Medical Center, Iowa State University College of Veterinary Medicine, Ames, Iowa.
- 2004-2006: Primary Care Veterinarian in Small Animal and Equine Medicine, Grantline Veterinary Hospital, Inc., Elk Grove, California.
- 2000-2004: Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degree, Iowa State University College of Veterinary Medicine, Ames, Iowa.
- 1996-2000: Bachelor of Science, California Polytechnic University, Pomona, California.

ASHLEY ARMSTRONG  
AAS, CVT, LVT, VTS(ECC)  
2016-current: VetMed Team - Content Expert, Course Instructor.
2009-current: Developing RACE approved antineurology based, courses for veterinarians and veterinary technicians.

Veterinary Specialty Center of Tucson - Certified Veterinary Technician, Specialist (E/CC).
Icu/ecu technician: responsible for primary care of all patients in hospital, ranging from mild illness to critically ill. All technical skills used including but not limited to: IV catheter placement, administration of medications, radiology, anesthesia management, anesthesia recovery. Critical care management including but not limited to: arterial blood draws, nasal cannula placement with oxygen administration, CPR, head trauma management, ventilator management.  
2009-2012: Previous supervisor for emergency department Veterinary Specialty Center of Tucson - Lecturer. RACE approved technician lecture series 2012-2014. Lectured on multiple topics in regards to emergency and critical care medicine including/but not limited to: transfusion medicine, heat stroke, endocrine disorders, neurology, anesthesia.  
Education  
2003-2005: Associates of Applied Science (Veterinary Technology) - Vatterott College Omaha, NE.  
Licensed Veterinary Technician - NE (current inactive status). Certified Veterinary Technician Specialist in Emergency and Critical Care (2014).  
2015-current: Mentor - Mentor Committee AVECCT.

CHIARA BRIOLA  
DVM (/)  
Dr. Briola graduated in Veterinary Medicine at University of Parma in November 2008 with an experimental thesis about Magnetic Resonance Imaging of brain tumors that was the result of a one year collaboration with Dr. Massimo Baroni ECVN. In the same year she passed the state exam and came back to Genova, where she was born, and she started to work as a general practitioner at Dr. Costa, Dr. Spallarossa, Dr. Ghiani and Dr. Pastorini Clinic. The passion for MRI pushed her further in the diagnostic imaging path and in September 2009 she moved to Sasso Marconi where she started a training under the supervision of Dr. Federica Rossi ECVDI. In January 2010 she moved to England where she completed a four months training at the diagnostic imaging department of the Animal Health Trust with Dr. Ruth Dennis ECVDI and her team. In July 2010 she met Dr. Martin Konar ECVDI who offered her the opportunity to start a collaboration in Italy at the Ospedale Veterinario San Michele (Lodi) where she worked for three years under his supervision. In the end of 2012 she moved to Davis, California, to attend a stage in diagnostic imaging. When she came back to Italy she started to work as MRI consultant for Esaote both in Europe and USA. In May 2013 she moved to Rome and she started to work at Clinica Veterinaria Roma Sud with Dr. Daniele Corlazzoli ECVN as radiologist specialized in MRI and CT.
Dr. Eichelberger began her veterinary career at the University of California, Davis. In addition to the rigorous demands of the veterinary medicine program, Dr. Eichelberger was actively involved in many extracurricular activities, including accepting the role as class president for two years. During her veterinary training, Dr. Eichelberger was recognized with many scholarships and awards for her academic achievements. Dr. Eichelberger’s decision to pursue advanced training in diagnostic imaging occurred while a veterinary student at the University of California, Davis.

Following veterinary school, Dr. Eichelberger completed a one year internship followed by a three year diagnostic imaging residency. She completed her residency training in diagnostic imaging and Master’s degree in Radiological Health Sciences at Colorado State University. Dr. Eichelberger’s long career has spanned small and large animals in both private specialty practices and academia. Dr. Eichelberger is well published and is an ad hoc reviewer for Veterinary Radiology and Ultrasound and Wiley Publishing. She is a respected national and international speaker. As much as she has loved all of her varied career positions, she is happiest working in a specialty veterinary practice and is thrilled to have found her niche at the Veterinary Specialty Center of Tucson. Dr. Eichelberger enjoys all aspects of diagnostic imaging with specific interests in cross-sectional computed tomography (CT), magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) and musculoskeletal imaging.

Dr. Eichelberger and her husband actively enjoy the outdoors, traveling and spending time with their precocious German Shorthaired Pointers; Lola, Passion and Rev.

- 2014: present: Radiologist, Veterinary Specialty Center of Tucson.
- 2009-2014: Clinical Assistant Professor, Faculty in Radiology, Texas A&M University College of Veterinary Medicine, College Station, Texas.
- 2009: Diplomate, American College of Veterinary Radiology.
- 2008-2009: Staff Clinician in Diagnostic Imaging, Massachusetts Veterinary Referral Hospital, Woburn, Massachusetts.
- 2005-2008: Residency and Master’s Degree in Radiological Health Sciences, Veterinary Medical Teaching Hospital, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, Colorado.
- 2004-2005: Internship, Peterson and Smith Equine Hospital, Ocala, Florida.
- 2000-2004: Doctor of Veterinary Medicine, College of Veterinary Medicine, University of California, Davis, California.
- 1993-1997: Bachelor of Arts in Biology with a minor in Chemistry, California State University, Sacramento, California.
## SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

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• ON LINE: http://registration.evsrl.it/
• OFF LINE: sending the registration form by fax, scanned via e-mail or by ordinary mail to:
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  Phone 0039 0372 403509 - Fax 0039 0372 403558 - E-mail: erika.taravella@evsrl.it

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- **BANK CHEQUE** in Euros only, to the order of “E.V. Soc. Cons. a r.l.”

- **BANK WIRE TRANSFER.** The bank references are as follows:

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  Please send a copy of the bank transfer to the Congress Secretary along with the registration form filled in.

  Please note that bank transfers will only be received up until October 25th. No bank transfer payments will be accepted after this date.

**CANCELLATION POLICY**

For cancellations notified by the participant before October 25th a refund of 75% of the registration fee will be made or is due. No refund can be made after this date. All refunds will be made soon after the meeting.

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Signature …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………. 