



ECVP/ESVP Summer School in Veterinary Pathology



Dear Colleague

February 2010

The ECVP/ESVP Education Committee is now organising the Summer School 2010 in Zürich, Switzerland from Monday 19.07.2010 to Friday 30.07.2010.

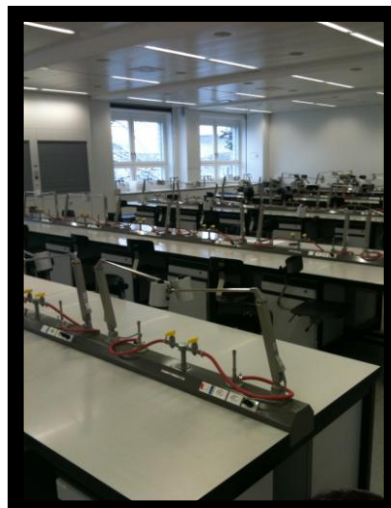
Zürich is located in the German speaking part of Switzerland and is the largest city in Switzerland with a population of over 380,500. 1.1 million people live in the Zürich agglomeration, while there are 1.9 million in the metropolitan area. Zürich can be reached by train, car, bus or plane. The airport is in 10km distance from the city centre and there are frequent and convenient trains and buses connecting the airport with the town (<http://www.zuerich.com/en/welcome.cfm>).

Zürich downtown



The venue will be the Veterinary Faculty. One large histology seminar room in the building of the Department of Veterinary Pathology will be available. It is fully equipped with all necessary audiovisual and digital microscope facilities and with laptops for all participants. These also provide access to the internet.

Lecture / Microscopy room



Vetsuisse Faculty, University of Zürich



Address: Institute of Veterinary Pathology, Vetsuisse Faculty, University of Zürich
Winterthurerstrasse 268, CH 8057 Zürich – Switzerland

Accommodation will be available at a reasonable price in a hotel near the city centre, which can easily be reached by public transport. Information about this will be provided once registration is completed.

The Vetsuisse Faculty Zürich is located approximately 5 km from the city centre and 4 km from the Hotel, and there is a frequent bus service (No. 72; every 7 minutes).

The programme of the Summer School 2010 will comprise the following modules. A definite programme will be provided in due course.

Module	Lecturer	Affiliation
Eye	James Render, Ingeborg Langohr	Pfizer, USA; University of Michigan, USA
Muscle Pathology	Diane Shelton	University of San Diego, USA
Pig Pathology	Joaquim Segales	University of Barcelona, Spain
Zoo and Wild Animal Pathology	Linda Lowenstine	University of California Davis, USA
GEM	Glenn Cantor	Bristol-Myers Squibb, USA
Emerging/Zoonotic Diseases	Malcolm Bennett, Anja Kipar	University of Liverpool, UK
Mock Exam	F Nguyen and colleagues	University of Nantes, France

The Summer School 2010 can be organised for a maximum of 75 participants, and places are available on a first come, first serve basis. We would now like to invite you to register for the event.

The Summer School is organised under the financial responsibility of ECVF and ESVP. We are very keen on maintaining it as a low-cost event and are making every effort to keep the cost for the attendees as low as possible. Therefore, we have kept the registration fee as low as in previous years.

Registration fees:

For **trainees in veterinary pathology**, registration fees will be **€ 400**.

For **experienced pathologists**, registration fees are **€ 1000**.

Registration fees will allow you to participate in lectures and practical classes and will include the lecturer handouts as well as a snack at lunchtime. You will also be issued with a ticket that will allow you the use of the public transport in Zürich during the event. After the event, you will receive a CD with relevant files from the modules. Furthermore you will have access to the entire study material in the ECVF Slide Collection.

Attendance of selected sessions is possible and the costs for participation will be calculated on an individual basis.

We will, in due course, ask you to transfer the registration fee which will then confirm your registration.

Stipend from the ESVP:

If your financial circumstances make it difficult for you to pay the registration fee and you are a member of the ESVP and at an early stage of your career as a pathologist (trainee in veterinary pathology, see above), you can apply for one of the 10 stipends from the ESVP to cover the registration fee. Application for a stipend requires a letter, in which you confirm that you are not receiving any other form of financial support which you are asked to send to the ESVP secretary, Prof. Felix Ehrensperger (f.ehrensperger@vetpath.uzh.ch).

Also non-ESVP members who participate in the Summer School for the first time can apply for a stipend, provided they apply for membership with the ESVP before 8 March 2010.

Registration for the Summer School 2010 is being handled by Julie Fitzsimmons in the ECVF Office (Secretary of "ECVP/ESVP Summer School in Veterinary Pathology" ecvpjf@liverpool.ac.uk). Registration forms should be sent by **email** (preferably), fax or surface mail to the ECVF/ESVP Education Committee at the address in Liverpool University (attention: Julie Fitzsimmons) by **8 March 2010**. Places are limited to 75 and will be allocated on a first apply basis.

We look forward to meeting you in Zürich.

Yours sincerely

The ECVF/ESVP Education Committee

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