11th International Congress for Veterinary Virology
12th Annual Meeting of EPIZONE

August 27–30, 2018
University of Veterinary Medicine Vienna
### Programme

- **Monday, August 27, 2018**
  - Opening & Plenary Session 1

- **Tuesday, August 28, 2018**
  - Plenary Session 2
  - Oral Sessions 1 & 2
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- **Wednesday, August 29, 2018**
  - Plenary Session 4
  - Oral Sessions 4 & 5
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- **Thursday, August 30, 2018**
  - Closing Session
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General information

Venue address
University of Veterinary Medicine
Veterinärplatz 1
1210 Vienna

Conference registration and accommodation office
Austropa Interconvention, Verkehrsbüro MICE Services
Lassallestrasse 2
1020 Vienna
T +43 1 58800 534
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esvv2018@austropa.at

Conference hours
Monday, August 27, 2018
from 14:00 Registration
16:00–16:30 Opening session
16:30–18:30 Scientific programme
18:30–18:40 Conference opening
from 18:45 Welcome reception in the “Festsaal” building

Tuesday, August 28, 2018
from 08:00 Registration
08:30–18:00 Scientific programme
from 19:00 Cocktail reception in the Ballroom of Vienna City Hall

Wednesday, August 29, 2018
from 08:00 Registration
08:30–17:45 Scientific programme
18:30–19:00 Shuttle service to the Heurigen from the conference venue
from 19:00 Heurigen evening at the “Schreiberhaus”

Thursday, August 30, 2018
09:00–10:30 Scientific programme
10:30–12:00 Closing ceremony, awards
from 12:00 Lunch to go

Badges
Each participant will receive a name badge upon registration. For security reasons all participants are requested to wear their badge during all the congress activities and social events.

Language
The official language of the congress is English. No simultaneous translation will be provided.

Certificate of attendance
A certificate of attendance will be enclosed in the delegate package at the congress.

Entitlements
Participants are admitted to the whole scientific programme, coffee breaks and lunch, welcome reception, cocktail reception and Heurigen evening. Accompanying persons are admitted to welcome reception, cocktail reception and Heurigen evening. No admission to the scientific programme is granted for accompanying persons.
Programme changes
The organizer cannot assume liability for any changes in the programme due to external or unforeseen circumstances.

Speaker Ready Room
We kindly request all speakers to submit their oral presentations on flash/thumb drive or CD/DVD disc at the Speaker Ready Room at least 3 hours in advance of their presentation. The Speaker Ready Room at the “Festsaal” building, Großes Sitzungszimmer (1st floor right) has been arranged to give presenters the opportunity to view their presentations and to obtain any technical support they might require prior to their scheduled sessions. Technicians will be present in the Speaker Ready Rooms to assist. We recommend PowerPoint for all users but will also accept PDF files for presentations. All video files should be (.wmv), (.avi) or (.mpg), so they will run properly on the computers provided.

Posters
Posters P1 to P82 should be set up until Tuesday, August 28, 10:00 and removed by Wednesday, August 29, 08:30.
Posters P83 to P158 should be set up on Wednesday, August 29, until 10:00 and removed by Thursday, August 30, 09:00.
Equipment for mounting the posters will be provided by the conference organizers.
The conference takes no responsibility for left or damaged posters. During the poster presentation sessions the presenting authors are expected to be available at their posters for scientific discussions.
The Scientific Committee will select 3 posters for poster prizes. The selected authors will be requested to make a short oral presentation (3–5 min.) of their award-winning study.

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Conference venue
The University of Veterinary Medicine Vienna is situated at Veterinärplatz 1, 1210 Vienna, Austria.
The closest tramway station Josef-Baumann-Gasse can be reached with tram line 25 from Floridsdorf or tram line 26 from Kagraner Platz. The Veterinärmedizinische Universität can be reached as well with bus 27A from Kagran. Tram and bus lines are connected to metro U1 and U6, respectively.

Social programme
All three social evening events are included in the registration fee!
Monday, August 27, 2018, 18:45–21:30 | Dress code: informal
Welcome reception, Festsaal, University of Veterinary Medicine Vienna
Tuesday, August 28, 2018, 19:00–22:00 | Dress code: formal
Cocktail reception in the Ballroom of Vienna City Hall by invitation of the Mayor of Vienna
No shuttle service will be provided, please use your complimentary 3 days public transportation ticket which you will find together with the invitation card in your conference documents – you will have to show the invitation card when entering the City Hall, thus, please don’t forget to take it with you! Access to the City Hall from 19:00 onwards at the address Lichtenfelsgasse 2, 1010 Vienna.
Wednesday, August 29, 2018, 18:30–22:00 | Dress code: informal
Heurigen evening at the “Schreiberhaus, Rathstraße 54, 1190 Vienna.
Shuttle service from the conference venue will be provided at 18:30, return shuttle to the major conference hotels and the conference venue will be from 21:30–22:30.
Welcome to Vienna
Vienna has approximately 1.8 million inhabitants and is situated in the “Heart of Europe”. Its geographic as well as its geopolitical position has established Vienna as a centre for international meetings. Moreover, it is one of the United Nations headquarters, and also home to a number of other international organizations. Vienna is a city on which its ever-changing history has left an indelible mark, reflected in its rich cultural heritage. Viennese writers, musicians, artists and scientists have created new directions for the modern world in every field. Today, Vienna offers old historical palaces and modern shopping centers, Austrian food and haute cuisine, Viennese coffee houses and international restaurants, opera performances and jazz sessions, classical concerts and open air festivals, antique shops and elegant boutiques – all these contrasts are harmonized into something typically Viennese. **Vienna is different!** For accompanying persons including children, Vienna offers numerous museums and tourist attractions.

Weather
August falls in the middle of the prime tourist season in Vienna. This is one of the best months to visit the city, featuring the warmest temperatures and the most sunshine. The nights in August are comfortably warm with an average low temperature of 14 °C. In the afternoons, the mercury climbs to an average high of 24 °C, absolutely amazing weather to spend hours walking from highlight to highlight, palace to palace and museum to museum.

Shopping
Opening times on weekdays are 9:00 to 18:00, some until 20:00 on Thursday or Friday. On Saturdays, most shops close at 18:00. All shops, with very few exceptions, remain closed on Sundays.

Currency and Credit Cards
The Austrian currency is the EURO (€). Most hotels, restaurants and shops accept internationally valid credit cards.

Electricity
The current electricity used in Austria is 220 V, with 50 Hz frequency.

Public Transport
Vienna boasts a modern, efficient public transport system consisting of tramways, subway (U-Bahn), city railway (Schnellbahn; S-Bahn) and busses. Almost all hotels have easy access to the public transportation system. In your conference documents you will find a complimentary 3 days public transportation ticket, which is valid on all means of public transportation within the city of Vienna. Please punch it at the beginning of your first trip; from this time onwards it is valid for 72 hours. Since Vienna airport is located slightly outside the boundaries of the City of Vienna you will need to buy an additional ticket for your return journey.
Committees

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Hans Nauwynck, Belgium
Norbert Nowotny, Austria
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Tillmann Rümenapf, Austria
Wim H. M. van der Poel, The Netherlands

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Dieter Klein
Benjamin Lamp
Norbert Nowotny
Tillmann Rümenapf

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Venue: Lecture Hall “Hörsaal” B
Chair: Norbert NOWOTNY

08:30 Zoonotic arboviruses – enhancing our awareness
Martin GROSCHUP (DEU)

09:15 Emerging lyssaviruses in bat hosts
Anthony R. FOOKS (GBR)

10:30–12:00 Oral session 1

O1.1 Emerging, zoonotic and vector-borne viruses 1
Venue: Lecture Hall “Hörsaal” B
Chair: Martin GROSCHUP

10:30 Surveillance of West Nile fever among equids and humans in the European Union and its potential impact on blood safety measures
Celine GOSSNER (SWE)

10:45 Usutu virus infections in wild birds and humans between 2010 and 2017 in Austria and Hungary
Tamás BAKONYI (HUN)

11:00 Tick-borne virus detection in Caribbean ticks using NGS and high-throughput microfluidic real-time PCR (DOMOTICK Project)
Emmanuel ALBINA (GLP)

11:15 The characterisation of hepatitis E virus in UK pigs
Bhudipa CHOUDHURY (GBR)

11:30 Prevalence and molecular characterization of hepatitis E virus in Lithuanian wild animal populations
Juozas GRIGAS (LTU)

11:45 Emergence of bluetongue virus serotype 4 in continental France in November 2017
Stéphan ZIENTARA (FRA)

O1.2 Viral pathogenesis and evolution
Venue: Main Hall “Festsaal”
Chair: Thomas METTENLEITER

10:30 Use of reverse genetics technique to study the early pathogenesis of Peste des Petits Ruminants virus
Satyanarayan PARIDA (GBR)

10:45 Elucidating the role of T lymphocytes in pathogenesis during bluetongue virus infection in sheep
Kerry NEWBROOK (GBR)

11:00 Circulation of classical swine fever chronic and persistent forms refractory to vaccination and viral evolution under inefficient control programs
Lilianne GANGES (ESP)

11:15 Within-host diversity of low pathogenic avian influenza virus in various poultry species
Edyta ŚWIĘTON (POL)

11:30 Influenza viruses and paramyxoviruses enhance the adherence and invasion properties of streptococci by a sialic acid-dependent interaction with the capsular polysaccharide
Georg HERRLER (DEU)

11:45 Access to a main EHV1 receptor, located basolaterally in the respiratory epithelium is masked by intercellular junctions and revealed by pollen proteases
Jolien VAN CLEEMPUT (BEL)
O1.3  Young EPIZONE session 1
Venue: Lecture Hall “Hörsaal” M
10:30 Welcome
10:40 Challenges in veterinary virology – project management successes and failures
Till RÜMENAPF (AUT)
11:10 Research project management
Rainer SVACINKA (AUT)

13:30–15:00  Oral session 2
O2.1  Emerging, zoonotic and vector-borne viruses 2
Venue: Lecture Hall “Hörsaal” B
Chair: Tamas BAKONYI
13:30 Middle East respiratory syndrome coronavirus (MERS-CoV) vaccination efficacy in a direct-contact transmission model in llamas
Jordi RODON (ESP)
13:45 Middle East respiratory syndrome coronavirus (MERS-CoV) early infection in alpacas
Te NIGEER (ESP)
14:00 Bats as reservoir hosts of novel and emerging viruses in Italy
Davide LELLI (ITA)
14:15 Genomic analysis of the first African swine fever virus isolated within EU, Lithuania 2014
Jovita FERNÁNDEZ-PINERO (ESP)
14:30 Outbreaks of haemorrhagic fever with renal syndrome in the United Kingdom
Lorraine MCELHINNEY (GBR)
14:45 Electron cryo tomography and determination of capsid structure of rabies virus
Christiane RIEDEL (AUT)

O2.2  Viral immunity; advances in vaccinology and antivirals
Venue: Main Hall “Festsaal”
Chair: Emmanuel ALBINA
13:30 Investigation of the duration of immunity induced by gene-deleted African swine fever viruses
Ana-Luisa REIS (GBR), Linda DIXON (GBR)
13:45 Host factors involved in classical swine fever immunopathogenesis
Jose Alejandro BOHORQUEZ (ESP), Lilianne GANGES (ESP)
14:00 Abortigenic but not neurotropic equine herpesvirus 1 modulates the interferon antiviral defense
Katrien POELAERT (BEL)
14:15 Preliminary evaluation of a baculovirus-expressed subunit vaccine for the protection of white-tailed deer from clinical epizootic hemorrhagic disease virus serotype 2
Leela NORONHA (USA)
14:30 Dendritic cell based in-vitro assay to test immunogenicity of viral vaccine candidates
Viskam WIJEWARDANA (AUT)

O2.3  Young EPIZONE session 2
Venue: Lecture Hall “Hörsaal” M
13:30 Ice breaking game (Bingo)
13:50 Workshop on research project management
Till RÜMENAPF (AUT)
14:40 Round-table discussion – opinion and experience sharing
Rainer SVACINKA (AUT)
15:00–16:15  Poster presentations 1 & 2

**P1.1  Viral pathogenesis and evolution & viral immunity**  
Venue: Building Lecture Hall “Hörsaal” A & B

**P 1.** Molecular characterisation of a previously undetected bluetongue virus serotype 8 strain in Cyprus  
Hannah BROWN (GBR)

**P 2.** Diversity and pathogenicity of chicken astrovirus  
Victoria SMYTH (GBR)

**P 3.** Characterisation of novel inhibitors of the IRF3 and NF-kappa B pathways encoded by African swine fever virus  
Lynnette GOATLEY (GBR), Linda DIXON (GBR)

**P 4.** T-Cell epitopes in serotype specific proteins of African swine fever virus  
Denis KOLBASOV (RUS)

**P 5.** Molecular characterisation of Polish African swine fever virus strains  
Natalia MAZUR (POL)

**P 6.** Rabies virus belonging to phylogroup C has spread to Poland - complete genome analysis  
Anna ORŁOWSKA (POL)

**P 7.** Determination of exosomes infectivity in cattle infected with bovine leukemia virus (BLV)  
Maria SZCZOTKA (POL)

**P 8.** Phylogenetic analysis showing new insights of epidemiology, evolution and taxonomy of HEV in Brazil  
Edmilson FERREIRA DE OLIVEIRA FILHO (BRA)

**P 9.** Importance of the ciliary activity of the airway epithelium in preventing influenza virus infection  
Georg HERRLER (DEU)

**P 10.** Co-infection of a natural pair of low and highly pathogenic H7N7 avian influenza viruses in chickens and embryonating chicken eggs  
Annika GRAAF (DEU)

**P 11.** Porcine bocavirus NP1 interferes with the IFN-α/β signaling pathway  
Giorgi METREVELI (SWE)

**P 12.** Comparison of pathogenicity and intestinal immunity outcomes in pigs infected with French S-InDel or US S-non-InDel strains of porcine epidemic diarrhea virus  
Sarah GALLIEN (FRA)

**P1.2  Advances in vaccinology, antivirals & in viral diagnostics**  
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**P 13.** Intradermal DNA vaccination harbouring a combination of conserved HA-peptides reduces viral shedding in two different experimental swine influenza virus infections  
Marta SISTERÉ-ORO (ESP)

**P 14.** Influence of cell type and cell culture media on the propagation of foot-and-mouth disease virus with regard to vaccine quality  
Veronika DILL (DEU)

**P 15.** Bluetongue disease - from suspicious field sample to serotype identification in 2 hours  
Christina RIES (DEU)

**P 16.** Inactivation of classical swine fever virus in serum samples  
Denise MEYER (DEU)

**P 17.** Immunization against African swine fever virus using potential T-cell antigens delivered via adenovirus and vaccinia vectors  
Raquel PORTUGAL (GBR)

**P 18.** Suppression of influenza A virus replication in chicken embryonic fibroblasts lacking CD209L and ANP32A by the CRISPR/Cas9 system  
Etsuro ONO (JPN)
P 19. Development of a multiplex real-time RT-PCR assay for the differential detection of bluetongue virus serotypes
Petra FAY (GBR)

P 20. Novel highly immunogenic strain of B.anthracis 363/11
Larisa PADILIO (RUS), Timofey SEVSKIKH (RUS)

P 21. Simultaneous detection of AIV and NDV by droplet digital PCR (dd-PCR)
Alia YACOUB (SWE)

P 22. Syndromic surveillance and pathogen detection using multiplex assays for respiratory infections in small ruminants
Giovanni CATTOLI (AUT)

P 23. Differentiation of sheep poxvirus vaccines from field isolates and other Capripoxvirus species
Giovanni CATTOLI (AUT)

P 24. Evaluation of Capripoxvirus surface proteins as antigens for the detection of antibodies using indirect ELISA
Giovanni CATTOLI (AUT)

P 25. Development of an alternative multiplexed bead-based avian influenza H5 pathotyping assay
Edwika GREGOROWICZ (BEL)

P 26. The influence of sample preparations on high-throughput sequencing detection of viruses in clinical samples
Lihong LIU (SWE)

P 27. Antipoxvirus compounds screening for veterinary medicine
Sokunthea TOP (FRA)

P 28. Circulation and impact of bovine herpesvirus 2 with diagnosis of BHV1 in France
Guy KOUOKAM FOTSOU (FRA)

P 29. Validation of real-time PCR kits for specific detection of classical and African swine fever virus
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P 30. Extented validation of ELISAs & qPCR for the diagnosis of African swine fever
Loic COMTET (FRA)

P 31. Poultry vaccines: innovative serological assays for diagnosis and vaccination monitoring for H9 and H5 avian influenza A
Marina GAIMARD (FRA)

P 32. Improved detection of antibodies to PRRSV-US strains with the ID Screen® PRRS indirect ELISA
Loic COMTET (FRA)

P 33. A new pen-side test for the rapid detection of PPR virus in field conditions
Loic COMTET (FRA)

P 34. Validation of 2 new qPCRs for the detection of Capripoxviruses and differentiating LSDV infected from vaccinated animals
Loic COMTET (FRA), Philippe POURQUIER (FRA)

P 35. Validation of a new RT-qPCR kit for PRRSV detection
Loic COMTET (FRA), Philippe POURQUIER (FRA)

P 36. Genotype detection of clinical isolates of (CAEV)/Maedi-Visna (MVV), using molecular beacons fluorescent probes
Stefano CAPPALI (ITA), Sandro ROLESCU (ITA)

P 37. Development of a new TaqMan based rRT-PCR for encephalomyocarditis virus (EMCV) detection
Efrem Alessandro FOGLIA (ITA)

P 38. Detection of Bombyx mori nucleopolyhedrovirus DNA by loop-mediated isothermal amplification (LAMP) assay
Rebeka Lucijana BERCIC (HUN)

P 39. Lumpy skin disease – a new challenge to Georgia
Marina DONDUASHVILI (GEO)

P 40. Ovine x mouse xenohybridomas for rabies virus antigens
Vladimir SOLOGUB (RUS)

P 41. Predictability of ionic liquid’s virucidal potential in biological test systems
Julia SOMMER (AUT)
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Marcel HULST (NLD)

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Dragan BRNIĆ (HRV)

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Norbert NOWOTNY (AUT)

P 59.  Serological evidence of Usutu virus infection in Moroccan horses
Soukayna AARAB (MAR)

P 60.  Diversity of paramyxovirus-related sequences identified in South African rodent populations
Bronwyn KLEINHANS (ZAF)

P 61.  Seroprevalence for West Nile virus (WNV) and Saint Louis virus (SLEV) in equids from the Northeast Brazil
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Pontus ÖHLUND (SWE)

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Seval BILGE DAGALP (TUR)

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Harun ALBAYRAK (TUR)

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Harun ALBAYRAK (TUR)

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Andrea KOTZÉ (ZAF)

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Hajar MOUDHICH (MAR)

P 72. **External quality assessment of Rift Valley fever virus diagnostic capacities in veterinary laboratories of the Mediterranean and Black Sea regions**  
Cristina CANO-GÓMEZ (ESP)

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Miguel Ángel JIMÉNEZ-CLAVERO (ESP)

P 74. **Detection of influenza D in respiratory disease samples from Northern Irish cattle**  
Catherine DUFFY (GBR)

P 75. **Detection of Peaton virus in Israel**  
Adi BEHAR (ISR)

P 76. **Flaviviruses in Serbia – current situation**  
Tamas PETROVIC (SCG)

P 77. **The airway epithelium maintains the barrier function after influenza virus infection despite the extensive loss of ciliated cells**  
Nai-Huei WU (DEU)

P 78. **The use of insect-specific viruses to understand the transmission of pathogenic arboviruses**  
Hanna LUNDÉN (SWE)

P 79. **Co-localization of Middle East respiratory syndrome coronavirus (MERS-CoV) and dipeptidyl peptidase-4 in the respiratory tract and lymphoid tissues of pigs and llamas**  
Te NIGEER (ESP)

P 80. **Molecular characterization of recent Spanish West Nile virus strains**  
Pilar AGUILERA-SEPÚLVEDA (ESP)
P 81. Validation of ready-to-use real-time PCR kits for specific and reliable detection of lumpy skin disease (LSD) and distinction with Neethling vaccine strain
Claire PELLETIER (FRA)

P 82. An interdisciplinary approach addressing ticks and tick-borne diseases of cattle in Uganda
Maja MALMBERG (SWE)

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08:30–10:00 Plenary session 4 – Keynote lectures 5 & 6
Venue: Lecture Hall “Hörsaal” B
Chair: María Luisa ARIAS NEIRA

08:30  African swine fever: The biggest threat of the European swine industry – what can we do?
José Manuel SÁNCHEZ-VIZCAÍNO (ESP)

09:15  Novel aspects in molecular biology of African swine fever virus
Thomas C. METTENLEITER (DEU)

10:30–12:00 Oral session 4

04.1 Viral infections of Swine 1
Venue: Lecture Hall “Hörsaal” B
Chair: José Manuel SÁNCHEZ-VIZCAÍNO

10:30  Attenuated and non-haem adsorbing African swine fever (ASF) genotype II European isolate induces subclinical to chronic infection
Carmina GALLARDO FRONTAURA (ESP)

10:45  Comparative analysis of the central variable region of ASF virus genome of Russian isolates between 2013 and 2017
Alexey IGOLKIN (RUS), Alexandra ELSUKOVA (RUS)

11:00  Detection of astroviruses and hepatitis E virus in wild boars
Stefan VILCEK (SVK)

11:15  Identification of a new reassortant swine MRV3 during a PED outbreak in Italy
Lara CAVICCHIO (ITA)

11:30  Sequencing of the tandem repeat sequences (TRS) within the intergenic region between the multigene family 505 9R–10R genes: additional tool for subtyping genotype II African swine fever (ASF) isolates.
Carmina GALLARDO FRONTAURA (ESP)

11:45  Successive (sub) clinical rotavirus infections in young suckling and nursery piglets on conventional and high health closed Belgian pig farms
Sebastiaan THEUNS (BEL)

04.2 Viral infections of Equines
Venue: Main Hall “Festsaal”
Chair: Stéphan ZIENTARA

10:30  The interplay between equine β-defensins and local viral pathogens in the horse’s respiratory tract
Jolien VAN CLEEMPUT (BEL)

10:45  Equine herpesvirus 1 bridges T-lymphocytes to reach its target organs
Katrien POELAERT (BEL)

11:00  Typical morphological and structural alterations in equine canker point to a viral infection – are papilloma viruses really the missing link?
Theresia LICKA (AUT)

11:15  The New Equine Virus (NEV): A lentivirus that has proteome identity with HIV-1
Alexandre VIEIRA-PIRES (PRT)

11:30  Serological evidence of horses’ infection with ZIKAV and DENV1 in French pacific islands
Cécile BECK (FRA)

11:45  Equine Coronavirus outbreaks in Austrian horse farms
Angelika AUER (AUT)
**Oral session 5**

**05.1  Viral infections of Swine 2**

**Venue:** Lecture Hall “Hörsaal” B

**Chair:** Hans NAUWYNCK

13:30 *Porcine blood T-lymphoblasts support the replication of porcine circovirus type 2*
   Ruifang WEI (BEL)

13:45 *Vaccination with a recombinant PCV2-ORF2 vaccine does not interfere with the efficacy of a modified live vaccine against PRRSV*
   Armin SAALMÜLLER (AUT)

14:00 *A recombinant strain from two genotype 1 PRRSV modified live vaccines shows increased replication and transmission in SPF pigs*
   Julie ECLERCY (FRA)

14:15 *PRRSV-infection induces T cells with an early effector phenotype in the foetal placenta*
   Wilhelm GERNER (AUT), Andrea LADINIG (AUT)

14:30 *Correlation of serological response after vaccination against FMDV and protection against challenge in pigs*
   Phaedra EBLE (NLD)

14:45 *The novel pestivirus species “LINDA virus”*
   Benjamin LAMP (AUT)

**05.2  Viral infections of Carnivores**

**Venue:** Main Hall “Festsaal”

**Chair:** Till RÜMENAPF

13:30 *Canine respiratory viruses in New Zealand*
   Magdalena DUNOWSKA (NZL)

13:45 *Mapping mutations related to cross species infection in canine distemper virus isolates from the Serengeti National Park*
   Sara Louise COSBY (GBR)

14:00 *Detection of a gE-deleted PRV strain in an Italian red fox*
   Ana Maria MORENO MARTIN (ITA)

14:15 *Inhibition of feline coronavirus replication by different antiviral molecules*
   Sophie LE PODER (FRA)

14:30 *Humoral immune responses to non-structural proteins of feline coronavirus*
   Magdalena DUNOWSKA (NZL)

14:45 *Clinical importance and molecular epidemiology of canine minute virus infections in dogs*
   Vladimir STEVANOVIC (HRV)

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**P3.1  Veterinary public health, epidemiology, risk assessment and modelling**

**Venue:** Building Lecture Hall “Hörsaal” A & B

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  Simon WELI (NOR)

- **P 84.** Empirical tool to estimate the costs to be incurred in case of ASF outbreaks eradication
  Marco SENSI (ITA)

- **P 85.** Establish well-differentiated airway epithelium models from harbor seals to study the course of infection by viral pathogens
  Dai-Lun SHIN (DEU)
P 86.  Prevalence determination by using a non-fully characterized diagnostic test
  Andreas FRÖHLICH (DEU)

P 87.  Survey of the Hungarian PRRSV diversity in 2016
  Zoltán ZÁDORI (HUN)

P 88.  The results of AMR study of Mycobacteria bovis strains isolated in the central part of Russia and Siberia region
  Elena LISKOVA (RUS)

P 89.  Enzootic bovine leukosis: Italy has been declared as officially free
  Francesco FELIZIANI (ITA)

P 90.  Hepatitis E in Vojvodina Province, Serbia – an epidemiological overview and associated risk factors for humans and animals
  Diana LUPULOVIC (SCG)

P 91.  West Nile virus in north-eastern Italy: overview of surveillance activities in 2017
  Giovanni CUNIAL (ITA)

P 92.  Spatiotemporal characteristics of LSD epidemics in Samara region in 2016–2017
  Elena KOROGODINA (RUS), Olga KUSTIKOVA (RUS)

P 93.  Prevalence of brucellosis in humans during the last decade in the Country of Georgia
  Mariam BRODALADE (GEO)

P 94.  Case report – human anthrax meningitis in the Black Sea Coast, Country of Georgia
  Viktoria TAVADZE (GEO)

P 95.  Feline retroviral infections (FeLV and FIV) and their effect on the bacterial blood pathogens detected in cats in the Czech Republic
  Dana LOBOVA (CZE)

P 96.  Laboratory identification and characterization of equine gamma herpesviruses in the Czech Republic
  Dobromila MOLINKOVA (CZE)

P 97.  Longitudinal study on epizootiology and genetic variability of equine arteritis virus in hucul horses
  Wojciech SOCHA (POL)

P 98.  Investigation on the occurrence of small ruminant lentiviruses among wild ruminants
  Jacek KUZMAK (POL)

P 99.  Asinine herpesvirus-3 (equine herpesvirus-8) associated neurological disease in a donkey
  Kees VAN MAANEN (NLD)

P 100. Development of an equine myeloid cell culture system for equine infectious anaemia virus (EIAV) isolation
  Bhudipa CHOUDHURY (GBR)

P 101. Molecular epidemiology of bovine viral diarrhea virus in Slovenia: Data collected over twenty years
  Ivan TOPLAK (SVN)

P 102.  Does vaccination of pregnant cows against bovine viral diarrhea viruses confer foetal protection against Hobi-like Pestivirus infection?
  Ilaria BELFANTI (ITA)

P 103.  Comparative analysis of bovine and caprine herpesvirus 1 infections in goats
  Guy KOUOKAM FOTSO (FRA)

P 104.  Genotyping and phylogenetic analysis of bovine viral diarrhea virus in metropolitan France
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P 105.  Digging out a 25-years old Astrovirus encephalitis case in a sheep by archive mining
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Francesco FELIZIANI (ITA)

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Jan Hendrik FORTH (DEU)

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Thomas Bruun RASMUSSEN (DNK)

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Chair: Giovanni CATTOLI

16:15 Bluetongue virus serotype 8: infection kinetics of two European strains in sheep
John FLANNERY (GBR)

16:30 Vector competence: The role of viral proteins in transmission of bluetongue virus by midges
Piet A. VAN RIJN (NLD)

16:45 Widespread circulation of influenza D virus in Luxembourg
Chantal SNOECK (LUX)

17:00 Efficacy of a MAY 97 foot-and-mouth disease virus vaccine against heterologous challenge with a field virus from the emerging A/ASIA/G-VII lineage in cattle
Phaedra EBLE (NLD)

17:15 Molecular-genetic and biological characterization of lumpy skin disease virus isolated in Saratov region of Russia in 2017
Andrey KOLTSOV (RUS)

17:30 Pathological and molecular characterization of an unusual outbreak of Peste des Petits Ruminants (PPR) in Nubian ibex (Capra nubiana) in Israel
Oran ERSTER (ISR)
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Venue: Main Hall “Festsaal”
Chair: Michael HESS

16:15 Primary chicken bursal cells: an in vitro alternative to in vivo infection that sheds new light on infectious bursal disease research
Sébastien Mathieu SOUBIES (FRA)

16:30 Metagenomic identification of the virome associated with runting stunting syndrome in broiler chickens
Victoria SMYTH (GBR)

16:45 Intergenomic comparison of an in vitro-attenuated FAdV-4 strain and its virulent counterpart provides substantial evidence for virulence modulation in fowl aviadenoviruses via adaptation of right-terminal genome contents
Anna SCHACHNER (AUT)

17:00 Detection of a novel recombinant (QX-793/B) variant of infectious bronchitis virus, related to the Xindadi (XDN) type, following vaccination with a 793/B vaccine and field infection with IBV QX
Ivana BILIC (AUT)

17:15 The microbiota modulates viral replication in ducks infected with a H5N9 highly pathogenic avian influenza virus
Pierre BESSIERE (FRA)

17:30 Pathology and tropism of clade 2.3.4.4. H5 HPAI infection in ducks, France, 2016–2017: field and experimental data
Jean-Luc GUERIN (FRA)
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**O7.1  Viral infections of Ruminants 2**

Venue: Lecture Hall “Hörsaal” B  
Chair: Tamaš PETROVIČ

09:00 Small ruminant morbillivirus V and C proteins inhibit the activity of the interferon-stimulated response element  
Emelie TORSSON (SWE)

09:15 Identification of Peste des Petits Ruminants, Georgia  
William G. DUNDON (AUT)

09:30 Imaging of BVDV host cell entry  
Christiane RIEDEL (AUT)

09:45 A novel ovine picornavirus in lambs with polioencephalomyelitis  
Leonie FORTH (DEU)

10:00 Antigenic relationships between the bluetongue virus outer coat protein VP2 from multiple serotypes, expressed in *Nicotiana benthamiana*  
Petra FAY (GBR)

10:15 Bovine hepacivirus field infections: immune response, course of infection, and host tropism  
Christine BÄCHLEIN (DEU)

**07.2  Viral infections of Rodents and Lagomorphs; Viral infections of Fish and Bees**

Venue: Main Hall “Festsaal”  
Chair: Benjamin LAMP

09:00 Characterization and genetic diversity of lagoviruses collected in apparently healthy European hares (*Lepus europaeus*) and genetically distinct from European brown hare syndrome viruses (EBHSV)  
Clément DROILLARD (FRA)

09:15 In vivo infection dynamics of deformed wing virus (DWV) in honeybees  
Kerstin SEITZ (AUT)

09:30 First discovery of the Moku virus in Asian hornets and honeybees in Europe  
Claude SAEGERMAN (BEL)

09:45 First detection of Lake Sinai virus in honeybees and bumblebees in Slovenia  
Ivan TOPLAK (SVN)

10:00 The study of rotavirus phylogenetic diversity, re-assortment and Interspecies transmission and associated virome in Northern Irish livestock and wildlife  
Paula LAGAN TREGASKIS (GBR)

10:15 Exposing the secrets of the shrimp nephrocomplex (formerly known as “antennal gland”); a major portal of entry for White Spot Syndrome virus  
Hans NAUWYNCK (BEL)

**10:30–12:00 Closing ceremony**

Venue: Lecture Hall “Hörsaal” B  
Chairs: Emmanuel ALBINA, Wim VAN DER POEL, Norbert NOWOTNY, Till RÜMENAPF

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