



SBCV 2022 SPRING SUNDAY CE SESSIONS

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Now on sale, we offer four Sundays, each featuring a different veterinary topic: urinary tract infections, diarrhea, cat behaviour, and dog behaviour. Each Sunday's four-hour veterinary sessions are preceded by one of two EDI equity, diversity, and inclusion topics: fundamentals of diversity and unconscious bias, and 2SLGBTQ+ awareness and inclusive language. Both EDI sessions provide participants with an excellent foundation of understanding how to make workplaces more equitable, diverse, and inclusive. Each Sunday provides up to six CE credits.

Details and tickets are available at <https://tinyurl.com/2p8sa8ku>



Cost is \$400 for each Sunday; *SBCV Members enjoy a 50% discount and only pay \$200 for each Sunday.* An additional benefit of membership permits SBCV members to purchase tickets for their non-veterinarian staff (RVTs, vet techs, and other staff). This *exclusive staff ticket is only \$100 per Sunday.*

Not a SBCV member yet?

Buy your membership now and get your discount instantly, including the exclusive non-veterinarian staff ticket. Call the office now to join (604.406.3713) and enjoy these discounts and all the benefits of membership.

SUNDAY March 13, 2022

7:00 am
Online Registration Opens
8:00 am to 10:00 am
The Fundamentals of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

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10:00 am to 10:30 am
Break
10:30 am to 12:30 pm
Urinary Tract Infections (from both a microbiology and the use of antibiotics perspective and an internal medicine perspective) Session One

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12:30 pm to 1:30 pm
Lunch Break
1:30 pm to 3:30 pm
Urinary Tract Infections Session Two

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SUNDAY April 3, 2022

7:00 am
Online Registration Opens
8:00 am to 10:00 am
2SLGBTQ+ Awareness and Inclusive Language

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10:00 am to 10:30 am
Break
10:30 am to 12:30 pm
Diarrhea (from both a microbiology and the use of antibiotics perspective and an internal medicine perspective) Session One

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12:30 pm to 1:30 pm
Lunch Break
1:30 pm to 3:30 pm
Diarrhea Session Two

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SUNDAY April 10, 2022

7:00 am
Online Registration Opens
8:00 am to 10:00 am
The Fundamentals of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

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10:00 am to 10:30 am
Break
10:30 am to 12:30 pm
Cat Behaviour Session One

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12:30 pm to 1:30 pm
Lunch Break
1:30 pm to 3:30 pm
Cat Behaviour Session Two

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SUNDAY April 24, 2022

7:00 am
Online Registration Opens
8:00 am to 10:00 am
2SLGBTQ+ Awareness and Inclusive Language

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10:00 am to 10:30 am
Break
10:30 am to 12:30 pm
Dog Behaviour Session One

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12:30 pm to 1:30 pm
Lunch Break
1:30 pm to 3:30 pm
Dog Behaviour Session Two

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(*exception: there is a discount for those practicing large animal medicine exclusively. Please call the office at 604.406.3713).

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The Fundamentals of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion with Kathy Milla

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An equitable, diverse, and inclusive culture is a fundamental principle for many organizations today. This session is designed to create a deeper understanding of the meaning, integrity, and value of diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) in the workplace. This session will explore unconscious bias and microaggressions, and how they are significant barriers to inclusion. By the end of the session, participants will gain insight to value-based and pragmatic approaches that promote meaningful DEI. *This session is interactive and involves role playing by volunteers as well as live Q and A.*

2SLGBTQ+ Awareness and Inclusive Language with Dr. Reece Malone DHS, MPH, CSES, CST

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An ongoing commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion includes acknowledging and supporting all individuals regardless of their family dynamics, gender identity, and gender expression. Gender-inclusive terminology plays a key role in shaping cultural climates and social attitudes while promoting equity, inclusion, and belonging. As iterations of how we use language (oral or written, formal, and informal) continue to expand, this session reviews 2SLGBTQ+ terminology, identifies unconscious gender bias within our interpersonal communications, and shares inclusive language. *This session is interactive and involves role playing by volunteers as well as live Q and A.*

Urinary Tract Infections (from a microbiology and the use of antibiotics perspective and an internal medicine perspective) with Dr. Casey Gaunt, DVM, MVetSc, DACVIM (SAIM) and Dr. Joe Rubin, PhD, DVM

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This session will look at complicated urinary tract infections and all the associated medicine, microbiology, and pharmacology associated with it. This session will go through the pathogenesis of the predisposing diseases (such as endocrine disease), the approach to their diagnosis and management, and how to interpret culture reports from these patients and, if appropriate, treat the infections. The session will then discuss how each disease predisposes to infection and how those conditions affect antimicrobial treatment choice and the dosing regimen. This session would be a mix of medicine and a microbiological approach to antimicrobial selection and a chance for the audience to see how different specialists approach a problem.

Diarrhea (from a microbiology and the use of antibiotics perspective and an internal medicine perspective) with Dr. Casey Gaunt, DVM, MVetSc, DACVIM (SAIM) and Dr. Joe Rubin, PhD, DVM

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This session is an introduction to the identification, diagnosis, and localization of diarrhea—starting with some foundational principles and providing the audience with the background to make an informed decision of which diagnostic tests are going to be most informative. The session will discuss diagnostic tests related to diarrhea and their interpretation; "GI panels", culture, and PCR will be covered. The clinical significance of the organisms included in these tests will be discussed including their presence in healthy animals. You will learn how to interpret the identification of Clostridium and how disease associated with this is managed. The session will discuss antimicrobial-responsive diarrhea and acute haemorrhagic diarrhea syndrome. The session will touch on raw food diets, potential pathogens associated with them, and their implications for both pet and public health.

Cat Behaviour with Dr. Leanne Lilly, DVM, DACVB

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Feline psychopharmacology: Meds for Now and Later. This session will examine the use of and publications regarding rapid and long-lasting behaviour medications, their side effects, mechanism of action, doses, route selection, and considerations for combinations in feline patients, including injectable sedation. This lecture features a mix of publication, information, and case-interactive presentation.

Ins and outs of feline elimination: Updates on the approach to elimination outside of the box including nuances of history taking, differential diagnoses, and management of this commonly frustrating feline presentation. The practitioner will be able to differentiate between toileting and marking, and address each with environmental, behavioural, and medical management using evidence-based methods.

Feline body language and evidence-based training: Our feline patients are always learning—so what are they learning from us during their veterinary exams? Do they know that we need to be able to read their body language? This presentation covers feline body language specifically in the context of veterinary handling, and how to leverage that information and learning theory to provide the most complete, efficient, and low-stress (and thus accurate) examination today and long term.

Dog Behaviour with Dr. Valli Parthasarathy, PhD, DVM, DACVB

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Puppy Visits: Early Detection and Problem Prevention. Puppy visits are a great time to bond with patients and clients (and get a dose of puppy breath). They also provide good opportunities to identify and prevent behaviour problems. Having a clear understanding of puppy behavioural development will help you be able to better identify what behaviours are normal puppy behaviours versus behaviours that need further intervention. Early intervention of problem behaviours will help prevent relinquishment and support the human-animal bond in the families you care for.

Separation Anxiety: How to Help Dogs Stay Home Alone. Separation anxiety is a common and underdiagnosed behavioural problem in dogs. During the past two years, many dogs have not experienced being left home alone. As employees start moving back to outside-the-home work situations, these dogs can have difficulty coping. Learn tips that you can share with clients about how to prevent separation anxiety, as well as how to diagnose and treat this behavioural condition.

Cognitive Dysfunction: Helping Dogs in their Golden Years. As our pets live longer, we see more complex disease processes. This is true of the brain as well as other parts of the body. Being able to recognize and treat cognitive dysfunction in your patients will help them enjoy their families through their golden years.

Canine Aggression: Diagnosis and Treatment. Canine aggression is the leading complaint in patients presented to veterinary behaviour clinics. These cases are important because not only can aggressive behaviour cause stress or injury to family members, it can affect those outside the home as well. This presentation will cover the diagnostic criteria for different forms of canine aggression and how you can start confidently assessing and treating dogs for aggressive behaviour.

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SPEAKER BIOGRAPHIES



Dr. Casey Gaunt, DVM, MVetSc, DACVIM (SAIM)

Dr. Casey Gaunt graduated from veterinary school in 2006 from Virginia Tech. He completed a rotating internship at WCVI in Saskatoon in 2007 and then completed a residency in Small Animal Internal Medicine at WCVI in 2010.

Dr. Gaunt spent a year at a private referral hospital in Florida and then returned to WCVI to be on faculty from 2011 until 2016. Since 2016 he has been doing locum work at universities and private practices across Canada, the US, and Australia. Though he enjoys all aspects of Internal Medicine, he particularly likes respiratory, GI, and endocrine cases. When he has a moment to relax, he enjoys travel, skiing, music, and theatre.



Dr. Leanne Lilly, DVM, DACVB

Dr. Leanne Lilly is an Assistant Professor overseeing the Behavioural Medicine Service at The Ohio State University's Veterinary Medical Center. She received her DVM from the University of Wisconsin-Madison in 2011 and spent four years in general practice. She completed a specialty internship in Behaviour Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania. She followed that with a Behavioural Medicine Residency at The Ohio State University, where she then joined the faculty, teaching residents and veterinary students. She serves on the Ohio Veterinary Medical Association's Behaviour Education Committee and the ACVB's exam committee, and acts as a Low Stress reviewer for

VIN through Cattle Dog Publishing and a consultant for Dutch Pet Inc's behavioural telemedicine service. She has appeared in a webisode of Animal Planet's Life at Vet U, and more than 75 print, TV, and web interviews. She is Fear Free Elite and Shelter Certified, and Low Stress Handling Silver certified. When not working, she enjoys kitten cuddles and landscaping.



Dr. Reece Malone, DHS, MPH, CSES, CST

Based out of Winnipeg, Dr. Reece Malone is the CEO and founder of Diversity Essentials. For 20 years, he has been a national and international trainer and policy consultant specializing in the areas of diversity, equity, and inclusion.

He is the author of the Canadian Human Rights National Roundtable on Gender Identity and Gender Expression that served as a foundation to the inclusion of Gender Identity to the Canadian Human Rights Act and the expansion of the Canadian Criminal Code. He also holds a private practice as a clinical and cultural sexologist on human sexuality and cultural diversity. Dr. Malone believes in the strengths of individuals, and strongly holds that diversity is a fact, equity is a choice, inclusion is an indicator, and belonging is an outcome.



Ms. Kathy Milla

Kathy Milla is a dynamic and skilled senior chartered professional in human resources management with more 15 years of progressive experience in various sectors including manufacturing, telecommunications, and social services. Kathy has extensive experience as a crisis and suicide intervention counsellor and has spent the last five years working in addiction treatment and recovery services. As a Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion specialist, and with lived experience as a newcomer to Canada, she centres understanding unconscious bias, intersectionality, race and racism in Canada, cultural competence, understanding privilege, and allyship.



Dr. Valli Parthasarathy, PhD, DVM, DACVB

Dr. Valli has a passion for learning about best practices for applying behavioural therapy for different species including dogs, cats, horses, parrots, and exotics. She is skilled at distinguishing normal versus abnormal behaviour in pets and wildlife. She graduated from the University of Georgia College of Veterinary Medicine in 2006. She left general practice in 2009, then cofounded Synergy Behavior Solutions. She opened Portland's first veterinary-behaviour-dedicated facility in 2013. She completed her behaviour residency in 2020. She consults with pet owners and is sought after to consult on behaviour cases directly with veterinarians. She speaks frequently on decreasing patient fear in the clinic, psychopharmacology, and behaviour problems. Dr. Valli is Fear Free Certified (Level 3).



Dr. Joe Rubin, PhD, DVM

Dr. Joe Rubin is a veterinarian and microbiologist proud to lead a great research group dedicated to exploring the world of antimicrobial resistance. He completed his DVM at the University of Saskatchewan and graduated as part of WCVI class of 2007. Following veterinary school, Dr. Rubin did a Ph.D. in the Department of Veterinary Microbiology working on methicillin-resistant staphylococci in dogs and people. He began his faculty appointment as an Assistant Professor in the Department of Veterinary Microbiology in 2012. Since July 2018, he has been an

Associate Professor and Chair of the Department Graduate program.