

Interdisciplinary *Leptospira* Symposium

Friday July 8th, 2016

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- 13:30** **Welcome.** Sabrina Rodriguez Campos, Simone Schuller
- 13:35 – 14:20** **Leptospire: Back to Basics – Culture and Models.** Jarlath Nally, National Animal Disease Center-USDA-ARS, Ames (IA), USA
- 14:20 – 14:35** **Epidemiology of Leptospirosis in Switzerland: first insights into the wildlife side.** Nelson Marreros Canales, Centre for Fish and Wildlife Health, Vetsuisse Faculty Bern, CH
- 14:35 – 14:50** **Leptospirosis in Abortion in Ruminants – a myth?** Sara Vidal, Institute of Veterinary Bacteriology, Vetsuisse Faculty Bern, CH
- 14.50-15.05** **Inflammation and Coagulation in Canine Leptospirosis.** Thierry Francey, Small Animal Internal Medicine, Vetsuisse Faculty Bern, CH
- 15:05 – 15:20** **Leptospirosis in Horses in Switzerland.** Stefanie Gobeli Brawand, Institute of Veterinary Bacteriology, Vetsuisse Faculty Bern, CH
- 15:20 – 15:50** **Coffee break**
- 15:50 – 16:20** **Diagnostic Tests for Human Leptospirosis.** Marga Goris, Royal Tropical Institute Amsterdam, NL
- 16:20 – 16:35** **Leptospirosis in Humans in Switzerland: Emerging Disease or Emerging Awareness?** Gwendoline Fiechter, Spital Linth, Uznach, CH
- 16:35 – 16:50** **Endothelial cell responses to pathogenic *Leptospira* spp.** Sophie Lettry, Small Animal Clinic and Institute of Animal Pathology, Vetsuisse Faculty Bern, CH
- 16:50 – 17:05** ***Leptospira* Seroprevalence in Health Centre Patients in Hoima District, Uganda.** Anou Dreyfus, Epidemiology Section, Vetsuisse Faculty Zurich, CH
- 17:05 – 17:20** **Discussion and closing remarks followed by a reception.**

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