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Bassel's Breathtaking Bronchiolar Brief Blows Minds

Participant's Review of Patterns of Lung Injury

By Laura Setyo BVSc (Hons), MRCVS, MANZCVS (Veterinary Pathology), Diplomate ACVP



Dr. Laura Bassel

What a privilege to be reviewing Dr. Laura Bassel's (National Cancer Institute) webinar on Patterns of Lung Injury on 31st July! Laura is a fellow volunteer on the Davis-Thompson Foundation's Virtual Seminar Committee. By night, she is helping organise webinars for your viewing pleasure and by day, she is friendly neighbourhood pulmonary disease guru. Audience members knew we were in for a treat.

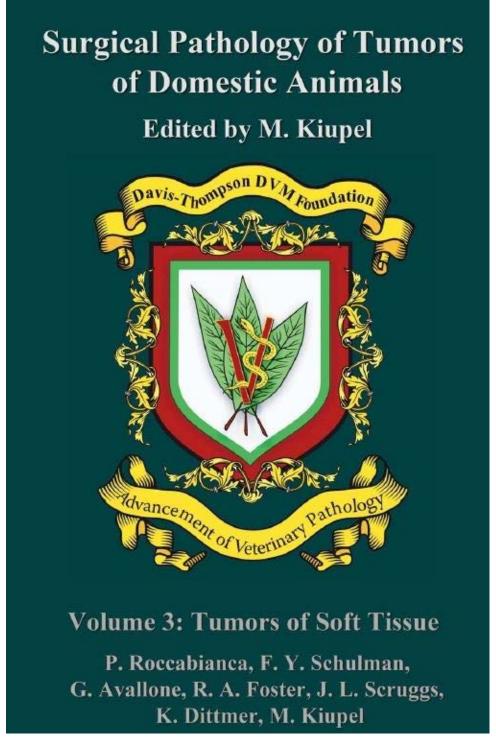
Though some refer to identifying gross pulmonary changes as the Dark Arts (who knew there could be so many shades of red and pink?!), Laura's approach to lung disease is thorough and easy-to-follow. She covers a variety of lung diseases, including pneumonia, pulmonary hypoplasia and interstitial fibrosis during her talk. Her foray into lung injury is accompanied by a vast array of gross and histopathologic images to boot. As a slight aside – did you know we can access scanned slides of COVID-19-affected lung through the NIH? Thanks Laura for this fun fact; it's very relevant in the current climate.

Finishing with an outstanding and engaging Q&A, audience members left this webinar refreshed on our knowledge of lung disease. Thanks Laura for an inspiring talk!

For anyone that hasn't checked it out, you can review the scanned slides provided by the NIH in the COVID Digital Pathology Repository here: https://covid19pathology.nih.gov/.



All seminars are at 9-10:30 am (PST), 10-11:30 am (MST), 11 am-12:30 pm (CST), 12-1:30 pm (EST)



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Summary of Diseases of Aquatic and Zoo Animals

By Brigid V. Troan, DVM, DACVP

On June 9, 2020, the Foundation held a full day focused on the physiology and pathology of aquatic and zoo animals attended by over 200 people. Dr. Elise LaDouceur of the Joint Pathology Center and Northwest ZooPath started the seminar off with invertebrate species. She covered not just pathology of each major invertebrate taxa, but included primers in immunology, anatomy, and physiology of this large, complex and fascinating group of animals ranging from spiders to jellyfish. Her pop questions scattered throughout the talk helped engage viewers and fun facts about each animal group gave context for the subsequent diseases (did you know that the esophagus of spiders and octopuses goes through their brain?!). Dr. Savatore Frasca of the University of Florida followed with a thorough overview of fish diseases divided by pathogen group, going through protists, algal, metazoans, bacteria and viruses. Many of the pathogens have great common names such as the classic hamburger gill disease (proliferative gill disease of catfish) as well as less well known diseases such as Oodiniosis (marine velvet disease). Dr. Mike Garner from Northwest ZooPath also divided his discussion of diseases in aquatic birds into disease categories including infections (bacterial, viral, fungal, and protozoa), toxicosis, deposition / storage disorders, and neoplasia. Many of these diseases while common in aquatic birds are also frequently seen in other avian species, and participants benefitted from Dr. Garner's wealth of personal experience. Bringing the day to a close was the inestimable Dr. Judy St. Leger, now at Cornell University, who gave an overview of disease of marine mammals. She helpfully pointed out which diseases could be distinguished on gross and histopathology and which need further testing modalities to make a definitive diagnosis. Her lively personality, and inclusion of audience questions during the talk kept the seminar going strong to the end! Overall, the seminar was success being informative and covering a wide range of animals and diseases.



The seminar was moderated by Dr. Troan, whose cat Aja joined and expressed an interest in marine mammals.





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Brazilian virtual seminars



Pathology practice in captive wild animals (Anatomia patológica na prática médica em animais selvagens em cativeiro)* Dr.Renato Santos (UFMG) September 9, 6pm-<u>8pm</u>**

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Selected cases of infectious diseases in Neotropical animals (Casos selecionados de doenças infecciosas na fauna Neotropical)

Dr.José Luiz Catão Dias (USP) <u>Septe</u>mber 9, 8pm-10pm

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Forensic veterinary anatomic pathology (Anatomia patológica forense em animais) Dr.Paulo Maiorka (USP) October 16, 6pm-10pm

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_ZhAaVW6sTlaFHIFgNmyC3w



Architectural pattens and cytology (Padrões arquiteturais e a citopatologia) Dr.Breno Salgado (UFES) November 27,6pm-7:30pm

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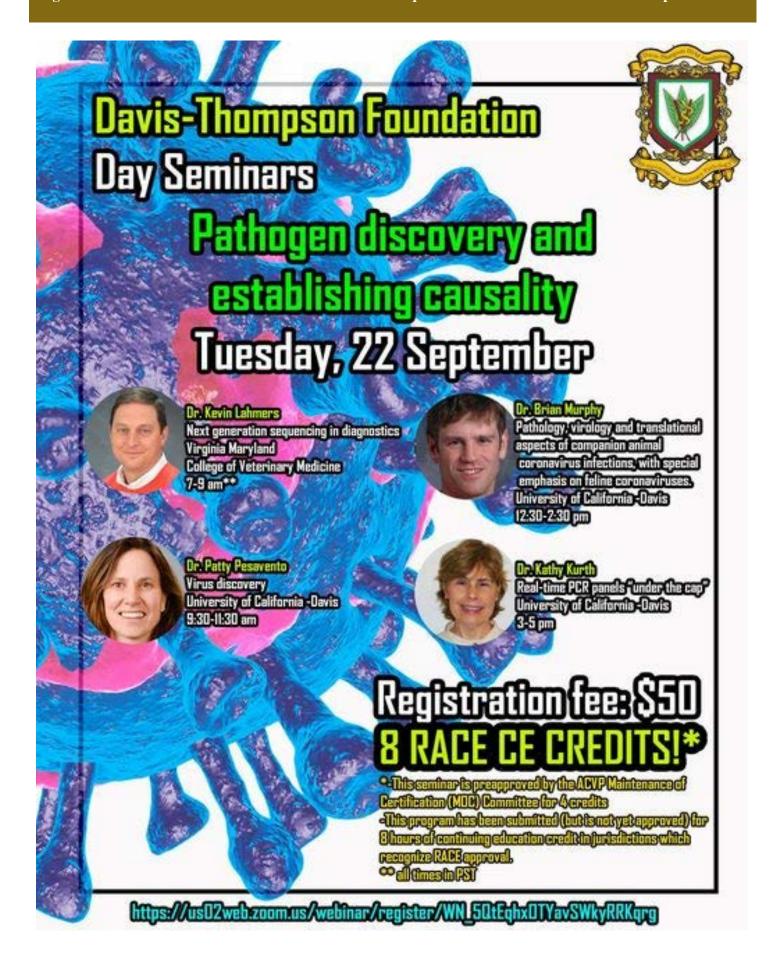


Cytohistologic correlation: selected cases in dogs and cats
(Correlação citohistológica: casos selecionados em caes e patos)

Dr.Fabrizio Grandi Vet School SP November 27,7:30pm-10pm

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- * All seminars are free and offered via the Davis Thompson Foundation Zoom account
- **All times in Brasília time
- Seminar are given in Portuguese





Diagnostic Exercise From The Davis-Thompson Foundation



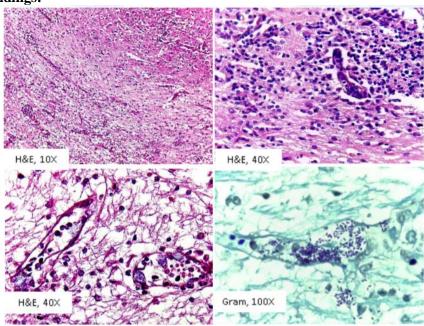
Case #147 Month: August Year: 2020

Contributors: Gabriela C. Postma, DVM, PhD; Leonardo Minatel, DVM, PhD. Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Clinical History: A one-month-old female puppy was submitted for necropsy to the Pathology Veterinary Service of Buenos Aires University, Argentina. The clinical history was provided by the referring veterinarian. A pregnant stray bitch, with her litter of six puppies, was adopted from the street. One puppy died at the age of one month, presumably due to cranial trauma; it was not examined. Three other puppies became ill, showing neurologic signs. Clinical signs included reduced appetite, depression, constant crying, weight loss, weakness, convulsions and recumbency. Two of the sick puppies died spontaneously, one of which was submitted for necropsy.

Necropsy Findings: Grossly, the carcass was icteric with an orange liver and moderate splenomegaly. No other gross lesions were observed.

Microscopic Findings:



Follow Up Questions: Histological description; Morphologic diagnosis; Etiology.

Answers and more info <u>here</u>!*The Diagnostic Exercises are an initiative of the **Latin Comparative Pathology Group** (**LCPG**), the Latin American subdivision of The Davis-Thompson Foundation. These exercises are contributed by members and non-members from any country of residence. Consider submitting an exercise!

Diagnostic Exercises of the Latin Comparative Pathology Group/Davis-Thompson Foundation now accepted by ACVP as credits for Maintenance of Certification

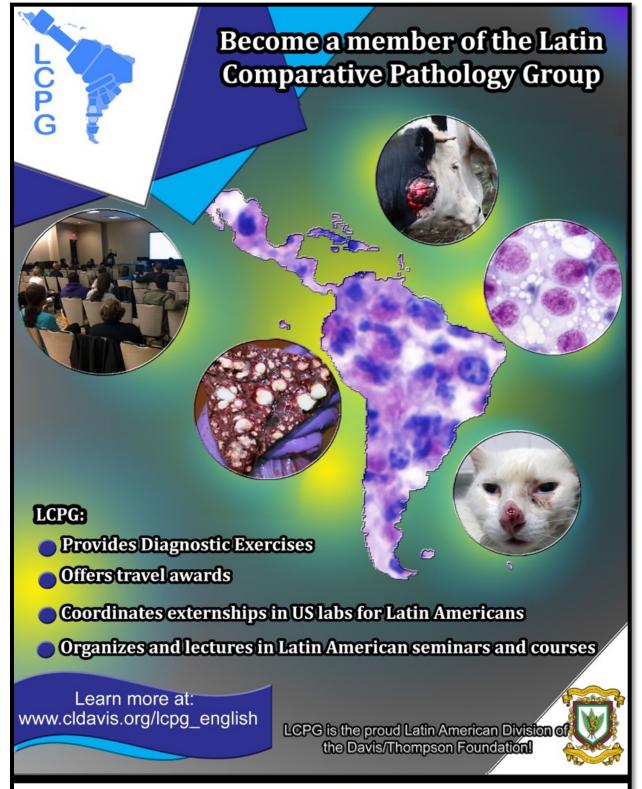
Great news! The Latin Comparative Pathology Group (LCPG)/Davis-Thompson Foundation (DTF)'s Diagnostic Exercises (http://www.cldavis.org/diag_exercise.html) have been added to the list of activities that provide recently board-certified ACVP diplomates credit toward their maintenance of certification.

The Diagnostic exercises will now fall under the 'Published peer-reviewed case report' category and will provide 6 credits for first author and 3 credits for each co-author.

This is a recognition to the great job done by the LCPG and the DTF and all the contributors, who for the past 10+ years have been publishing diagnostic exercises.

Please consider submitting your diagnostic exercise to diagnostic_exercise_submission@list.cldavis.org

Best regards Claudio Barros Editor in Chief LCPG/DTF Diagnostic Exercises



Contact Francisco.carvallo@gmail.com to join LCPG!

Membership fees:

- \$50 Professionals in US, Canada and Europe
- \$30 Professionals in Latin America
- \$25 Students in US, Canada and Europe
- \$15 Students in Latin America



Dr. Francisco Carvallo

Review of the free Friday
webinar of July "Understanding
Interstitial Pneumonia in
Veterinary Pathology" by Dr.
Francisco Carvallo, MV, DSc,
DACVP, Associate Professor,
Anatomic Pathology at VirginiaMaryland College of Veterinary
Medicine (July 3rd)

By Rafaela De Negri, DVM, MSc, Veterinary Pathologist/Assistant Professor, Murray State University, Breathitt Veterinary Center

With the sponsorship of the Latin Comparative Pathology Group, Dr. Francisco Carvallo's lecture was indeed very Latin: expressive and even dramatic at times. But isn't interstitial pneumonia a dramatic topic in 2020?

He started his lecture by giving us an idea of his connection to the topic, stating the following regarding interstitial pneumonia (IP) "this lesion is beautiful", "wow, what is the cause of this?", and "this is the beauty of the difficulty of IP."

Given the broad spectrum of etiologies of IP and the frustrations one may experience while trying to refine the diagnosis, he proceeded to teach us what he called tools for "handling disappointments" (watch out Brené Brown!).

He lead the audience through a detailed review of the alveolar structure, the characteristic changes of each phase of diffuse alveolar damage with a quick recipe for mixing up a hyaline membrane, the pathogenesis of injury and repair, and a slew of beautifully altered lungs, including one damaged by SARS-CoV-2. Dr. Carvallo achieves all that and goes a step further concluding his presentation with a summary of these marvelous tools.

If you missed Dr. Carvallo's live lecture, I recommend you check out all the action on the Foundation's YouTube channel.





In conjunction with the 63rd Annual AAVLD annual meeting

For more information and registration:

https://davisthompsonfoundation.regfox.com/2020aavld



Retiring?

Have slides left over from your recent slide seminar? Just looking to free up some storage space? **The Foundation is looking for additional glass slides, kodachromes and other similar materials** for its Correspondence Division and Study Centers. All materials should be well-identified with as much accompany history and discussion as possible, as these materials are expressly used for teaching. Moreover, as the Foundation is a publicly donative charity, all donated materials are tax-deductible. For more information, please contact Dr. Bruce Williams at bruce.h.williams.dvm@gmail.com.

Davis-Thompson Foundation Pathology Externship

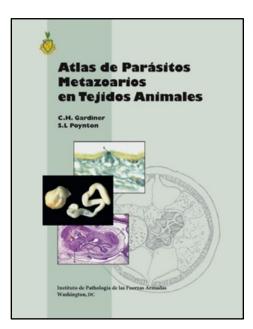
Since 1980, the Davis-Thompson Foundation lab sites have hosted more than 125 veterinary students at 8 participating diagnostic laboratories. These students usually have a strong interest in pathology itself or zoo or poultry medicine that require a strong pathology background. The Foundation is always interested in having veterinary students apply for an externship and we would like to add more externship sites that do not usually have veterinary students, to help increase their interest and knowledge of pathology with some off-campus experience. For more information, contact Dr. Jim Britt, jobritt@sbcglobal.net; 501-912-1449.

Did you know?

The "An Atlas of Metazoan Parasites in Animal Tissues" by Gardiner and Poynton is available on line? ...and in Spanish!!!

Check it out here:

http://cldavis.org/PDFs/atlas_esp.pdf



News from the STP

Courtesy of the Student Interactions Subcommittee of the CDOC

Upcoming Modular and CE Courses:

- o Sept 11: STP Virtual CE Course: Antibody Drug Conjugates as Cancer Therapies
- o Oct 2 : STP Virtual CE Course: The Safeguarding of Your Vital Organ Systems Depends on Safety Pharmacology
- o Oct 12: STP Modular Education Course: Toxicologic Pathology of the Endocrine System

2021 Award Applications Due Soon!

- Nov 1: Daniel Morton and Laura Dill Morton Scholarship: https://toxpath.org/student_awardinfo.asp#morton
- Nov 1: IATP/STP Charles Capen Trainee Award: https://toxpath.org/student_awardinfo.asp#iatp-capen

STIP Program Accepting Requests for 2020-2021 School Year

 Request a pathologist or toxicologist to speak virtually at your school here: https://www.toxpath.org/stip.asp

Upcoming: Free Student/Trainee Mixer

o Contact STP for more info: stp@toxpath.org

Want even more information? Be sure check out the Student/Resident Corner ("The SRC"): https://toxpathnet.toxpath.org/home

CALENDAR FOR UPCOMING EVENTS 2020

North America				
Country	Course	Date	Venue	Contact
USA	30 Annual Southcentral Division Meeting	October 2-3	VIRTUAL	Jim Britt, Ed Dick
			Details TBD	jobritt@sbcglobal.net
	20 th Annual Diagnostic Pathology Seminar-AAVLD	October 16	VIRTUAL	Matti Kiupel
			Details TBD	kiupel@msu.edu
	ACVP Pre-Conference workshop	October 27	VIRTUAL	Jennifer Chapman
				chapmanjl@verizon.net
	Free Friday Seminars	Weekly: through December	VIRTUAL	Bruce Williams
				bruce.h.williams.dvm@gmail.com
				Paco Uzal
				fauzal@ucdavis.edu
	Tuesday Day Seminars	Every second or	VIRTUAL	Bruce Williams
		fourth week:		bruce.h.williams.dvm@gmail.com
		through		Paco Uzal
		December		fauzal@ucdavis.edu
Oceania				
Country	Course	Date	Venue	Contact
	Saturday seminars	Monthly: August	VIRTUAL	Tony Ross
Australia		through		tony.rossvetpath@hotmail.com
		November		Hanna Bender
				hanbender@gmail.com
Latin America				
Country	Course	Date	Venue	Contact
Argontino	14 th Argentinean Seminar	September 2	VIRTUAL	Alejandra Quiroga
Argentina				maquiroga.unlp@gmail.com
Mexico	2 st Mexican Seminar	September 30- October 1	VIRTUAL	Laura Romero Romero
				lromeror@unam.mx
Brazil	Brazilian virtual seminars	August through November	VIRTUAL	Breno Salgado
				<pre><bre>oreno.salgado@ufes.br></bre></pre>
Limioner	6 th Uruguayan Seminar	August 31st	VIRTUAL	Jose Verdes
Uruguay				jmverdes@fvet.edu.uy