

## Highlights from the RVC Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2014

To be held at the RVC's Hawkshead Campus, Hawkshead Lane, North Mymms, Herts AL9 7TA

Course fee: £149

### Programme (timings subject to change)

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08:30 - 09:00	Registration and refreshments
09:00 - 09:50	Keep it simple – what can we learn from history and physical examination in dogs with mitral valve disease? (Adrian Boswood)
09:50 - 10:40	In house blood cross matching – does the kit really work? (Dan Chan)
10:40 - 11:10	<i>Tea/Coffee break</i>
11:10 - 12:00	Updates on MRSP - risk factors and management (Anette Loeffler)
12:00 - 12:50	Heart murmurs in cats - do they mean anything? (Virginia Luis Fuentes)
12:50 - 13:50	<i>Lunch</i>
13:50 - 14:40	21st century diabetes mellitus management: centering care around Quality of Life (Stijn Niessen)
14:40 - 15:30	How to optimise renal function when treating hyperthyroidism (Hattie Syme)
15:30 - 16:10	<i>Tea/Coffee break</i>
16:10 - 17:00	Feeding joint health: An evidence based approach for “joint” supplements (Matthew Pead)

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