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Theme		ANCLIVEPA Neurology	Dermatology	FIAVAC Feline Medicine	Internal Medicine	Analgesia/Anesthesia	Neurology	One Health	Dentistry	Professional well-being	Purina Stream-Food for thought
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10.00 - 10.45	Cat friendly interactions and the importance of the cat's perspective	Discinesia paroxística- uma doença emergente que você precisa conhecer!	Is this really a pyoderma? Avoiding inappropriate use of antimicrobials in canine skin infections	Actualización práctica sobre el diagnóstico y tratamiento de las infecciones virales en gatos Practical update on the diagnosis and treatment of retrovirus infections	Coagulation conundrums 1 – case-based approach to diagnosis and treatment of bleeding disorders	An update on pain assessment in cats & dogs	Cómo manejar eficazmente las enfermedades inflamatorias del cerebro Effective management of inflammatory brain diseases	What you can catch at work; MD and DVM perspectives on SA zoonoses.	Examination and recording in small animal dental care	Cultivating Safe Teams Project	Optimizing Feline Health: Dietary Approaches for Managing LUTS in Cats
10.50 - 11.35	Understanding feline body language and emotions - the foundation of working with cats	5 Regras de ouro para o diagnóstico e tratamento da epilepsia canina	Canine pyoderma - responsible use of systemic antimicrobials	Lesiones cutáneas asociadas a infecciones virales en gatos Skin lesions associated with viral infections in cats	Coagulation conundrums 2 – case-based approach to diagnosis and treatment of bleeding disorders	Managing osteoarthritis in dogs: a team-based approach to at-home care.	Entendiendo y Clasificando correctamente la enfermedad discal en perros Classifying and Understanding Intervertebral Disc Disease in Dogs	What you can catch at work: an overview of direct zoonoses of exotic and non-traditional pets.	Periodontal disease and therapy	The importance of belonging, inclusion and psychological safety in creating a thriving profession and saving lives	An evidence-based approach to managing cats with Chronic Kidney Disease
11.40 - 12.25	Inter-cat tension: the origin of the problem?	Neurologia Buldogue Francesiana - vem aprender sobre as doenças da raça da moda!	"Ear drops and beyond": Top tips on how to approach canine otitis	Infecciones de vías respiratorias altas en gatos: diagnóstico, tratamiento y prevención de los principales agentes causales / Upper respiratory tract infections in cats: diagnosis, treatment and prevention of the main causal agents	Effusions analysis – in-clinic approach to evaluating cavitory fluids	Optimising peri-operative analgesia	Enfoque terapéutico de la enfermedad discal: cuándo y cómo tratar Treatment approach for disc diseases: the "when and how"	Update on rabies control: the path to 2030.	Anesthesia for dentistry (Guidelines for dogs and cats, basics)	The Impact of Client Interactions on Professional Wellbeing	Feline Obesity: Causes, Consequences, and Solutions
12.25 - 14.00	Lunch										
Theme	Feline Medicine/International Cat Care	ANCLIVEPA Oncology	Dermatology	FIAVAC Feline Medicine	Neurology	Analgesia/Anesthesia	Cardiology	One Health	Dentistry	Professional well-being	Purina Stream-Food for thought
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14.00 - 14.45	Role of stress in feline chronic disease	Optimizing Outcomes in Canine Lymphoma: A Clinical Perspective- need portuguese	Putting Theory to Practice - Decision Making in Pruritic Dogs and Cats Using a Case-Based Approach	Diarreas de origen infeccioso en gatos: diagnóstico y tratamiento de los principales agentes causales/ Infectious diarrhea in cats: diagnosis and treatment of the main causative agents	Beating neurophobia - interactive neurological examination, neurolocalisation and clinical reasoning.	Chronic or acute: where did it all start and implications for quality of life	Uso del "problem-oriented-approach" para el manejo de pacientes cardíacas / Using the problem-oriented approach with cardiology cases (interactive session)	The TRUTH about Giardia .	Peri-op and post-op care for dentistry), case-based with dentists , anesthetists and a technician	Positive Psychology applied to Veterinary Medicine to prevent burn out	Advancements in Diagnosis and Treatment Strategies for Feline Food Allergies
14.50 - 15.35	Environmental needs (in the home and in the clinic) optimizing the home for the FIC cat	Feline Lymphoma: From Diagnosis to Treatment	Putting Theory to Practice - Diagnosis and Management of Autoimmune Skin Diseases Using A Case-Based Approach	Enteropatía crónicas felinas: diagnóstico diferencial y tratamiento de enteritis linfoplasmocitaria versus linfoma de bajo grado/ Feline chronic enteropathy: differential diagnosis and treatment of lymphoplasmacytic enteritis versus low-grade lymphoma	Clinical cases in neurology: an interactive session	Interactive case studies on canine osteoarthritis	Novedades en ecocardiografía felina – debo cambiar mi protocolo? / Updates on feline echocardiography – do I need to change what I do?	Rational parasiticide use: where are we going?	Extraction techniques (Gawor,	Coping Strategies for vets in Resource-Limited Settings	Pet Food and Owner Communications
15.35 - 16.20	Afternoon break										
16.20 - 17.05	Feline Hyperthyroidism: From Early Detection to Tailored Treatment	ACLIVEPA Oncology	An Update on the Diagnosis and Management of Allergic Skin Disease in Canine Patients in 2025	Manejo poblacional de gatos de la calle: programas CER (captura, esterilización y retorno)/ Management strategies for feral and street cats: TNR (Trap, Neuter and Return)	Stabilising the rocking brain - treatment of canine epilepsy	Holistic approach to osteoarthritis : much beyond NSAIDs and anti-NGFs	Interpretación de radiografía torácica usando el razonamiento clínico / Using clinical reasoning for thoracic radiographic interpretation (interactive session)	Impact of dogs and cats in protected and conservation areas	Introduction to oral surgery	Preventing suicide in the veterinary community ~ short and long term strategies	Truth or Fiction? Assessing Different Feeding Philosophies in Cats
17.10 - 17.55	SGLT-2 Inhibitors for Feline Diabetes: What Clinicians Need to Know	ACLIVEPA Oncology	An Update on the Diagnosis and Management of Allergic Skin Disease in Feline Patients in 2025	Como evitar zoonosis felinas (toxoplasmosis, bartonellosis, rabia parásitos intestinales,etc.)/ Prevention of feline zoonotic diseases ((Toxoplasmosis, Bartonellosis, Rabies, Intestinal Parasites, etc.)	Brain on fire - management of seizure emergencies in dogs and cats and discussion of the ACVIM Consensus Statement guidelines.	The other chronic pain entities in cats: oral, neuropathic and ocular	Manejo del paciente felino con disnea / Approach to the dyspnoeic cat	Dogs, cats, indigenous peoples, and the shared environment	Introduction to orthodontics	Professional wellness of physicians and veterinarians	Optimizing the microbiome for gastrointestinal health
Opening Ceremony (90 minutes) followed by cocktail party											

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Theme	Vaccination/Infectious Diseases	ANCLIVEPA Gastroenterology	Internal Medicine/Endocrinology	FIAVAC Neurology/Dermatology	Cardiorespiratory	Soft Tissue Surgery	Orthopedics	Reproduction/ Pediatrics Hereditary Disease	Leadership	Clinical Pathology	Zoetis -Pain
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9:00-10:00											9.00-9.30 Assessment of acute pain in dogs 9.35 - 10.05 Assessment of acute pain in cats
10.00 - 10.45	Pathogen Soup: An Update on Canine Infectious Respiratory Disease Complex	Transtornos de Deglutição em Caninos e Felinos: Novo Enfoque Diagnóstico e Terapêutico	Navigating Canine Hypothyroidism: A Guide to Avoid Misdiagnosis	¿Comportamental o dermatosis? La etología desde el punto de vista de un dermatólogo/ Behavioral or dermatosis? Etiology from the perspective of a dermatologist	The art of the physical examination in cardiac patients	What to do when there is not enough skin	Fracturas del cóndilo humeral, desde las más simples hasta las más complejas Humeral condyle fractures, from the very simple to the very complex	Dystocia and periparturient problems	The Leadership Gap in the Veterinary Profession	Update on diagnosis of immune thrombocytopenia from the ACVIM consensus panel	10.10 Feline welfare in practice
10.50 - 11.35	Optimal use of vaccination and other strategies to lessen incidence of infectious respiratory and gastrointestinal diseases in cats in shelters	Avanços diagnósticos e terapêuticos em doenças esofágicas, desde esofagite até neoplasias esofágicas	To Diagnose or Not to Diagnose: Challenging Cases in Canine Hypoadrenocorticism	La importancia de la comunicación con el tutor. Anamnesis como herramienta fundamental / The importance of communication with the pet owner: Anamnesis as a fundamental tool	Interventional cardiology – the basics	Biopsy Crosstalk: a Pathologist and Oncologist	Osteotomia niveladora de la meseta tibial (TPLO): diferentes implantes para diferentes perros Tibial plateau leveling osteotomy (TPLO): different implants for different dogs	Cesarean section in dogs. Methods and nuances to improve surgical outcomes	Motivating a demotivated team, What can I do as a leader?	Update on treatment of immune thrombocytopenia from the ACVIM consensus panel	11.20 - 11.50 Why is chiroinic pain so complex?
11.40 - 12.25	Optimal use of vaccination and other strategies to lessen incidence of infectious respiratory and gastrointestinal diseases in dogs in shelters	Gastritis Crônica: Muitas Causas, Múltiplos Tratamentos, ¿Cómo podemos gerenciar isso?	Glucose Monitoring in Dogs and Cats: The Technological Revolution	Toma de decisiones terapéuticas según los cuadros fenotípicos de los pacientes alérgicos / Therapeutic decision-making based on the phenotypic patterns of allergic patients	Emergency Room Management of Severe Respiratory Distress Cases	Surgical site infection management and multi-drug resistant organisms	Cómo revisar una TPLO por fallo catastrófico How to revise a catastrophic failure TPLO	Canine and feline pediatrics: what kills puppies and kittens within the first three weeks	Leading with Flexibility: The Art of Situational Leadership in Veterinary Practice	Mysterious anemias – case-based session on diagnosis/treatment of anemias	11.55 - 12.25 Principles of management of OA
12.25 - 14.00	Lunch										12.30- 13.00: Patient work up 13.20 - 13.45: More than 4 years of Librela and Solensia: What have we learnt? 13.50-14.15 : Exciting updates from the Pain Committee
Theme	Vaccination/Infectious Diseases	ANCLIVEPA Surgery/Nephrology	Internal Medicine/GI, endocrine	FIAVAC Neurology/Dermatology	Orthopedics	Soft Tissue Surgery	Regional Infectious Diseases/Orthopedics	Reproduction/ Pediatrics Hereditary Disease	Leadership	Oncology	Zoetis
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14.00 - 14.45	Upper respiratory tract disease in commercial breeding catteries	Cistectomia total: e agora?	Nutrition of dogs with protein-losing enteropathy	El folículo. Órgano complejo donde se asientan muchas dermatosis.	Mastering the orthopedic examination	When you do (and don't) need surgical prophylaxis	Leishmaniosis: ¿Estamos Mejorando los Enfoques Diagnósticos? (Leishmaniosis: Are We Improving Diagnostic Approaches?)	Nonsurgical sterilization options in dogs and cats	Economic wellness and financial literacy for veterinarians	Mammary tumors: how the surgeon uses science	ZOETIS - Pain
14.50 - 15.35	Update on canine parvovirus	Novidades no diagnóstico e tratamento das doenças tireoidianas em cães e gatos.	Canine pancreatitis: diagnosis and treatment	El examen neurológico: El primer paso hacia un diagnóstico preciso. /Mastering the Neurological Exam: A Critical Step Toward Accurate Diagnosis	The feline orthopedic patient. It's not just a small dog!	Soft tissue surgical cases and solutions	Leishmaniosis: Estrategias de Prevención y Tratamiento (Leishmaniosis: Strategies for Prevention and Treatment)	Ethics of reproduction control: Panel discussion	Calgary-Cambridge guide: A model to improve our communication skills with clients and team	Nutrition in Oncology Patients (Pachi Clemente-Vicario (WOW) and Villaverde (GNC)*)	14.30 -15.00: Pain management: Beyond analgesics 15.05 -16.00 Round Table: Team approach to pain management
15.35 - 16.20	Afternoon break										
16.20- 17.05	Vaccination of dogs and cats in shelters	Manejo de Feridas - O que há de novo?	Feline enteropathies: differentiation between lymphoma and inflammatory bowel disease	Epilepsia felina: Similitudes y diferencias con la epilepsia canina	Fracture assessment - how broken is it?	Cardiopulmonary bypass - what does it involve?	Desafíos cutáneos de la enfermedad de hiperkorticismo (Diagnosis and management of dermatologic manifestations of hypercortisolism in dogs)	Promoting One Health Using Genomics in Small Animal Medicine	How to leverage telehealth as an extension to your practice	Diagnosis of lymphoid tumors – from cytology to molecular testing	ZOETIS - Pain
17.10 - 17.55	Update on diagnosis and treatment of FIP	ECMO e cirurgia pulmonar, o que precisamos saber?	Food responsive enteropathies	Enfermedades inflamatorias en el SNC de los gatos.	Fracture fixation fails - how do we get it to heal?	Mitral valve repair surgery in dogs	Manifestaciones dermatológicas del hipotiroidismo en perros (Dermatological features of hypothyroidism in dogs)	Veterinary Leadership on Extreme Conformation, Hereditary Disease and Responsible Breeding	Leverage teletriage and teledvice as a powerful solution for after-hours ER services	Mast Cell Tumors: Diagnostic and Prognostic Pathological Approaches	17.00- 17.15 Clinical case: chronic pain in a cat 17.20-17.35 Clinical case: chronic pain in a dog
18.00 - 18.45	Updates on FeLV diagnosis and prevention.	PDA em cães, qual a nossa realidade?	Fiber vs. antibiotics for acute diarrhea: what is the best option?	Lesión compresiva medular: ¿Cómo debo actuar? Diagnóstico y tratamiento/ Spinal cord compression injury: How should I proceed? Diagnosis and treatment	Planning surgery around patellar luxation.	Congenital open heart surgery: what can be done	Protección solar para perros y gatos: ¿Estás al día? (Solar care for cats and dogs: are you up to date?)	Genetic Counseling for Better Breeding: Reducing the Need for Surgery through Informed Decisions	Panel discussion on professional wellness	Most common skin tumors in dogs & cats	
Presidents reception and after party											

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Theme	Lower Urinary	ANCLIVEPA	Soft Tissue Surgery	FIAVAC Feline Medicine	ECC	Internal Medicine/Therapeutics Cmté	Nutrition	Research Highlights	Welfare	Dermatology	NAVC
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10.00 - 10.45	Plenary Session										
10.50 - 11.35	Mninimally invasive urolith removal	Restauração do Eixo Intestino Pele e imunomodulação na dermatite atópica em cães	Surgical approach to brachycephalic syndrome	Diagnostico y tratamiento de Infecciones emergentes en el gato (gammaherpesvirus, hepadnavirus, SARS Cov2, etc.) / Diagnosis and Treatment of Emerging Infections in Cats (Gammaherpesvirus, Hepadnavirus, SARS-CoV-2, etc.)	Fluid prescription in the emergency room and ICU	How to interpret antimicrobial susceptibility panels and choose an antibiotic	Importance of food safety when feeding our patients	Research Bites - Oral abstract presentations on scientiifc innovation	Communicating Quality of life - how to approach difficult conversations	Fungal diseases of the skin in dogs and cats	10:50 - 11:10 (Daniel) 11:10 - 11:35 (Cerna)
11.40 - 12.25	Risk factors & medical managment of urolithaisis	Patogênese molecular e terapia de precisão na dermatite atópica em cães	Surgery for gastric dilatation volvulus	Diagnóstico y tratamiento de la PIF en 2025: ¿en qué punto estamos? Diagnosis and treatment of FIP in 2025: Where do we stand?	Acid-Base Disorders in the emergency room: A Step-by-Step Interpretation Guide	Where do the antibiotics go when the bottle leaves the clinic? Impacts of antibiotic disposal on humans, animals, and the environment	Common nutritional mistakes in clinical practice		Behaviour and training - evidence-based advice for veterinary professionals and pet owners	Oozing skin nodules: How best to approach this complex presentation	14:50 - 15:10 (Da Graca Pereira) 15:15 - 15:35 (Jahn)
12.25 - 14.00	Lunch										
Theme	Lower Urinary	ANCLIVEPA	Soft Tissue Surgery	FIAVAC Orthopedics	Nutrition	Business Skills Communication	ECC	Patient Safety/Anesthesia	Welfare	Reproduction/Oncology \ (Mammary Diseases)	NAVC
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14.00 - 14.45	Pathophysiology and medical management of urinary incontinence	Respostas imunológicas aos alérgenos alimntares em cães com dermatite atópica: diagnóstico e controle	Minimally invasive approach to portosystemic shunting	Complicaciones de la TPLO. Complications of tibial plateau leveling osteotomy	When One Diet Does Not Fit All: Nutritional Management of Dogs and Cats with Complicating Comorbidities	Resilience- Resilience is a Team Sport: How to build deeply trusting relationships to foster a culture of resilience in your workplace.	Novedades en RCPI/Update on CPR	To Err is Human: Global Patient Safety Trends in Veterinary Medicine	Euthanasia decision-making, ethics and practice	Control of mammary function in bitches and queens	14:00 - 14:20 (Sykes) 14:25 - 14:45 (Marcondes)
14.50 - 15.35	Minimally invasive and novel therapies for refractory urinary incontinence	Abordagem baseada em evidências ao gato com obstrução uretral	Tracheal Stenting for Tracheal Collapse - Tips and techniques	Panosteitis y otras causas de cojera en el perro. Panosteitis and Other Causes of Lameness in Dogs.	Nutritional management of chronic hepatopathies		Hemodinamica basica para el Emergentólogo/Basic Hemodynamics for the ER Vet	Culture of Safety and How Effective Teams Work	Managing patient fear, anxiety, and stress in the veterinary practice – importance for welfare and clinical outcome	Common mammary conditions in small animal clinical practice	11:40 - 12:00 (Hohenhaus) 12:05 - 12:25 (Viall)
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16.20- 17.05	Clinical approach to benign prostatic hyperplasia	O que você NÃO deveria estar fazendo na rotina da clínica de felinos.	Feline ureteral obstructions: medical management	Epicondilitis humeral y otras causas de cojeras en el felino. Humeral Epicondylitis and Other Causes of Lameness in Cats	Obesity management	Leadership- The Art of Coaching: Empowering colleagues to deliver outstanding results.	Los primeros 30 segundos de Neumotorax grave/Managing the Catastrophic Pneumothorax in the First 30 Seconds	Medication Error, the Top Error in Veterinary Healthcare; Practical Solutions for your Hospital	Separation Anxiety – what’s new in the treatment approach of this common problem	Diagnostic approach to mammary tumors	16:20 - 16:40 (Machicote) 16:45 - 17:05 (Loeffler)
17.10 - 17.55	Prostatic disease in intact and castrated dogs: more common than you think	Uso racional de antibióticos em gatos: onde estamos em 2025?	Subcutaneous Ureteral Bypass Device Placement for rapid relief of ureteral obstructions	Abordaje de las fracturas de cúbito y radio en gatos. Management of ulna and radius fractures in cats	Nutritional management of chronic kidney disease		Hemorragias antes de las Vías Aereas ? Cuando la X viene antes de la A/Have Massive Hemorrhages Taken Priority Over Airway? When X Comes Before A	Panel Discussion: How to Build a Culture of Safety in your Hospital	Behaviour as a clinical indicator for animal emotions – how to achieve better welfare for patients in practice	Decisions in the Oncology Clinic	17:10 - 17:30 (Allerton) 17:35 - 17:55 (Granick)