

2021 John Waters Zoonotic Diseases Workshop

Tuesday, Nov. 23, 2021 | 9 a.m.-5 p.m. MT

Hosted virtually via Zoom

PROGRAM

Morning: COVID-19

Moderator - Dr. Stan Houston, University of Alberta

9-9:05 a.m.: Greetings and housekeeping announcements, Dr. Stan Houston, University of Alberta

9:05-9:10 a.m.: Welcome on behalf of Dean of Medicine, Dr. Lawrence Richer, University of Alberta

9:10-10 a.m.: COVID phylogeny, Dr. Matthew Croxen, University of Alberta

10-10:45 a.m.: COVID in animals and possible transmission to people, Dr. Scott Weese, OVC,

University of Guelph

10:45-11 a.m.: Coffee break

11 a.m.-12 p.m.: Reflections on COVID, Dr. Lynora Saxinger, Alberta Health Services/University of Alberta

12-12:25 p.m.: The next pandemic, Dr. Craig Jenne, University of Calgary

12:25-12:30 p.m.: Closing comments, morning session, Dr. Stan Houston, Moderator

12:30-1 p.m.: Lunch break

Afternoon: Echinococcus and Food Safety

Moderator - Dr. Keith Lehman, Alberta Agriculture and Forestry (AAF)

1-2 p.m.: Current state of Echinococcosis, Dr. Kinga Kowalewska-Grochowska, University of Alberta 2-2:30 p.m.: The coyote's revenge: alveolar echinococcosis, Dr. Stan Houston, University of Alberta

2:30-3 p.m.: Echinococcus in coyotes and dogs, Dr. Alessandro (Ale) Massolo, University of Pisa/co-

authors: Dr. Colleen St Clair and Dr. Darcy Visscher

3-3:15 p.m. Coffee break

3:15-3:45 p.m.: From hamburgers to hams: an outbreak of E. coli O157 linked to pigs in Alberta,

Dr. Julia Keenliside, Veterinary Consultant, formerly AAF

3:45-4:15 p.m.: A treat for your pet - a trick for you?, Dr. Linda Chui, Alberta Health Services

4:15-4:45 p.m.: From investigations to intervention: How multi-jurisdictional outbreak investigations of

Salmonella led to a new requirement for industry, Tanis Kershaw, Public Health Agency of

Canada

4:45-4:50 p.m.: Summary of afternoon presentations, Dr. Keith Lehman, Moderator

4:50-5 p.m.: Closing remarks, Dr. Nick Nation, JWZD Workshop Chair

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