

**2018
CETA/ACTE & AETA
Joint Convention**



PROGRAM



September 27 - 29, 2018
Montréal, Québec, Canada

PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26		
7:00 am - 5:00 pm	AETA Board of Directors Meeting	<i>Outremont 5</i>
7:30 am - 11:00 am	CETA/ACTE Certification Committee Meeting	<i>Outremont 4</i>
11:00 am - 5:00 pm	CETA/ACTE Board of Directors Meeting	<i>Outremont 4</i>
1:00 pm - 5:00 pm	CETA/ACTE Certification Exam <i>(for initial certification)</i>	<i>Outremont 6</i>
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27		
6:00 am - 2:00 pm	Golf Tournament at <i>Club de Golf de L'île de Montréal</i> Co-Sponsored by Partnar Animal Health <i>↻ Reproduction Resources</i>	Meet in hotel lobby at 5:45 AM
8:00 am - 12:00 pm	AETA Certification Committee Meeting	<i>Outremont 3</i>
8:00 am - 12:00 pm	CETA/ACTE Certification Exam Review <i>(for applicants who wrote the exam)</i>	<i>Outremont 4</i>
9:00 am - 12:00 pm	AETA Certification Exam <i>(for initial certification)</i>	<i>Outremont 6</i>
11:00 am - 5:00 pm	Registration	<i>Inscription</i>
12:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Exhibit Set-up	<i>St-Laurent 1-2</i>
PRECONFERENCE SEMINARS		
2:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Seminar I: ET 101 – A 2018 Update <i>Presented by Dr. John Hasler ↻ Dr. Reuben Mapletoft</i> Sponsored by MOFA Global	<i>Montreal 5</i>
	Seminar II: ET 102 by RQR Sponsored by RQR - Réseau Québécois en reproduction	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>
2:00 pm - 2:15 pm	Introduction by <i>Dr. Claude Robert</i>	
2:15 pm - 2:45 pm	Nutrition and Oocyte Quality <i>Presented by Dr. Marc André Sirard</i>	

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27 <i>continued</i>		
	Seminar II: ET 102 by RQR continued...	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>
2:45 pm - 3:15 pm	Mycotoxins in Cows: Risks and Some Solutions <i>Presented by Dr. Younes Chorfi</i>	
3:15 pm - 3:45 pm	Break	
3:45 pm - 4:15 pm	Sexed Semen Fertility <i>Presented by Dr. George Seidel</i>	
4:15 pm - 4:45 pm	Questions ☞ General Discussion <i>By Dr. Claude Robert</i>	
5:30 pm - 10:00 pm	Preconference Social at <i>Centre des Sciences</i> Entertainment by <i>Alain Choquette</i> Sponsored by Vetoquinol	Meet in hotel lobby at 5:30 PM
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28		
6:45 am - 5:00 pm	Registration	<i>Inscription</i>
6:45 am - 5:00 pm	Exhibits Open	<i>St-Laurent 1-2</i>
6:45 am - 7:45 am	Breakfast Sponsored by Professional Embryo Transfer Supply, Inc. (PETS, Inc.)	<i>St-Laurent 3-8</i>
7:45 am - 8:00 am	Welcome ☞ Announcements Friday Audio Visual Equipment Sponsored by ABT 360, LLC	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>
8:00 am - 9:00 am	Session 1: Oviductal and Early Uterine Effects on Pregnancy Success <i>Presented by Dr. Mario Binelli</i>	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Session 2: Breed Associated Embryo Freezing Capacity <i>Presented by Dr. Claude Robert</i>	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>
9:30 am - 4:30 pm	Companion Tour: City Tour of Montreal <i>(lunch included)</i>	Meet in hotel lobby at 9:15 AM

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28 <i>continued</i>		
10:00 am - 10:30 am	Break <i>Sponsored by Professional Embryo Transfer Supply, Inc. (PETS, Inc.)</i>	<i>St-Laurent 1-2</i>
10:30 am - 12:00 pm	AETA Annual Business Meeting	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>
10:30 am - 12:00 pm	CETA/ACTE Annual General Meeting	<i>Montreal 5</i>
10:30 am - 12:00 pm	Student/Technician Session 1: Damage Prevention at Storage and Transportation of Frozen Bovine Embryos <i>Presented by Dr. Angelika Stock</i>	<i>Montreal 6</i>
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Student / Mentor Lunch All students attending the convention are welcome to attend the Student/Mentor lunch. Students will have the opportunity to interact with AETA & CETA/ACTE members from various practices around North America. Students will get food from the main lunch area and then gather in the meeting room to eat (<i>beverages and cutlery will be in the meeting room</i>).	<i>Outremont 6</i>
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch	<i>St-Laurent 3-8</i>
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	CETA/ACTE New Board of Directors Meeting	<i>Outremont 4</i>
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	AETA New Board of Directors Meeting	<i>Outremont 5</i>
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Session 3: Delivering IVF Calves: Challenges and Opportunities <i>Presented by Dr. Gilles Fecteau</i>	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Session 4: What is Genomics and Epigenomics? <i>Presented by Dr. Claude Robert</i>	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>
3:00 pm - 3:30 pm	Break <i>Sponsored by Professional Embryo Transfer Supply, Inc. (PETS, Inc.)</i>	<i>St-Laurent 1-2</i>
3:30 pm - 4:45 pm	Session 5: Sexed Semen Utilization in IVF and ET <i>Presented by Dr. Alfredo Castro</i> <i>Sponsored by STgenetics & STgenetics Canada</i>	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28 <i>continued</i>		
6:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Open Bar Sponsored by Reproduction Resources	
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Social Hour	<i>Foyer</i>
7:00 pm - 10:00 pm	Banquet Entertainment by <i>The Lost Fingers</i>	<i>Montreal 5-8</i>
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29		
6:30 am - 8:00 am	AETA Past Presidents' Breakfast	<i>Salon Bonaventure</i>
7:00 am - 2:00 pm	Exhibits Open	<i>St-Laurent 1-2</i>
7:00 am - 8:00 am	Breakfast Sponsored by Trans Ova Genetics	<i>St-Laurent 3-8</i>
7:00 am - 5:00 pm	Registration	<i>Inscription</i>
Saturday Audio Visual Equipment Sponsored by Boviteq		
7:45 am - 10:15 am	Student/Technician Session 2: i) Ultrasonography and Endocrine Parameters in Recipients with Successful Embryo Transfer ii) Sanitary Considerations at Collection, Search, Freezing and Transfer of Bovine Embryos <i>Presented by Dr. Angelika Stock</i>	<i>Montreal 6</i>
8:00 am - 10:00 am	CETA/ACTE Session: Today's Trends and Tools in Dairy Cattle Selection <i>Presented by Dr. Allison Fleming</i> Breeding Hornless Cattle to Improve Animal Well Being <i>Presented by Dr. François-Xavier Grand</i>	<i>Montreal 5</i>
8:00 am - 10:00 am	AETA Session: Certification Session	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>
10:00 am - 10:30 am	Break Sponsored by Minitube USA, Inc.	<i>St-Laurent 1-2</i>
10:30 am - 11:00 am	Session 6: Starting an Oocyte Collection Lab and Incorporating IVF into Regular ET Practice <i>Presented by Dr. Rob Stables</i>	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29 <i>continued</i>		
11:00 am - 11:30 am	Session 7: Conception of a Bovine Ovum Pick Up Mobile Unit Lab <i>Presented by Dr. Jonathan Lehouiller</i>	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>
11:30 am -12:00 pm	Session 8: IVP Embryo Evaluation for the Receiving Practitioner <i>Presented by Patti Anderson & Dr. Jeff Anderson</i>	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>
12:00 pm - 1:15 pm	Lunch <i>Sponsored by Boviteq</i>	<i>St-Laurent 3-8</i>
12:00 pm - 1:15 pm	Joint Convention Committee Meeting (CETA/ACTE & AETA)	<i>Outremont 4</i>
1:15 pm - 2:15 pm	Session 9: Impact of Early Life Nutrition on the Sexual Development and Fertility of Cattle <i>Presented by Dr. David Kenny</i>	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>
2:15 pm - 3:15 pm	Session 10: The <i>Au Courant</i> Developments in Sex Sorted Semen and Application in Livestock Improvement Programs <i>Presented by Dr. Vish Vishwanath</i> <i>Sponsored by STgenetics & STgenetics Canada</i>	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>
3:15 pm - 3:30 pm	Break (<i>Coffee / Beverages Only</i>) <i>Sponsored by Minitube USA, Inc.</i>	<i>Foyer</i>
3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Session 11: Re-evaluating <i>Ureaplasma diversum</i> and its Potential Role in Bovine Embryo Transfer <i>Presented by Dr. Bronwyn Crane</i>	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>
4:30 pm - 5:30 pm	Session 12: Early Pregnancy Losses in Dairy Cattle: Importance, Predisposing Factors, and Implications for Management <i>Presented by Dr. Eduardo de Souza Ribeiro</i>	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>
5:30 pm - 5:45 pm	Closing Remarks	<i>Montreal 1-4</i>

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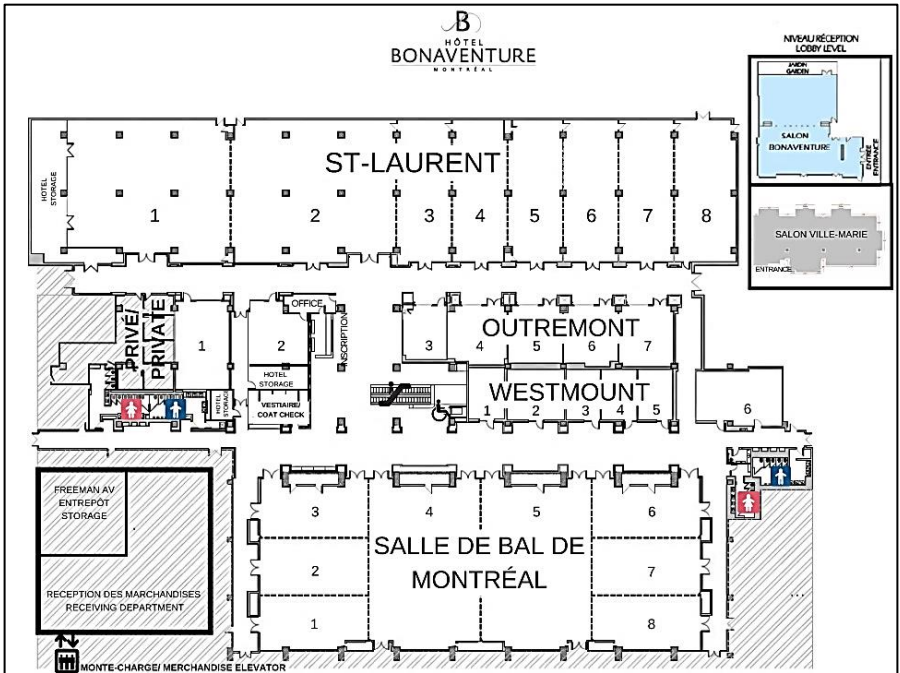
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