



Companion Animal Nutrition Conference

Thursday 13 Feb 2019

Waterside Campus, University of Northampton

Schedule

9.30 Registration – tea / coffee

10.00 Opening by *Mr John Sinclair*, Dean of Faculty of Arts, Science & Technology, University of Northampton.

10.05 Keynote speaker: *Dr Sandra McCune*: Feeding for behavioural enrichment.

10.45 *F Susca*. From the gut to the brain and back: a two-way connection for improving pet well-being.

11.00 *L Samet, E Buckland, R Casey, M Lord, R Kinsman, R Da Costa, J Woodward, S Tasker, T Knowles, R Sexton, J Murray*. Diet and Feeding for Wellbeing: Early findings from Generation Pup.

11.15 Break – tea / coffee

11.45 *W McCormick*. How do human choices influence the feeding of their dogs?

12.00 *A Empert-Gallegos, S Poole, PS Yam*. Feeding raw: Insights into dog owner perspectives.

12.15 *K Livesey, S Chapman*. The relationship between feeding routines of dog owners in the UK, their perceptions and food-related problem behaviours in dogs.

12.30 Speed networking

1.00 Lunch & posters

- 2.00** *J Ritchie, W McCormick.* Legal compliance of pet food manufacturers producing complete vegan diets for sale in the UK.
- 2.15** *J. Boyd, S Itle-Clark.* “Don’t use the F word!” promoting prosocial practices in animal nutrition advising; An applied strategy to support caregivers in enhancing animal wellbeing.
- 2.30** *JC Coltherd, J Alexander, R Staunton, A Colyer, DW Logan, R Butterwick, P Watson, AM Bakke.* Dietary Phosphorus Studies in Cats: Effects of source, level and Ca:P ratio.
- 2.45** *ML Whitehead.* Periodontal disease, calculus, tooth fractures and periapical disease in wild, zoo, feral and domesticated carnivores.
- 3.00** *B Hunt.* Effect of feeding practices on defecation and satiety behaviours in dogs.

3.15 Break – tea / coffee

- 3.30** Round table discussion: Feeding for behavioural wellbeing.
- 4.30** Close.

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