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Big Changes in 2011 Foundation Offerings

In 2011, Foundation members will see a significant change in the Foundation's landscape of course offerings— new courses added, one dropped, and one on temporary hiatus in 2011. But not to fear - most of your favorites will be going strong in 2011.

The most obvious addition to the Foundation's constellation of CE offerings in 2011 will be the addition of the **Descriptive Veterinary Pathology** course, formerly sponsored by the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology. This course, which has educated thousands of veterinary pathology residents in the art and science of descriptive writing, comes to the Foundation with the closure of the AFIP in 2011. Courses have already been the planned for the US (Cornell University May 23-27), Europe (University College Dublin, June 20-24), South America (Buenos Aires, dates to be announced), and a small Eastern European course is being discussed (currently still on the drawing board). More details and registration materials for the US and Dublin courses are available at the Foundation's website at www.afip.org.

Another addition to the Foundation's slate of 2011 courses, will be the annual **Current Laboratory Animal Science Seminar/Pathology of Lab Animals Course**, also inherited from the AFIP and in its 54th year! The two courses are taught back-to-back (comprising 7 days of CE) in beautiful Virginia Beach, where the Foundation has booked hotel rooms right on the beach for an amazing \$87/night. This course will replace our Workshop in Laboratory Animal Medicine, previously held at NC State University in May of each year. (We are currently considering a course in lab animal medicine and pathology for the West Coast to go with our Midwestern and East Coast offerings – anyone interested in helping put on such a course in 2012 and beyond should email Foundation President Bruce Williams at williams@cldavis.org.)

One last new course is a new initiative for **toxicologic pathology in the Midwest**. Our first Tox Path day-seminar will be held on June 3 at Covance Labs in Madison Wisconsin. Modeled after our wildly successful quarterly tox path seminars in our NE Division (soon to enter their third decade), we hope to bring similar high-quality tox path CE to other parts of the US. Look for details soon in upcoming newsletters or on the website.

One course which is going on hiatus in 2011 is our annual Aquatic Species Symposium and Slide Seminar hosted by Dr. Judy St. Leger at the annual conference of the IAAAM. Due to a scheduling issue at this year's IAAAM conference, we will be taking a break, and this popular course will return in 2012.

Make sure to track these and all of our other courses at our website at <http://www.cldavis.org>



Surf with Care – Phishers and Squatters Try to Target the Foundation

In early January, Alun Williams, Foundation Vice-President and Director of the Foundation's long-standing European Division, received the following email from "senior consultant" at a company called "Asia-NIC" :

"Dear CEO,

We are the department of registration service in China. we have something which needs to confirm with you. We formally received an application on January 11, 2011. One company called "HaSun Trading, LLC" is applying to register " euroclDavis" as Brand name and domain names as follows: euroclDavis.asia; euroclDavis.cn; euroclDavis.com; euroclDavis.com.cn; euroclDavis.com.hk; euroclDavis.com.tw; euroclDavis.hk;euroclDavis.net.cn; euroclDavis.org.cn' and euroclDavis.tw'.

After our initial checking, we found the Brand name and domain names being applied are as same as your company! So we need confirmation with your company. If the aforementioned company is your business partner or your subsidiary, please DO NOT reply us, we will approve the application automatically. If you don't have any relationship with this company, please contact us within 7 workdays. If over the deadline, we will approve the application submitted by "HaSun Trading, LLC" unconditionally."

A quick look into the company showed that no website for either Asia-Nic Inc. or HaSun Trading LLC existed, and their listed international numbers were non-viable. In this case, we have two classic internet scams – "typosquatting" and likely, "domain squatting" as well. "Typosquatting" is where persons of questionable virtue set up websites designed to trick people who mistype the URL (and don't we all do that from time to time?) in hopes of getting financial or personal information for potential profit. Another possible ploy, known as "domain squatting" would be to quickly register these domains (if the Foundation had responded to this inquiry), and offer the sites back to the Foundation for hundreds or even thousands of dollars.

It is obvious that the people behind the attack had no idea what "EuroclDavis" (our commerce site for the annual European meeting) actually does, or they would have realized that sites for the European C.L. Davis Division registered in China, Hong Kong and Taiwan would make little sense to our members.

But it does allow us to remind our members of two very important points – 1) BE CAREFUL OF WHERE YOU SURF AND ESPECIALLY ENTER ANY PERSONAL INFORMATION and 2) The Foundation only has two websites – our main website at <http://www.cldavis.org>, and our website for the European Division at <http://www.euroclDavis.net>. Be careful – it is **truly** a jungle out there.

Postscript to this article: On the day this article was written – the Foundation's CEO and founder, Dr. Sam Thompson (84 years young) received a phone call at Foundation headquarters from Publisher's Clearing House informing him that he had won \$250,000, and the check would be delivered to him the day after he wired \$2750 to their branch in Costa Rica – no lie!

Got Pictures of a Foundation Meeting?

We'd love them for the newsletter! Attending a meeting, using a publication, spending time in a Foundation study center anywhere in the world – it all makes the newsletter a more interesting read and shows how much we are doing around the world.

Please send any digital images to Foundation newsletter to info@cldavis.org and thanks!!!



2011 CURRENT LAB ANIMAL SCIENCE SEMINAR



2011 PATHOLOGY OF LAB ANIMALS COURSE

VIRGINIA BEACH, VA - 5-11 JUNE 2011

What's New in the "New Guide" • Pathology of Laboratory Fish • Emerging Rodent Diseases • Phenotyping and Phenotyping Slide Seminar • Pathology of the "Irrelevant Rodents" • Lab Animal Behavior • Rodent Genetics and Strain Nomenclature • Pathology of all Major Lab Species • **AND MUCH, MUCH, MORE!**



Sheraton Oceanfront Hotel – Virginia Beach
Tuition: **CLASS \$350**
POLA - \$475
Combined CLASS/POLA - \$700

This course has been submitted (but not yet approved) for 36 hours of continuing education credit in jurisdictions which recognize AAVSB RACE approval; however participants should be aware that some boards have limitations on the number of hours accepted in certain categories and/or restrictions on certain methods of delivery of continuing education. Call Dr. James Britt, 501-907-2435, for further information.

2011 Descriptive Veterinary Pathology Course

Cornell University - 23-27 May
UCD, Dublin – 20-24 June

Lectures include:

- **Descriptive Techniques in:**
 - **Gross Pathology**
 - **Microscopic Pathology**
 - **Cytology**
 - **Electron Microscopy**
 - **Immunohistochemistry**
- **Review of Clinical Pathology**
- **Gross-Microscopic Correlations**
- **6 Practical Examinations**
 - **Gross Exams**
 - **Histo Exams**
 - **4 exams are faculty-graded for extra feedback**

For more information, including tuition, venue, and hotel information, please visit

<http://www.cldavis.org/courses/upcoming.html>

Program Director:

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This course has been submitted (but not yet approved) for 15 hours of continuing education credit in jurisdictions which recognize AAVSB RACE approval; however participants should be aware that some boards have limitations on the number of hours accepted in certain categories and/or restrictions on certain methods of delivery of continuing education. Call Dr. James Britt, 501-907-2435, for further information.





*Asilomar is calling...
Be part of the fun!!!*



For registration and housing info, visit:
<http://www.cldavis.org/courses/upcoming.html>

The 28th annual meeting of the West Coast Subdivision of the C.L. Davis Foundation will be held at the Asilomar Conference Center on the beautiful Monterey Peninsula coast. Case presentations and a keynote lecture by Dr. Allan Pessier of the San Diego Zoo make Asilomar "THE" place to be on 21 -22 April, 2011.

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2011 C. L. Davis FDN Gross/General Pathology Review

Date: July 11-18, 2011

Location: Sirata Beach Resort,
St. Pete's Beach, FL

Website: www.sirata.com

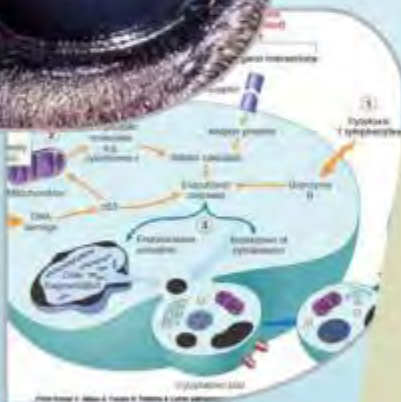
Following a very successful inaugural course in 2010, the combined Gross Path Review (now in its 38th year) and General Pathology Review (in its fourth strong year) are back!!! Designed to provide extra "bang for your buck", this eight-day course puts the core of two courses right on one of Florida's most beautiful and family-friendly beaches.

We have also obtained special rates (\$114/night) at the Sirata Beach Resort for this unique CME opportunity, as well as free parking, and no resort fees. Families are encouraged to attend.

Attendees may come for one or both courses – the tuition (same as last year!) is \$600 for one course and \$900 for both.

For more information, contact Course Director Dr. Bruce Williams at williams@cldavis.org or 301-467-4024 or visit the FDN web site at http://www.cldavis.org/upcoming_courses.

This course has been submitted (but not yet approved) for 22 hours of continuing education credit in jurisdictions which recognize AAVSB RACE approval; however participants should be aware that some boards have limitations on the number of hours accepted in certain categories and/or restrictions on certain methods of delivery of continuing education. Call Dr. James Britt, 501-907-2435, for further information.





Workshop & Symposium on Laboratory Animal Diseases Sponsored by the C.L. Davis DVM Foundation

Chicago, Illinois, U. S. A.

Wednesday 13 April through Saturday, 16 April, 2011

- Symposium on "Diseases of the Rat, Hamster, Guinea Pig, and Rabbit" by Dr. Stephen Barthold of the University of California at Davis
- Full use of the Biologic Resource Center's 14,000 kodachromes, numerous glass slides and DVD lectures on diseases of lab animal species
- Seminars on Primate Taxonomy, Mouse Nomenclature, Mouse Pathology, Review of Behavioral Methods Used in Biomedical Research, Review of Legislation, and the Large Animal Techniques
- Simulated Practical Examination

Program Director: JAMES E. ARTWOHL, DVM.

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For complete information on this course, please visit the Davis Foundation website at: <http://www.cldavis.org/courses/upcoming.html>



CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

April 2011:

4/13-4/16 [Workshop and Symposium on Lab Animal Diseases](#) – Chicago, IL

4/21-4/22 [28th Annual West Coast Division Meeting](#) – Asilomar, CA

May 2011:

5/23-5/27 [Descriptive Veterinary Pathology \(US\)](#) – Ithaca, NY

June 2011:

6/5-6/7 [Current Lab Animal Science Seminar](#) – VA Beach, VA

6/8-6/11 [Pathology of Lab Animals \(POLA\)](#) – VA Beach, VA

6/20-6/24 [Descriptive Veterinary Pathology \(Europe\)](#) – University College, Dublin

July 2011:

7/11-7-18 [Combined Gross Path/Gen Path Review Course](#) – St. Pete Beach, FL

December 2011:

12/3 CLD/ACVP Pre-conference Symposium – “Navigating the Great Pink Wasteland” – Nashville TN

BOOKSTORE ORDERS

We occasionally have problems with overseas credit card orders through the bookstore. If you find you cannot place your order please email, call or fax the Foundation at phone:

847-367-4359,

fax: 847-247-1869

email: cldavisdvm@comcast.net.

Make sure you include name, address, phone, email address and credit card number with expiration date and we will ship your purchase immediately.

ARTICLES NEEDED

NEWSLETTER DEADLINES

All materials must be received no later than the 15th of the previous month in order to be included in the newsletter.

Articles should be submitted as MS Word documents. Photos should be submitted as a JPEG.

Any advertisements or registration material for symposia or courses or should be submitted at least 3-4 months in advance.

