



## Post-Graduation on New Companion Animals

January 2026 – June 2026

| OPENNING SESSION               |                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
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| Jan 3rd   09h-13h              | <b>Teresa Teigão</b><br><b>Carolina Bento</b><br><b>Alexandre Azevedo</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction</li> <li>• Study Programme Overview</li> <li>• Module dates and content</li> <li>• Examinations</li> <li>• Guidelines for making the most of the Programme</li> </ul> |
| SMALL MAMMAL MEDICINE          |                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Jan 10 <sup>th</sup>   09h-13h | <b>Olivia Petritz</b>                                                     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Small Mammal Taxonomy</li> <li>• Small Mammal Anatomy and Physiology</li> </ul>                                                                                                    |
| Jan 17 <sup>th</sup>   09h-13h | <b>John Chitty</b>                                                        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Clinical Pathology of Rabbits, Rodents and Ferrets</li> <li>• Rabbit Gastroenterology</li> </ul>                                                                                   |
| Jan 24 <sup>th</sup>   09h-13h | <b>"Coming soon"</b>                                                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Small Mammal Odontology</b></li> </ul>                                                                                                                                          |
| Jan 31 <sup>st</sup>   09h-13h | <b>Miranda Sadar</b>                                                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Small Mammal Diagnostic Imaging</li> <li>• Small Mammal Surgery</li> </ul>                                                                                                         |
| Feb 07 <sup>th</sup>   09h-13h | <b>Sara Dias</b>                                                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Small Mammal Anaesthesia</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                |



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|                                |                                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Small Mammal Analgesia</li> </ul>                                                 |
| AVIAN MEDICINE                 |                                  |                                                                                                                          |
| Feb 14 <sup>th</sup>   09h-13h | Petra Schnitzer                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Avian Taxonomy</li> <li>Avian Anatomy and Physiology</li> </ul>                   |
| Feb 21 <sup>st</sup>   09h-13h | Lorenzo Crosta                   | "Coming soon"                                                                                                            |
| Feb 28 <sup>th</sup>   09h-13h | João Brandão                     | "Coming soon"                                                                                                            |
| Mar 07 <sup>th</sup>   09h-13h | Lorenzo Crosta / Petra Schnitzer | "Coming soon"                                                                                                            |
| Mar 14 <sup>th</sup>   09h-13h | João Brandão                     | "Coming soon"                                                                                                            |
| REPTILE AND AMPHIBIAN MEDICINE |                                  |                                                                                                                          |
| Mar 21 <sup>st</sup>   09h-13h | Norin Chai                       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Amphibian Taxonomy, Anatomy and Physiology</li> <li>Amphibian Medicine</li> </ul> |
| Mar 28 <sup>th</sup>   09h-13h | Tom Hellebuyck                   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reptile Taxonomy</li> <li>Reptile Anatomy and Physiology</li> </ul>               |
| Apr 11 <sup>th</sup>   09h-13h | Zdenek Knotek                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reptile Diagnostic Imaging</li> <li>Reptile Non-infectious Diseases</li> </ul>    |
| Apr 18 <sup>th</sup>   09h-13h | Zdenek Knotek                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reptile Diagnostic Imaging</li> <li>Reptile Non-infectious Diseases</li> </ul>    |

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| May 09 <sup>th</sup>   09h-13h | Tom Hellebuyck     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reptile Infectious Diseases</li> <li>Reptile Clinical Pathology</li> </ul>                         |
| INVERTEBRATE MEDICINE          |                    |                                                                                                                                           |
| May 16 <sup>th</sup>   09h-13h | Michelle O'Brien   | "Coming soon"                                                                                                                             |
| May 23 <sup>rd</sup>   09h-13h | Sarah Pellett      | "Coming soon"                                                                                                                             |
| FISH MEDICINE                  |                    |                                                                                                                                           |
| May 30 <sup>th</sup>   14h-18h | Peter Digeronimo   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Water Quality for Veterinarians</li> <li>Clinical Anatomy and Physiology of Fish</li> </ul>        |
| Jun 06 <sup>th</sup>   14h-18h | Claire Grosset     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Clinical Management of Fish</li> <li>Imaging Techniques in Fish</li> <li>Fish Analgesia</li> </ul> |
| EXAMINATIONS                   |                    |                                                                                                                                           |
| Jun 20 <sup>th</sup>   09h-11h | Examination Date 1 |                                                                                                                                           |
| Jun 27 <sup>th</sup>   09h-11h | Examination Date 2 |                                                                                                                                           |

## Notes

- Provisional programme subject to change.
- The schedule of North American lecturers may be adjusted due to time zone differences.
- The schedule is based on mainland Portugal time (Western European Time)