

# 2020 District 8 Meeting

Sacramento, CA  
April 9-10, 2020



Sheraton Grand Hotel  
1230 J. Street, Sacramento 95814

Hosted by Sacramento Valley and  
Northern CA AALAS Branches





## AALAS District 8 2020 Meeting Preliminary Program

Wednesday, April 8<sup>th</sup>: Afternoon

11:00am	Workshop Registration (Grand Nave Foyer) Sheraton Grand Hotel
12:00pm	<b>Rat Tickling Workshop - How to best handle your Rats!</b> <b>Facilitators:</b> Megan Lafollette, Amy Robinson-Junker MS, Brianna Gaskill PhD <b>Location:</b> UC Davis Cole Facility <i>Attendees are required to complete online training before the workshop</i>
12:30pm	<b>Submental Bleed and other peripheral bleed biometrics in mice Workshop</b> <b>Facilitators:</b> Elizabeth Carbone DVM, DACLAM; Betty MA DVM, DACLAM; Kristin Evans DVM, DACLAM <b>Location:</b> UC Davis Cole Facility
2:00pm	<b>Rat Tickling Workshop - How to best handle your Rats!</b> <b>Facilitator:</b> Megan Lafollette, Amy Robinson-Junker MS, Brianna Gaskill PhD <b>Location:</b> UC Davis Cole Facility <i>Attendees are required to complete online training before the workshop</i>



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7:00am	Registration (Grand Nave Foyer) Sheraton Grand Hotel		
8:00am	Breakfast-Welcome (Grand Nave Ballroom)		
8:30am	<p style="text-align: center;">Keynote Speaker – One Health at the Interface of Environmental Change and Global Health Security</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Christine Kreuder Johnson, School of Veterinary Medicine, UC Davis</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Grand Nave Ballroom)</p>		
9:40am	One Health: Animals, People, and the Environment		Animal Care & Husbandry
	<p style="text-align: center;">Lyme Disease: A Medical Review</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Scott Crabtree MD, UC Davis</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Location)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Decipher Cell Signaling in the Primary Cilium in the Developing Brain</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Xuecai Ge PhD, UC Merced</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Location)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Title</p> <p style="text-align: center;">TBD</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Location)</p>
10:30am	Morning Break & Commercial Exhibits (Grand Nave Ballroom) 10:30 – 10:55 am		
10:55am	<p style="text-align: center;">Advantages of a One Health Approach to Address Challenges of Climate Change</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Patricia A. Conrad DVM, PhD, UC Davis</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Location)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Title</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Ariel Escobar, PhD, UC Merced</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Location)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Title</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Kristin Evans, DVM, PhD</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Location)</p>
11:45am	<p style="text-align: center;">Viral emergence in marine mammals in the North Pacific maybe linked to Arctic sea ice reduction</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Tracey Goldstein, Ph.D. (location)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Tarantula Medicine</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Jenessa Gjeltema , DVM , Dipl. ACZM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Location)</p>	D8 Council Meeting
			<p style="text-align: center;">D8 Council Meeting</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Invite Only)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Location)</p>
12:35pm	Lunch & Ron Orta Award Presentation (Grand Nave Ballroom) 12:35pm – 1:20pm		
1:20pm	Commercial Exhibits (Grand Nave Ballroom) 1:20pm-1:40pm		



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1:00pm	Workshop: Mini Leadership Academy (Location)		Mini Leadership Academy (RSVP Required) (Location)
1:40pm	One Health: Animals, People, and the Environment		
	Recent Mouse Enrichment and Aging Studies at The Jackson Laboratory  <i>Andy Schile</i>  (Location)	The North American 3Rs Collaborative / Animal welfare meets human welfare: professional quality of life & compassion fatigue  <i>Megan R. LaFollette</i>  (Location)	Introductions/Speaker Introductions  1:00pm-1:30pm  Why Volunteer?? <i>Morag Mackay, AALAS Past President</i>  1:30- 2:15
2:30pm	TBD Exhibitor Presentation (Location)	TBD Exhibitor Presentation (Location)	Leadership Styles <i>Cindy Pekow, AALAS Past President</i>
2:35pm	Leading Change in a Laboratory Animal Science Environment  <i>Linda Waterman</i>  (Location)	Title  <i>Brian Bird</i>  (Location)	2:15-3:00  The Path to Leadership and Overcoming Challenges <i>Tracy Parker, AALAS President</i>  3:00-3:15 Break  3:15- 3:50
3:25pm	Afternoon Break & Commercial Exhibits (Grand Nave Ballroom) 3:25pm-3:45pm		Volunteer opportunities and the Benefits For You <i>Tom Chatkupt, District 8 Trustee</i>
3:45pm	New Concepts in Patient Monitoring and Support During Anesthesia  <i>Dave Daunt, DVM</i>  (Location)	Evaluating emerging evidence of pain in cephalopods  <i>Robyn Crook, Ph.D.</i>  (Location)	3:50-4:30  What Committee/Position is Right for Me? <i>Marc Hulin, Vice-President Elect</i>  4:30-4:45
4:40pm	Poster Judging (Grand Nave Foyer) 4:40pm-5:10pm		Open Session, Question and Answer  4:45-5:00  Closing Remarks and Survey
5:00pm	Wine & Cheese Reception (Grand Nave Foyer) 5:10pm-6:10pm		



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8:00am	Breakfast-Poster Award Presentations (Grand Nave Ballroom)		
8:30am	<b>One Health: Animals, People, and the Environment</b>		
	Modeling development of the gastrointestinal epithelium in zebrafish embryos  <i>Stephanie Woo, Ph.D.</i>  (Location)	Title  <i>Catherine Sohn</i>  (Location)	Title  <i>Tracy Parker</i>  (Location)
9:20am	Virus-free Stable Transgenesis  <i>Chih-Wen Ni, Ph.D.</i>  (Location)	Title  <i>Michael Wilkes</i>  (Location)	Body mass and blood pressure in a model of metabolic syndrome  <i>Rudy Ortiz, Ph.D.</i>  (Location)
10:10am	<b>Morning Break &amp; Commercial Exhibits (Grand Nave Ballroom) 10:10am-10:30am</b>		
10:30am	Genome-inspired investigations into biological novelty  <i>Chris Amemiya</i>  (Location)	Host immune responses shape <i>Coccidioides</i> infection outcome (Valley fever)  <i>Katrina Hoyer, Ph.D.</i>  (Location)	Gene Transcription in Neuronal Development and Function  <i>Ramendra N. Saha, Ph.D.</i>  (Location)
11:20am	TBD Exhibitor Presentation (Location)	TBD Exhibitor Presentation (Location)	TBD Exhibitor Presentation (Location)
11:25am	<b>Commercial Exhibits (Grand Nave Ballroom) 11:25pm-11:50am</b>		
11:50am	<b>Lunch (Grand Nave Ballroom) 11:50am-12:30pm</b>		



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12:30pm	<b>One Health: Animals, People, and the Environment</b>	
	<p>Marine Mammal Oral Trauma – a case series</p> <p><i>Judy Force, DVM, FAVD, DAVDC</i></p> <p>(Location)</p>	<p>“A sticky situation: unraveling how <i>Candida albicans</i> forms biofilms”</p> <p><i>Clarissa J. Nobile, Ph.D.</i></p> <p>(Location)</p>
1:20pm	<p>Planarians flatworms as model organism to understand molecular basis of tissue regeneration and human disease</p> <p><i>Nestor J. Oviedo, Ph.D.</i></p> <p>(Location)</p>	<p>Overcoming Early Adversity: What We Can Learn from Orphaned Kittens</p> <p><i>Dr. Mikel M. Delgado, PhD, Certified Applied Animal Behaviorist</i></p> <p>(Location)</p>
2:10pm	<p>Title</p> <p><i>TBD</i></p> <p>(Location)</p>	<p>Title</p> <p><i>TBD</i></p> <p>(Location)</p>