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University of Veterinary Medicine, Vienna



Summer School

Diagnostics In Parasitology



21-25 July 2025

University of Veterinary Medicine Vienna, Austria



Organisation:

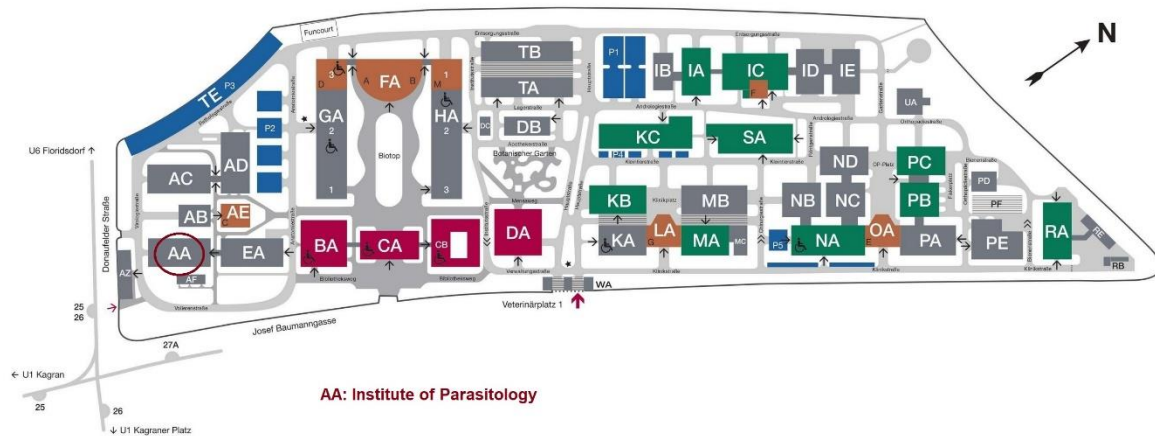
Anja Joachim, Jutta Pikalo, Maria Unterköfler

Location:

Institute of Parasitology
University of Veterinary Medicine Vienna, Austria
Veterinärplatz 1, 1210 Vienna

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Map of the University of Veterinary Medicine Vienna



Participants:

planned 10 (EVPC Residents have priority)

Participation fee:

None for the course. Accommodation, aliments, travel, and leisure activities must be covered by the participants. Funding from industrial partners is requested to cover parts of aliments and leisure activities.



Accommodations:

Several hotels are available close to the University, for example:

Hotel Donaustadt Kagran

<https://www.hoteldonaustadt-kagran.at/>

Arcotel Donauzentrum Wien

<https://donauzentrum.arcotel.com/en/>

Programme:

The summer school “Diagnostics In Parasitology” aims to train residents of the EVPC college in different diagnostic techniques and their applications in different animal species. The summer school focuses on endoparasites, but will also cover ectoparasites, in laboratory animals, wild animals, and domestic animals, including pets as well as animals for food production like ruminants, pigs, fish and poultry.

Exam:

The exam will be held in a multiple-choice format covering 2-3 questions from every section covered in the summer school.

Contact and registration:

ssdip@vetmeduni.ac.at

For registration, send an E-Mail containing the following information:

Name, Surname, Affiliation, E-Mail address

Please also indicate if you are an EVPC resident.



- **Day 1: Monday, 21st July**
 - 9:00-9:30 Registration
 - 9:30-10:45 L: Welcome Lecture (Anja Joachim)
 - Coffee break
 - 11:00-12:30 PA: Parasites of mice (Barbara Hinney)
 - Lunch
 - 13:30-15:00 PA: Parasites in pathology (René Brunthaler)
 - 16:00 Walk through the City of Vienna

- Day 2: Tuesday, 22nd July**
 - 9:00-12:00 L: Parasites of wildlife in the Schönbrunn Zoo (David Ebmer)
 - Lunch
 - 13:00-17:00 PA: Parasites of wildlife in the Schönbrunn Zoo (David Ebmer)

- **Day 3: Wednesday, 23rd July**
 - 9:00-10:45 L+PA: Cell culture, Autofluorescence (Teresa Cruz-Bustos)
 - Coffee break
 - 11:00-12:30 L+PA: Larval culture (Barbara Hinney, Bärbel Ruttkowski)
 - Lunch
 - 13:30-15:15 L+PA: Trematodes (Barbara Hinney)
 - Coffee break
 - 15:30-17:00 L+PA: Quantitative coproscopy (Barbara Hinney, Industry partners)
 - 18:00 Dinner at “Luftburg” and visit of the Vienna “Wurstlprater”

- **Day 4: Thursday, 24th July**
 - 9:00-10:45 L: Parasites of fish (Eva Lewisch)
 - Coffee break
 - 11:00-12:30 PA: Parasites of fish (Eva Lewisch)
 - Lunch
 - 13:30-15:15 PA: Parasites of poultry at necropsy (Dieter Liebhart)
 - Coffee break
 - 15:30-17:00 PA: Further examinations for the detection of parasites in poultry (Dieter Liebhart)

- **Day 5: Friday, 25th July**
 - 9:00-10:45 PA: Flotation, Serology (Maria Unterköfler, Jutta Pikalo)
 - Coffee break
 - 11:00-12:30 PA: Cytology (Ilse Schwendenwein)
 - Lunch
 - 13:30-15:00 Exam
 - Coffee break
 - 15:30-17:00 L: Certificates and concluding lecture (Anja Joachim)

L: Lecture, PA: Practical Activity



Lecturers:

Univ.-Prof. Dr.med.vet. Anja Joachim, Dipl.EVPC:
Head of Parasitology, University of Veterinary Medicine Vienna.

Dr.med.vet. Barbra Hinney, Dipl.EVPC:
Head of Diagnostic Unit, Parasitology, University of Veterinary Medicine Vienna.

Dr.med.vet. René Brunthaler, specialised veterinarian for pathology:
Senior lecturer at Pathology, University of Veterinary Medicine Vienna.

Dr.med.vet. David Ebmer:
EVPC Resident and head of Parasitology Lab at Schönbrunn Zoo, Vienna.

Teresa Cruz-Bustos, PhD:
PostDoc at Parasitology, University of Veterinary Medicine Vienna.

Priv.-Doz. Dr.med.vet. Eva Lewisch, Dipl.ECAAH, specialised veterinarian for fish:
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