

Short Course Program (DRAFT)

Monday 12 February - Workshops

9:00 to 4:00 pm
(Catered lunch included)

Wildlife Necropsy and Sampling Workshop

Karrie Rose – The Registry
Jane Hall – The Registry

9:00 am to 4:00 pm
(Catered lunch included)

Histopathology Master Class

Moderators:
Heather Fenton – The Registry
María Forzán – Long Island University

Tuesday 13 February – Emerging Diseases, Reptiles & Amphibians

8:00 am to 9:00 am

Registration

Session Chair – Karrie Rose/Heather Fenton – The Registry

9:00 am to 9:30 am

Welcome to Country – TBD, Cameron Kerr, Taronga Zoo

9:30 am to 10:30 am

Keynote Address: Emerging Infectious Diseases in Europe: Carlos Das Neves, European Food Safety Authority

10:30 am to 11:00 am

Break

11:00 am to 12:00 pm

Emerging Diseases of Bats, Anna Fagre, Colorado State University

12:00 pm to 1:00 pm

Lunch

Session Chair – TBC

1:00 pm to 2:00 pm

Crocodiles – Cathy Shilton, Berrimah Veterinary Laboratory, Northern Territory Government

2:00 pm to 3:00 pm

Amphibians – María Forzán, Long Island University

3:00pm to 3:30pm

Break

3:30 pm to 4:30 pm

Reptiles - Rob Ossiboff, University of Florida

5:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Happy Hour & Awards Ceremony with canapé's

Wednesday 14 February – Birds and Hot Topics

8:00 am to 9:00 am	Registration
Session Chair – Name – Organisation	
9:00 am to 10:00 am	Acknowledgement of Country Avian Influenza in Australia, Tiggy Grillo, Wildlife Health Australia
10:00 am to 10:45 am	Diseases of New Zealand Birds, Stuart Hunter, Massey University
10:45 am to 11:15 am	Break
11:15 am to 12:30 pm	Diseases of Australian Wild Birds, Peter Holz, Australian Wildlife Health Centre, Healesville Sanctuary, Zoos Victoria
12:30 pm to 1:30 pm	Lunch
Session Chair – TBC	
1:30 pm to 2:30 pm	North American Avian Mortality Cases, Heather Fenton, The Registry
2:30 pm to 3:00 pm	Break
3:00 pm to 3:30 pm	HOT TOPIC: Emerging Nidoviruses in Australian turtles – Kate Parrish, New South Wales, Department of Primary Industries
3:30 pm to 4:30 pm	Mystery Cases – Richard Ploeg, Australian Center for Disease Preparedness
6:00 pm to 8:30 pm	Social – dinner on own in Circular Quay (possible Botanical Gardens evening excursion)

Thursday 15 February – Aquatic Animals

8:00 am to 9:00 am	Registration
Session Chair – TBC	
9:00 am to 10:00 am	Acknowledgement of Country Fish Health, Cheryl Sangster, Freelance Veterinary Pathologist
10:00 am to 10:15 am	Break
Session Chair – TBC	
10:15 am to 11:15 am	Marine Turtle Health, Michelle Dennis, University of Tennessee
11:15 am to 12:00 pm	Emerging Invertebrate Diseases, Michelle Dennis, University of Tennessee

12:00 pm to 12:30 pm	Diseases of Platypus – Jessica Whinfield, Taronga Wildlife Hospital and Murdoch University
12:30 pm to 1:30 pm	Lunch
Session Chair – TBC	
1:30 pm to 2:30 pm	Diseases of Pinnipeds, Nahiid Stevens, Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development, Western Australia
2:30 pm to 3:30 pm	Diseases of Cetaceans, Nahiid Stevens, Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development, Western Australia
3:30 pm to 4:00 pm	Break
4:00 pm to 5:00 pm	Mystery Cases – Willy Suen, Australian Center for Disease Preparedness
6:00 pm to 9:00 pm	Conference Dinner

Friday 16 February – Terrestrial Australian Mammals

8:00 am to 8:30 am	Registration
Session Chair - TBC	
8:30 am to 9:30 am	Keynote address: Spillover - Emerging Viral Diseases: Raina Plowright, Cornell University
9:30 am to 10:00 am	Monotremes, Karrie Rose, The Registry
10:00 am to 10:30 am	Break
Session Chair – TBC	
10:30 am to 11:30 am	Dasyurid Diseases, Graeme Knowles, Department of Natural Resources and Environment, Tasmania
11:30 am to 12:30 pm	Koala Diseases Damian Higgins and Mark Krockenberger, University of Sydney
12:30 pm to 1:30 pm	Lunch
Session Chair – TBC	
1:30 pm to 2:15 pm	Wombat Diseases, Lucy Woolford, Vetnostics and University of Adelaide
2:15 pm to 3:15 pm	Possums, Gliders, Bandicoots & Bilbies, Karrie Rose, The Registry
3:15 pm to 3:45 pm	Break
3:45 pm to 4:45 pm	Macropod Diseases, Heather Fenton, The Registry
4:45 pm to 5:30 pm	Wildlife Health Highlights from Indonesia (primates/elephants): TBD
6:30 pm to 9:00 pm	Dinner on own