



28-29 september 2024

University of Tennessee UTVMC-SACS
2407 River Drive 37996 Knoxville TN

Intrauma TPLO Workshop #intraumacademy

/ Course Description

This interactive course includes lectures and laboratories to teach participants the theory and method of tibial plateau leveling osteotomy (TPLO). Participants will perform TPLOs on plastic bones using state of the art equipment and implants. Participants will use locking plate technology to simplify, increase precision and reduce complications of the procedure. Participants should have a basic knowledge of the surgical anatomy and approach to the stifle. Postoperative management will also be discussed. This course is appropriate for specialists, residents, interns and general practitioners with an interest in advancing their decision-making skills and treatment of patients having CrCL rupture.

/ DAY 1

- 08:00 - 08:30** CCL disease – anatomy, types of tears and diagnosis
- 08:30 - 09:00** Meniscal tears and management
- 09:00 - 09:30** TPLO – indications and rationale
- 09:30 - 10:00** TPLO – Planning
- 10:00 - 10:15** **Coffee Break**
- 10:15 - 11:00** **Laboratory 1**- pre-op computer planning of TPLO
- 11:00 - 12:00** TPLO – surgical approach and technique
- 12:00 - 13:00** **Lunch Break**
- 13:00 - 13:30** **Laboratory 2** – TPLO (bone model) Demo
- 13:30 - 14:30** **Laboratory 3** – TPLO (bone model)
- 14:30 - 15:00** **Coffee Break**
- 15:00 - 15:30** Complications with TPLO and management
- 15:30 - 16:00** Post operative management
- 16:00 - 16:30** Post operative assessment
- 16:30** Summary of the day

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Prof. Cassio Ferrigno
Dr. David Dycus
Dr. Vanessa Ferraz

/ Cost

\$ 1850.00

Course includes:
3 coffee breaks 2 lunches
Bone model to take home with plate



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/ DAY 2

- 08:00 - 08:30** **Laboratory 4** – Surgical approach (cadaver) Demo
- 08:30 - 11:30** **Laboratory 5** – TPLO cadaver #1
- 11:30 - 12:30** **Lunch**
- 12:30 - 13:30** Radiographic review of cadaver #1
- 13:30 - 15:30** **Laboratory 6** – TPLO cadaver #2
- 15:30** Conclusions and course wrap up

/ HOTEL CLOSE TO WORKSHOP VENUE

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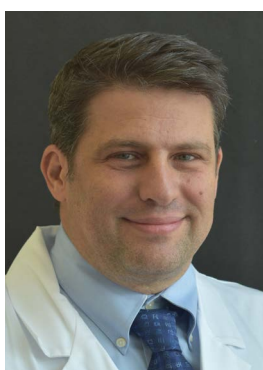
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The speakers



Prof. Cassio Ferrigno

He holds a degree in Veterinary Medicine from the Paulista Júlio de Mesquita Filho State University (1991), a Master’s Degree in Veterinary Surgery from the University of São Paulo (1995) and a PhD in Veterinary Surgery from the University of São Paulo (2000) and postdoctoral studies at the University of Florida in 2006-2007. Currently it is PROF. University of São Paulo and member and instructor of the AO - “Arbeitsgemeinschaft fur Osteosynthesefragen” (Association for the Study of Internal Fixation). He held a mandate from 07/2015 to 06/2017 as Chairperson of AOVET Latin America, and is currently Chairperson Community Development AOVET. He has experience in Veterinary Medicine, with emphasis in Animal Surgical Clinic, mainly in veterinary orthopedics, mainly in dogs and cats, with great interest and experience in corrective osteotomies, angular deformities, circular fixers, treatment and rehabilitation of patients with major bone traumas , and diseases of the knee of dogs



Dr. David L. Dycus, DVM, MS, CCRP

Diplomate, American College of Veterinary Surgeons- Small Animal
Founder, Ortho Vet Consulting
Founder/Director, Fusion Veterinary Orthopedics

Dr. Dycus attended Mississippi State University's College of Veterinary Medicine for his veterinary degree, Auburn University for a small animal rotating internship, and Mississippi State for a combined surgical residency and Masters degree.

Dr. Dycus is frequently asked to lecture locally, nationally, and internationally. He has given over 200 continuing education lectures and taught over 125 laboratories. He has published numerous research articles and authored or co-authored several book chapters. He is the co-editor of the textbook: *Complications in Canine Cranial Cruciate Ligament Surgery*.

Along with being a scientific reviewer for multiple journals, he serves on the editorial review board and is the associate editor (orthopedics) for *Veterinary Surgery*, the official publication of the American and European Colleges of Veterinary Surgeons. He has previously held an appointment on the research committee for the American College of Veterinary Surgeons. Currently Dr. Dycus is on the Board of Trustees for the American College of Veterinary Surgeons, is a council member for the Association for Veterinary Orthopedic Research and Education (AVORE) and is on the education committee for AO North America.

He is the founder and director of Fusion Veterinary Orthopedics, and is the founder of Ortho Vet Consulting, an educational consulting and orthopedic coaching service.



Dr. Vanessa Ferraz, DVM, Ms, PhD

Dr Ferraz attended the School of Veterinary Medicine of the University of Sao Paulo, graduating in 2005. She defended her Master's degree in small animal surgery at the same university in 2008 and her PhD also in small animal surgery at the University of Sao Paulo in 2013.

Dr Ferraz has been teaching on orthopedic surgery in small animal and exotics since 2006 in Latin and North America and Europe, in lectures, labs, online classes and conferences. She has published 25 papers in peer reviewed publications, and 4 book chapters.

Dr Ferraz is currently adjunct professor at the University of Tennessee and at LMU, and works as surgeon at Dogwood Emergency and Specialty in Atlanta and as a mobile surgeon in Tennessee.

