



## Introduction to and Fundamentals of TPLO July 20-22, 2022

### Day 1

- 12:00 pm [Lunch and CSUVetCE Welcome](#)
- 1:00 pm Course objectives
- 1:15 pm Cranial Cruciate Ligament Injury & Disease – Etiology / Diagnosis
- 1:45 pm Meniscal injury and treatment
- 2:15 pm [Break](#)
- 2:30 pm **Laboratory 1 – Approach to the Stifle / Meniscal Treatment: Cadaver #1 (Left & Right Stifles) – Please close your stifle approach so they are ready for TPLO tomorrow.**
- 5:00 pm TPLO Indications / Rationale
- 5:30 pm Radiography for TPLO: patient positioning, diagnostic evaluation, measuring TPA, TPLO planning
- 6:00 pm [End of Day: Discussion of Take-Home Point](#)

### Day 2

- 7:30 am [Breakfast](#)
- 8:00 am Demo - Measuring TPA Demo using vPOP-Pro
- 8:30 am **Laboratory 2 – Workbook Exercise – Measuring TPA** \*\*Attendees are encouraged to bring their own laptop or tablet with a free trial of vPOP-Pro (veterinary preoperative orthopedic planning) loaded on it for this and your subsequent homework exercise). [www.vpop-pro.com](http://www.vpop-pro.com)
- 9:30 am TPLO Surgical Technique: the devil is in the details
- 10:00 am **Laboratory 3 – TPLO on Plastic Bone Models (2)**
- 12:00 pm [Lunch](#)
- 1:00 pm **Laboratory 4 – Plan your TPLO's – You will be given preoperative radiographs of both stifles for both of your cadavers**



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- 2:00 pm **Laboratory 5 – Cadaver #1 TPLO (Left & Right Stifle)** – CE Lab crew will shoot 2-view postop rads of each stifle for tomorrow morning’s rad review session.
- 5:00 pm Break
- 5:15 pm After Care / Post-Op Management
- 5:45 pm Discussion of Day 2 Take-Home Points and Key Concepts
- 6:00 pm End of Day

### Day 3

- 7:30 am Breakfast
- 8:00 am **Radiograph review session – Cadaver #1 (Left & Right Stifles)**
- 9:30 am Break
- 9:45 am **Laboratory 6 – Cadaver #2 Approach to Stifle/Meniscal Treatment/TPLO (Right Stifle)**
- 12:00 pm Lunch
- 1:00 pm **Laboratory 6 – Cadaver #2 Approach to Stifle/Meniscal Treatment/TPLO (Left Stifle)**
- 3:15 pm Break
- 3:30 pm TPLO Outcomes
- 4:00 pm Complications: Detection and Management
- 4:30 pm Excessive TPA
- 5:00 pm TPLO with MPL
- 5:30 pm Discussion of Take-Home Points and Key Concepts; Application to your practice
- 6:00 pm End of Day

Total Instructional Hours: 21



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