

Registration Information

Course fees: \$750 (U.S. funds only). Registration includes conference instruction, continental breakfast, refreshments, lunch and course proceedings. Course registration must be received by February 25, 2011. Registration is open on a first-come, first-served basis and may close prior to February 25, 2011 if the course is filled.

You may cancel your conference registration at any time prior to February 25, 2011, and receive an 80 percent refund of the course fee. There will be no refunds for cancellations received after February 25, 2011. There are no refunds for no shows. If the course is cancelled, you will receive a full refund.

For further information or to register, please see our web site at vetmedce.osu.edu or contact:

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Course Objectives

Participants will:

- Understand the principles of the Tightrope technique
- Know indications for using the technique
- Understand current evidence regarding clinical outcomes of the technique
- Feel comfortable performing the technique in clinical patients

Accommodation Information

The Blackwell Inn

2110 Tuttle Park Place
Columbus, Ohio 43210
(614) 247-4000 or 1-866-247-4003
www.theblackwell.com
\$109 rate (plus tax and valet parking, provides airport and campus transportation)
Group Code: VETMED0311

Varsity Inn South

1445 Olentangy River Road
Columbus, Ohio 43212
(614) 291-2983
\$59 rate (plus tax)
Group Code: Vet Med CE

Be sure to mention the group name to receive the discounted rate. Reservations within room blocks must be made by February 25, 2011.

Tightrope Bone Conference

For Veterinarians and Technicians

March 12, 2011

The Ohio State University
Veterinary Medical Center
601 Vernon L. Tharp Street
Columbus, Ohio 43210
<http://vetmedce.osu.edu>

6 CE Hours



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Saturday, March 12, 2011

7:30 AM Registration / Continental Breakfast

8:00 Welcome & Introduction

8:30 Background - Current Evidence for CCL
Surgeries, Why TR

9:30 Tightrope Technique

10:15 Break

10:30 Results

11:30 Dry Lab Exercise Using Sawbones

12:30 PM Lunch

1:30 Wet Lab Exercise Tightrope Technique

3:00 Questions & Discussion

3:30 Adjourn - Certificates & Course Evaluations

Course Description

This laboratory will provide a didactic section covering the principles of the Tightrope CCL materials and technique, a step-by-step presentation of the surgical technique, and presentation of data regarding the clinical results of the technique from a prospective cohort (TPLO) study in canine patients. The laboratory sessions will include a dry lab demonstration of the technique by the instructor(s) showing the technique as performed on sawbones. The participants will then receive hands-on training in a wet-lab period in which each person can perform the technique on a cadaveric canine stifle. Individuals signing up for this laboratory should be comfortable and experienced with performing aseptic exploratory arthrotomy or arthroscopy of the canine stifle, as well as traditional cruciate stabilization techniques. Attendees are expected to understand the principles of the technique, indications for using the technique, current evidence regarding clinical outcomes of the technique, and feel comfortable performing the technique in clinical patients after completion of the laboratory.

Speakers

Dr. Chad Devitt, DVM, MS, Diplomate ACVS
Veterinary Referral Center of Colorado
Englewood, CO

Dr. Peter Lotsikas, DVM, Diplomate ACVS
Veterinary Orthopedic and Sports Medicine Group
Annapolis Junction, MD

Registration Form

Tightrope Bone Conference
March 12, 2011

Course Fee:

\$750 Full Day Registration

DVM____ VMD____ Other (specify)_____

Name_____

Address_____

City_____

State_____ Zip_____

Phone_____ Fax_____

E-mail_____

Method of Payment

Check or Money order

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