



February 2020

#### **Dear Colleagues**

The ECVP/ESVP Education Committee is now organising the Summer School 2020 which will take place in Zagreb, Croatia, from Monday 13<sup>th</sup> July to Friday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2020.



**Zagreb** is a distinctly central European city situated in the middle of the triangle of Vienna, Budapest, and Venice. It has always been and remains a part of the cultural circle of central Europe. Zagreb is a city with a tradition of almost one thousand years. Zagreb University was founded in the 17th century. As the capital of Croatia, Zagreb lives a rich cultural life, with more than 20 theatres, 3 concert halls, around 60 museums, and art galleries. It is a big center of congress tourism, economic and business events, and trade fairs not only in Croatia but also in this part of Europe. We could summarize the impressions of the growing number of foreigners who visit Zagreb in one sentence: a city of a million inhabitants that has managed to stay romantic, clean, and which offers visitors pleasant walks and enjoyment in a city full of parks and pedestrian zones.

#### Faculty of Veterinary Medicine University of Zagreb (VEF)

The Faculty was founded in 1919 as the School of Veterinary Medicine in Zagreb, at the beginning twelve departments were opened and the study lasted eight semesters. The School of Veterinary Medicine was renamed to the Faculty of Veterinary Medicine on 7th December 1924 and became a constituent part of the University of Zagreb. In the last 100 years the Faculty was, and still is, the only higher education institution in the field of veterinary medicine that ensures the formation of highly skilled veterinary professionals in Croatia. The faculty consists of 15 buildings with large green areas in between.



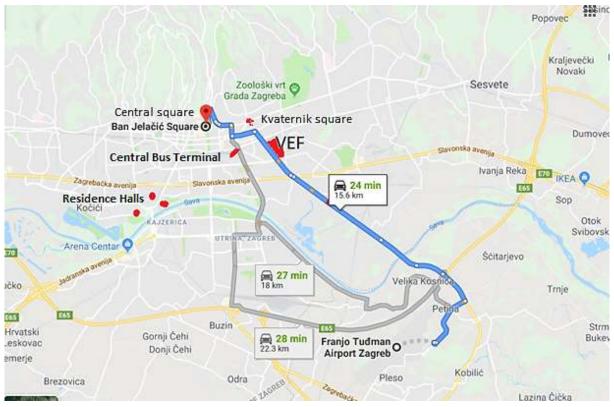






#### Travel to the University (Faculty of Veterinary Medicine)

Zagreb has an international airport Franjo Tuđman which offers direct flights to Europe's main airports. The transport from the Airport to the city is possible by <u>By Airport Shuttle</u> (The scheduled airport shuttle "Pleso prijevoz" is operating between the Airport and the Zagreb Central Bus Terminal), <u>By Taxi / Rent-a-car</u>, <u>By ZET Bus</u> (ZET Line 290 (Zagreb Electric Tram) is operating between the Airport and the Zagreb Kvaternik Square (direction Kvaternikov trg). Departures are scheduled every 35 minutes. (informations available at: <u>http://www.zagreb-airport.hr/en/passengers/to-from-the-airport/35</u>). In the city, transport is organized by ZET trams and buses.



#### Tram tickets

There are several options for tram ticket prices: the cheapest ticket is 4 HRK (60 cents) - this ticket is valid only 30 minutes in one direction (which is enough to arrive from the residence to the VEF or city centre). In our opinion the best option is to buy a ticket valid for 15 days – the price is 200 HRK (28 euros) (<u>http://www.zet.hr/</u> or <u>http://www.zet.hr/en</u>).





#### Accommodation

Recommended accommodation is in **Student residence hall (**Stjepan Radić or Cvjetno naselje). Residences are located near the river Sava. All rooms are double-bed rooms with a small refrigerator, a shared bathroom and shared kitchen/kitchenette on every floor. Bedclothes are included. Visitors should bring their own towels. The price of the accommodation is 1460 HRK (Croatian kuna) (approximately 200 euros) – this price is fixed for the whole summer (participants can stay longer than 2 weeks for the same price). The price is for the room (not for the person). Internet is available in each room through wireless and data cable (please bring your own). Internet access is through eduroam service and you should have AAI identity.



Student Residence Halls are located in close proximity to each other and they are approximately 5 to 7 km from the Veterinary Faculty and just as much from the city center. There is a good connection between residences, VEF and city centre by trams. *Many shops and bakeries are located around the area. There is no possibility to organize breakfast in Residence Halls during the summer.* 





### Programme Summer School 2020

Day	Topic	Lecturers	
Sunday, 12.07.20	-	DF PARTICIPANTS -	
Monday, 13.07.20 - all day	Cytology	Paula Grest, Christiane Krudewig	
Tuesday, 14.07.20 AM PM	Cytology Female	Paula Grest, Christiane Krudewig Robert Foster	
Wednesday, 15.07.20 - all day	Female	Robert Foster	
Thursday, 16.07.20 - all day	Skin	Monika Welle, Dominique Wiener	
Friday, 17.07.20 - all day	Skin	Monika Welle, Dominique Wiener	
Saturday, 18.07.20	- FREE -		
Sunday, 19.07.20 - all day	Mock exam	Andrea Gröne and team	
Monday, 20.07.20 <b>AM</b>	Mock exam	Andrea Gröne and team	
Monday, 20.07.20 <b>PM</b>	Avian	Natalia Majo/ Antonio Ramis	
Tuesday, 21.07.20 - all day	Avian	Natalia Majo /Antonio Ramis	
Wednesday, 22.07.20 AM PM	Avian Carcinogenesis (General and Diagnostic Tumor Pathology )	Natalia Majo/Antonio Ramis Achim Gruber/Robert Klopfleisch	
Thursday, 23.07.30 AM PM	Carcinogenesis (General and Diagnostic Tumor Pathology ) EM	Achim Gruber/ Robert Klopfleisch Koen Chiers & Richard Ducatelle	
Friday, 24.07.20 AM PM	EM Mock exam: discussion	Koen Chiers & Richard Ducatelle Andrea Gröne and team	

Please be advised that programme timings and speakers may be subject to last minute changes.





#### Registration

Places at the Summer School 2020 are available on a first come, first serve basis. We would now like to invite you to register for the event.

The Summer School is organised under the financial responsibility of the ECVP and ESVP. We are very keen on maintaining it as a low-cost event and are making every effort to keep the cost for the attendees as low as possible.

A reduced registration fee is offered to those trainees who are also ESVP members. To become an ESVP member, please visit their website:

<u>http://www.esvp.eu/organization/membership-and-annual-fees</u> and complete the relevant forms. If you have difficulties obtaining an ESVP member to nominate you, please contact the ECVP Office for assistance.

#### **Registration fees**

Trainees in Veterinary Pathology/ESVP Members:	€ 400
Non-ESVP members:	€ 650

Registration fees will allow you to participate in lectures and practical classes. All lecture information will be put on a password protected section on the ECVP website for downloading prior/during the Summer School.

Attendance of selected sessions may be possible and the costs for participation will be calculated at €100 per day.

Upon completion of registration, we will ask all registered participants to transfer the registration fee, which will then confirm their place.

#### Financial support

A maximum number of 10 stipends covering the registration fees will be available to participants at an early stage of their career as a pathologist whose financial circumstances make it difficult to attend the event without further financial support. Again, ESVP membership or confirmed application for membership is a requirement for eligibility. The deadline for stipend applications is **Friday 20th March 2020** but please ensure that you register first.

Registration for the Summer School 2020 is being handled by our administrative assistant, Irini Thanou in the ECVP Office (admin@ecvpath.org). Registration forms should be submitted online by **Friday 27th March 2020**.

We look forward to meeting you in Zagreb.

Yours sincerely

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