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Società Italiana  
Agopuntura Veterinaria



Italian Veterinary  
Acupuncture Society

			
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## X INTERNATIONAL VETERINARY ACUPUNCTURE SEMINAR

### Friday September 25, 2009

<b>12:30 PM</b>	<b>Registration</b>
<b>2:00 PM</b>	<b>OPENING CEREMONY – WELCOME BY THE SIAV COMMITTEE</b>
<b>2:30 PM</b> <b>5:30 PM</b>	<b>SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS</b>
<b>5:45 PM</b>	<b>Concluding remarks</b>

### Saturday, September 26, 2009

<b>8:30 AM</b>	<b>Registration</b>
<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>INTRODUCTORY REMARKS</b>
<b>9:30 AM</b> <b>1:00 PM</b>	<b>SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS</b>
<b>1:15 PM</b> <b>2:15 PM</b>	<b>Lunch break and trade exhibition</b>
<b>2:30 PM</b> <b>5:30 PM</b>	<b>SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS</b>
<b>5:30 PM</b>	<b>Concluding remarks</b>
<b>8:30 PM</b>	<b>Gala dinner – Celebrations for the 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of SIAV</b>

## Sunday, September 27, 2009

8:30 AM	Registration
9:00 AM	INTRODUCTORY REMARKS
9:30 AM 1:00 PM	SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS
1:30 PM	Concluding remarks – Distribution of certificates of attendance

### **Scientific Committee:**

Dr. Margherita Gazzola – Dr. Luca Vigo (Italy - **SIAV**)

Dr. Francisco Minguell (Spain - **SEAV**)

Dr. Didier Schmitt (France – **GEA AFVAC**)

### **GOALS OF THE INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR**

In recent years, *veterinary neurology* has achieved the status of a specialized discipline which calls for a systematic approach that starts by carefully analyzing the symptomatology and identifying injuries in order to develop targeted treatments for small animals such as dogs and cats, as well as exotic animals, farm animals and horses.

Traditional Chinese Veterinary Medicine (**TCVM**), and its major branch, Veterinary Acupuncture (**VA**), in particular, have a significant role in the diagnosis and treatment of various neurological pathologies. Many scientific studies have demonstrated the mechanisms by which their effects are achieved: by inserting needles (acupuncture), applying heat (moxibustion), exerting finger pressure (Tuina and Shiatsu), body movements (functional gymnastics), nutritional advice (dietetics) and administering herbal medicines (phytotherapy), it is possible to affect the body's deep functions and correct the unbalance that lies at the root of the neurological pathology.

The **X International Veterinary Acupuncture Seminar** addresses all of these issues, and will provide an opportunity for veterinary physicians to meet and exchange views: combining a variety of medical disciplines provides a broader range of diagnostic and therapeutic approaches, enhancing medical treatment in the spirit of scientific pluralism and respect for the veterinarian's freedom of choice.

With the current trend towards Evidence-Based Medicine, the role of experience must necessarily be seen as fundamental: for this type of medicine, TCM and its counterparts throughout Asia have accumulated clinical evidence – or experience – over thousands of years across wide areas of the planet.

### **LOCATION**

Torino – Italy

## **REGISTRATION**

### **Fees**

<b>SIAV members</b>	<b>VAM members</b>	<b>Nonmembers</b>
<b>€ 180</b>	<b>€ 250</b>	<b>€ 350</b>

Registration forms and fees must be received by the **SIAV** Secretary's Office no later than **July 12, 2009**.

Registration fee includes:

- Seminar handouts and educational materials
- Coffee breaks
- Working lunches
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Cancellations and requests for refunds should be sent by fax or mail to the secretary's office. If received by August 30, 50% of the amount paid will be returned. No refunds will be made after this date.

Additional charge for the gala dinner  
**€ 55** per person.

Please indicate the number of guests you will be bringing on the registration form.

### **FOR INFORMATION, CONTACT:**

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### **SEND REGISTRATIONS TO:**

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## REGISTRATION FORM

(send no later than **July 12, 2009** together with proof of payment of registration fee).

**Name**

**Surname**

**Date of birth**

**Place of birth**

**Tax code**

**S.I.A.V. member: YES NO**

**V.A.M. member: YES NO**

**Address**

**Postal code**

**City**

**Country**

**Phone**

**Mobile**

**Fax**

**E-mail**

**Gala dinner:**

**Number of participants (including guests):**

## PAYMENT

- **Bank transfers** should be made out to:  
Società Italiana di Agopuntura Veterinaria S.I.A.V.
- UniCredit Banca  
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VETERINARIA  
Please indicate "Iscrizione S.I.A.V." in the space provided for specifying the reason  
for the transaction.
- **Bank or cashier's checks** should be made out to S.I.A.V

**S.I.A.V.** - Società Italiana Agopuntura Veterinaria  
Via Vanchiglia 27, 10124 Torino.

Date:

Signature:

### Personal data

I authorize your organization to use, process and maintain records of electronic and hardcopy data concerning myself for purposes of participating in the event, distributing information and brochures regarding training activities, meetings and seminars, publicizing the event, and conducting statistical surveys pursuant to Legislative Decree 196/03, the Personal Data Protection Code.

I understand that:

- The data controller as defined by the Personal Data Protection Code is the Società Italiana Agopuntura Veterinaria, via Vanchiglia 2, 10124 Torino, Italy.

By affixing my signature below, I give my explicit consent to the use of my personal data for the purposes indicated above.

I consent

I do not consent

Date:

Signature:

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How to get to the Seminar venue.

**HOTEL ACCOMMODATION IN THE VICINITY (rates as of April 2009)**