

Raising the bar on responsibility and sustainability of dog sourcing and supply

AGENDA - DAY 1

- 3:15-3:30 Welcome and acknowledgements; *Candace Croney, PhD, Purdue University*
- 3:30-3:45 The need to address canine welfare in commercial breeding: social, scientific and regulatory factors; *Candace Croney, PhD, Purdue University*
- 3:45-4:30 Dog imports, trafficking and implications for health and welfare: the case for addressing canine welfare in US commercial breeding kennels; *Naomi Kirby Sismour, DVM, MS, National Center for Emerging and Zoonotic Infectious Diseases (NCEZID), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC); Dawn C. Fitzhugh, VMD, MPH, DACLAM, DACVPM, USDA, APHIS, Animal Care*
- 4:30-5:00 Raising the bar on responsibility in commercial breeding: a regulatory perspective from IN; *Bret Marsh, DVM, IN Board of Animal Health*
- 5:00-5:45 Getting creative on rehoming: old problems, new approaches, new challenges and lessons learned; *Martha Boden, SPCA Tampa Bay, Chris Fleming, Pinnacle Pet and All Dog's Dream*
- 5:45-6:00 Q and A all speakers
- 6:00-6:45 Networking reception & new Canine Care Certified breeder registration- **Sponsored by K9 Partners and Lovable Gold Star Puppies**
- 6:45-7:30 Awards and recognition program - Celebrating 10 years of partnerships and advancement in supporting welfare of dogs in commercial breeding
- Acknowledgements; *Candace Croney, PhD, Purdue University*
Sponsors & special guests in attendance
Certified Breeder Recognition
Special thanks
- In memorium; *remarks by IN Senator Blake Doriot*
- Craig E. Curry Vision Award; *presented by Amy Curry*
- Community Building Award
- Outstanding Outreach Award
- Outstanding Care Award; **made available through support from Pinnacle Pet, Lovable Gold Star Puppies, and Dr. Denise Katz**
- 7:30-10:00 Networking

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AGENDA - DAY 2

- 7:30-8:30 Breakfast; **sponsored by AKC and Purina Pro Plan**
- 8:30-8:45 WELCOME and acknowledgements; *Candace Croney, PhD, Purdue University*
- 8:45-9:00 Advancing canine health and welfare in US commercial breeding; *Bret Marsh, DVM, IN Board of Animal Health*
- 9:00-9:50 Why is pre-breeding health screening for dogs important? What every breeder and veterinarian should know; *Katie Hornberger DVM, DACT Janssen Veterinary Clinic - Repro Center; sponsored by ICAW*
- 9:50-10:30 BREAK & NETWORKING
- 10:30-11:30 Genetic screening 1; what should you test for and why does it matter? *Jenna Dockweiler, MS, DVM, DACT, CCRT, CVAT, Embark*
Genetic screening 2: how to incorporate test results into breeding decisions (including matching of dogs) and educate customers about them; *Jenna Dockweiler, MS, DVM, DACT, CCRT, CVAT, Embark*
- 11:30-1:00 LUNCH & NETWORKING; **sponsored by Embark and Pinnacle Pet**
- 1:00-1:10 Future-proofing for sustainable, ethical dog supply: adapting to new data and changing social dynamics; *Candace Croney, PhD, Purdue University*
- 1:10-1:20 What is the data on rehoming of dogs from commercial kennels telling us? *Judi Stella, PhD, Purdue University*
- 1:20-1:30 Challenges and opportunities in rehoming dogs from commercial kennels: a veterinary perspective; *Denise Katz, DVM, The Love Pet Project*
- 1:30- 2:00 Barking up the right tree: putting your behavioral wellness plan to work to help get dogs in homes and keep them there; *Traci Shreyer, M.A*
- 2:00-2:45 Adapting responsibly to changing market conditions: management, breeding decisions, rehoming and business strategies that support canine welfare; *John Troyer, Family Affair Puppies; Denise Katz, DVM, The Love Pet Project, Nathan Wagler, Lovable Gold Star Puppies; sponsored by ICAW*
- 2:45-3:15 Panel discussion and Q & A
- 3:15-3:30 Wrap up and Close; *Candace Croney, PhD, Purdue University*

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