



Working to Decrease Overpopulation

Drs. Kim Carter, clinical assistant professor in shelter medicine and surgery, and **Billy Clay** ('70) have teamed up with Spay FIRST to help with the problem of pet overpopulation. Read about their work in [The Overpopulation Problem](#).

Publications

Brandao J, Rick M, Mayer J. Endocrine System in: Mitchell M. Tully T, eds. *Current Therapy in Exotic Pet Medicine*. 1st ed. St. Louis, Mo: Elsevier, 2016; 277-351.

Johnson III JG, Brandao J, Perry SM, Mitchell M. Urinary System in: Mitchell M. Tully T, eds. *Current Therapy in Exotic Pet Medicine*. 1st ed. St. Louis, Mo: Elsevier, 2016; 494-548.

The Circle of Giving

David Traub, M.D., of Tulsa, Okla., has been bringing his pets to the OSU Veterinary Medical Hospital for seven years. The veterinary medical care given to his animals has inspired him to give. Read about it and watch a short video in [Circle of Giving](#).

Vet Cetera is Here!

The 2015 issue of *Vet Cetera*, the annual magazine for the Center for Veterinary Health Sciences, has arrived. It should be hitting mailboxes this week.

Unfortunately, the wrong Transition Ceremony group photo appears in the printed version. This is the Class of 2016 at their Transition Ceremony in April 2015:



Blood Drive Today

The CVHS is hosting a blood drive today, Jan. 25, from 3:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. in the Old Phys lab, Room 152 McElroy Hall. Please take a few minutes to help save lives.

Interdisciplinary Toxicology Symposium

The Interdisciplinary Toxicology Symposium will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 27, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. in the McElroy Hall Auditorium. The program includes presentations by seven graduate fellows and three experts in diverse but related fields.

- **Ayusman Sen, PhD**, will present "Self-powered enzyme pumps for detecting and reacting with specific toxicants."
- **Peter Goering, PhD**, is the 16th Annual Sitlington Lecture in Toxicology speaker. He will present "In vitro tissue-materials interactions assessment of nanostructured surfaces for medical device applications."
- **George Cobb, PhD**, will present "Identifying, assessing and managing contaminants of emerging concern."

The program will be live streamed on O State TV at <http://www.ostate.tv/> for those who are unable to attend. For additional information visit [Interdisciplinary Toxicology Symposium](#).

Veterinary Biomedical Sciences Seminar

Amanda Blom, DVM, will present "Interaction of *Rickettsia spp.* in ticks and vertebrates" on Thursday, Jan. 28, at 4 p.m. in Room 259 McElroy Hall. Blom is a graduate teaching assistant and a PhD

The online version has the correct photo; our sincere apologies to the Class of 2016.

You can view the online version of [Vet Cetera here](#). Please feel free to share the link with friends and family.

student mentored by **Dr. Susan Little**, Veterinary Pathobiology.

OVMA Convention and Expo

Join the CVHS at the OVMA's 101st Annual Convention and Expo on Jan. 29 and 30 in the Doubletree Hotel and Cox Convention Center in Tulsa, Okla. Be sure to visit the CVHS booth # 75 in the Exhibit Hall.



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