



Getting to Know You



Erik Clary, DVM, PhD, DACVS, is an associate professor of small animal surgery and bioethics in the Department of Veterinary Clinical Sciences. Originally from Imperial, Calif., he earned his DVM and MS degrees from Kansas State University. After completing an internship at the University of Georgia and a residency at North Carolina State University, he was awarded diplomate status in the American College of Veterinary Surgeons. Post-residency, Clary landed at Duke University Medical Center as a researcher focusing on pre-clinical development of minimally-invasive surgical methods and technologies with human patients in view. In that work, he also advocated strongly for the welfare of research animals, helping to identify inanimate alternatives, less invasive procedures, and better analgesic protocols. More recently, Clary has pursued graduate studies in ethics culminating in the PhD degree. His field of expertise is bioethics and in his work at OSU, he intends to focus his research on issues situated at the nexus of human and animal with particular emphasis on veterinary medical ethics and the animal rights-welfare debate.

Erik is the youngest of five siblings and an identical twin. One of his three sisters, **Cynda Clary, PhD**, presently serves as an associate dean in CASNR.

Congratulations, Dr. Jamieson!

Congratulations to **Dr. Camilla Jamieson** on recently becoming a Diplomate of the American College of Veterinary Internal Medicine (Large Animal). Jamieson, a former resident in equine internal medicine mentored by **Dr. Todd Holbrook**, now works at Katy Equine Clinic near Houston, Texas.

Friends of the Veterinary Center Help with Hawk Release

Dr. John Vonhof, sponsor of the Hank Vonhof Memorial Foundation Scholarship, and **Beverly Mullins** recently helped **Dr. Joao Brandao** return a rehabilitated hawk to the wild. Watch this magnificent animal in flight at [Going Home: Hawk Release](#).

Oklahoma Center for Respiratory and Infectious Diseases Seminar

Alice Prince, MD, will present "Metabolic Reprogramming Promotes *P. aeruginosa* Pulmonary Infection" on Wednesday, March 7, at 12:15 p.m. in Room 259 McElroy Hall. Prince is a professor of Pediatrics in the College of Physicians and Surgeons at Columbia University.

House Officer Seminar

Maggie McCourt, DVM, will present "That's Fascinating! Interesting Cases From My Residency" on Thursday, March 8, at 8 a.m. in Room 104 at the Veterinary Medical Hospital. McCourt is a pathology resident mentored by **Dr. Jim Meinkoth** in the Department of Veterinary Pathobiology.

Veterinary Biomedical Sciences Seminar

Austin Ciesielski will present "Detection of One Pot Methamphetamine Laboratories via Waste Water Effluent Monitoring" on Thursday, March 8, at 4 p.m. in Room 259 McElroy Hall.

For hobbies, Erik enjoys playing piano and has one iTunes album to his credit.

Favorite Quote: "A righteous man cares for the needs of his animal, but the kindest acts of the wicked are cruel." - Book of Proverbs

Ciesielski is a PhD student and graduate research associate in the veterinary center's Department of Veterinary Pathobiology and in the OSU Center for Health Sciences' Department of Forensic Sciences. He is mentored by **Drs. Lara Maxwell** and **Jarrad Wagner**.



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