



Phi Zeta Research Day

Let the records show that the 21st Phi Zeta Research Day was filled with phenomenal research and clinical case studies! Congratulations to everyone who made a presentation. Participants included veterinary students, interns, residents, graduate students and post-docs.



Congratulations to **Peter Czajkowski** ('17) pictured above on receiving the John King Award for the best overall presentation by a veterinary student. The award is given in honor of the late **Dr. John King** ('55). For a complete list of all award recipients visit [Phi Zeta Research Day](#).

Alumna's Art is selected for JAVMA Cover!

The cover of the April 15 issue of the *Journal of the American Veterinary Medical Association* features "Morning Rounds" a pen and ink drawing of a whitetail deer done by **Dr. Gayla Salvati, DVM, MS, DACT**. Guided by her work as a theriogenologist, she chose the breeding and territorial behavior in white-tailed deer as the focus of this piece.

Publication

Eileen M. Johnson, DVM, PhD; Yoko Nagamori, DVM; Rebecca A. Duncan-Decocq, MS; Patrick N. Whitley; Akhilesh Ramachandran, BVSc&AH, PhD; Mason V. Reichard, PhD. Prevalence of *Alaria* infection in companion animals in north central Oklahoma from 2006 through 2015 and detection in wildlife. *Journal of the American Veterinary Medical Association*. April 15, 2017, Vol. 150, No. 8, Pages 881-886.

Thank you, Donors!

Thank you to everyone who gave during the OSU Foundation's first Give Orange campaign. The campaign ran online for 1,890 minutes (because OSU was founded in 1890) and gave people the opportunity to give to their passion. A total of 28 people donated \$3,312 to the Center for Veterinary Health Sciences placing the veterinary center top 10 among other OSU units! In addition, the OSU Animal Relief Fund raised \$1,931 with 18 donors. For campus-wide results visit [Give Orange](#).

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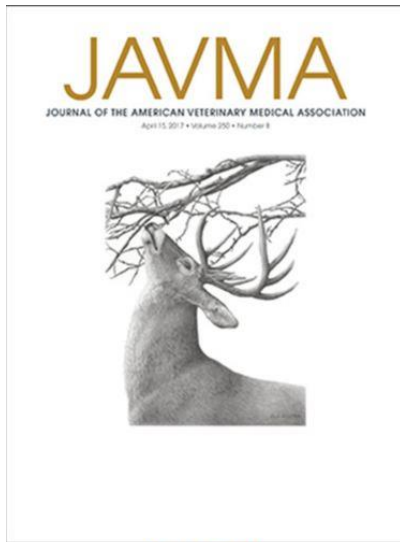
Sergei Korolov, PhD, will present "Bacterial and environmental triggers of Th17 mediated airway inflammation" on Wednesday, April 19, at 12:15 p.m. in Room 259 McElroy Hall. Korolov is an assistant professor of pathology in the Department of Pathology at the New York University School of Medicine.

House Officer Seminar

Allison Wilson, DVM, will present "Feline Retrovirus" on Thursday, April 20, at 8 a.m. in Room 104 at the Veterinary Medical Hospital. Wilson is a small animal medicine resident mentored by **Dr. Andrew Hanzlicek**.

Veterinary Biomedical Sciences Seminar

Sri Nandhini Sethuraman will present "Enhancement of nanomedicine efficacy by



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immunomodulation of solid tumors" on Thursday, April 20, at 4 p.m. in Room 259 McElroy Hall. Sethuraman is a graduate teaching associate and PhD student mentored by **Dr. Ashish Ranjan**.

Former OSU Defensive Back Teams up with OSU Veterinarians

Former OSU Big 12 defensive back **Trent Alexander** knew exactly where to turn when a first-time mother wouldn't let her foal nurse--OSU Veterinary Medical Hospital. Here's his story at [foal's remarkable journey](#).

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