ACVS Small Animal Thoracoscopy  
Presented by ACVS  
Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO  
August 5-6, 2019

COURSE DATES

Monday, August 5  
Tuesday, August 6

Laboratory fee: $2,250  
*Available to ACVS and ECVS Diplomates and residents only.*

Thoracoscopic procedures will be described in the lectures, followed by a laboratory on live dogs. Anesthesia related to minimally invasive surgery (one lung ventilation) will be presented by a board-certified anesthesiologist. Procedures described and performed in the laboratory will include:

- Exploration of pleural space  
- Lung lobectomy with one lung ventilation  
- Pericardial window or subtotal pericardectomy  
- Thoracic duct ligation.

The laboratory is designed for participants with experience in minimally invasive surgery. Size is limited to three people per animal. Technicians can attend lectures and observe in the laboratory.

Instructors:

- Eric Monnet, DVM, PhD, DACVS, Chair, Colorado State University  
- Brad Case, DVM, MS DACVS-SA, University of Florida  
- Jeffrey Runge, DVM, DACVS, University of Pennsylvania  
- Ameet Singh, DVM, DACVS, University of Guelph  
- Phil Mayhew, DVM, DACVS, University of California  
- Kursheed Mama, DVM, DACVA, Colorado State University