



# AAAP NEWSLETTER

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## Silent Auction to Benefit AAAP Foundation

A silent auction to benefit the AAAP Foundation will be held during the Western Poultry Disease Conference in Sacramento, California on March 7-10, 1998. Bring your memorabilia (old books, manuscripts, etc.) and offer it for auction. The highest bidder makes the donation to the AAAP Foundation and becomes the new owner of the goods. The original owner gets the deduction for a contribution. For more information contact Dr. "Rosy" Rosenwald.



## Certificate

*Dr. Morris Cover*

*receives the Food and Drug  
Administration's Commissioner's  
Special Citation for devoted service and  
outstanding contributions as clinician,  
researcher, teacher, and administrator  
on means to reduce salmonella in feed  
and increase avian disease research.*



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**Meeting announcements  
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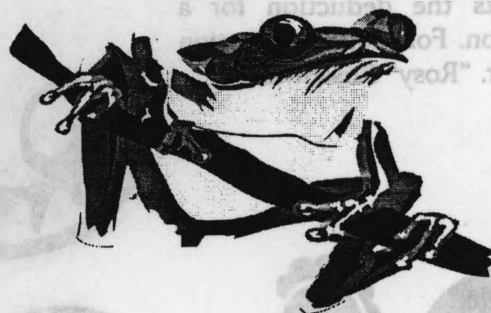
## DISEASES OF POULTRY

**IF YOU HAVE A FIRST, SECOND OR FOURTH EDITION OF DISEASES OF POULTRY THAT YOU ARE WILLING TO PART WITH PLEASE CONTACT DR. GREGG CUTLER AT PO BOX 1042, MOORPARK, CA 93020. PHONE: 805-529-2753. FAX: 805-529-3746.**

## OFFICE MEMO

**Sandra M. Kelly** has been named Biological Product Development Manager for Megan Health, Inc.

Ms. Kelly has been employed at Megan Health since the company's founding in 1993. Megan Health, Inc. is a St. Louis, Missouri based biotechnology company specializing in gene deleted and vectored human and animal biological products.



### American Poultry History 1974-1994

This book traces the history of the poultry industry from past to present. *American Poultry History* examines the people, places and progress of the poultry industry in the past 20 years. With twenty chapters by the American Poultry Historical Society and 22 contributing authors, this book is a wealth of knowledge and a value to the poultry community. Please take some time to review it for possible inclusion in your next class.

Retail price on this text is \$50.00. *The American Poultry History, 1974-1994* is being offered for classes at \$30.00 per copy. To order copies, call 815-734-4171 ext 270 or fax your purchase order to 815-734-9091.

Watt Poultry & Meat Book Services  
122 S. Wesley Ave., Mt. Morris, IL  
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**The 47th Western Poultry Disease Conference** - will be held March 7-10, 1998 in Sacramento, California. For more information, contact Dr. Richard Chin, CVDLS-Fresno, 2789 S. Orange Ave, Fresno, CA 93725. Phone 209-498-7740.

**10th European Poultry Conference** - will be held June 21-26, 1998 in Jerusalem, Israel. The conference is open for scientific contributions on advancement of knowledge in all aspects of poultry science and the poultry industry all over the world. For more information, contact WPSA - Israel Branch, 10th European Poultry Conference, PO Box 50006, Tel Aviv 61500, Israel. Phone 972-3-5140000; Fax 972-3-5175674/5140077; E-mail poultry@kenes.ccmil.compuserve.com

**The Joint Meeting of the Southern Conference on Avian Diseases and Southern Poultry Science Society** - will be held at the World Congress Center in Atlanta, Georgia on January 19-20, 1998. The meetings are held just prior to The International Poultry Exposition in Atlanta on January 21-23, 1998. SCAD & SPSS meeting announcements and hotel request forms can be obtained by contacting Dr. Mark W. Jackwood,

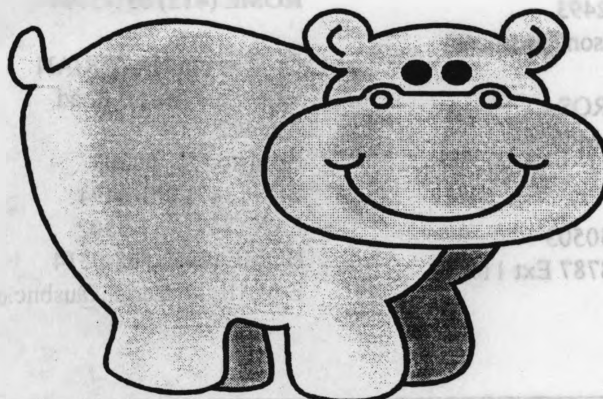
SCAD Executive Secretary, University of Georgia, 953 College Station Road, Athens, GA 30602. Phone 706-542-5475, Fax 706-542-5630, E-mail mjackwoo@uga.cc.uga.edu.

**The AAVPT Symposium entitled The Role of Veterinary Therapeutics In Antimicrobial Resistance Development: Animal And Public Health Perspectives** - will be held January 19-21, 1998 at the Inn and Conference Center at the University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland. The objectives of this symposium are to provide, in an open public forum, information regarding the animal health and public health concerns about the increasing bacterial resistance that is being observed and to discuss the human medical impact of food animal infectious diseases and their treatment. For more information or registration materials fax 302-761-9680.

**The 3rd International Symposium on Salmonella** - will be held in conjunction with the 1998 meeting of the AVMA in Baltimore, Maryland. The Symposium will focus on understanding the causes and consequences of the various disease and food safety problems associated

with Salmonella, with a particular emphasis on developing practical strategies for controlling the incidence of Salmonella in poultry and poultry products. Both invited speakers and submitted poster presentations will be included in the program. The organizing committee welcomes suggestions from other AAAP members regarding how this symposium can be designed to most effectively serve the needs of the poultry industry and the research community. Please forward any such ideas to either Chuck Hofacre (fax 706-769-0132 or e-mail clhtkydoc@aol.com) or Richard Gast (fax 706-546-3161 or e-mail rgast@asrr.arsusda.gov).

**3rd International Raptor Biomedical Conference** - will be held August 9-11, 1998 in Midrand, South Africa. The conference will be held in conjunction with the V World Conference on Birds of Prey and Owls (Aug. 4-11) at the ESKOM Training and Exhibition Centre in Midrand and is planned close to the International Ornithological Conference of BirdLife International (Aug. 16-22). For more information, contact Dr. Gerhard H. Verdoorn, P.O. Box 72155, Parkview 2122, South Africa. E-mail neshher@global.co.za.







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### Science, Politics and Animal Health Policy Fellowship Launched

A collaborative effort of the Virginia-Maryland Regional College of Veterinary Medicine and the Michigan State University College of Veterinary Medicine.

Changing times, a changing world - shifting global relationships between trading partners, new and emerging diseases, the restructuring of agriculture - all carry tremendous implications for animal health, human health and public policy and open new horizons of opportunity for veterinarians and other animal health professionals.

In order to prepare animal health professionals to capitalize on new opportunities launched by emerging issues related to animal and human health, agriculture, food safety, the environment and international trade, Drs. Lonnie King and Will Hueston, former top USDA Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service officials and current deans of the Michigan State University College of Veterinary Medicine and the Maryland campus of the Virginia-Maryland Regional College of Veterinary Medicine, have created an innovative executive fellowship in Science, Politics and Animal Health Policy. Applicants are now being sought for this powerful program which empowers mid-career professionals to enhance their arsenals of knowledge and skills necessary to navigate the complex crossroads of animal health and public policy. Simultaneously, the fellowship fosters the participant's ability to cope with a changing, highly dynamic work environment and build a network of contacts through colleagues and mentors to draw upon throughout their professional life.

For more information, please contact Dr. Will Hueston or Marcia Brody at 301-935-6083.



## OOPS!

Dr. Mahesh C. Kumar has not moved from Jennie "O" Foods.  
Dr. Mahesh Kumar, formerly of MBL has moved to Fort Dodge Animal Hlth.

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# POSITIONS

**Postdoctoral Position** - A postdoctoral traineeship is available at the Poultry Diagnostic and Research Center, College of Veterinary Medicine, University of Georgia, to study infectious bronchitis virus (IBV). Specific areas of research include; molecular analysis of the spike glycoprotein, immunogenicity of in vitro expressed viral proteins, and the development and analysis of novel recombinant vaccines for IBV. Applicants should have a strong background in molecular virology, biochemistry and molecular genetics. Experience conducting experiments with poultry is also desirable. Salary is commensurate with education and experience. A curriculum vitae plus the names of three referees should be submitted to Dr. Mark W. Jackwood, Dept of Avian Medicine, College of Veterinary Medicine, University of Georgia, 953 College Station Road, Athens, GA 30602. The University of Georgia is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

**Poultry Health Management Residency/Master of Specialized Veterinary Medicine** - North Carolina State University College of Veterinary Medicine is offering a new and unique opportunity for post-veterinary professional development: a combined Residency in Poultry Health Management/Master of Specialized Veterinary Medicine. Successful completion of this 24 month program will result in certification of Residency completion and a non-thesis Master's degree. This program provides post-veterinary training in the identification and control of factors impacting poultry health and production. Goals of the program are to prepare veterinarians for productive roles in the modern poultry industry and provide experiences which will enhance eligibility for certification by the American Association of Poultry Veterinarians. Poultry Health Management residents/graduate students will participate in (1) field investigations and research related to poultry health management and disease prevention, (2) application and interpretation of laboratory diagnostic technology e.g. serology, microbiology, and pathology, (3) teaching activities of the Poultry Health Management faculty, (4) production of commercial turkey and broiler flocks at the NCSU CVM Teaching Animal Unit, and (5) use of computers for word processing, presentations, and data management and analysis.

The Poultry Health Management program makes use of resources at the College of Veterinary Medicine, NCSU Poultry Science Department and Poultry Extension Service, North Carolina Department of Agriculture Animal Disease Diagnostic Laboratories, and integrated poultry production companies.

Applicants must submit (1) application form, (2) letter of intent, (3) transcripts of university and veterinary college performance, (4) curriculum vitae or resume, and (5) three letters of recommendation by February 1, 1998 to be eligible for the Poultry Health Management program beginning July 1, 1998. For further information and application materials contact the Director of Student Services, C. DeLuca at the College of Veterinary Medicine, North Carolina State University, 4700 Hillsborough Street, Raleigh, NC 27606. Phone 919-829-4203; fax 919-829-4452; e-mail cindy\_deluca@ncsu.edu. North Carolina State University is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer.

## **Graduate/Residency Position in Anatomic Veterinary Pathology with emphasis in Avian**

**Pathology** - The Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory and Department of Veterinary Pathobiology at the University of Missouri are offering a residency/graduate training position in veterinary pathology, with an emphasis in avian pathology, beginning June 1, 1998. If a graduate degree in poultry health is obtained the trainee will also fulfill a major qualifying requirement to sit for the American College of Poultry Veterinarians exam. The program is designed to qualify the successful trainee to sit for certification by the American College of Veterinary Pathologists. An abundance of case material for training in avian and mammalian pathology is available. The laboratory is certified by the American Association of Veterinary Laboratory Diagnosticians, with excellent diagnostic support in bacteriology, virology, serology, toxicology, and clinical pathology. Our faculty include nine diplomates of the American College of Veterinary Pathology (6 anatomic and 3 clinical pathologists) and one diplomate of the American College of Poultry Veterinarians. The trainee will be enrolled in graduate school and will pursue the MS or PhD degree. A DVM or equivalent degree is prerequisite. Candidates should possess a strong academic record, evidence of interest and commitment to pathology, and must be able to communicate with clients effectively. The starting salary is \$21,500 per annum, with benefits. Inquiries or applications (to include a letter of intent stating goals and interests, curriculum vitae, academic transcripts, GRE scores, and names of three references) should be addressed to Dr. Alex J. Bermudez, UMC Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory, PO Box 6023, Columbia, MO 65205; phone 573-882-6811; e-mail bermudez@vmdl.missouri.edu. The deadline for receipt of applications is January 15, 1998 or until a suitable candidate is found. The University of Missouri is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer.