



## Net Vet Weekly - July 8, 2019

### Project Update



The new classroom building is taking shape! The building is part of a project that aims to enhance student learning and honor **Dr. Roger Panciera**'s teaching legacy by elevating the educational experience for students.

If you would like to contribute, please visit the [Dr. Roger Panciera Project Fund](#).

### Heart Patient Doing Well

Edmond referring veterinarians, **Drs. Jennifer and Mark Bianchi**, recently shared that their dog, **Maverick**, is doing great two months after undergoing heart surgery at OSU's Veterinary Medical Hospital.

Read more, including what human doctors had to say about Maverick, at [Heart Patient Doing Well](#).

### Veterinary Biomedical Sciences PhD Defense Seminar

**Lakmini Senavirathna** will present "Hypoxia, Transforming Growth Factor--Beta and Long non-coding RNAs in Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis" today, July 8, at 2 p.m. in Room 263 McElroy Hall. Senavirathna is a PhD candidate and a graduate research associate in the Department of Physiological Sciences mentored by **Dr. Lin Liu**.

### Veterinary Biomedical Sciences PhD Defense Seminar

**Sri Nandhini Sethuraman** will present "Combining novel calreticulin-nanoparticles and focused ultrasound for melanoma immunotherapy" on Tuesday, July 9, at 2 p.m. in Room 259 McElroy Hall. Sethuraman is a PhD candidate and graduate teaching associate in the Department of Physiological Sciences mentored by **Dr. Ashish Ranjan**.

### House Officer Seminar

## Getting to Know You



**Chelsea Conner, DVM**, is a small animal rotating intern. Originally from Kingsport, Tennessee, she earned both a BA degree in Wildlife and Fisheries Science and a DVM degree from the University of Tennessee. Dr. Conner's research interests include anesthetic agent safety.

Chelsea worked as a zoo keeper and has the stories and "fun" scars to show for it. In her spare time she enjoys reading.

*Favorite Quote: "Oh what good is it to live with nothing left to give, forget but not forgive, not loving all you see?" - Coldplay, Swallowed in the Sea*

**Donald Holter, DVM**, will present "External Skeletal Fixation" on Thursday, July 11, at 8 a.m. in Room 104 at the Veterinary Medical Hospital. Dr. Holter is a small animal surgery resident mentored by **Dr. Cara Blake**.

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**Sydney St. Clair, DVM**, is a small animal medicine and surgery intern. Originally from Scottsdale, Arizona, she earned a BS degree in Veterinary Science and Molecular and Cellular Biology from the University of Arizona and her DVM degree from Midwestern University. Dr. St. Clair's research interests include congenital heart defects and dilated cardiomyopathy.

In her spare time, Sydney previously played lacrosse and is now working toward running a marathon.

*Favorite Quote: "Happiness can be found, even in the darkest of times, if one only remembers to turn on the light." - Albus Dumbledore*





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