



UB School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences invites anyone who wants to learn about veterinary medicine and the connection between research and the advances in veterinary care to enroll in this lecture series.

Participants in the Mini-Vet School will meet and hear some of the most dynamic speakers from among the accomplished veterinarians in Western New York.

Mini-Vet School graduates will receive a certificate attesting to the completion of 10 hours of veterinary science.

The beneficial effects of living with devoted and playful pets on the physical and psychological well-being of their owners have been well-documented. At the same time, pet owners are committed to maintaining the good health and happiness of their faithful pets.

An important part of these beneficial reciprocal relationships between humans and animals are the dedicated, competent practitioners of veterinary medicine who strive with consummate training and skill to cope with the myriad of diseases and injuries that affect these animals.

**Where people and science meet**

In UB's Mini-Vet School, you will learn about the causes and treatments of the conditions that affect your pets, as well as some of the latest advances in veterinary medicine.

The Mini-Vet School is a five-week series of lectures by accomplished and dynamic veterinarians from Western New York. For two hours each Thursday evening, they lead you on a fascinating journey of discovery. Each lecture will be a "course" in a subject covered in veterinary school.

Graduates of the Mini-Vet School will not be eligible to practice veterinary medicine, but will have a better understanding of their pets' health!

Sponsored by the Davis Foundation

**GOLD SPONSORS**

COUNTRY COMFORT INN



**SILVER SPONSORS**



A Community Service Program of the School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences University at Buffalo The State University of New York

**UB** University at Buffalo *The State University of New York*

UB Mini-Medical School, School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences  
3435 Main Street, Farber Hall, Rm. 101, Buffalo, NY 14214-3013  
[www.smbs.buffalo.edu/minimed](http://www.smbs.buffalo.edu/minimed)

2009



**MINI-VET SCHOOL**

PRESENTED BY



**Your veterinarian.  
Your other  
family doctor.**

## WHEN, WHERE AND HOW...

### TIME

All Mini-Vet School sessions are from 7:00-9:00 p.m. (Please arrive by 6:45 p.m. for the first session in order to receive your course materials.)

### PLACE

Lectures are held in UB's Butler Auditorium, Farber Hall, School of Medicine on the Main Street Campus.

The parking lot is entered from Bailey Avenue halfway between Main Street and the VA Medical Center. Turn onto Michael Road where the new stone University signs are located and make a quick left into Michael Parking Lot at the (glass booth) Visitor's Gate. Bear left and drive to the extreme far end of the lot (towards the VA Hospital). Enter Farber Hall (look for the Mini-Medical School banner above the entrance) through the glass doors facing Bailey Avenue. Butler Auditorium is immediately in front of you.

### ADVANCE REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

Fill out the registration form and return with check\* or credit card information. You may also register by calling 829-2196 and using your credit card. Photocopies of this form may be made for additional registrations. Cancellations are accepted, with full refund, up to one week before each program. After that date, no refunds will be made.

### QUESTIONS?

Call UB's Mini-Vet School at 716-829-2196 between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

### CHANGE OF ADDRESS?

Clip mailing label & mail with your new address to: MMS-UB, University at Buffalo, 3435 Main Street, Farber Hall, Rm 101, Buffalo, NY 14214-3013

## COURSES

- October 1 **Inside Aquatics**  
**TOPIC: Comparative Aquatic Animal Anatomy**  
Ed Latson, MS, DVM
- Zoo Fever**  
**TOPIC: Terrestrial Animal Anatomy**  
Kurt Volle, DVM
- 
- October 8 **Hormones Gone Wild**  
**TOPIC: Endocrinology**  
Wm James Brown, MS, DVM
- Cutting Out Cancer**  
**TOPIC: Cancer Surgery**  
James Fingerth, DVM, DACVS
- 
- October 15 **Scalpel, please**  
**TOPIC: Surgery**  
Rene vanEe, DVM, DACVS
- Can You See Me Now?**  
**TOPIC: Veterinary Ophthalmology**  
Erin Champagne, DVM, DACVO
- 
- October 22 **Beyond Come, Sit, Stay**  
**TOPIC: Behavioral Veterinary Medicine**  
Susan Sickels, DVM
- Sharing Diseases – People & Animals**  
**TOPIC: Zoonotic Diseases**  
Alan Lesse, MD
- 
- October 29 **Fascinating Fish Findings**  
**TOPIC: Aquatic Medicine**  
Helen Roberts, DVM
- Beyond Furry Friends**  
**TOPIC: Exotic Pets and Their Care**  
Alexandra Adamcak, DVM, DACVP

## 2009 MINIVET REGISTRATION FORM

### Mini Vet School 2009

- Individual \$50 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Senior (65+) \$40 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Student \$40 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Individual dates \$20 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- List date(s) \_\_\_\_\_

NAME(S) \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY STATE ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE (DAY) \_\_\_\_\_

### PAYMENT METHOD

- Check payable to UB FOUNDATION
- Credit card (provide information below)
- MasterCard  VISA  AmEx  Discover

NAME AS IT APPEARS ON THE CARD \_\_\_\_\_

CARD NO. \_\_\_\_\_

EXPIRATION DATE \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

Return registration form and payment to:  
UB MMS University at Buffalo, 3435 Main St,  
Farber Hall, Rm. 101, Buffalo, NY 14214-3013

You may also register without delay by calling  
**829-2196**  
and using your credit card. Or online at  
<http://apps.med.buffalo.edu/minimed/>

\* Additional fee for returned checks applies.