

Educational Events 2024





AO VET Europe and South Africa Course Calendar 2024

AO VET provides accredited and high-quality educational activities to thousands of surgeons and health care professionals each year.

This is a summary of upcoming events in Europe and South Africa. Please note that the information in this document is subject to change. Check our website for the most actual event information.

Registration and details for all AO VET events including webinars, congress, symposia, and any education activities not listed here can be found online at the course and event finder on our website.

Please click on a course title to be directed online to the course page website, or scan the QR code on the back page of this brochure.

Principles Courses			
March 17–20 French	Marseille, France	AO VET Course—Principles of Small Animal Fracture Management	
April 19–21 English	Sofia, Bulgaria	AO VET Course—Principles of Small Animal Fracture Management	
May 17–19 English	Warsaw, Poland	AO VET Course—Principles of Small Animal Fracture Management	
June 16–18 English	Leeds, United Kingdom	AO VET Course—Principles of Small Animal Fracture Management	
July 3 English	Valencia, Spain	AO PEER Course-Principles of Clinical Research	
July 4 English	Valencia, Spain	AO VET Symposium @ ECVS - Advanced Techniques in the Management of Spinal Disorders in small animals	
July 4 English	Valencia, Spain	AO VET Symposium @ECVS - Equine - What can I learn from my mistakes? Think Outside The Box - Alternative Strategies For Difficult Cases	
September 6–8 English	Budapest, Hungary	AO VET Course—Principles of Small Animal Fracture Management	
September 16-Oct 26 English	Online, Online	AO VET Online Course—Lameness in Dogs: Diagnosis and decision making	
October 2–5 English	Berlin, Germany	AO VET Course—Principles in Equine Fracture Management (With Anatomical Specimens)	

Advanced Courses			
June 6–8 English	Lisbon, Portugal	AO VET Course—Advanced Techniques in Small Animal Fracture Management	
November 8–10 English	Warsaw, Poland	AO VET Course—Advanced Techniques in Small Animal Fracture Management	

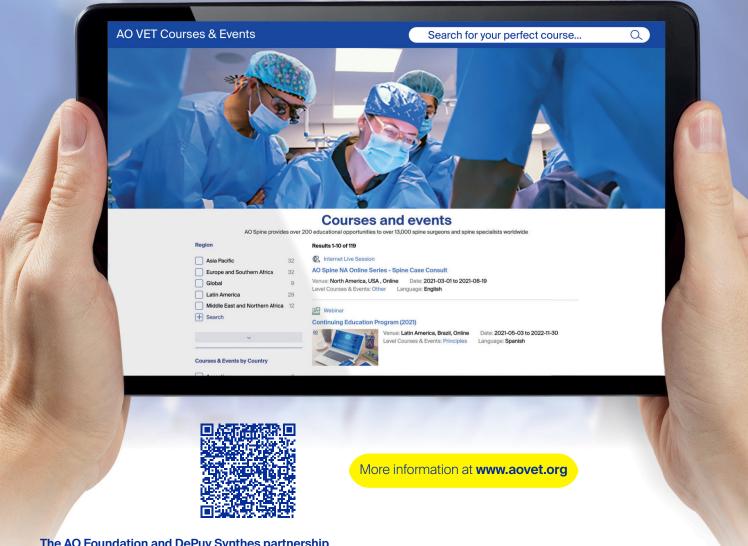
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Masters Courses			
March 25–27 English	Cremona, Italy	AO VET Masters Course—Complications	
March 28–30 English	Cremona, Italy	AO VET Masters Course—Deformity Correction of the Pelvic Limb	
June 16–18 English	Leeds, United Kingdom	AO VET Masters Course—Pelvic Limb Corrective Osteotomies	
December 8–12 English	Davos, Switzerland	AO VET Course—Feline Orthopaedics and Traumatology	

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The AO Foundation and DePuy Synthes partnership

For more than 60 years, the AO Foundation has partnered with DePuy Synthes (part of the Johnson & Johnson Family of Companies) to transform surgery and save lives. This collaboration between the two independent organizations is rooted in mutual respect and a shared mission to innovate in surgical education and improve patient outcomes. It is a central part of who we are, as AO.

A cooperation agreement governs the partnership and defines the framework for the areas of collaboration. The AO benefits from DPS support for its hands-on training under an exclusive agreement, and it is in partnership with DPS that AO innovations in patient care are developed for application in a clinical setting. DPS is the key industry partner of the AO Technical Commission (AO TC) and its Global Expert Committees, Expert Groups, and Task Forces in the specialty areas of trauma, spine, craniomaxillofacial, and veterinary surgery.

An unrestricted grant provides DPS support for the AO's global educational offerings while enabling the AO to be fully independent in its selection of course content and faculty: These decisions are made exclusively and independently by the AO. The agreement confirms the independence of the AO and its surgeon volunteers. DPS supports the surgeon education programs for AO Trauma, AO Spine, AO CMF, AO VET, AO Recon, and AO Sports.

The AO and DPS both benefit from this longstanding partnership, which has evolved over the decades. We look forward to many more years of working together, and to seeing how our partnership will mature in the years to come.



Learn more about the collaboration between the AO and DePuy Synthes here:

