

WEDNESDAY 3 JUNE 2026



23RD EVECC CONGRESS
4-6 JUNE 2026 EDINBURGH



VECCUS SYMPOSIUM MAIN STREAM Room: Pentland Auditorium		VECCUS SYMPOSIUM FOUNDATIONS STREAM Room: Kilsyth	
08.55-09.00 WELCOME & OPENING CEREMONY Pentland Auditorium			
09.00-09.50	"Contentious POCUS Consensus Statements" - Panel Discussion <i>Kris Gommeren, Søren Boysen, Simon Cook, Angela Briganti</i>	Abdominal POCUS Made Simple: High-Value Scans You Can Use Tomorrow <i>Laura Cole & Julie Menard</i>	
09.55-10.45	AI Assisted Imaging: is there a place in POCUS yet? Butterfly™ <i>Maxime Cambournac</i>	Mastering the Thorax: Foundational Cardiac, Lung & Pleural POCUS Every Vet Should Know <i>Søren Boysen & Kris Gommeren</i>	
10.45-11.15 MORNING COFFEE BREAK Cromdale Hall			
11.15-12.05	Soft Tissue Ultrasonography in Emergent and Critically Ill Veterinary Patients <i>Sumari Dancer</i>	Beyond lung sliding: Key Concepts and Paradigm shifts for Lung & Pleural Pathology <i>Søren Boysen & Kris Gommeren</i>	
12.10-13.00	Core ultrasound guided locoregional anaesthesia blocks <i>Angela Briganti & Chiara Di Franco</i>	Heart in Hand: Practical Cardiovascular POCUS to Guide Acute Clinical Decisions <i>Laura Cole & Julie Menard</i>	
13.00-14.00 LUNCH BREAK Cromdale Hall			
14.00-14.50 KEYNOTE LECTURE Pentland Auditorium POCUS in Human Intensive Care: Competence, Confidence, and Clinical Consequences <i>Rosie Baruah</i>			
14.55-15.45	Advances in POCUS training - phantoms, cadavers and augmented reality <i>Laura Cole & Julie Menard</i>	Needles with Vision: Interventional POCUS Butterfly™ <i>Maxime Cambournac</i>	
15.45-16.30 AFTERNOON COFFEE BREAK Cromdale Hall			
16.30-17.20	Tips for using Doppler ultrasound in our cases <i>Brogan Atkinson</i>	From Symptom to Scan: Case based POCUS <i>Laura Cole</i>	
17.25-17.45 Research grant award and presentation Pentland Auditorium <i>VECCUS Group</i>			
17.45-18.00 CLOSING SESSION Pentland Auditorium			