

Agenda AAAP History of Avian Medicine Committee Meeting

2 pm ET January 17, 2025 by Zoom

1. Approval of the Minutes of the committee meeting on 6-12-2024

Minutes of the meeting are attached.

2. AAAP award for best performing committee in 2024

3. Biography project (Senties-Cue)

4. Lasher-Eckroade History Lecture (Schat)

List of history lectures is attached

6. Historical articles (Schat)

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7. Archives (Sato)

8. *Avian Diseases* cover project (Schat)

List of previous covers and proposed names is attached

List of suggestions received from AAAP members after 12-17-24 is attached

9. Tributes and obituaries (Sato)

10. Other old business, new business

11. Adjourn

AAAP History Committee Meeting Minutes

June 12, 2024 4 – 5 pm EDT

The following were present at the Virtual Meeting : T. Schat (Chair), R. Curtiss, P. Dunn, D. Witter, G. Senties Cue, K. Honegger, Y. Sato, D. Tripathy, E. Ripplinger, S. Mandal, D. Johnson, M. Severyn, R. Ramachandran, H. Wojcinski (Chair Elect), B. Bevans-Kerr.

1. Approval of the Minutes of the committee meeting on 12-14-2024
Minutes were approved as presented.
2. Helen Wojcinski approved by the BOD to replace Christina Lindsey as chair elect starting July 2025.
3. Biography project (Senties-Cue)
Currently, there are 64 biographies on the AAAP website. Gabriel has been actively soliciting AAAP members, who are retired or close to retirement to write their biographies. These include Pat Wakenell and Richard Chin. Helen Wojcinski will follow up with Bob Edson, Eric Gonder, David Pyle. Yuko will reach out to Mick Fulton and Rob Porter. Ton is working on a short bio on Bart Rispens.
Bob Bevans-Kerr will send Ton and Gabriel a list of all AAAP members who are registered as Retirees.
4. Lasher-Eckroade History Lecture (Schat)
 - a. 2025 : Elana Benke : History of NPIP
 - b. 2026 : Ruud Hein: EDS
 - c. 2027:Louise Dufour : History of the Georgia Poultry Network
 - d. 2028 suggestions included the following topics and speakers:
Sheryl Davison Avian Coryza
TBD : Avian Metapneumovirus / TRT
Maxy Nolan : Parasites
McDougall or Whitaker: Blackhead

After discussion, it was felt that Blackhead would be the preferred topic for 2028
5. Historical articles on Website (Schat)
Silke Rautenschlein, Mo Saif and K.A. Schat are finishing the manuscript on the history of infectious bursal disease, based on the history lecture presented by Mo Saif.

Archives (Sato)

No updates to report. Bob Bevans-Kerr said that the university is behind and that nothing has been submitted on the site.

6. Avian Diseases cover project (Schat)

2024 1st issue : Mo Saif who was very surprised and honored to be chosen.

2024 2nd issue : Dick Witter

2024 3rd issue : Stan Kleven

2024 4th issue : undecided consideration to Dick Yamamoto

Gabriel has had difficulties contacting Dick but will reach out to Gregg Cutler.

2025 1st issue : undecided consideration to Art Bickford

There will be a special issue on Bacterial Diseases by Randy Singer. As this will be a composite of several different diseases, it is suggested that the cover also be a composite.

7. Tributes and obituaries (Sato)

Yuko is working backwards from Yan Ghazikanian (last obit posted) .

Working on Art Bickford, Drew Parker, Craig Riddell

If biography is available it will be linked to the obituary.

Covers of Avian Diseases will also be linked to obituary and/or biography.

8. Other old business, new business

Dick Witter asked about the fastest way to get to the Biographies on the AAAP website.

This was reviewed with suggestions to make it more accessible.

Dick also asked whether anyone had the Scientific Program for the AAAP meeting in Minneapolis in 1969. As this was in conjunction with AVMA, Ton suggested that Diane Fagen (ex-librarian with AVMA) be contacted. Helen provided contact info to Dick.

9. Meeting adjourned at 4:50 pm

Minutes taken by H. Wojcinski

Lasher-Eckroade lectures History lectures updated 12-20-2024

Year	Presenter	Title
2002	Hitchner ¹	History of biological control of poultry diseases in the US
2003	Biggs ²	The World Veterinary Poultry Association -the beginnings and first 25 years
2004	Kleven	History of avian mycoplasma research and control
2005	Rhorer	History of the National Poultry improvement plans
2006	Calnek ¹	The creation and evolution of P. Philips Levine's enduring gift
2007	Witter ³	Origin and evolution of the American Association of Avian Pathologist: 50 years of dedication and accomplishment
2008	Halverson	The history of avian influenza in the USA
2009	Williams ¹	A history of coccidiosis to 1950
2010	Espeseth ¹	Historical data on establishing regulatory oversight of poultry vaccines
2011	Mathis	The history of the poultry industry: scientific breakthroughs
2012	Keeler	The history of DNA biotechnology in the poultry industry
2013	Calnek	The life and times of Dr. Stephen B. Hitchner
2014	Sharma	The life and times of Dr. Benjamin (Ben) Sherwood Pomeroy
2015	McCapes	Life and times of Ray Bankowski: 1914-1993
2016	Schat ¹	The history of the first generation Marek's disease vaccines: The science and little known facts
2017	Donahoe ¹	Early poultry vaccine company development; the era of entrepreneurs
2018	Saif ⁴	The history of infectious bursal disease
2019	Nagaraja ¹	Pullorum Disease: Evolution of the Eradication Strategy
2020	McKay	Postponed due to Covi. McKay preferred delivery in person. See 2022.
2021	Schat ¹	The History of the Northeastern Conference on Avian Diseases from 1928 to 2021: The past, the present and the future
2022	McKay	The history of poultry breeding
2023	Garcia ⁵	Centenary of the first infectious laryngotracheitis (ILT) report in the United States and ninety years of vaccination control
2024	Sellers ⁵	The history of avian reovirus
2025	Behnke	90 years NPIP
2026	Hein	Topic: History of egg drop syndrome
2027	Dufour-Zavala	Topic: Georgia Poultry Lab Network
2028	?	Topic: Blackhead
2029		

¹Articles associated with the lecture have been published in Avian Diseases

²Published in Avian Pathology 35:417-428. 2006

³Published in "AAAP celebrating sixty years 1957-2017, pp47-97, 2017 and on line at <https://aap.memberclicks.net/assets/History/ADOL%2075%20year%20history%20-%20Witter%20-%20reduced%20ph.pdf>

⁴Submitted to Avian Diseases

⁵To be submitted to Avian Diseases in 2025

Published history papers solicited by the AAAP history Committee (updated 12-20-24).

Witter JF. The history of avian medicine in the United States. I. Before the big changes. *Avian Dis* 20:621-630. 1976.

Bullis KL. The history of avian medicine in the United States. II. Pullorum disease and fowl typhoid. *Avian Dis* 21:422-429, 1977.

Bullis KL. The history of avian medicine in the United States. III. Salmonellosis. *Avian Dis* 21:430-435.

Lund EE. The history of avian medicine in the United States. IV. Some milestones in American research on poultry parasites. *Avian Dis* 21:459-480. 1977.

Burmester BR, Purchase HG. The history of avian medicine in the United States. V. Insights into avian tumor virus research. *Avian Dis* 23:1-29. 1979.

Woods GT. The history of avian medicine in the United States. VI. The role of extension veterinarian in furthering the progress of avian medicine. *Avian Dis* 24:6-22. 1980.

Hinshaw WR. The history of avian medicine in the United States. VII. Developments in avian pathology with emphasis on avian practice. *Avian Dis* 26:462-472. 1982.

Grumbles LC, Hall CF. The history of avian medicine in the United States. VIII. The America Association of Avian Pathologists – a thirty year history. *Avian Dis* 32:175-194. 1988.

Lancaster JE, Fabricant J. The history of avian medicine in the United States. IX. Events in the history of avian mycoplasmosis 1905-70. *Avian Dis* 32: 607-623. 1988.

Reid WM. The history of avian medicine in the United States. X. Control of coccidiosis. *Avian Dis* 34:

Hitchner SB. Poultry vaccine laboratories in the United States: historical perspective. *Avian Dis* 40: 255-265. 1996.

Cover MS. The early history of infectious laryngotracheitis. *Avian Dis* 40:494-500. 1996.

Lasher HN, Davis VS. History of infectious bursal disease in the USA - the first two decades. *Avian Dis* 41:11-19. 1997.

Calnek BW. Control of avian encephalomyelitis: A historical account. *Avian Dis* 42:632-647. 1998.

Fabricant J. The early history of infectious bronchitis. *Avian Dis* 42:648-650. 1998.

Luginbuhl RE. The commercial production of specific-pathogen-free eggs and chickens: the evolution of an industry. *Avian Dis*. 44:632-637. 2000.

Van der Heide L. The history of avian reovirus. Avian Dis 44:638-641. 2000.

Williams RB. Fifty years of anticoccidial vaccines for poultry (1952-2002). Avian Dis 46:775-802. 2002.

Chapman HD. Origins of coccidiosis research in fowl –the first fifty years. Avian Dis 47:1-20, 2003.

Hitchner SB. History of biological control of poultry diseases in the USA. Avian Dis 48:1-8: 2004.

These articles and an one page introduction were reprinted in “AAAP Celebrating the first fifty years 1957-2007 pages 57-336” and are also available at <https://www.aaap.info/historical-articles-in-avian-diseases>.

The following articles will be available in Avian Diseases and on at <https://www.aaap.info/historical-articles-in-avian-diseases> except for the last two articles which will need to be added..

Espeseth DA, Lasher H. Early History of regulatory requirements for poultry biologics in the United States. Avian Dis 54:1-8 2010.

Espeseth DA, Lasher H. History of Regulatory Requirements for Poultry Biologics in the United States, 1970s to 1990s. Avian Dis 57:1-8. 2013.

Calnek BW. Avian Diseases: The creation and evolution of P. Philip Levine's enduring gift. Avian Dis 59:1-6. 2015.

Schat KA. History of the first-generation of Marek's disease vaccines: The science and little-known facts. Avian Dis 60:715-724. 2016.

Donahoe JP. Early poultry vaccine company development: the era of entrepreneurs. Avian Dis. 63:1-8. 2019

Schat KA, Nagaraja KV, Saif YM. Pullorum disease: evolution of the eradication strategy. Avian Dis. 65: 227-236. 2021.

Schat KA. Northeastern Conference on Avian Diseases (NECAD) 1928-2021: 93 Years of contributions to avian medicine. Avian Diseases 66: 7–19, 2022

Submitted:

Rautenschlein S, KA Schat, YM Saif. The History of Infectious Bursal Disease: the second period between 1977 and 2005.

To be submitted (working titles based on history lectures):

Garcia MC: The history of infectious laryngotracheitis (Expected submission: January 2025)

Sellers, H. The history of reovirus infections (Expected submission: May 2025)

In addition the following two history articles were published in Avian Diseases and are reprinted in AAAP Celebrating the first fifty years 1957-2007 pages 57-336” and are also available at <https://www.aaap.info/historical-articles-in-avian-diseases>.

Hitchner SB. Serendipity in science - Discovery of the B-1 strain of Newcastle disease virus. Avian Dis 19:215-223. 1975.

Goldhaft TM. Historical note on the origin of the LaSota strain of Newcastle disease virus. Avian Dis 24:297-301. 1980.

Professor P. M. Biggs presented in 2003 AAAP meeting in Denver the history lecture entitled The World Veterinary Poultry Association –The beginnings and first 25 years. A manuscript was submitted to Avian Diseases, but following correspondence with Biggs it was not accepted and was subsequently published in Avian Pathology (Biggs PM. The World Veterinary Poultry Association: the beginnings and first 25 years. Avian Pathol 35:417-428. 2006).

Cover	Volume	Number	Year	Submitted by
Levine	49	1	2005	Beginning of new format
Delaplane	49	3	2005	
Jungherr	49	4	2005	
Beach	50	3	2006	
Hu	50	4	2006	
Van Roekel	52	1	2008	
Gordon	52	2	2008	
Rosy	52	3	2008	
Pomeroy	53	3	2009	
Biester, H.E. and Schwarz	54	1	2010	Witter
Snoeyenbos, Glenn	54	3	2010	Witter
Cover, Morris	55	2	2011	Witter
Beaudette, Fred	55	3	2011	Witter
Grumbles, Leland	56	2	2012	Witter
Chute, Harold	56	4	2012	Editor for series of previous AD editors
Sharma, Jagdev	57	2	2013	Editor for series of previous AD editors
Anderson, David	57	3	2013	Editor for series of previous AD editors
van der Heide, Louis	57	4	2013	Editor for series of previous AD editors
Lancaster, John	58	2	2014	Witter
Hitchner, Stephen	58	4	2014	Calnek
Hinshaw, William	59	1	2015	Dunn (2/5/14), prepared by Bickford
Bankowski, Raymond	59	2	2015	Dunn (1/23/14), prepared by Buscaglia
Hofstad, Melvin	59	3	2015	Dunn (1/7/14), prepared by Bickford
Hanson, Robert	59	4	2015	Dunn (1/17/14), prepared by Easterday
Bagust, Trevor	60	2	2016	Dunn (4/19/16), prepared by Calnek
Rispens, Bart	60	4	2016	Dunn (2/10/16), prepared by Schat
Winterfield, Roland	61	3	2017	VanSambeek
Lasher, Hiram	61	4	2017	Dunn (2/10/16), prepared by Witter
Eskelund, Kenneth	62	1	2018	Dunn (2/10/16), prepared by Witter
Lee, Lucy	62	2	2018	Witter
McFerran, John Brian	62	3	2018	Schat
Gylstorff, Irmgard	62	4	2018	Schat
Fabricant, Julius & Cathe	63	1	2019	Calnek
Marek, Jozsef	63	2	2019	Schat
Jordan, Frank	63	3	2019	Schat, prepared by Janet Bradbury
Rumsey, Reed	63	4	2019	Schat
Burmester, Ben	64	1	2020	Dunn
Hall, Charlie	64	2	2020	Schat
Riddell, Craig	64	3	2020	Schat
Hughes, Walter	64	4	2020	Schat

Zander, Don	65	1	2021 Schat
Hemboldt, Charles F	65	2	2021 Schat
Nagaraja, Kamambi	65	3	2021 Schat and Saif
Kaleta, Erhardt	65	4	2021 Toro
Leo Rettger	66	1	2022 Schat
E. Elizabeth Jones	66	2	2022 Schat
Eckroade, Bob	66	3	2022 Sprout/Schat
Peter Biggs	66	4	2022 Calnek/ Witter
Vielitz, Egon	67	1	2023 Witter
Cook, Jane	67	2	2023 Schat
Julian, Richard	67	3	2023 Bouillanne/Wojcinski
Calnek, Bruce	67	4	2023 Schat
Saif, Mo	68	1	2024 Schat with Linda Saif
Witter, Dick	68	2	2024 Dunn
Kleven, Stan	68	3	2024 Dufour-Zavala
Bickford, Arthur	68	4	2024 Cutler
de Blicck, Blackall	68	S1	2024 Singer/Schat
Yan Ghazikhanian	69	1	2025 Sato
	69	2	2025
	69	3	2025
	69	4	2025

Names previously discussed

Bradbury, Janet	approved in	2023 Schat
John Barnes	Discussed but not voted on	3 recent recommendations
Shivaprasad	approved 12-14,2023	
Hinshaw, Virginia		
McCapes, Richard	Discussed but not voted on	
Hunter, Bruce	Discussed but not voted on	
Cook, Mark	Discussed but not voted on	
Bagley, Royal	Discussed but not voted on	
Guy, Jim		

Suggestions for front covers after the announcement by the AAAP that all previous front covers are now available on line

Date received	Submitted by	Ack sent	Names
12-17-24	David Swayne	yes	Evan Stubbs, Oscar Fletcher, At Bickford, H.L Shivaprasad, John Barnes, Charly Beard
12-17-24	Gregorio Rosales	yes	Pedro Villegas, Caswell Eidson, Phil Lukert, John Barnes, Syed Naqi
12-17-24	Islam Hisham	Yes.	Peter Woolcock
12-17-24	Tahseen Aziz	yes	John Barnes
12-17-24	David Frame	yes	Marcus M Jensen
12-17-24	Ben Wileman	yes	Yan Ghazikhanian, Halverson
12-18-24	Sjaak de Wit	yes	Ben Kouwenhoven
12-18-24	Bob Edson	yes	Yan Ghazikhanianan
12-20-24	Dick Witter	yes	Bickford, Jim Payne, Venugopal