

# WET-LAB GLAUCOMA

**07 - 09 NOVEMBER 2025**

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## **COURSE DIRECTOR:**

**Dott.ssa Stefania Trio**  
*DVM, PhD, DE Ophtalmologie Alfort*

## **INSTRUCTORS:**

**Dr. Thierry Azoulay**  
*DVM, DESV-Opht, DIU de Chirurgie rétinovitréenne, DIU d'OCT*

**Dr. Frank Famose**  
*DVM, DESV-Opht, DIU Vitreo-retinal surgery, DIU Ocular surface*

**Dr. Virginie Fouque**  
*DVM, DE-OPHT, DIU Ocular Surface*



**Language: ENGLISH**

# ■ Description

The management of glaucoma is a challenge in veterinary ophthalmology. This course describes glaucomatous disease, reviewing its pathophysiology and clinical features. The complementary examinations available to the practitioner are then detailed, and practical examples are presented in the form of clinical reports and videos. The various medical and surgical treatment options are presented, as well as the clinical follow-up of the patient.

The final day is devoted to a practical workshop on the use of Ahmed valves in glaucoma surgery.

The objectives of this course are:

- To provide an overview of glaucomatous disease in order to better understand it
- To present the various complementary examinations currently available to improve the detection of patients and refine the prognosis of their care.
- Learn about the various treatment options available for glaucoma, and their limitations.
- Know how to place an Ahmed valve



**All lectures will be held in English without simultaneous translation**

Welcome Coffee and Registration	<b>08:30</b> <b>09:00</b>
<b>Glaucoma in veterinary medicine: the stakes</b> Dr. Thierry Azoulay	<b>09:00</b> <b>10:00</b>
<b>Pathophysiology of Glaucoma - Classification</b> Dr. Virginie Fouque	<b>10:00</b> <b>11:00</b>
Coffee Break	<b>11:00</b> <b>11:30</b>
<b>Clinical presentation of Glaucoma in Dogs, Cats, and Horses</b> Dr. Thierry Azoulay, Dr. Frank Famose, Dr. Virginie Fouque	<b>11:30</b> <b>12:30</b>
Light Lunch	<b>12:30</b> <b>14:00</b>
<b>Diagnosis of Glaucoma and complementary examinations</b> Dr. Thierry Azoulay, Dr. Frank Famose	<b>14:00</b> <b>15:00</b>
<b>Tutorials (Gonioscopy, Ultrasonography) - case reports</b> Dr. Thierry Azoulay, Dr. Frank Famose, Dr. Virginie Fouque	<b>15:00</b> <b>16:00</b>

# ■ Saturday 08/11/2025

Welcome Coffee	<b>08:00</b> <b>08:30</b>
<b>Complementary examinations for Glaucoma - video session</b>  - Tonometry - Gonioscopy  Dr. Thierry Azoulay, Dr. Frank Famose, Dr. Virginie Fouque	<b>08:30</b> <b>10:30</b>
Coffee Break	<b>10:30</b> <b>11:00</b>
<b>Complementary examinations for Glaucoma - video session</b>  - Echography - UBM  Dr. Thierry Azoulay, Dr. Frank Famose, Dr. Virginie Fouque	<b>11:00</b> <b>13:00</b>
Light Lunch	<b>13:00</b> <b>14:30</b>
<b>Medical treatment of Glaucoma</b> Dr. Frank Famose	<b>14:30</b> <b>15:30</b>
<b>Surgical treatment of Glaucoma</b> Dr. Thierry Azoulay, Dr. Virginie Fouque	<b>15:30</b> <b>16:30</b>
Coffee Break	<b>16:30</b> <b>17:00</b>
<b>Follow up of Glaucoma</b> Dr. Thierry Azoulay	<b>17:00</b> <b>18:00</b>

■ Sunday 09/11/2025

Welcome Coffee	08:30 09:00
<b>Ahmed's Valves in dogs TD</b> - Use of the ahmed valve: principles, implemnetation, management of complications - Videos: Valve placement, revision of filtration bulla, use of mitomycin	09:00 10:00
Dr. Thierry Azoulay, Dr. Virginie Fouque <b>Ahmed's Valves in dogs TD</b> - Advantages of combining endocyclophotocoagulation with the ahmed valve - Videos: ECP and Valve placement combined	10:00 10:30
Dr. Thierry Azoulay	
Coffee Break	10:30 11:00
<b>Ahmed's Valves in dogs TD wet-lab</b>	11:00 13:00
Dr. Thierry Azoulay, Dr. Virginie Fouque	

## **Dr. Thierry Azoulay**

*DVM, DESV-Opht, DIU de chirurgie rétinovitréenne, DIU d'OCT*



Dr Thierry Azoulay is heading the ophthalmology department of Agoravet, a private veterinary referral center in Strasbourg France. He is past president (2015-2021) and past vice-president (2021-2024) of the GEMO (Ophthalmology group of the French veterinary continuing education association) and member of the board of the French Eye Panelist Association. He is teaching surgery of the lens at the Surgery School of Nancy, giving lectures at the Ophthalmology Course (CES) of the Veterinary School of Toulouse and at the Ophthalmology Course (DE) of the Veterinary School of Maisons Alfort. As a clinician-scientist, he is particularly interested in lens, glaucoma and retinal surgery.

Dr. Azoulay is a diplomate of the French college of veterinary ophthalmologists (DESV-Opht) and a Fellow of the REOVVA (European Network of Ophthalmology and animal vision). He is also certified in vitreo-retinal surgery (DIU de chirurgie rétinovitréenne), in ocular surface (DIU surface oculaire) and in OCT (DIU d'OCT).

## **Dr. Frank Famose**

*DVM, DESV-Opht, DIU Vitreo-retinal surgery, DIU Ocular surface*



01/1989 - Doctorate in Veterinary Medicine - Ecole Nationale vétérinaire de Toulouse (France)

01/1991 - Ophthalmology Certificate - Ecole Nationale vétérinaire de Toulouse (France)

01/2010 - Corneal surgery degree - Centre National d'Ophtalmologie des XV-XX (Paris, France)

01/2014 - Vitreoretinal surgery degree - Hôpital Hôtel-Dieu (Paris, France)

01/2015 - Bibliographic research degree - Faculté de Médecine de Bordeaux-2 (Bordeaux, France)

01/2015 - Veterinary specialist degree - Ecole Nationale vétérinaire de Maisons-Alfort (Paris, France)

03/2020 - Ocular surface degree - Centre National d'Ophtalmologie des XV-XX (Paris, France)

Since 2013, I have been committed in the development and promotion of the corneal surgery and particularly of the corneal-cross linking technique in veterinary ophthalmology via local and international publications. I have an extensive experience in treating patients with corneal ulcers and CXL procedure (more than 300 cases in the last years) and I have taken responsibility of leading the group of veterinary ophthalmologists committed in the cross-linking applications in animals.

# Faculty

**Dr. Virginie Fouque**

*DVM, DE-OPHT, DIU Ocular Surface*



Graduated from the National Veterinary School in Alfort (ENVA) in 2009, she spent several years working in small animal and equine general practice before deciding to focus on ophthalmology. She completed her training in ophthalmology in National Veterinary School in Alfort gaining her certificate (DE d'ophtalmologie), then she became French pannelist for hereditary eye diseases, and graduated in ocular surface (DIU de surface oculaire). Today she has a dedicated ophthalmology practice near Orleans. Since 2021, she is a member of Groupe d'Etude sur les Maladies Oculaires and participates in ophthalmology training for general practitioners.

## EVENT SPACE UNISVET Via Salvator Rosa 14, Milano

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**€ 2.200 + IVA**

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### THE REGISTRATION ENTITLES TO

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- Course proceedings
- Technical material for hands on sessions
- Attendance certificate
- 15 SPC credit, only for Italian vets
- Coffee break and Lunches
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