



WAAVP 2027
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31st Conference of the
World Association for
the Advancement of
Veterinary Parasitology



First programme details available

The scientific programme of **31st Conference of the World Association for the Advancement of Veterinary Parasitology (WAAVP)** is beginning to take shape. We are pleased to share a first glimpse of the conference programme, highlighting the diverse and interdisciplinary nature of veterinary parasitology, from One Health approaches to advances in parasite control and disease management.

Explore the preliminary programme structure and get and gain an overview of the conference format, including renowned international experts, parallel sessions, poster presentations and sponsored symposia.

Preliminary programme

Meet the experts shaping WAAVP 2027 and explore the themes of their plenary talks. Visit their profiles to learn more about their expertise, research interests and scientific achievements.



Krystyna Cwiklinski
Liverpool, UK

One genus, many challenges: The quest for effective control of Fasciola spp. through a One Health lens



Maria Duque-Correa
Cambridge, UK

Organoid models to dissect host-helminth interactions



Sarah A. Hamer
Texas A&M, USA

Vector biology and Trypanosoma cruzi transmission at the wildlife-dog-human interface



Jennifer Keiser
Basel, Switzerland

Future Therapies for Soil-Transmitted Helminth Infections



Guilherme Klafke
Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil

Acaricide Resistance in Livestock Ticks: From Diagnosis to Decision-Making

Keynotes

Join the Global Parasitology Community at ICOPA 2026



The **16th International Congress of Parasitology (ICOPA 2026)** will bring together researchers, clinicians, and parasitology professionals from around the world to share insights, exchange ideas, and tackle emerging challenges in the field. Taking place in **Montréal, Canada, from 16–21 August 2026**, ICOPA

2026 offers a comprehensive scientific program under the theme “Parasites in a Changing World.”

Attendees can explore the latest advancements across five main session types, including parasite ecology, biodiversity, and taxonomy; transmission dynamics, epidemiology, and global health; clinical parasitology; host-parasite interactions and immunology; and vaccines, diagnostics, and interventions. Sessions feature plenaries, symposia, and interactive workshops designed to provide both foundational knowledge and practical applications relevant to researchers and healthcare professionals alike.

Beyond the scientific program, ICOPA 2026 offers numerous opportunities for networking and collaboration. Participants can join the **Welcome Reception**, daily coffee and lunch breaks, **Wednesday Afternoon Networking Time**, and the ticketed **ICOPA and Science: Networking Evening** featuring live jazz, DJ sets, and circus performances. These events provide informal settings to connect with colleagues, share ideas, and foster collaborations that extend well beyond the congress.

For those seeking hands-on experience, the **Pre-Congress Workshop: Diagnosis of Parasites in Human Stool and Blood for an Evolving World** on 16 August 2026 offers practical, expert-led training in parasite diagnostics, combining morphological, molecular, and serological approaches.

Take this opportunity to advance your knowledge, gain exposure to cutting-edge research, and strengthen your professional network in parasitology.

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ICOPA 2026



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