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# INTERNATIONAL ADVANCED COURSES

## LAPAROSCOPY & THORACOSCOPY

with Eric Monnet  
DVM, DIPLOMATE  
ACVS-ECVS

Held at the School of Surgery in France, this session is aimed at **ECVS Diplomates and residents** wishing to acquire complete technical mastery of this **minimally invasive surgery**, increasingly used in current practice.



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# Introduction & presentation.



## Master veterinary laparoscopy with advanced, immersive training

VELVET INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGIES invites you to an in-depth **3-day** training course, dedicated to **veterinary laparoscopy and thoracoscopy**. You'll also take part in a discovery day dedicated to **robotic surgery** with Eric Monnet DVM, DIPLOMATE ACVS-ECVS

## Objectives

The program includes targeted theory, **demonstrations** and **practical workshops** led by experts in the field. A unique opportunity to develop your laparoscopic skills, under optimal training conditions.

A structured approach to move from **basic gesture to mastered intervention**

A high-level teaching environment, with **specialized equipment**

An ideal format for **reinforcing autonomy, precision and safety** in the operating room

# Refine your technique. Elevate your precision. Redefine your surgical practice.





## Get *BETTER* with *Eric* *MONNET*

Dr. Eric Monnet graduated from veterinary school in Maisons Alfort, France in 1985. He worked for four years in a Paris **private practice performing small animal medicine and surgery**. In 1994, he completed a small animal surgery residency at **Colorado State University** and concurrently finished a Master of Sciences degree.

In 1997, Dr. Monnet received his PhD in Clinical Sciences studying **cardiac efficiency in dogs**. In 2003, he became a fellow of the **American Heart Association**. Dr Monnet is currently a **professor in small animal surgery** (soft tissue) at CSU.



# Day 1 laparoscopy.



**8:30** | Welcome & coffee

**9:00** | Lecture : Single incision laparoscopy

**9:30** | Lecture : Intracorporeal suturing

**10:00** | Lecture : Laparoscopic gastropexy

**10:45** | Lecture : Laparoscopic treatment of diaphragmatic and hiatal hernia

**12:00** | LUNCH

**13:00** | Simulator : intracorporeal suturing

**14:30** | Laparoscopic gastropexy

**15:30** | Laparoscopic hernia

**17:00** | End of Day 1



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# Day 2 laparoscopy.

**8:30** | Welcome & coffee

**9:00** | Lecture : Energy sources

**9:30** | Lecture : Laparoscopic cholecystectomy

**10:15** | Lecture : Laparoscopic adrenalectomy

**11:00** | Lecture : Laparoscopic surgery of the urinary system

**12:00** | LUNCH

**13:00** | Wetlab : Laparoscopic cholecystectomy

| Wetlab : Laparoscopic adrenalectomy

| Wetlab : Laparoscopic nephrectomy and assisted  
cystotomy

**17:00** | End of Day 2



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# Day 3

## thoracoscopy.

**8:30** | Welcome & coffee

**9:00** | Lecture : Instrumentation and approaches

**9:30** | Lecture : Exploration and biopsy

**10:00** | Lecture : Pericardial window and pericardectomy

**10:30** | Lecture : Lung lobectomy

**11:00** | Lecture : Thoracic duct ligation

**11:30** | PRAA

**12:30** | LUNCH

**13:30** | Wetlab : Thoracoscopy

| Wetlab : Exploration and biopsy

| Wetlab : Pericardium

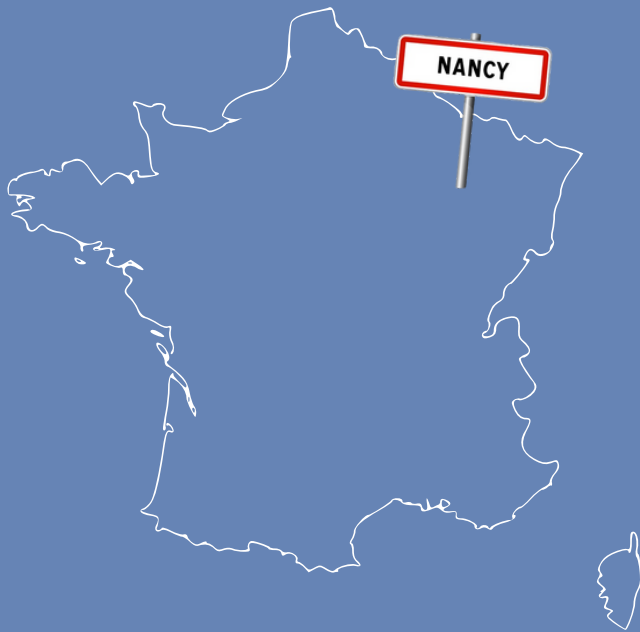
| Wetlab : Lung lobectomy

**17:00** | End of Day 3



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# More information.



## PLACE OF TRAINING

Faculty of Medicine, Building D, 2nd floor  
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## CONTACTS

### REGISTRATION

Maximum of 20 participants  
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### PRICE

Resident : 1 500€ (lunch included) (+20% VAT)

Non resident : 3 000€ (lunch included) (+20% VAT)

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