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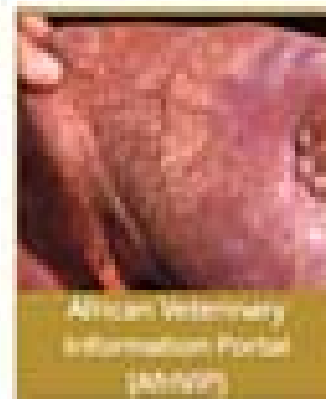
Utilising resources to strengthen your
position in the Library and Faculty

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Introduction

- My tasks as cataloguer at the Veterinary Science Library
- Time for change: the era of UPSpace and metadata
- New ways to organise information and deliver quality products
- Job profile was changing: “subject-specific” information organiser
- Seeing the bigger picture
- Presenting options not objections
- Being pro-active rather than reactive



Background of our Digital Collections

- Scarce and valuable resources
- Veterinary Science - focus area in 2006
- Historical items, documents and memorabilia were scattered
- Partners with the Faculty of Veterinary Science, Onderstepoort Veterinary Institute and the Veterinary History Society of the South African Veterinary Association to deliver essential information to Africa and the rest of the world
- Teamwork with the information specialists
- Important best practices
 - Identify resources
 - Metadata
 - Marketing of collections



Identify Potential Digital Collections

- Be visible: meetings, Open day events, Faculty Day, exhibitions
- Create an awareness to transform from paper to digital format
- Tacit knowledge is vulnerable
- Identify “adopters of open access” in the community served

OP Faculty Day 2017



OP Open Day 2019



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Digital Collections is not only About Editing ...

- Identifying and evaluating the resources
- Copyright clearance
- Downloading of files for cleaning up and downscaling
- Creating the collections : writing of introductions, creating logo's
- Creating templates
- Tagging with unique terms for linking



Examples of our Collections

Introduction and Logo of a Collection

The screenshot shows the UPspace Institutional Repository website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the UPspace logo and the text "UPspace Institutional Repository" and "Department of Library Services". Below this is a blue banner with the text "UPspace Home -> Veterinary Science -> History of the Faculty of Veterinary Science -> Faculty of Veterinary Science Class Photos".

The main content area is titled "Faculty of Veterinary Science Class Photos". It features a search bar with the text "Search within this collection:" and a "Go" button. Below the search bar is a "Browse by" section with tabs for "Issue Date", "Authors", "Titles", "Subjects", and "Supervisor". A blue arrow labeled "Logo" points to the search bar area.

Below the search bar is a "Browse" section with a "All of UPspace" list and a "This Collection" list. The "This Collection" list includes "Issue Date", "Authors", "Titles", "Subjects", "Supervisor", "UP Author", and "UP Postgraduate Type".

Below the lists is a description of the collection: "The Faculty of Veterinary Science is a faculty of the University of Pretoria. Founded in 1920, it is the second oldest veterinary faculty in Africa. A major event in the veterinary history of South Africa was the arrival in 1891 of a Swiss-born veterinarian, Arnold Theiler. During his time the possibility of training veterinarians in South Africa was frequently raised. In 1920 Sir Arnold Theiler was appointed as Director of Veterinary Education and Research. He was the first Dean of veterinary science at 'Onderstepoort' under the supervision of the then Transvaal University College. New facilities were inaugurated at the end of 1921 and the first eight South African trained veterinarians qualified in 1924. This collection consists of class photos of all the graduates from the Faculty since its beginning. (Source: Wikipedia)"

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Making Resources Available

- Digitisation and uploading of digital resources
- Adding metadata
- International standards – Dublin Core, LC Subject headings, RDA
- Written documentation on the process is essential
- Quality control
- Good metadata promotes good digital collections



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UPSpace Institutional Repository
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Three stages in the life cycle of the tick *Amblyomma hebraeum* : male and female adults, a nymph and three larvae
University of Pretoria. Faculty of Veterinary Science

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Amblyomma hebraeum is one of the tick vectors of heartwater which is an acute disease of cattle, goats, sheep and some wild ruminants caused by the rickettsia, *Ehrlichia ruminantium* (formerly *Cowdria ruminantium*). Heartwater is one of the major diseases of livestock in sub-saharan Africa. (Source: Alisoop, BA, Bezuidenhout, JD & Prozesky, L, 'Heartwater', *Infectious Diseases of Livestock* edited by JAW Coetzer & RC Tustin, Cape Town : Oxford University Press, 2004.)

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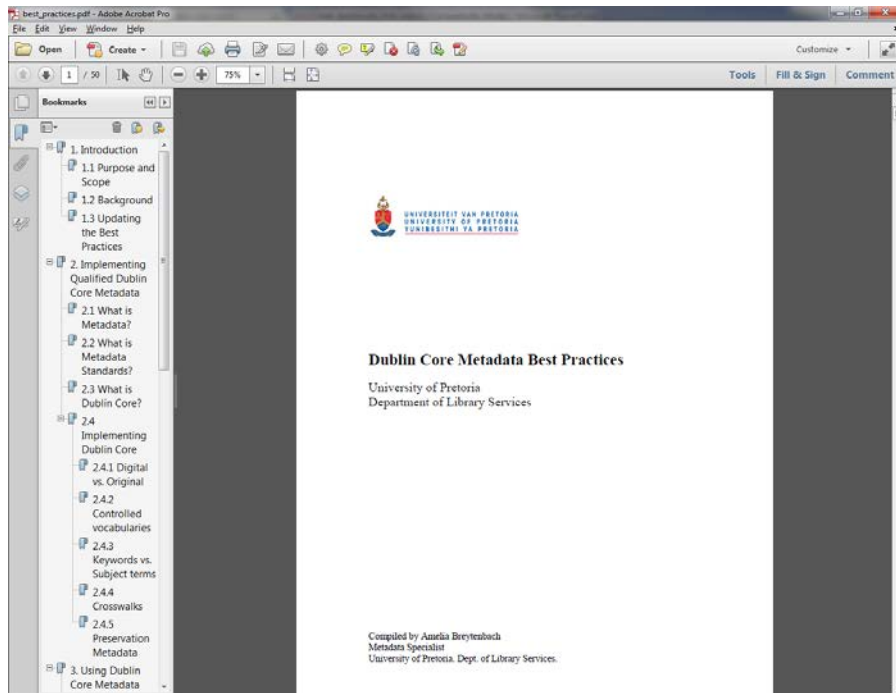
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- Metadata documentation available on:
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Supervisor(s)/advisor	Thesis supervisor, other supervisors, and advisors.	contributor.advisor (refinement)	submitter
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You Can be A “Publisher” for the Faculty

- Create a “publication” collection for a conference proceedings
- Electronic access
- Skills Laboratory (InVeST Proceedings)
- Veterinary History Society (WAVH proceedings)

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Proceedings of the 44th International Congress of the World Association for the History of Veterinary Medicine held 27-29 February 2020 at The Farm Inn Hotel and Conference Centre, Pretoria, South Africa.

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Presentations

Opening session

Keynote: Bloodlines and Bloodies – The Equine Experiment in Africa
Prof Sandra Smart
MEDUNSA: The rise and demise of South Africa's second veterinary faculty
Dr Neville Owen

Session 2 – Free Topics

Jenner's Zoological Perspective
Prof. Abigail Woods
Animal disease in iron-age and early medieval Western Europe: Knowledge, understanding and management
Mr. Patrick O'Reilly
Puzri-Dagan: Organization of an animal concentration centre during UR III period
Silvia Nicolas Alonso
Request to cancel an appointment for the Civil Veterinary Service in the Dutch East Indies in 1890
Dr Jons Straatman

Session 3 – Free Topics

Equine veterinarians in South Africa - 220 years of service
Prof Gareth Bath
Eradicating Foot and Mouth Disease in North America, 1946-1954
Dr Rebecca Kaplan
Reduction of antibiotic use in farm animal and aquaculture production in Norway over

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InVeST Proceedings
10-12 April 2017

Proceedings of the 5th International Veterinary Simulation in Teaching Conference held by the Faculty of Veterinary Science, University of Pretoria, 10-12 April 2017, Inundia Conference Venue, Pretoria, South Africa.

Proceedings

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Posters

Introducing a series of primary care focused clinical skills practicals to prepare students for rotations and work-placements
Christopher R, Lindsey S, Muguet-Chanoit A, Williams J, Catterall A, Baillie S
Reflections on initiatives to optimise the impact of a clinical skills lab in promoting learning
Sarah Baillie, Alison Catterall, Rachel Christopher, Sarah Lindsey
The impact of model fidelity on acquisition of abdominal incision closure skills in novice veterinary students
Williamson J, Binsson B, Skowron C, Farrell R, Anderson S, Spangler D
Objective structured clinical examination by means of an anaesthesia simulation
Cerfoggi FM, Hay Kraus B, Burzette R
Development of a diagnostic intradermal tuberculin test model for bovine tuberculosis
Michel AL, Annandale A, Kok L
Objective assessment of practical skills in finalist veterinary students
Holm DE, Mostert E
The effect of bloom's taxonomy level and other factors on the performance of final year veterinary students in theoretical assessment
Mostert E, Holm DE
Implementation of an E-learning teaching module supports active learning and improves understanding of the regulation of estrous cycle in domestic species
Jonker FH, Balthlehem R, Vos PLAM, Gier J de, Claes ANJ, Jansen AE, Haeflert T van
Virtual, mixed and augmented reality in veterinary education

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The Goals We Reached

- 24 veterinary collections establish since 2006
- Capture a variety of media types: slides, conference proceedings, journal articles, biomedical illustrations, lectures, news articles, multimedia and veterinary newsletters
- Trustworthy and reliable metadata supplied by veterinary experts
- Future collections: Tick collection, OP Veterinary Student Council Photo Collection



South African National Veterinary Repository

- Historical resources from UP, OVI and the Veterinary History Society of SAVA
- Onderstepoort Journal of Veterinary Research – 2399 articles
- Historic Veterinary Glass Plate Collection – 327 items

South African National Veterinary Repository

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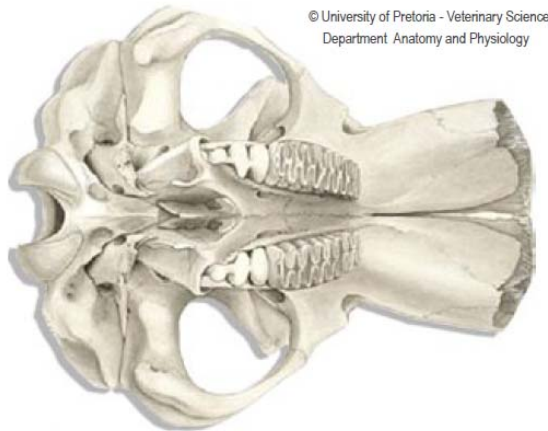
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Flagship Collections (1)

- **Christine Seegers Biomedical Illustrations : The Elephant**
 - This collection of the African Elephant includes various views of skulls, vertebrae, the female pelvis, ribs, scapulae etc.
 - Outstanding Paper Award (Emerald Literati Network Awards for Excellence in 2009) for best practices and workflow for a digital collection.



Flagship Collections (2)

- **Historic Glass Plate Collection**
 - Scanned images of the historical glass plate collection of photographs of the ARC-Onderstepoort Veterinary Research.



Flagship Collections (3)

■ Sir Arnold Theiler Memorial Lectures

- Collection of presentations from invited speakers on Faculty day, a special, dedicated occasion which focuses on the research activities of the Faculty of Veterinary Science.

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research activities of the Faculty of Veterinary Science.

Sir Arnold Theiler Memorial Lectures

Year	Speaker	Title
1984	T. Goutche	Theiler - His Personal Significance Today
1985	Prof HPA De Boom	Vlamme Fakkeit, Ou bene, Ivoortorings en Rooi Vtae
1986	Prof BC Jansen	Theiler Gedenksing
1987		Opening of the Sir Arnold Theiler Building - No Lecture
1988	Dr RD Sigalke	Important Requirements for Future Animal Production-Orientated Research with Particular Reference to Veterinary Science
1989	Dr R Svanepoel	The Impact of Controlled Breeding on the Cattle industry in Southern Africa
1990	Dr A Schutte	Sir Arnold Theilergedenksing - Theiler en die Fakulteit Veerartsykunde
1991	Prof DM Joubert	The Environment - Whose Responsibility
1992	Dr CM Cameron	Opening of the Onderstepoort Veterinary Academic Hospital - No Lecture
1993		Rinderpest and Cell-Culture Revolution
1994	Dr W Ploveright	
1995	Prof WL Jenkins	Premature Discoveries in Science
1996	Prof PV Tobias	Our Universe: Accident or Design
1997	Prof DL Block	A Stroll Through the Wondrous Garden of South African Toxicology
1998	Prof TW Naude	
1999		The Molecular Revolution in Biology and its Influence on Veterinary Science
2000	Dr DW Vervoerd	Molecular Biology and its Impact on the Study and Control of Viral Diseases such as Bluetongue and African Horse Sickness
2001	Prof H Huismans	The Joy of Research
2002	Prof I Horak	Fumonisins: Historical Perspective and Future Objectives
2003	Prof WFO Marasas	Wildlife/Domestic Animal Disease Interface - Hard of Soft Edge?
2004	Dr RA Kock	The Past, Present and Future of the Clinical Departments in the Faculty of Veterinary Science
2005	Prof SS van den Berg	The Global Poverty Reduction Agenda: What are the Implications for Animal Health Research and Development
2006	Dr BD Perry	What Makes an Excellent Faculty of Veterinary Medicine
2007	Prof Dr AWCA Cornelissen	New Challenges for the Veterinary Profession in Global Animal Diseases Control and the Trade in Animals and Animal Products
2008	Dr G Bruckner	Adventures in Infection and Immunity
2009	Prof P Doherty	The Role of the Veterinary Profession within the Current Development Agenda in the Republic of South Africa
2010	Dr R Moerane	World Veterinary Congress - No Lecture
2011		Emerging viral diseases - the example of bluetongue from Theiler to climate change
2012	Prof N James MacLachlan	A Personal Journey Through Coronavirus Evolution
2013	Prof Marian C. Horzinek	Predisposition for Health or Disease - the 'new' Genetics of Environmental Health
2014	Prof Louis J. Guillette	Mummification - a glimpse into the sociocultural aspects of the preservation of the bodies of domesticated animals
2015	Prof Graham J. Louw	One Health: a decade of shared experiences and benefits
2016	Prof Lucille Blumberg	The Research Imperative
2017	Prof Robert Gilbert	The Story of Humanity, told by our oldest commensal - Helicobacter pylori
2018	Prof Yohan Moodley	Large Mammals Facing Climate Change
2019	Prof Duncan Mitchell	No Memorial Lecture
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Subject

The Research Imperative Arnold Theiler Memorial Lecture 2017

Robert O. Gilbert, FRCVS

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Professor Emeritus, Cornell University



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Flagship Collection (4)

- **Faculty of Veterinary Science Class Photo Collection**
 - Faculty was founded in 1920.
 - Second oldest veterinary faculty in Africa. And the only one in South Africa
 - First eight South African trained veterinarians qualified in 1924.
 - This collection consists of class photos of all the graduates from the Faculty since its beginning.
 - 125 photos of BVSc, Medunsa BVSC and DVN graduates

Faculty of Veterinary Science Class Photos

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University of Pretoria. Faculty of Veterinary Science; Anton Hartman Photography (Pretoria : University of Pretoria, Faculty of Veterinary Science, 2019)

Formal colour photo taken in front of the Arnold Theiler Building, Onderstepoort campus, of the 2019 BVSc graduates. The names of the graduates on the photo are: Front (from left to right): Z Rassool, S Mtabela, L Horn, C ...



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- Open Access – mainly for our Alumni
- Faculty Newsletters and Publications – important for highlighting our activities in research and learning and for a historical timeline
- Faculty of Veterinary Science Sustainable Development Goals – emerging space (Prof Kupe)
- South African National Veterinary Repository – veterinary history in South Africa
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Collection of photos and memorabilia of Sir Arnold Theiler (1867 - 1936), widely known as the father of veterinary science in South Africa. He was an outstanding researcher, administrator and teacher and made an enduring contribution to various disciplines both in South Africa and internationally. The collection was donated to the Jotello F. Soga Library by Prof A. Verster.




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About the UN Sustainable Development Goals

The UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), also known as the Global Goals, are a collection of 17 goals designed to provide a shared blueprint for peace and prosperity for people and the planet, now and into the future.

The SDGs were set up in 2015 by the United Nations General Assembly and are intended to be achieved by the year 2030. The 17 SDGs are an urgent call for action by developed and developing countries. Countries in Africa such as Ethiopia, Angola and South Africa worked with UN Country Teams and the United Nations Development Programme to provide support to create awareness about SDGs among many sectors like government officers, private sector workers, MPs and the civil society.

Everyone can contribute and the veterinary profession can also make sure the Global Goals are met. The veterinary profession should identify areas for which it has responsibility and where animals play an important role in the context of sustainable development. For example in SDG 3, owning a pet was mentioned as being associated with improved physical and psychological health of the owner. A better future is possible if we acknowledge that animals matter and that animal welfare is an important element of sustainable development. Adherence to animal welfare principles will lead to positive impacts for poverty eradication, food security, public health, climate change and biodiversity.

With this Libguide you can read more about the goals, find organizations to support and information to share. Our main aim with the Libguide is to highlight the Faculty of Veterinary Science contributions to the 17 Sustainable Development Goals through their research and activities.

(Sources: Wikipedia and United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs)



University of Pretoria SDG News

- **UP releases first SDG progress report**
UP's SDG report focuses on the period 1 January 2020 to 31 December 2020, and looks at how the University's operational activities and core functions of research, education and engagement are working towards achieving the UN SDG goals.
- **South African SDG Hub**
The South African SDG Hub is a metaplatform that aggregates the best and most relevant research on the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) from South African and selected non-South African universities. Our machine-learning-based classification tool classifies research in terms of one or more of the SDGs. Our mission is to increase the impact of research published on universities' institutional repositories. The South African SDG Hub is a national resource hosted by the Albert Lutuli Leadership Institute at the University of Pretoria.
- **UP launches national network to support UN Sustainable Development Goals**
The University of Pretoria (UP) has launched SDSN South Africa, a national network for the United Nations' Sustainable Development Solutions Network (SDSN). The SDSN is an international initiative that marshals global scientific and technological expertise to promote practical solutions for sustainable development. The aim of the national network is to mobilise and support South African universities and other leading research institutions to promote the UN's Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in South Africa, as well as the country's contribution to the goals globally.
- **'Sustainable development is embedded in UP's strategic goals' – UP Executive advisor at United Nations Academic Impact event**
Dr Brian Chicksen, Advisor to the Executive at the University of Pretoria (UP), recently featured as a speaker at the United Nations Academic Impact (UNA-I) third Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) workshop. The webinar, titled 'SDGs Off-Campus: Engaging with the Community', centred on learning more about how universities can collaborate effectively with community organisations. More than 300 attendees from around world were part of the virtual workshop. The UNA-I declared this action of research builds confidence for innovation and wellness.

Animal Health and the SDGs

- **Veterinarians' Contribution to the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) "Reflection paper"**
- **Animal Welfare and the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals**
- **The Veterinary Sustainability Goals**
- **Sustainable Development Goals and livestock systems**
- **Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals : Health for Animals report**
- **How animal nutrition can contribute to sustainability**
- **Transforming the livestock sector through the Sustainable Development Goals**
- **Why It's Vital to Incorporate Animal Welfare into the Sustainable Development Goals: Enhancing the Connections Between Wildlife and Humans Is Crucial to Our Planet's Future**
- **Animal Protection and Sustainable Development: An indivisible relationship**
- **Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals : The Value of Healthier Animals**
- **Animals: helping us achieve the future we want ((WSPA)**
- **Synthesis – Livestock and the Sustainable Development Goals Global: Agenda for Sustainable Livestock**
- **We can't achieve the SDGs without investing in animal health**
- **Incorporating Animal Welfare Into the SDGs**
- **The 18th Sustainable Development Goal**
- **How Animal Protection Impacts All 17 U.N. Sustainable Development Goals**



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Resources About the SDGs

Below are selected courses, tools and resources related to the SDGs.



Online SDG Courses

- The SDG Academy**
 The SDG Academy is the Sustainable Development Solutions Network's flagship education initiative. The Network bring together the world's experts to create and deliver educational content on critical issues for the future of people and planet.
- Massachusetts Institute of Technology OpenCourseWare: Climate Change Courses**
- UN DESA/DSDG 2021 SDGs Learning, Training and Practice**
 The Division for Sustainable Development Goals (DSDG), at the United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UN DESA/DSDG) and the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR), New York Office, have organized the 2021 edition of the SDGs Learning, Training & Practice – a series of capacity building and knowledge learning sessions held as a Special Event to the HLPF, featuring speakers and experts from many sectors on crucial topics related to the implementation of the SDGs under review in 2021.
- UNITAR: 2030 Agenda Online Courses**
 The United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) provides innovative learning solutions to individuals, organizations and institutions to enhance global decision-making and support country level action for shaping a better future.

Print Books in the Catalogue

- Contested Ecologies** by Lesley Green (Editor) ⓘ
 ISBN: 9780796924285
 Publication Date: 2013-09-15
- Game ranch management** by J du P Bothma (Editor); J G Du Toit (Editor) ⓘ
 ISBN: 9780627033469
 Publication Date: 2016, 6th edition
- One Welfare** by Monique Eloit (Foreword by); Rebeca Garcia Prillos (Editor) ⓘ
 ISBN: 9781786393845
 Publication Date: 2018-07-27
- Sustainability Science** by Bert J. M. de Vries ⓘ
 ISBN: 9781107005884
 Publication Date: 2012-12-17

Electronic Books in the Catalogue

Click here for a list of electronic books in the catalogue about the Sustainable Development Goals. (For UP Library staff and students only)

Open Education Resources and SDGs

- Sustainable Development Goals OER's (OpenEd University of Edinburgh)**
 Collection of OERs from the University of Edinburgh that are in line with a specific SDG - The open educational resources are listed for ease of educators wishing to find SDG aligned resources. All OERs have also been tagged with the relevant SDG and number for searching or identifying purposes.
- Open Textbook Library**
 The Open Textbook Library is a comprehensive resource for openly licensed academic textbooks. All textbooks are free, and the majority are peer reviewed.

SDG Publications

- The SDG Library**
 As governments, civil society, businesses and researchers are engaging in understanding and achieving the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, and its 17



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About SDG-related Veterinary Research at UP

Many of the SDGs have direct or indirect connections with animal welfare. Animals, both domestic and wild, contribute significantly to sustainable human development and their welfare supports human well-being in all its forms. Most of the Sustainable Development Goals rely on animal welfare and wildlife conservation, although few of the goals mentioned directly animals. To be able to list veterinary research and activities to the different UN SDG's descriptions, facts and figures from FAO experts and from the literature are used to describe how animals are connected to the different Goals. It also uses elements from a working paper currently being developed by the Animal Production and Health Division of FAO. From the published reports it is clear the veterinary professions are uniquely placed at the human-animal-environment interface to address the SDGs. The SDGs cannot be fully achieved without incorporating animal welfare and conservation into the strategies.

(Source: FAO-AGAL Synthesis – Livestock and the Sustainable Development Goals Global: Agenda for Sustainable Livestock)

SDG Goal 1: No Poverty

1 NO POVERTY

End poverty in all its forms everywhere. Protecting animal health can grow economies and lift hundreds of millions out of poverty. Many poor people around the world depend directly on livestock for their livelihoods. For them farm animals are a major asset - providing them with capital or their only source of income.

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SDG Goal 2: Zero Hunger

2 ZERO HUNGER

End hunger, achieve food security and improved nutrition and promote sustainable agriculture. Farm animals plays an important role in food security, providing protein in people's diets at global level. With our population rising, we must feed more people in the coming decade than ever before. Fewer animals lost to disease means less food waste and more milk, meat and eggs available for our tables. Livestock also provides animal traction and manure for fertilization in crop productivity. Conserving wildlife are critical to reduce global hunger.

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SDG Goal 3: Good Health and Well-Being

3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

Ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages. Healthier animals mean healthier people. Food sourced from animals are important to nutrition and health but can also be a threat to human health. Some animal diseases are zoonotic which can infect humans. The livestock sector is also a major contributor to global Antimicrobial Resistance (AMR) – a rapidly emerging threat to human health. The One Health approach should be made a priority to obtain optimal health for people, animals and the environment. Animal welfare also helps support long term human health, which is integral to the physical and psychological health of communities.

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SDG Goal 4: Quality Education

4 QUALITY EDUCATION

SDG Goal 5: Gender Equality

5 GENDER EQUALITY

SDG Goal 6: Clean Water and Sanitation

6 CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION

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African Vaccinology Network (AFVANET) : an African network by African scientists
Lazarus, David D.; Afolayan, Funmilayo Ibitayo Deborah; Mamo, Gezahegne; Dinga, Jerome Nyhalah; Akinbobola, Jones; Duedu, Obeng; Tshifhiwa, Nefefe; Kassa, Tesfaye; Nene, Vish; Dieye, Yakhya; Oumouna, Mustapha (African Field Epidemiology Network, 2020-09-16)
We write to introduce the African Vaccinology Network (AFVANET) as a new network of African research scientists involved in vaccine research and development (R&D) for human and animal diseases. The goal of this network ...

Anti-inflammatory and antioxidant properties of leaf extracts of eleven South African medicinal plants used traditionally to treat inflammation
Ondua, Moise; Njoya, Emmanuel Mfotie; Abdalla, Muna Ali; McGaw, Lyndy Joy (Elsevier, 2019-04)
ETHNOPHARMACOLOGICAL RELEVANCE : Inflammation is a complex mechanism employed by the body to promote healing and restoration to normal function in the event of injury. Eleven plant species were selected in this study based ...

Anti-inflammatory, anticholinesterase and antioxidant activity of leaf extracts of twelve plants used traditionally to alleviate pain and inflammation in South Africa
Dzobo, Jean Paul; Eloff, Jacobus Nicolaas (Elsevier, 2015-02)
ETHNOPHARMACOLOGICAL RELEVANCE : Oxidative stress and inflammatory conditions are among the pathological features associated with the central nervous system in Alzheimer's disease. Traditionally, medicinal plants have been ...

Antimicrobial resistance profiles of salmonella isolates on chickens processed and retailed at outlets of the informal market in Gauteng Province, South Africa
Mokgophi, Thelma M.; Gcebe, Nomakorinte; Fasina, Folorunso Oludayo; Adesiyun, Abiodun Adewale (MDPI, 2021-03-01)
The study determined the antimicrobial resistance profiles of Salmonella on chickens processed and retailed at outlets of the informal markets in Gauteng province, South Africa. The study also investigated the relationship ...

Antimicrobial use, residues, resistance and governance in the food and agriculture sectors, Tanzania



Tagging of Veterinary Science Resources in UPSpace

- Tagging of veterinary science open access articles, theses and news articles – from 2015 when SDG initiative was started
- Each item is tag according to the SDG description and keywords extract from the description
- Example: Some of the following words must be present in the item to be tagged as a SDG-3:
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 - Human-animal relationship
 - One Health
 - Zoonoses
 - Antimicrobial resistance
 - Animal welfare

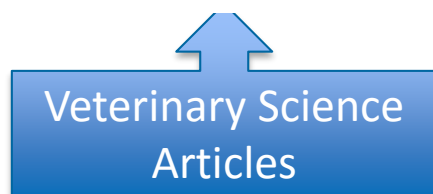


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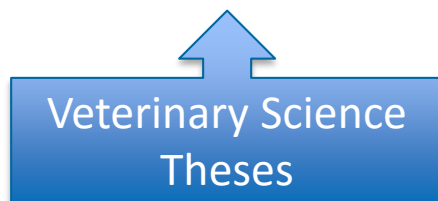
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[Faculty collaborates with Tshwane Speaker's Office to expose learners to Veterinary Science](#)

Van Blerk, Chris; University of Pretoria. Faculty of Veterinary Science (2016-06-02)

The visit was made possible by collaboration between the Faculty and the Office of the Speaker in the City of Tshwane. According to Ms Duduzile Malatsi, Deputy Director in the Office of the Speaker, the various departments ...

[Faculty showcases its CEn programme to the steering committee of the USRN](#)

Van Blerk, Chris; University of Pretoria. Faculty of Veterinary Science (2017-04-11)

The University Social Responsibility Network (USR Network/USRN) was inaugurated on 9 October 2015 in Hong Kong. It places emphasis on collaboration, coalition and networking among members and with other networks and ...

SDG Goal 17: Partnerships for the Goals



Strengthen the means of implementation and revitalize the global partnership for sustainable development. To reach these goals and have a shared vision it requires partnerships between governments, private sector and civil society. In the animal and livestock sector stakeholders must join together to share knowledge, develops cutting-edge tools and promotes an integrated approach for sustainable livestock.

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What I learned from this SDG Project

- Hard work and time consuming to tag the existing items from 2015 in UPSpace
- Subscribe to the relevant collections to get e-mails from UPSpace for the new items that is uploaded to keep up with tagging
- No need to update the UPSpace links on the SDG Libguide as the items are automatically added to the lists through the link
- Tagging can be difficult - retrieve keywords from the SDG descriptions to help with identifying tags for the different SDGs
- To be successful we need to become involved in linking the research data of our Faculty to sustainable development and to play a role in the awareness of the SDGs to our users.



Keeping the Faculty Informed

- Using a blog on Libguides to keep users up to date
- Things to post : new e-books, workshops, conferences, etc



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by Amelia Breytenbach on March 28th, 2022 | Comments

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11:00: Welcome and introduction – Oscar Masinyana, Head of Researcher Services & Networks - Africa, Taylor & Francis Group
 11:10: Channels for authors to share their research – Ruchi Chauhan, Marketing Director – Open Research, Taylor & Francis Group
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by Amelia Breytenbach on September 7th, 2021 in Veterinary Science, Companion Animal Clinical Studies | Comments

UPCOMING EQUINE CPD

Equine MRI online
Monday 13th September to Sunday 24th October

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Monday 20th September to Sunday 17th October

Equine radiology online - the head, neck and back
Monday 25th October to Sunday 5th December

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Monday 1st November to Sunday 28th November

Webinars: Equine acupuncture, rehabilitation and physiotherapy
Various dates in November

For full course details visit: www.rvc.ac.uk/cpd

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New E-book available: Papich Handbook of Veterinary Drugs

by Amelia Breytenbach on August 19th, 2021 in Veterinary Science | Comments



Papich handbook of veterinary drugs by Mark G Papich

Call Number: Online
 ISBN: 9780323709583
 Publication Date: 2021

Papich Handbook of Veterinary Drugs, 5th Edition includes concise entries for more than 550 drugs, with appendices summarizing clinically relevant information at a glance. Nineteen new drug monographs are added to this edition, and over 100 drug monographs have been updated and revised. An Expert Consult website contains more than 150 instructional handouts that may be customized and printed out for your clients. Written by clinical pharmacology expert Mark Papich, this handy reference makes it easy to find the drug data and dosage recommendations you need to treat small and large animals, right when you need it! Over 550 concise drug monographs are organized alphabetically and cross-referenced by classification, trade, and generic name, providing quick and easy access to key information for each drug including:

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- Pharmacology and mechanism of action
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- Precautionary information — adverse reactions and side effects, contraindications and precautions, and drug interactions — all featured in colored boxes for at-a-glance retrieval
- Instructions for use
- Patient monitoring and laboratory tests
- Formulations available
- Stability and storage
- Dosage information for both small and large animals
- Regulatory information

Clinically relevant appendices help you determine appropriate therapeutic regimens and look up safety and legal considerations. NEW! 19 new drug monographs familiarize you with the latest drugs available for veterinary practice. UPDATED drug monographs include new information such as changes in doses, interactions, indications, adverse reactions, and contraindications. NEW! Expert Consult companion website replaces the former website and includes more than 150 customizable client information handouts for commonly prescribed drugs, including information on the prescribed drug and dosage, do's and don'ts, and possible side effects. NEW! Removal of entries for drugs that have been taken off the market.

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Lessons Learned

- Share your findings, joys and sorrows
- Demonstrate the relevancy of cataloguers in the digital age
- Value the collaborative effort from all parties involved



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The African Elephant

A digital collection of anatomical sketches as part of the University of Pretoria's Institutional Repository – a case study

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Abstract

Purpose – Although several collections have been digitized and made available in the University of Pretoria's Institutional Repository, a pilot study has not been done to measure the project management and workflow. The collections available in the repository at the time of this project were all long-term projects. There was a need to identify a project small enough to conform to normal project management requirements to use as an example to establish the planning and workflow of future projects. The purpose of this study is to determine the outcome and quality of the final web-ready institutional repository product against specific digitization project goals.

Design/methodology/approach – A collection of anatomical sketches in the custody of the Faculty of Veterinary Science, Department of Anatomy and Physiology was identified as a possible collection that could comply with the above criteria. The different sketches in the Elephant collection could be digitized in phases, making it an ideal project for future comparison. In each phase a number of tasks were identified which the various role players should complete during the workflow process. Each phase would be compared to the previous completed phases to measure the outcomes and progress made in quality and time. Through successful interaction and collaboration between the Library and the Department of Anatomy and Physiology during the digitization process, valuable tacit knowledge could be preserved for future use in the field of Veterinary Science.

Findings – The completed project delivered on key areas such as the electronic availability of the collection through metadata description. Basic preservation of the physical collection was undertaken as necessary and the physical as well as the digital collections were archived for future use. The conclusion will describe the lessons learned and how it can be applied in future projects to the advantage of the institution.

Practical implications – The paper provides a very useful case study for other academic libraries that want to develop their own digital collections.

Originality/value – This paper offers practical help to libraries starting with digitization. It supplies valuable information for project management, planning of workflow and estimate time frames for completing a specific task in the digitization process.

Keywords Digital storage, Collections management, Drawings, Anatomy, University libraries, South Africa

Paper type Case study



Article: OCLC Systems & Services: International digital library perspectives, 2009

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