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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2026

12:00–18:00		Hotel Vrnjačke Terme	Registration of participants for the 17th Scientific Symposium “Animal Reproduction and Mammary Gland Diseases”
19:00–20:00		Hotel Vrnjačke Terme	Opening ceremony of the 17th Scientific Symposium “Animal Reproduction and Mammary Gland Diseases”
20:00–00:00		Hotel Vrnjačke Terme	Welcome cocktail with acoustic music

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2026

09:00–09:45		Dr Stefano Romagnoli , Dipl. ECAR FVM Padua, Italy	<i>New perspectives in medical and surgical control of reproduction in dogs and cats</i>
09:50–10:35		Prof. Dr Geert Opsomer , Dipl. ECBHM FVM Ghent, Belgium	<i>New insights into cystic ovarian disease in high-producing dairy cows</i>
10:40–10:50		SPONSOR PRESENTATION	
10:50–11:35		Prof. Dr Alexander Starke , Dipl. ECBHM FVM Leipzig, Germany	<i>Animal health management as the foundation of successful reproduction on dairy farms</i>
11:40–12:25		Prof. Dr Osvaldo Bogado Pascottini , Dipl. ACT FVM Dublin, Ireland	<i>Practical aspects of uterine diseases in dairy cows</i>
12:30–12:40		COFFEE BREAK	
12:40–13:25		Prof. Dr Maja Zakošek Pipan , VF Ljubljana, Slovenia	<i>Born differently, fed differently: how the mode of birth affects lactation in dogs</i>
13:30–14:15		Assist. Prof. Dr Nataša Šterbenc , VF Ljubljana, Slovenia	<i>Effects of bluetongue virus on semen quality and ram fertility</i>
17:00–19:00		AFTERNOON WITH PHD STUDENTS	
20:30–01:00		GALA DINNER	

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2026

09:00–09:45		Dr Lilli Bittner-Schwerda , Dipl. ECBHM FVM Leipzig, Germany	<i>Systematic herd health analysis to improve udder health in dairy cows</i>
09:50–10:35		Prof. Dr Natalija Fratrić , Dipl. ECBHM FVM Belgrade, Serbia	<i>Efficiency of the mammary gland immune system and resistance to mastitis in dairy cows</i>
10:40–10:50		SPONSOR PRESENTATION	
10:50–11:35		Prof. Dr Nino Maćešić , VF Zagreb, Croatia	<i>A comprehensive approach to the treatment of mastitis in dairy cows</i>
11:40–12:25		Prof. Dr Peter Vajdovich , UVM Budapest, Hungary	<i>Tumours of the male genital tract</i>
12:30–12:40		COFFEE BREAK	
12:40–13:25		Prof. Dr Vladimir Kukolj , FVM Belgrade, Serbia	<i>Mammary gland tumours in dogs in everyday practice: diagnostic and prognostic challenges</i>
13:30–14:15		Dr Svetlana Nedić , FVM Belgrade, Serbia	<i>Integrative analysis of biochemical parameters and oxidative stress in the assessment of boar semen quality</i>
15:00–16:00		CLOSING CEREMONY	

SYMPOSIUM REGISTRATION

Complete registration by filling out the online form, which you can access by scanning the QR code at the bottom of the page.

The registration fee is EUR 50,00 per person, including VAT, until 1 October 2026. After this date, including the day of the symposium, the registration fee will be EUR 100,00 per person, including VAT. Payments should be made to the account of the Faculty of Veterinary Medicine: 840-0000032857845-30, Reference number: C45. Send the payment slip to repro.sim@vet.bg.ac.rs or present it during registration.



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Dear colleagues and friends,

This year, the Faculty of Veterinary Medicine proudly celebrates its 90th anniversary. In this jubilee year, we have made every effort to continue the tradition of our renowned and, thanks to you, very well-attended Scientific Symposium "Animal Reproduction", which we have expanded this year to include topics related to mammary gland diseases. This year, we have taken a bold but responsible step by choosing one of Serbia's most beautiful spa towns – Vrnjačka Banja – as the symposium venue. Our host will be Hotel "Vrnjačke Terme", one of the town's largest and most modern hotels. In addition to the renowned hospitality and diverse attractions offered by this jewel of Serbian tourism, we have brought together leading European and international experts in farm and companion animal reproduction. Seven distinguished diplomates of various European and American colleges will deliver lectures at the symposium. We are greatly honored by the participation of Professors Opsomer, Romagnoli, Pascottini, Starke, Schwerda and Vajdovich. We are deeply grateful to our colleagues and friends from the region – Prof. Mačević, Assist. Prof. Šterbenc and Assoc. Prof. Zakošek Pipan – who will also be among our speakers. The participation of our esteemed colleagues from the University of Belgrade – Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Prof. Dr Natalija Fratrić, Dipl. ECBHM, Prof. Dr Vladimir Kukolj and Dr Svetlana Nedić, adds particular value to our symposium. The Program Committee has selected the most current topics in animal reproduction and mammary gland diseases, which we believe will strengthen and broaden your theoretical and practical knowledge. We look forward to meeting again at our new venue. For all information concerning the symposium, please contact us at.repro.sim@vet.bg.ac.rs.

We look forward to welcoming you to Vrnjačka Banja from 8 to 10 October 2026!

*On behalf of the Organizing Committee of the 17th Scientific Symposium "Animal Reproduction and Mammary Gland Diseases",
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