ONE HEALTH SYMPOSIUM

MAY 1, 2016, FACULTY OF LAW LECTURE THEATRE 2, UWI, MONA

AGENDA

TIME	ITEM	SPEAKER
Launch of Symposium		
09.00 – 09.05	OPENING REMARKS	Dr. Kevin Walker – President JVMA
09.05 – 09.20	GREETINGS	Various
09.20 – 10:00	ONE HEALTH – the Paradigm for Health in the 21st Century – bringing the disciplines together	Keynote – Prof. Craig Stephen
10.00 – 10:10	GREETINGS & SYMPOSIUM OPENING DECLARATION	Dr. Winston De La Haye, Acting Chief Medical Officer representing Minister of Health
10.10 – 10.15	Performance of the One Health Song "The Answer"	Dr. Paul Cadogan
Break 10.15 – 10.30		

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ONE HEALTH – A Global Perspective		
10.30 – 11.00	One Health Global to Regional A Caribbean Perspective	Prof. Chris Oura
11.00 – 11.30	Environment & Health – Current Risks & Future Trends	Prof. Elizabeth Thomas-Hope
11.30 -11.50	One Health – Connecting with and conveying technical information to general public	Dr. Chandra Degia
11.50 – 12.00	Facilitated Discussion and Questions	All Speakers
LUNCH 12.00-13.00		
APPLYING THE ONE HEALTH APPROACH FOR ZOONOTIC AND EMERGING DISEASES		
13.00 – 13.30	Emerging zoonotic viral diseases – Zika, ChikV, MERS and Influenza – should we be worried?	Prof. Chris Oura
13.30 – 14:00	The Zika Virus – the current situation in Jamaica, case management protocols	Ministry of Health
14.00 – 14.30	Zoonotic canine intestinal parasites – Giardiasis & hookworm-related eosinophilic enteritis – the Jamaican situation	Prof. John Lindo/Mellesia Lee

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14.30 – 14.50	Screwworm – still a scourge for animals and people	Dr. Paul Cadogan
14.50 -15.00	Facilitated Discussion and Questions	All Speakers
BREAK 15.00 -15.30		
ONE HEALTH IN ACTION		
15.30 – 15.45	Regional to local – One Health Leadership Series National Project – River Health in a rural community	OHJ Team – Ms. Dahlia Plunkett /Dr. Chandra Degia/Dr. Rayon Gregory/Dr. Paul Cadogan
15.45 – 16.15	Equine-assisted therapy – horses helping people	Dr. Terri-Ann Samuels Meg Phillips (Ena's Haven)
16.00 – 16.45	One Health Discussion – Why One Health Facilitated Discussion	Prof. Craig Stephen & Prof. Chris Oura
16: 45 – 17.00	Closing Remarks Vote of Thanks	Dr. Paul Cadogan Dr. Kevin Walker

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OVERSEAS FACILITATORS

Professor Chris Oura:

Chris is currently a Professor in Veterinary Virology at the School of Veterinary Medicine, UWI. Chris is a qualified veterinary surgeon, has a PhD in Immunology and has many years research experience working predominantly on vector-borne viral and protozoal diseases. Chris has worked in many countries around the world including Mexico, Uganda, Kenya, Zimbabwe and South Africa. Before coming to the UWI-SVM in January 2012, Chris spent 8 years as head of the non-vesicular reference labs at the Pirbright Institute in the UK.

Professor Craig Stephen:

Prof. Stephen is Executive Director of the Canadian Wildlife Health Cooperative. He is a professor at the Western College of Veterinary Medicine at the University of Saskatchewan and a Clinical Professor at the University of British Columbia School of Population and Public Health. He holds adjunct appointments at 4 other Canadian universities. He was also the founding director and president of the Centre for Coastal Health. He received both his Doctor of Veterinary Medicine and Doctor of Philosophy (Epidemiology) degrees from the Western College of Veterinary Medicine, University of Saskatchewan. His doctoral work, conducted at the Pacific Biological Station, focused upon the investigation of emerging diseases in

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fish populations. His areas of expertise include the ecology of emerging diseases, health of marine and aquatic species, risk assessment, health surveillance, veterinary public health and associated health policy. He is sought after as a lecturer and invited speaker by human and animal health professionals. He has over 90 scientific and technical publications and has given over 100 invited or scientific presentations.