

# Learning from mistakes – avoidance and management of orthopaedic complications

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Thursday, 3 July, 2025  
08:30-13:30

Flanders Meeting & Convention  
Centre, Antwerp, Belgium

Language: English

## Event type

Seminar

## Event description

This highly interactive case-based seminar will focus on avoidance and management of complications associated with fractures and arthrodesis in cats and dogs. There will be an emphasis on clinical decision-making and application of principles in complex situations. The impact of complications on the surgeon and the care-giving team will also be considered.

## Event schedule:

08:30 - 09:00	Registration	
09:00 - 09:45	Long bone fractures	T Gemmill, L Piras, S Clarke
09:45 - 10:30	Articular fractures	T Gemmill, L Piras, S Clarke
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee	
11:00 - 11:45	Arthrodesis	T Gemmill, L Piras, S Clarke
11:45 - 12:30	Peri-prosthetic fractures	T Gemmill, L Piras, S Clarke
12:30 - 13:15	Impact of complications on the surgeon and the care-giving team	T Gemmill
13:15 - 13:30	Wrap up and questions	
13:30	Closure of seminar	

## Chairperson:



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## Participation fee

250 €