

## DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING

**Study Programme:** MIMV    **Curricular year:** 5<sup>th</sup>    **Semester:** 9<sup>th</sup>    **Compulsory**    **Credits:** 3.5 ECTS

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### 1. Contact hours:

**Lectures** - 26 hours, **Practicals** – 13 hours, **Total** – 39 hours

### 2. Objectives:

- To provide the students with the ability of recognising the main radiographic, ultrasonographic signs and its aetiology.
- To help the student develop logic and rapid faculty of reason on possible diagnostic differentials to consider, according to the presented clinical signs.
- To expose the students to the multiple imaging modalities its signs and related aetiologies.
- Students should be able to interconnect the imaging knowledge with that of pathology, medicine and surgery.

### 3. Programme:

#### a. Theoretical lectures

radiographic and ultrasonographic interpretation – approach by anatomical region (dog and cat) thorax ; abdomen; appendicular skeleton; appendicular skeleton (horse); axial skeleton; spine; head; Ultrasonography by anatomical regions

#### b. Practical lectures

1. Practical lectures of radiographic, ultrasonographic and computed tomography interpretation.

### 4. Bibliography:

Butler, C., Dyson &, Kold, P. (1993). *Clinical Radiology of the Horse*. Blackwell Scientific Publications, Oxford.

Penninck, D. & Anjou, M.A. (2008). *Atlas of small animal ultrasonography*. Willey–Blackwell.

Thrall, D.E. (2013). *Textbook of Veterinary Diagnostic Radiology*. WB Saunders, Philadelphia.

### 5. Evaluation:

The knowledge obtained through the semester will be evaluated through a written exam, which includes the information taught both in theoretical and practical classes. To be approved the student should have a grade higher than 10.