Symposium on the Future of Veterinary Research
Friday 29th March 2019
Royal Veterinary College, Camden Campus

Time	Theme	Speaker	Topic
8:00-9:00	Registration		
9:00-9:10	Welcome and opening address		
9:10-9:40	**Keynote sessions**: Development of veterinary research	**Tim Skerry** University of Sheffield	Keynote speech: Why vets should do research
9:40-10:10		**Professor the Lord Trees**	Keynote speech: Development of veterinary research
10:10-10:40	Encouraging veterinary surgeons to consider a career in research	**Linda Wooldridge** University of Bristol	Experiences of the STARS and INSPIRE programmes
10:40-11:00		Structured discussion with survey results	
11:00-11:30	Coffee & structured networking		
11:30-12:00	Veterinary clinical & translational research	**Alex Clarke** University of Oxford	Clinician-led research in human medicine
12:00-12:30		**Richard Mellanby** University of Edinburgh	Development of veterinary translational research
12:30-13:00		**Karla Lee** Royal Veterinary College	Collaboration between veterinary & human medicine
13:00-14:00	Lunch		
13:50-14:20	Supporting veterinary research & veterinary researchers	**Lucy Davison** Royal Veterinary College	Experiences of veterinary fellowship schemes
14:20-15:05		Structured discussion with survey results and panel from **Wellcome Trust (Bruna Galobardes), MRC (Kristina Harrison), Academy of Medical Sciences (Clare McVicker), and David McAllister (BBSRC)**	
15:05-15:20	Coffee break		
15:20-15:50		**Richard Piercy** Royal Veterinary College	Balancing clinical specialisation with research
15:50-16:20		**Katarina Kolaric & Richard Mellanby** Academy of Medical Sciences University of Edinburgh	Effective mentoring of veterinary researchers
16:20-16:50	Group discussions on future development of veterinary research		
16:50-17:10	Closing remarks – **Amanda Boag**, RCVS		
17:10-18:30	Networking and poster session		