SUNDAY AUGUST 8

8:00 – 8:30  Who we are: introductions, journals, why you’re here

8:30 – 10:00  **Challenges facing veterinary editors (I) Impact and visibility**

Impact factor, indexing, access, unique challenges for specialty journals
*Moderators: Mary Christopher, Vet Clin Pathol and Bruce Madewell, Vet Comp Oncology*

*Discussion*

10:00 – 10:30  Break

10:30 – 12:00  **Challenges facing veterinary editors (II) Authors and authorship**

Defining authorship, conflicts of interest, dual publication
*Moderator: Cynthia Otto, J Vet Emerg Med Crit Care*

*Discussion*

12:00 – 1:30  Lunch

1:30 – 3:00  **Challenges facing veterinary editors (III) Online publication**

Challenges in online publishing
*Moderators: Antonia Seymour, Alison Denby, Blackwell Publishing*

*Discussion*

3:00 – 3:30  Break

3:30 – 5:00  **Challenges facing veterinary editors (IV) Online peer review and manuscript tracking**

Options, affordability, workflow, other issues.
*Moderators: Steve DiBartola, J Vet Int Med and Kurt Matushek, JAVMA, AJVR*

*Discussion*

6:00 pm  Dinner at Dr Janis Audin's home (casual)
MONDAY AUGUST 9

8:30 – 9:00  **Resources for veterinary editors**
Organizations (CSE, SSP, WAME, AMWA, EASE, EAVE); workshops, short courses, publisher resources

9:00 – 10:00  **Elements of style: the AVMA initiative**
*Janis Audin and group, JAVMA, AJVR*

10:00 – 10:30  Break

10:30 – 12:00  **Goals and scope of a veterinary editors organization**
Education, networking, training, shared resources; group within CSE? WAME? Organizational structure, financial support

12:00 – 1:30  Lunch

1:30 – 2:30  **Tips on working with digital images**
*Paul Bozuwa, Dartmouth Journal Services*

2:30 – 3:30  Planning for 2005