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Amy Breton, CVT, VTS (ECC), Selected as the NAVC Conference 2014 Veterinary Technician Speaker of the Year

Ms. Breton won the majority votes in an NAVC Conference 2014 attendee survey.

GAINESVILLE, FL — The North American Veterinary Community (NAVC) announces Amy Breton, CVT, VTS (ECC), of BluePearl Veterinary Partners-Waltham in Waltham, MA, as the selected Veterinary Technician Speaker of the Year. Ms. Breton was chosen by veterinary professionals from around the world in an NAVC Conference 2014 poll of more than 2,700 participants.

Upon hearing the news, Ms. Breton said, “It was such an honor to be chosen by the participants. When any speaker is up on stage, all they really hope is that the audience enjoyed the lecture and was able to take home something from it. I am completely humbled that I was chosen amongst such talented speakers. It is definitely a career highlight. Thank you.”

Amy Breton is currently the Emergency Head Technician at the BluePearl Veterinary Partners-Waltham in Waltham, Massachusetts. In 2003 she became boarded as a Veterinary Technician Specialist in Emergency and Critical Care. She currently resides on the Academy of Veterinary Emergency and Critical Care Technicians as a member-at-large. Amy is published in over twelve subjects in ten different publications, is an international speaker, has received numerous awards and is highly involved in her community.

At the NAVC Conference 2014, Ms. Breton presented sessions on “CPR: Not So Scary,” “Seizures!” and “I Hate My Blood Pressure Machine.” This is the first time Ms. Breton presented talks at the NAVC Conference.

Ms. Breton was one of more than 350 speakers at the NAVC Conference 2014, which was attended by a record 16,308 Veterinarians, Veterinary Technicians, Practice Managers, Support Staff, Students, Exhibitors and Sponsors, Press and family and other guests.

About the NAVC

Founded in 1982 and headquartered in Gainesville, Florida, the North American Veterinary Community (NAVC) is a non-profit organization that provides world-class professional development for the global veterinary healthcare community. The association's largest educational initiative, the annual NAVC Conference, hosts more than 16,000 attendees and 350 speakers from more than 70 countries each year. Other educational offerings include NAVC VetFolio — its year-round online CE platform for the entire veterinary healthcare team, NAVC Expeditions, NAVC Institute and several veterinary publications including NAVC *Clinician's Brief*, the official journal of the NAVC, *Compendium*, *Veterinary Technician* and *Veterinary Therapeutics*. The NAVC's international conference partners include the Asian Pacific Veterinary Conference (APVC), the Latin American Veterinary Conference (LAVC) and Southern European Veterinary Conference (SEVC). Visit NAVC.com for more information.

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