



Animal Matters

Seminar Series from

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‘Use It or Lose It’: Addressing Female Infertility in Zoo Populations

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Tuesday, November 7th at Noon

Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine at Tufts University
Varis Lecture Hall (VLH)
behind the Hospital for Large Animals

Members of the public are invited to this free seminar

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Dr. Cheryl Asa has been director of the AZA (Association of Zoos and Aquariums) Reproductive Management Center, formerly AZA Wildlife Contraception Center, for 27 years. During that time she has also directed the Saint Louis Zoo’s Research program in Reproductive and Behavioral Sciences, which focuses on studies of basic and applied aspects of reproductive processes in a wide range of species, especially factors affecting reproductive success. For more than 20 years, she also has taught courses in Animal Behavior at Washington University, and in Endocrinology and Behavioral Endocrinology at Saint Louis University. Her primary research interest is in comparative reproductive strategies, their differences and adaptive value.

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