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### BEHAVIOR

Hagar Hauser, DVM, DACVB



Dr. Hagar Hauser earned her Bachelor of Science degree in Animal Sciences from the University of Maryland College Park and graduated cum laude from the University of Florida School of Veterinary Medicine. After graduating, she completed an internship in small animal medicine, surgery, and emergency at Friendship Hospital for Animals in Washington D.C. She then completed a residency in veterinary behavioral medicine at the University of Pennsylvania Ryan Veterinary Hospital. She has experience in treating canine and feline behavior concerns including affective aggression, generalized anxiety, noise phobias, separation anxiety, compulsive behaviors, elimination in the home, etc. Dr. Hauser is published in the Journal of Veterinary Behavior for her research on reducing stress in dogs during veterinary visits and was granted the Fear Free Research Award for this project. She has achieved Fear Free Elite Certification and believes low stress handling in the veterinary clinic is key to providing the best medical care to every animal. She is a Diplomate of the American College of Veterinary Behaviorists.

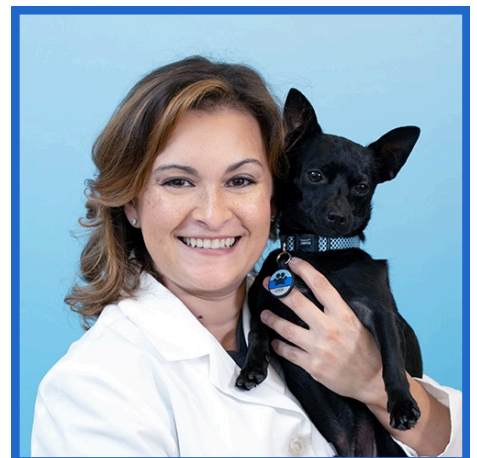
Dr. Hauser is passionate about working with shelters and rescues to address behavior concerns of the animals in their care and has performed research on the benefits of enrichment within the shelter setting. In her spare time, she has volunteered with local shelters, working hands-on with the animals and giving behavior-related seminars to staff and volunteers.

Corinne Durand, DVM, DAVDC

Dr. Corinne Durand graduated from Cornell University in 2004 with a degree in Biology – Animal Physiology. She went on to pursue her veterinary degree at St. George's University and completed a rotating internship in small animal medicine and surgery at the Veterinary Medical Center of Long Island. With a passion for dentistry and oral surgery, she began her residency program in Veterinary Dentistry at the Veterinary Medical Center of Long Island in 2011, and completed that residency in 2015. She was awarded board certification status as a diplomate of the American College of Veterinary Dentistry in 2021. She has published multiple articles in the Journal of Veterinary Dentistry. Dr. Durand joined MVA in August 2015.

Her interests within the discipline of Dentistry include: Feline Stomatitis, Contact Mucositis, oral tumors and jaw fracture repair.

### DENTISTRY





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### INTERNAL MEDICINE

Tabitha A. Hutton, DVM, MTR, DACVIM (SAIM)



Dr. Tabitha Hutton is a board-certified internal medicine specialist who earned her undergraduate degree at Harvard University and her veterinary medicine degree at Cornell University. She completed her internship at Colorado State University, and her residency in internal medicine at Cornell University. She also earned a Master of Science in Translational Research (MTR) degree at the University of Pennsylvania.

From 2005 to 2007, Dr. Hutton was a lecturer at the University of Pennsylvania in small animal internal medicine. In 2007, she worked as a research fellow in infectious disease - also at the University of Pennsylvania - sponsored by the Veterinary Center for Infectious Diseases. And from 2008 to 2010, she was a National Institutes of Health NRSA post-doctoral Fellow at the University of Pennsylvania.

Prior to joining MVA, Dr. Hutton was an Internal Medicine Specialist in private practices in Pennsylvania and New Jersey.

Daniella Vansteenkiste, BVetMed, MS, DACVIM  
(Neurology)

Dr. Daniella Vansteenkiste grew up in Europe and graduated from the Royal Veterinary College in London in 2014. Following veterinary school, she completed a small animal rotating internship at Garden State Veterinary Specialists in Tinton Falls, New Jersey and a research fellowship at the University of Missouri in Columbia, Missouri. Research during her fellowship was focused on storage diseases and Degenerative Myelopathy.

Dr. Vansteenkiste then trained at the Ohio State University for her Neurology and Neurosurgery residency combined with a masters degree. She earned an excellence in research award for her masters project evaluating Wobbler Syndrome.

Daniella enjoys all aspects of neurology, but her special interests include neurosurgery, inflammatory brain disease, and neurodegenerative conditions. Outside of work, Daniella enjoys spending time with her family, in particular hiking with her spoiled dachshund, Victor. Her hobbies include horse-back riding, traveling and reading.

**Thursdays only**

### NEUROLOGY





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### OPHTHALMOLOGY



#### Amanda Corr, VMD, DACVO

Amanda Corr is a board-certified veterinary ophthalmologist who was born and raised in New Jersey. Her undergraduate degree is a Bachelors Degree in Biology from Lafayette College. Before applying to veterinary school, she spent two years working at a major pharmaceutical company in Vaccine Operations.

Amanda graduated from the University of Pennsylvania School of Veterinary Medicine in 2006. There, she was selected to receive a full tuition and living expenses scholarship by the Bernice Barbour Foundation. She is the only graduate of that school ever granted this prestigious honor; the largest scholarship ever awarded to a student at the school. While at fourth year student at Penn, she was also the recipient of the American Animal Hospital Association Student Achievement Award. During veterinary school, Amanda spent her summers working at MVA.

In 2007, Amanda completed a small animal rotating internship at the University of Tennessee School of Veterinary Medicine. Following her internship, Amanda returned to the University of Pennsylvania for a three-year residency in comparative veterinary ophthalmology. During her residency, Amanda was the recipient of the American College of Veterinary Ophthalmologists Vision for Animals Foundation grant for her research on canine inherited retinal disease.

Amanda has been working at MVA since 2010 and is genuinely interested in all medical and surgical aspects of veterinary ophthalmology. She is a member of the American College of Veterinary Ophthalmologists and the American Veterinary Medical Association. Amanda feels honored to have the expertise and opportunity to preserve and restore vision in animals, relieve animals of discomfort, and provide peace of mind to their worried families.

#### John Litterine-Kaufman, VMD, DACVS-SA

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Dr. John Litterine-Kaufman (or Dr. "LK") is a diplomate of the American College of Veterinary Surgeons. He graduated from the University of Pennsylvania School of Veterinary Medicine in 2013. He completed a general internship at Angell Animal Medical Center in Boston in 2014, followed by a surgical specialty internship at Aspen Meadow Veterinary Specialists in 2015. He then return to Boston for his surgical residency at Angell. He graduated his residency in 2018, and was boarded the following year. He has been working as a surgeon in Richmond, Virginia, and has now happily returned to Philadelphia.

Dr. Litterine-Kaufman joined MVA in 2022, and is excited to help provide a wide range of surgical services. He has a special interest in minimally invasive surgery, but enjoys being in the OR with a wide variety of orthopedic, neurologic, and soft tissue cases.

When not at work, Dr. Litterine-Kaufman enjoys reading, baking, and exploring Philadelphia with his wife and son, as well as relaxing at home with his two cats (Freya and David Vincent) and his shih tzu (Tormund).

### SURGERY

