

**Advances in Equine Podiatry Workshop–  
Lectures (Online & On-Location), On-Location Case-Discussions & Practical  
Sessions**

**COURSE DATE:** Fri 17 – Sat 18 Oct

**COURSE VENUE:** Romerike Hesteklinikk, near Oslo, Norway

**SPEAKERS/INSTRUCTORS:**



**Simon Curtis PhD, FWCF, HonAssocRCVS**  
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**PROGRAM:**

**Online Lectures available on-demand ahead of the Course:**

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| • Functional Anatomy & Physiology of the Foot                                   | Andrew Parks |
| • Biomechanics of the distal limb and the relationship between stress and shape | Andrew Parks |
| • Anatomy & ‘Physiology’ of a Horse Shoe  | Andrew Parks |
| • Effect of Shoes on ‘normal’ Foot Function                                     | Andrew Parks |
| • Foot Wounds: Characteristics, healing & treatment                             | Andrew Parks |

**DAY 1**

<b>07:30 – 08:00</b>	<i>Registration &amp; Welcome Coffee</i>	
<b>08:00 – 08:10</b>	Course Introduction	Course Administrator
<b>08:10 – 08:40</b>	Clinical Investigation of Foot Disorders & Lameness: Latest Thinking	Michael Schramme
<b>08:40 – 09:10</b>	Examination of the Foot – A Farrier’s Approach	Simon Curtis
<b>09:10 – 10:10</b>	Imaging of the Foot: Radiography (incl. Dynamic vs. Static Balance) & Decision-Making for MRI	Michael Schramme
<b>10:10 – 10:20</b>	Questions	
<b>10:20 – 10:50</b>	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
<b>10:50 – 11:20</b>	Theoretical Basis for Corrective Farriery	Michael Schramme
<b>11:20 – 11:50</b>	Corrective Farriery: Negative Volar Angle of the Distal Phalanx	Simon Curtis
<b>11:50 – 12:20</b>	Corrective Farriery: Laminitis and Various Types of Displacement & Distortion	Simon Curtis
<b>12:20 – 12:30</b>	Questions	

**DAY 1 – continued**

<b>12:30 – 13:30</b>	<i>Lunch</i>	
<b>13:30 – 15:00</b>	Interactive PowerPoint Case-Discussions	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Veterinarian &amp; Farrier Perspective: Approach to Foot Balance &amp; Displacements</b></li> </ul>	SC & MS
<b>15:00 – 15:20</b>	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
<b>15:20 – 15:50</b>	Decision-Making & Management of Navicular Bone Disease	Michael Schramme
<b>15:50 – 16:20</b>	Decision-Making & Management of Deep Digital Flexor Tendon Injury	Michael Schramme
<b>16:20 – 17:50</b>	Interactive PowerPoint Case-Discussions	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Veterinarian &amp; Farrier Perspective: Approach to Navicular Syndrome</b></li> </ul>	SC & MS
<b>17:50 – 19:00</b>	<i>Wine &amp; Cheese Reception</i>	

**DAY 2**

<b>08:00 – 08:20</b>	<i>Morning Coffee</i>	
<b>08:20 – 08:50</b>	Corrective Farriery: Approach to Hoof Wall Cracks	Simon Curtis
<b>08:50 – 09:20</b>	Management of Foot Wounds & Lacerations	Michael Schramme
<b>09:20 – 09:50</b>	Decision-Making for the Use of Composites	Simon Curtis
<b>09:50 – 10:20</b>	Farriery of the Foal	Simon Curtis
<b>10:20 – 10:30</b>	Questions	
<b>10:30 – 11:00</b>	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
<b>11:00 – 13:00</b>	Practical Sessions on live Horses & Specimens in Small Groups (60 min / Session)	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Preparing the Foot for Shoeing &amp; Quarter Crack Repair</b></li> <li>• <b>Distal Limb Nerve, Joint &amp; Bursa Blocks (incl. X-Ray &amp; Ultrasound-Guidance)</b></li> </ul>	Simon Curtis Michael Schramme
<b>13:00 – 14:00</b>	<i>Lunch</i>	
<b>14:00 – 16:40</b>	Practical Sessions on live Horses & Specimens in Small Groups (80 min / Session)	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Shoe Selection &amp; Shoeing Techniques</b></li> <li>• <b>Foot Casting Techniques</b></li> </ul>	Simon Curtis Michael Schramme
<b>15:20 – 15:40</b>	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
<b>17:00 – 17:20</b>	Questions & Final Remarks	