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Academic background

1973-1977	DVM	Azabu Veterinary College, Sagami-hara, Kanagawa
1997-2000	Ph. D.	Rakuno Gakuen University, Ebetsu, Hokkaido College of Veterinary Medicine
2002		Diplomate of the Japanese College of Veterinary Ophthalmology
2003-Present		Faculty, department of Veterinary Ophthalmology, College of Veterinary Medicine, Rakuno Gakuen University, Ebetsu, Hokkaido
2008--Present		Faculty, school of Medicine, Juntendo University, Tokyo
2009-2011		President of International Society of Veterinary Ophthalmology
2010-2015		President of Japan Veterinary Ophthalmic Conference
2011		Diplomate of Asian Society of Veterinary Ophthalmology; Charter

Business career

1984-2006 Director, Triangle Animal Clinic, Tokyo

2006-Present Director, Triangle Animal Eye Clinic, Tokyo

LIST OF SELECT PUBLICATIONS

1. Articles

- (1) **Saito A**, Kanemaki N and Matsuura K. Traumatic Uveitis with Lens Subluxation in a Cat. *Animal eye research (The Journal of the Japanese Society of comparative and veterinary ophthalmology)* 1995; **14**: 31-34.
- (2) **Saito A**, Kanemaki N, Ono K and Matsuura K. Stimulating Light Quantities and Changing Wave Formes were Observed as Measured by a Single Flash ERG with a Strobe-flash Stimulator Apparatus. *Animal eye research (The Journal of the Japanese Society of comparative and veterinary ophthalmology)*, 1998; **17**: 27-33.
- (3) **Saito A**, and Kotani T. Tear Production in dogs with epiphora and corneal epitheliopathy. *Vet. Ophthalmol.* 1999, **2**: 173-178.
- (4) Onodera J, Iwasaki T, **Saito A**, Ito H, Hamano T, Kanai A, and Nagai Y. Application of atelocollagen solution for lacrimal duct occlusion. *The Japanese journal of artificial organs*, 1999; **28**: 225-229.
- (5) **Saito A**. The application of third eyelid flap to the management of ocular surface disorders. *Animal eye research (The Journal of the Japanese Society of comparative and veterinary ophthalmology)* 2000; **19**: 59-63.
- (6) **Saito A** and Kotani T. Estimation of lacrimal level and testing methods on normal beagles. *Vet. Ophthalmol.* 2001; **4**: 7-11.
- (7) **Saito A**, Izumisawa Y, Yamashita K and Kotani T. The effect of third eyelid removal on the ocular surface of dogs. *Vet. Ophthalmol.* 2001; **4**: 13-18.
- (8) **Saito A** and Kotani T. Evaluation on the Clinical Usefulness of Phenol Red Thread Tear Test on Dogs. *Animal eye research (The Journal of the Japanese Society of comparative and veterinary ophthalmology)* 2001; **20**: 27-30.
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- (11) Fukui M and **Saito A**. On the Research or Clinical Activity of European Veterinarians in the Field of Visual Electrophysiology. *Animal eye research (The Journal of the Japanese*



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Society of comparative and veterinary ophthalmology), 2003; **22**: 15-18.

- (12) **Saito A**, Watanabe Y and Kotani T. Morphologic changes of the anterior corneal epithelium caesed by third eyelid removal in dog. *Vet. Ophthalmol.* 2004; **7**: 113-119.
- (13) Ito Y, Umeda Y, Wakaiki S, **Saito A**: Study of vision maintenance and duration for consultation with veterinary clinic in canine glaucomatous cases. *Journal of the Japan Veterinary Medical Association*, 2010; **63**: 281- 285.
- (14) Umeda Y, Nakamura S, Fujiki K, Toshida H, **Saito A**, Murakami A: Distribution of goblet cells and MUC5AC mRNA in the canine nictitating membrane. *Exp Eye Res.* 2010; **91**(5): 721-726.

2. Presentation in International Meetings

- (1) Saito A, Honda T and Kotani T. (1997): Clinical study of lacrimal secretion testing method in dogs with epiphora. ACVO 28th annual meeting, Santa Fe, New Mexico .
- (2) Saito A, Ito H, Kotani T, Izumisawa Y, Yamashita K. (1997): The effect of third eyelid removal on the preocular tear film in dogs. ACVO 29th annual meeting, Santa Fe, New Mexico.
- (3) Saito A, Watanabe Y, Izumisawa Y, Yamashita K and Kotani T. (1998): Moropological changes of corneal anterior epithelium caused by the third eyelid removal in dogs. ACVO 29th annual meeting, Seattle, Washington.
- (4) Saito A and Kotani T. (2001): Application of third eyelid flap for the treatment of Descemetocelles in Dogs . ISVO 2001, Sarasota, Florida.
- (5) Saito A, Takehana K, Ishida K and Kotani T. (2002): Application of Modified Medial Canthoplasty (MMC) for canine epiphora. ACVO 33th annual meeting, Denver, Colorado.
- (6) Saito A, Takehana K, Ishida K and Kotani T. (2002): The effect of Modified Medial Canthoplasty on cases of corneal pigmentation in brachycephalic dog breeds. ACVO 33th annual meeting, Denver, Colorado.
- (7) Saito A, Takehana K, Tuduki A and Kotani T. (2003): Observation of tear overflow and evaluation of effect of the modified medial canthoplasty (MMC) on epiphora eyes of dogs. ACVO 34th annual meeting, Coeur D'Alene, Idaho.
- (8) Saito A and Tuduki A. (2004): Evaluation of effect of the modified medial canthoplasty (MMC) on corneal epitheliopathy of a Shih-Tzu dog by the lacrimal flow observation. ACVO 35th annual meeting, Washington, DC.
- (9) Saito A, Tuduki A and Umeda Y. (2005) : Gradual dissection of symblepharon in two cats ACVO 36th annual meeting.
- (10) Saito A, Tuduki A and Umeda Y (2006) : Application of autogenous lamellar keratoplasty



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- for feline corneal sequestrum. ACVO 37th annual meeting, San Antonio, TX.
- (11) Saito A, Umeda Y, Wakaiki S and Ito Y (2007) : Two canine cases with epiphora diagnosed as meibomian glands dysfunction (MGD). ACVO 38th annual meeting, Kona, Hawaii.
- (12) Saito A, Umeda Y, Wakaiki S and Ito Y (2008) : Effects of a Meibomian Glands Secretion on Lacrimal Behaviour. ACVO 39th annual meeting, Boston, MA.
- (13) Saito A, Umeda Y, Wakaiki S (2010) : Canine Medial Canthoplasty: A New Technique. ACVO 41th annual meeting, San Diego, CA,.
- (14) Saito A (2011): Canine Dry Eye Syndrome. 36th annual WSAVA Congress, The ISVO Magrane Memorial Lecture, Jeju, SK.
- (15) Saito A (2012): Treatment of Canine Corneal ulcer. KSVO 2th annual meeting, Seoul, SK.
- (16) Saito A (2012): Canine Cataract Surgery. KSVO 2th annual meeting, Seoul, SK.
- (17) Saito A, Umeda Y, Wakaiki S (2012) : Ten Years of Clinical Experience with Rapid, Fixed-Concentration Ocular Double-Staining Technique. ACVO 43th annual meeting, Portland, OR.
- (18) Saito A (2013): Palpebral Fissure and Lid Margin Disease: How to Detect Failures in Tear Film Function. 38th annual WSAVA Congress, Auckland, NZ.
- (19) Saito A (2014): Overview: What is the ocular surface? . 1st. International Veterinary Ocular Surface Conference, Hokkaido, Japan
- (20) Saito A (2014): Feline corneal sequestration – Medical therapies. 1st. International Veterinary Ocular Surface Conference, Hokkaido, Japan
- (21) Saito A (2014): A modified canthoplasty for reduction of ocular surface exposure and lacrimal effusion. 1st. International Veterinary Ocular Surface Conference, Hokkaido, Japan
- (22) Saito A (2014) : MMC for reduction of ocular surface exposure and lacrimal effusion, The surgical technique in detail. The 4th Annual Conference of Asian Society of Veterinary Ophthalmology, New Taipei City, Taiwan.
- (23) Saito A, Wakaiki S, Iwashita H, Kazama Y (2014): Three methods of treating deep or perforated ulcerative keratitis in dogs. Comparative Ocular Surface Disease Workshop, 45th Annual Meeting of the American College of Veterinary Ophthalmologists, Ft Worth, TX.
- (24) Saito A, Wakaiki S, Iwashita H, Kazama Y (2015): Surgical Technique for Canine and Feline Ocular Surface Diseases. AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND COLLEGE OF VETERINARY SCIENTISTS, Gold Coast, Australia
- (25) Saito A, Wakaiki S, Iwashita H, Kazama Y (2016): A NOVEL NICTITATING GLAND

REPOSITIONING TECHNIQUE TO TREAT GLANDULAR PROLAPSE. 47th Annual Meeting of the American College of Veterinary Ophthalmologists, Monterey, CA
(26) Saito A, Wakaiki S, Iwashita H, Kazama Y(2017): BREED AND LESION DEPTH IN CANINE ULCERATIVE KERATITIS. ECVO, Lisbon, Portugal

3. Chaired meeting

- (1) First Comparative Ocular Surface Disease Workshop; 6-8, Mar. 2014, Niseko Japan
- (2) Second Comparative Ocular Surface Disease Workshop (Co chaired with Dr. David Maggs); satellite to the ACVO at DFW in 2014
- (3) Third Comparative Ocular Surface Disease Workshop; 5-6, Mar. 2015, Niseko Japan
- (4) Fourth Comparative Ocular Surface Disease Workshop; 8 Aug. 2015, Tokyo Japan
- (5) Fifth Comparative Ocular Surface Disease Workshop; 3-5, Mar. 2016, Niseko Japan
- (6) Sixth Comparative Ocular Surface Disease Workshop; 8, Oct. 2016, Tokyo Japan
- (7) Seventh Comparative Ocular Surface Disease Workshop; 2-4, Mar. 2017, Niseko Japan

4. Textbooks Authored

- (1) A Saito. *Machiaisitsu-no-Ganka Series* (Color Atlas of Dog's and Cat's Ocular Disorders; for client instruction) Ophthalmology. PHARM PRESS, Tokyo, 2005.
- (2) A Saito. Color Atlas and Text of Ocular Disorders 1. PHARM PRESS, Tokyo, 2009.

5. Supervision of the Articles

Cataract surgery, Saito A: Supervision, SURGEON, 2012; **95-96**, Interzoo, Tokyo.

6. Chapters Contributed in Textbooks

- (1) A Saito. 49. Keratitis, Neko-no-Rinshou (Feline Medicine). Ed. Y Maede. DAIRYMAN, Sapporo, Japan, 2004, pp. 688-692
- (2) A Saito. 49. Corneal Ulcer, Neko-no-Rinshou (Feline Medicine). Ed. Y Maede. DAIRYMAN, Sapporo, Japan, 2004, pp. 693-696
- (3) A Saito. 49. Corneal Erosion, Neko-no-Rinshou (Feline Medicine). Ed. Y Maede. DAIRYMAN, Sapporo, Japan, 2004, pp. 697-700
- (4) A Saito. 49. Uveitis, Neko no Rinshou (Feline Medicine). Ed. Y Maede. DAIRYMAN, Sapporo, Japan, 2004, pp. 701-705

7. Translation of a textbook

- (1) J Dziezyc and NJ. Millichamp. Color Atlas of Canine and Feline Ophthalmology. A Saito: translational supervision, Buneido-Suppan, Tokyo, 2006.

8. Chapters Contributed in Translation of a textbook

- (1) SR Hollingsworth. Canine Protothecosis, The Veterinary Clinics of North America Small Animal Practice Vol. 30, No. 5, Infectious Disease and the Eye, A Saito: trans., T Kotani: translational supervision, Gakusosha, Tokyo, 2002, pp. 105-113
- (2) J Dziezyc. Canine systemic bacterial infection, The Veterinary Clinics of North America Small Animal Practice Vol. 30, No. 5, Infectious Disease and the Eye, A Saito: trans., T Kotani: translational supervision, Gakusosha, Tokyo, 2002, pp. 115-125
- (3) J Stiles. Canine Rickettsial infection, The Veterinary Clinics of North America Small Animal Practice Vol. 30, No. 5, Infectious Disease and the Eye, A Saito: trans., T Kotani: translational supervision, Gakusosha, Tokyo, 2002, pp. 141-153
- (4) RD Whitley. Canine and feline primary ocular bacterial infections. The Veterinary Clinics of North America Small Animal Practice Vol. 30, No. 5, Infectious Disease and the Eye, trans; A Saito: trans., T Kotani: translational supervision, Gakusosha, Tokyo, 2002, pp. 155-170.