



Some students at a Veterinary Entrepreneurship Academy closing event in Omaha, Nebraska (Courtesy of the VEA)

“I think owning a practice is what will keep you in this profession for your full lifetime. I say that, having lived it. There is nothing that compares to being your own boss.”

Dr. Mark Helfat, founder of Veterinary Practice Transitions

“There is a demand for veterinary care. They can’t stop what they are doing, and they have to continue to provide quality products for the food

chain,” Dr. Reid said. “I wanted to be someone they could reach out to and depend on in this crisis that they are struggling through.” 🍷

The AVMA has financial literacy resources for potential practice owners at [jav.ma/finhealth](http://jav.ma/finhealth). AVMA Axon offers webinars related to practice ownership available at [axon.avma.org](http://axon.avma.org).

The Veterinary Business Management Association, a student organization, offers a certificate that includes learning business concepts, personal finance, and management skills at [jav.ma/VBMAcert](http://jav.ma/VBMAcert).

#### CORRECTION

The article “Minnesota VMA” in the May 1, 2020, issue of *JAVMA News* gave the incorrect veterinary college and graduation year for Dr. Jessica Fox. She graduated in 2015 from the University of Minnesota College of Veterinary Medicine.