



## LORI TORRINI, MPS, BSC, AAS, UW-AAB, FFCP, CPDT-KA

Degrees: Master of Science – Animal Science and Behavior  
Bachelor of Science Degree – Animal Health and Behavior  
Associate of Applied Science Degree – Zookeeping

Certificates: Applied Animal Behavior, Animal Shelter Behavior Management

Certifications: Fear Free Certified Professional – Trainer, Veterinary, Equine, Shelters  
Certified Professional Dog Trainer – Knowledge Assessed

Animal trainer and behaviorist applying behavior science across species to optimize wellbeing for animals under captive management and improve safety and ease of care for keepers.

Core principles: **Low-Stress Management, Cooperative Care, Choice-Based Interactions**

### WHERE TO FIND CONTENT AND START LEARNING

#### ➤ ARTICLES, PUBLICATIONS

Torrini, L. (2024). **Use of a Prolonged Targeting Behavior to Position a Snake's Body Length in a Specific Position.** *Journal of the American Association of Zoo Keepers*, 51(1), 348-353.

Torrini, L. (2024). **Activity Budget for a Group of *Morelia bredli* Observed Under Captive Management: Time Observed Terrestrially versus Arboreally.** *Journal of the American Association of Zoo Keepers*, 50(11), 292-297.

Williams, M. L., Torrini, L. A., Nolan, E. J., & Loughman, Z. J. (2022). **Using Classical and Operant Conditioning to Train a Shifting Behavior in Juvenile False Water Cobras (*Hydrodynastes gigas*).** *Animals*, 12(10), 1229.  
<https://www.mdpi.com/2076-2615/12/10/1229>

Torrini, L. (2022) **Enrichment for snakes (and other reptiles).** *The IAABC Foundation Journal* 24, doi: 10.55736/iaabcfj24.9  
<https://iaabcjournal.org/enrichment-for-snakes/>

Torrini, L. **Potential Neural Consequences for Snakes Under Captive Management.** *IAABC Journal*, 2022.  
<https://iaabcjournal.org/snake-neuroenrichment/>

Torrini, L. **Enrichment for Snakes and Other Reptiles.** *Herpetoculture Magazine*, 2021.  
<https://herpetoculturemagazine.com/home-enrichment-for-snakes-other-reptiles/>

Torrini, L. **Training Snakes to Voluntarily Relocate**. IAABC Journal, 2019.  
<https://iaabcjournal.org/training-snakes-to-voluntarily-relocate>

➤ **COURSES**

Webinar, 2-hours: **Enrichment for Snakes and Other Reptiles**

<https://iaabcfoundation.org/courses/enrichment-for-snakes-and-other-reptiles/>

➤ **SCHEDULE PRIVATE VIDEO CALL**

Intro: An online platform giving everyone access to anyone, empowering each other to build a better world through direct communication.

<https://intro.co/loritorrini>

➤ **YOUTUBE**

[www.youtube.com/loriToriniAnimalBehavior](http://www.youtube.com/loriToriniAnimalBehavior)

Free educational videos focusing on snake training and behavior with the occasional content about other species. Demonstrations, short-courses, and enrichment ideas.

➤ **WEBSITES**

[www.BehaviorEducation.org](http://www.BehaviorEducation.org)

[www.SpiritKeeperAnimalSanctuary.org](http://www.SpiritKeeperAnimalSanctuary.org)

➤ **PATREON**

[www.Patreon.com/BehaviorEducation](http://www.Patreon.com/BehaviorEducation)

Educational content, live “office hours” sessions to ask questions, opportunities for private coaching, training, and behavior consulting. Behind the scenes at the ranch and additional information about the animals here. Access to communication via text, phone, messenger apps, email, and live video chats.



➤ **PODCASTS/INTERVIEWS**

Aquarimax Pets | Myths about Reptile Behavior with Lori Torrini (2023)

[https://www.youtube.com/live/z9DCqKD-U4o?si=wGWdiEVdZ5\\_2Jgn0](https://www.youtube.com/live/z9DCqKD-U4o?si=wGWdiEVdZ5_2Jgn0)

Reticulated Python Behavior Education with Lori Torrini | The Retic Lounge #53 (2023)

<https://youtu.be/1DZU7w7rJDY?si=PqA4GKyE-vaRrXri>

Simple Ways to Improve Your Reptile's Life! | Enrichment Ideas That EVERY Pet Owner Should Know! Snake Enrichment with Lori Torrini (2023)

<https://youtu.be/OTjMEVyaJhI?si=NnnvRn3M4Aq44llT&t=927>

How To Unlock Your Ball Pythons Potential Capabilities | Lori Torrini podcast #5 (2022)  
[https://youtu.be/OVPw\\_OxgbHE?si=dqXEa\\_m-72NU4UW0](https://youtu.be/OVPw_OxgbHE?si=dqXEa_m-72NU4UW0)

Kasey Talks Critters Ep 3 | A Zen Habitats Original Series | Carpet Pythons, Lori Torrini (2022) [https://youtu.be/n1Qlyi\\_H-k8](https://youtu.be/n1Qlyi_H-k8)

How to Unlock Your Ball Python's Potential Capabilities, Animals at Home (2022)  
<https://www.animalsathomenetwork.com/5-lori-torrini/> (audio)  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OVPw\\_OxgbHE](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OVPw_OxgbHE) (video)

KEEP CALM IT'S JUST A SNAKE PODCAST S2/ E6 - Lori Torrini (2022)  
<https://podcasts.apple.com/ca/podcast/keep-calm-its-just-a-snake-podcast-s2-e6-lori-torrini/id1547100285?i=1000575810038>  
<https://youtu.be/OUa20kEn7hI> (video)

Snake Enrichment Interview on Herp Panel Forum, interviewed by Steven Lewis (2022).  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m-zJvsOopBU>

Mexican Black Kingsnake Target Training Evaluated by Lori Torrini (2020)  
<https://youtu.be/4xsFnldb7mI?si=L2oy3jF6oRhKF17S>

The Reptile Gumbo Podcast, Lori Torrini of Behavior Education LLC (2020)  
<https://share.transistor.fm/s/65f64c61>  
[Episode 30 w/ Lori Torrini of Behavior Education LLC](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OVPw_OxgbHE)

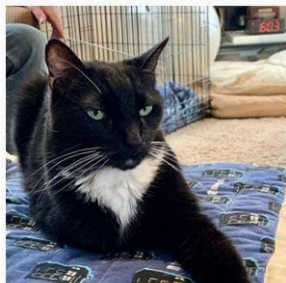
Animals at Home Network, How to Train Your Snake, Lori Torrini (2020)  
<https://www.animalsathomenetwork.com/61-lori-torrini/>

Snake Behavior with Lori Torrini, Morelia Python Radio (2019)  
<https://www.blogtalkradio.com/moreliapythonradio/2019/07/10/snake-behavior-with-lori-torrini>

Animals at Home Network Roundtables with Lori Torrini and other guests, **The Truth about Cohabbing Reptiles** Roundtable 4, **Self-Assessment for Choosing the Right Reptile** Roundtable 3, **Are all Natural Behaviors Necessary in Captivity** Roundtable 2.  
<https://www.animalsathomenetwork.com/round-table/>

➤ **AVAILABLE ON SOCIAL MEDIA**

Facebook, Instagram, LinkedIn, YouTube, Patreon, and Intro



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