

PROGRAMME



Pre-conference – Monday 24th October 2022

18.00 – 20.00 RepVet Meeting

Day 1 – Tuesday 25th October 2022

9:30 – 13.00 Registration

10.00 – 12.00 QualiVets – Marleen Broekhuijse (bovine) and Dimitri De Meyer (porcine)
(coffee available)

12.00 – 13.00 Lunch

Opening Plenary session

13.00 – 13.10 Conference welcome – Sarah Felstead and Flemming Thorup

13.10 – 13.45 Frederic Leroy – VUB (Vrije Universiteit Brussel)

Reflections on the future of animal farming and animal source foods in human diets

13.45 – 14.15 Annechien ten Have – Global Farmer Network

Achieving a better life for pigs while fulfilling consumers expectations

14.15 – 14.30 RepVet report

14.30 – 15.20 Sponsor Presentations – Minitube, Dynaval, Spermvital, Magapor, Arquimea

15.15 – 15.45 Coffee Break

Porcine Session I – Martin Schulze

15.45 – 16.10 Michael Kleve-Feld – PIC

Training and preparation of boars for semen collection

16.10 – 16.30 Hans Jubbbega – AgriSyst

Adaptation of boars to heat + the principal and ROI of a dry cooling in a GTC

16.30 – 17.15 Scott Dee – Pipestone Research

Feed and feed ingredients as risk factors for the spread of viruses of veterinary significance

Cattle Session 1 – Olivier Gerard

15.45 – 16.10 Ciara O'Meara – NCBC

Managing young bulls production

16.10 – 16.30 Laurence Guilbert-Julien – LNCR

Animal welfare survey in French reproduction unit

16.30 – 17.15 Ana Granados Chapatte & Rory Meyer – EFFAB & CSS/NAAB

Animal Welfare Legislation

17.30 – 18.30 Sponsor Demonstrations – Magapor, Dynaval, Minitube, Arquimea

19.30 Welcome Drinks

20.00 – 23.30 Gala Dinner

Day 2 – Wednesday 26th October 2022

Porcine Session 2 – Eveline Willems

8.45 – 9.15 Rodrigo Mezencio Godinho – Topigs Norsvin

Is there a link between rearing and male fertility?

9.15 – 9.45 Martin Schulze – IFN-Schonow

Boar semen transport – new insights from research

9.45 – 10.15 Dagmar Waberski – University of Veterinary Medicine Hannover

Possibilities and limitations of CASA-use in AI stations

Cattle Session 2 – Kasia Kupisiewicz and Kaj Abrahamsen

8.45 – 9.15 Grum Gebreyesus – Aarhus University

Perspectives of selective breeding for semen quality traits

9.15 – 9.45 Benoit Guyonnet – Evolution

Prediction of bull semen fertility using a mid-infrared based technology: application to Fertimax® ultra-fertile doses

9.45 – 10.15 Maria Belen Rabaglino – UCD (University College Dublin)

Identification of Biomarkers of Bovine Sperm Function and Embryo Development using an Omics Approach

10.15 – 10.45 Coffee Break

Closing Plenary Session – Bernard Eivers and Ana Granados Chapatte

10.45 – 11.30 Sabine Koelle – UCD (University College Dublin)

"How does sex-sorting affect bovine spermatozoa and early embryogenesis? Novel insights as seen by live cell imaging – and what we can learn from it for the daily practice?"

11.30 – 12.15 Pablo Ross (ST Genetics)

Sexed semen – its use in AI, ET and IVF

Closing Farewell

14.15 – 14.30 Sponsor room closes

13.00 – 14.00 Lunch

14.00 – 17.00 Social Session/Visit to Cogent bull stud and labs