

Schedule Beef Conference June 19-26, 2009 Limoges, Paris

Pre-Conference Training Workshop and Excursion

Fri, June 19	Arrival day training participants	Duration	Speaker	Room
19:00	Welcome evening training participants in the Hotel "Le Green St. Lazare"			
Sat, June 20	Model workshop			
09:00 - 10:30	agri benchmark background information, SOP and Q!	90	agb team	CLUB
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee break			
11:00 - 12:30	How to use the agri benchmark tools - part 1	90	agb team	CLUB
12:30 - 13:30	Lunch			
13:30 - 15:00	How to use the agri benchmark website	90	agb team	CLUB
15:00 - 15:30	Coffee break			
15:30 - 17:00	How to use the agri benchmark tools - part 2	90	agb team	CLUB
Open	Free evening or optional dinner at the Restaurant "Les Petits Ventres", departure at 18:40 in front of the hotels			
Sun, June 21	Excursion			
08:00 - 17:30	Farm 1: Limousin cow-calf farm on "Plateau de Millevaches" Farm 2: Suckler calves farm in Corrèze (veaux sous la mere)	all day		on the bus
The model workshop for advanced users will be suited to the needs of the participants.				

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Sun, June 21		Arrival day conference participants	Duration	Speaker	Room
until	17:30	Arrival conference participants			
	18:40	Departure of the bus in front of the hotels			
	19:00	Welcome evening conference in the old & historical mill "Le Poudrier"			
Mon, June 22		New countries, comparisons & farm stories			
09:00 - 09:15		Session opening	15	Patrick/	DRIVER
		New country presentations	90	Claus	
		Czech Republic, Ukraine, Mexico		Partners	
10:45 - 11:15		Coffee break	30		
11:15 - 12:45		International comparison of cow-calf & beef production	90	Claus	DRIVER
12:45 - 14:15		Lunch	90		
14:15 - 15:15		Farm stories: Indonesia, Norway	60	Partners	DRIVER
15:15 - 15:45		Coffee break	30		
15:45 - 16:15		Adjustment strategies of intensive finishers in Germany	30	Daniel	DRIVER
16:15 - 17:15		Poster presentation	60	Partners	DRIVER
Open		Free evening for all or optional bowling evening, departure at 18:40			
Tue, June 23		Excursion in Limousin			
08:30 - 11:30		1. Slaughter house in Limoges (traceability, classification, marketing organisation)	all day		on the bus
13:50 - 16:30		2. Combined cow-calf and finishing farm			
17:00 - 19:00		3. Lanaud limousine reproduction center			
19:00 - 22:00		Barbecue at the Lanaud Limousine center			
Wed, June 24		Emissions and workshops			
09:00 - 10:00		The French beef production systems	60	Patrick	DRIVER
10:00 - 11:00		Discussion of the international comparisons	60	All	
11:00 - 11:30		Coffee break	30		
11:30 - 13:00		Emission benchmark results	90	Daniel	DRIVER
13:00 - 14:30		Lunch	90		
14:30 - 15:00		Sheep analysis: The Spanish experience	30	Ernesto	DRIVER
15:00 - 15:30		Workshop: How did and how can beef farmers adjust to the recent market, price and policy changes?	30	All	DRIVER & CLUB
15:30 - 16:00		Coffee break	30		
16:00 - 17:30		Workshop: Summary presentations	90	All	DRIVER
19:00		Dinner at the Hotel "Le Green St. Lazare"			
Thu, June 25		Strategy 2010 and travel to Paris			
09:00 - 11:00		Strategy Outlook for 2010 + 2011 Next steps Beef Report 2009 and planning 2010	120		DRIVER
11:00 - 20:15		Departure and travel to Paris with stopover: cheese and wine tasting	Bus		on the bus

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Public day

Fri, June 26

Public day in Paris

Duration

Beef farming world-wide in the context of the new challenges		
09:00 - 09:30	Reception - Coffee	30
09:30 - 09:45	Welcome / opening address	15
09:45 - 10:15	Philippe Chotteau (Institut de l'Elevage, Paris) World beef production and trade: challenges and issues for the future	30
10:15 - 10:45	Claus Deblitz (<i>agri benchmark</i> / vTI) Competitiveness of beef production world-wide: what is it and what drives it?	30
10:45 - 11:15	Denis Lerouge (President of Comaral) One case for promotion of beef cattle meat in french restaurants (savoureuses rencontres)	30
11:15 - 11:45	Niels Beaument (Interbev) Marketing initiatives for beef in France	30
11:45 - 12:15	Bernard Malabirade (Producer) Beef production and multifunctionality of farming	30
12:15 - 14:00	Lunch	105
14:00 - 14:30	Kees de Roest (CRPA, Italy) Competitiveness of beef production in Italy: status quo, challenges and opportunities	30
14:30 - 15:00	Patrick Sarzeaud (Institut de l'Elevage, Paris) Competitiveness of beef production in France: status quo, challenges and opportunities	30
15:00 - 15:30	Sergio de Zen (CEPEA, USP, Brazil) Competitiveness of beef production in Brazil: status quo, challenges and opportunities	30
15:30 - 16:00	Peter Weeks (MLA Meat and Livestock Australia) Lloyd Davies, Kirrily Pollock (DPI NSW, Australia) Competitiveness of beef production in Australia: status quo, challenges and opportunities	30
16:00 - 17:00	Round table / Discussion Philippe Chotteau, Claus Deblitz, Bernard Malabirade, Jean Noel Bonnet	60
Evening	Farewell barbecue for partners only, in the garden of the German embassy (13-15 Ave. Franklin D. Roosevelt, 75008 Paris)	

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Tourist trip (optional)

Sat, June 27 **Boat tour and monuments in Paris**

08:00	Departure at the hotel Discovering the city by boat tour on the Seine with stops at - Arc de Triumph - Tour Eiffel - Place de la Concorde - Notre-Dame
17:30	Be back at the hotel
19:00	Dinner

Sun, June 28 **Montmartre and Sacré Coeur**

09:00	Departure at the hotel
10:00	Visit of the Montmartre - Sacré Coeur de Montmartre - Musée de Montmartre - Cimetiere de Montmartre
12:00	Freetime