LIVE CONFERENCE -10-11 June 2024
At the Hotel Nikko Saigon, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam
2 days of live briefings, presentations, discussion, and debate
+ 18 technical presentations streamed from 21 May 2024

Factors affecting immunity – what tools does a nutritionist have to impact immunity
Led by Dr Megan Edwards, Nutritionist, Integral Nutrition, Singapore
Streaming from 21 May 2024

Piglet health through nutrition – what’s the latest to ensure a good start
Led by Dr Theerawit Poeikhampha, Assistant Professor, Kasetsart University, Thailand
Streaming from 28 May 2024

Nutrition in the feed mill – ensuring what you formulate is presented to the animal
Led by Lloyd Phillips, Managing Consultant, OptiPro Solutions Limited, United Kingdom
Streaming from 4 June 2024
STREAMING ON 21, 28 MAY and 4 JUNE 2024

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Nutrition and placental efficiency
Casey Bradley, President, Sunswine Group, USA
The Sunswine Group focuses on innovation, professional development and consultancy for pig and poultry producers. Dr Bradley has a BSc in Animal Science from Michigan State University and completed her MSc and PhD in Animal Science at the University of Arkansas. She has worked as a nutritionist with Kalmbach Feeds Inc and held technical roles with AB Vista, Purina Animal Nutrition and DSM.

How to optimize gilt management, to ensure we have good herd immunity
Rhovicta Marie B Pandong, Technical Services Manager, PIC, Philippines
Dr Pandong graduated at Central Mindanao University, Philippines, with degree of Doctor Veterinary Medicine. On joining PIC in 2009 she worked in the Supply chain department; transferred to technical service; and currently is Technical Service Team Leader for Philippines and reproduction consultant for PIC Asia franchise in Japan, South Korea and Vietnam); and a member of the PIC Global Applied Female Reproduction Team.

Feeding for better colostrum
Megan Edwards, Nutritionist, Integral Nutrition Pte Ltd, Singapore

Managing inflammation in sows and piglets by phytogenic compounds
Balachandar Jayaraman, Research Manager Swine, Evonik (SEA) Pte Ltd, Singapore
Dr Balachandar studied veterinary science, animal husbandry and livestock production and management in India. He worked initially as a Graduate Research Assistant in poultry nutrition at Dalhousie University in Canada before completing his PhD in swine nutrition at the University of Manitoba, Canada. Before joining Evonik in 2017 he was a lecturer in Veterinary University, India.

Piglet health through nutrition – what’s the latest to ensure a good start
SESSION LEADER:
Theerawit Poeikhampha, Assistant Professor, Department of Animal Science, Kasetsart University, Thailand
Dr Theerawit has degrees including a PhD in animal science from Kasetsart University. His research adopts a multidisciplinary strategy to research, develop and optimize animal nutrition technologies. Recent projects include feed ingredients and feed additives, exogenous enzyme and enzyme’s matrix calculation, amino acid metabolism and cell function, micronutrients in drinking water, feed formulation and feed manufacturing technology for increase the productivity of farm animal, especially in the tropical condition.

The importance of considering ABC-4 values in formulating nursery diets
Mike Tokach, Professor/Extension Specialist, Kansas State University, USA
Dr Tokach is a University Distinguished Professor of Animal Sciences and Industry at Kansas State University. Tokach joined K-State in 1991 and, as a swine nutrition researcher and extension specialist, is an author on more than 450 articles in scientific journals, 11 book chapters and more than 1,200 extension and non-refereed articles. He also has been awarded seven patents for his research and has given more than 370 invited lectures at national and international conferences.
Insoluble crude fiber concentrates in piglets – more than just a fiber source
Manfred Pietsch, Head of Business Unit Livestock Applications, J. Rettenmaier & Söhne GmbH + Co KG, Germany
Dr Pietsch has a degree in human nutrition and a doctorate in animal nutrition from the Justus- Liebig University, Germany. Since 1996 he has worked as product and poultry application manager for several feed additive suppliers, joining Josef Rettenmaier & Sons (JRS) in 2008 where he is responsible for poultry applications and head of the animal nutrition department.

Simple technologies with big impacts on profit
Roger Campbell, Director & CEO, RG Campbell Advisory, Australia
Dr Campbell has been involved in research and in management positions in the pork industry for nearly 50 years. Eleven of these years as General Manager of Technical Services with Bunge Meat Industries, now Rivalea Australia, and six as CEO of Ausgene Genetics based in Illinois USA. He was CEO of two Pork CRC businesses in Australia between 2005 and 2018. Dr Campbell currently consults on research and development happenings globally, strategic research directions required for different pork industries and technology development and "products" required for the different pork industries.

FOCUS PRESENTATION – Balancing profit vs productivity – where’s the sweet spot?
Art Frio, Technical Director, 1st Ten Consulting Asia Pacific, Philippines
Mr Frio has a degree in animal science from the University of the Philippines Los Banos. Has career has spanned livestock production across the region including positions with Alltech Biotechnology, Cargill Animal Nutrition and San Miguel Monterey Foods. Since 2015 he has consulted on swine production and livestock nutrition covering the Asia Pacific region, including clients in the Philippines, China, Vietnam, Thailand, Cambodia and Japan.

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Ensuring efficient vitamin nutrition with appropriate product forms
Jose Maria Hernandez, Global Product Manager Special Nutrient, DSM Nutritional Products Ltd, Spain
Dr Hernández is a Spanish national holding a Degree in Veterinary Medicine and Masters in Exec-MBA and Marketing and Commercial Management. Close to 35 years in the feed industry, he joined Roche-dsm-firmenich in 1989 and had different technical, commercial, and marketing positions in EMEA and Global (Poultry) Business and Category (Vitamins, Carotenoids) management in Spain, Switzerland as well as GM in Argentina, Uruguay and Paraguay.

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Conveniently located near the center of Ho Chi Minh City, only 25 minutes drive from Tan Son Nhat International Airport, the Hotel Nikko Saigon is a five star luxury hotel offering excellent services and facilities, and catering for the needs of both business and leisure travelers. See www.asian-agribiz.com for details of the special rate negotiated for delegates.
LIVE CONFERENCE
10-11 JUNE 2024 (Monday-Tuesday)

Origami Room, Level 3
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Stillbirths - factors that influence and tips to minimise
Megan Edwards, Nutritionist, Integral Nutrition, Singapore

Sustainability, a new guest in European pig production trends?
Emmanuel Landeau, Technical Manager, Jefo Europe, France
Mr Emmanuel has a Master of Science in Animal Nutrition from AgroparisTech, Paris. He initially worked for Vivo NSA becoming director of their swine department. In 2008 he moved to Mexico and worked as technical support for monogastrics at an international feed additives company before returning to France with the same company to provide technical support for Europe. In 2014, he joined a family company based in Brittany to work with monogastrics (research and development, nutritional solutions, technical support) before joining Jefo Europe to manage the European technical department (all species).

TRIAL RESULT: Efficacy of in-feed immune-boosting complex on reducing the incidence, late onset of ASF symptoms and related serological parameters in experimentally challenged ASFv pigs
Le Van Phan, Associate Professor, Department of Microbiology and Infectious Disease, Vice Director, Key Laboratory for Veterinary Biotechnology, College of Veterinary Medicine, Vietnam National University of Agriculture, Vietnam
Dr Phan has made significant contributions to the field, particularly in his pioneering work on African Swine Fever (ASF). Dr. Phan’s laboratory was the first to detect ASFv in Vietnam and has since published an impressive array of papers on ASF in highly esteemed journals.
TRIAL RESULT: Using different formulation options for very small piglets to substitute high levels of ZnO
Gilles Langeoire, Senior Consultant, Gilles Langeoire Consulting, France
In a 45-year career Dr Langeoire worked as technical manager for major nutrition companies in France, where his responsibilities included the pig feed market in Asia. His major contributions concerned net energy supply for growing pigs and sows, specific feeding management of hyper prolific sows, environmental issues and the use of enzymes, acidifiers, polyphenols as pig feed additives. More recently he updated his knowledge about mycotoxins and mycotoxin binders, and the use of medium chain fatty acids as substitutes to antibiotics.

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The nutritional risks of using high levels of ZnO for the piglets
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KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Balancing profit vs productivity – where’s the sweet spot?
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FEATURE TECHNICAL BRIEFING:

Immune boosting complex - Commercial impact evaluation and on-going factors of application

Dang Hoang Lam, Research Manager, Hung Vuong University, Vietnam
Milena Sevastiyanova, Global Technical Manager, Innovad Group, Belgium
Nguyen Thanh Hai, Technical Manager – Swine, Innovad Vietnam

Dr Sevastiyanova has a master’s degree in veterinary medicine from Trakiya University, Bulgaria. After her studies, she worked in a laboratory for OIE- notifiable diseases. Milena was related for a long time to the pharmaceutical business (managing Merial in Bulgaria, followed by working as a Veterinary Professional Service in Merial SAS France - Emerging markets). As Innovad Global Technical Manager, Milena has been working actively for more than eight years on the monogastric animals’ part of the business. One of the main topics of work of Milena is chronic intestinal inflammation where was involved in the Innovad and Texas AM (USA) project on an experimental model of chronic intestinal inflammation in broilers. Another main topic of work of Milena is mycotoxins and their effects on animals (Innovad dry blood spots patented service). In connection with the serious losses in intensive pig farming caused by systemic and viral diseases, Milena is working to find an effective immune-supporting treatment for swine.

Dr Hai majored in microbiology from the Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology, Australia. Returning to Vietnam he held posts with PIC, CP, ANT, and Biomin before becoming Vice President for the technical operations of Sanphar Diagnostic Laboratory, promoting its diagnostic service based on clinical symptoms and farm history with PCR, Elisa, or bacteriology analysis. In his current role at Innovad, he is responsible for innovative solutions to safeguard health and productivity of livestock in face of current challenges from viral and bacterial diseases.
The 2024 Pig Feed Quality Conference will continue the blend of live and online presentations that have worked so well with our broiler and layer conferences.

This approach merges the best of both worlds: the clarity of streamed videoed technical presentations that can also be studied privately during a quiet moment and shared with colleagues . . . coupled with the excitement of on-stage discussion of the practical application of the science at our live conference.

1. **Streamed technical presentations** – four, 3-hour sessions of pre-recorded videos with a live Q&A at the end of each session, streamed initially on consecutive Tuesdays – 14, 21, 28 May and 4 June – then available to delegates on-demand for six months.

2. Followed by a **two-day live conference** – nine hours of debate & discussion about the streamed technical presentations, plus several keynote speeches addressing industry issues at the Hotel Nikko Saigon in Ho Chi Minh City on 10-11 June 2024.

The themes for the 2024 conference, based on your feedback from previous conferences, will be:

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I look forward to you joining us – both for the streamed presentations and at the live event in Ho Chi Minh City.

David Faulkner
Conference Chairman

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- 20 expert world class speakers, from as far afield as the USA and United Kingdom
- Insert the sessions you wish to attend in your personal calendar
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- Two days of live presentations from selected speakers and field experts
- Presented at a highly recommended venue: Hotel Nikko Saigon
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- Keynote addresses tackling the challenges facing our industry over the next 5 years

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