



Schedule of Eggs! Conference

Location: Eggs! Pavilion hall 7, stand no. B.080

Day 1 Tuesday April 20 th 2010	
General	
13.00 – 13.15	Opening by chairman Prof. Dr. Simon Shane, Adjunct Professor in the Department of Poultry Science, North Carolina State University
13.15 – 13.45	"Global Developments on Eggs" Ir. Albert Vernooij, Associate Director, Food & Agribusiness Research & Advisory, Rabobank International
13.45 – 13.50	Q & A Session
13.50 – 14.20	"Economic perspective for the egg industry" - Production cost - International competition - Trade Ir. Peter van Horne, LEI Wageningen UR
14.20 – 14.25	Q & A Session
14.25 – 15.00	Break
Breeder Management	
15.00 – 15.30	"Abnormal eggs caused by diseases" Drs. Jac de Wit, Gezondheidsdienst voor dieren
15.30 – 15.35	Q & A Session
15.35 – 16.05	"The future of the egg laying industry, from a genetic perspective" Ir. Frans van Sambeek, ISA (the layer breeding division of Hendrix Genetics)
16.05 – 16.10	Q & A Session
Incubation & Hatchery	
16.10 – 16.40	"Maximizing the results of the critical brooding period" Conny Maatjens, HatchTech
16.40 – 16.45	Q & A Session
16.45 – 16.50	Closure by chairman Prof. Dr. Simon Shane, Adjunct Professor in the Department of Poultry Science, North Carolina State University



Day 2 Wednesday April 21 st 2010	
10.30 – 10.45	Opening by chairman Prof. Dr. Simon Shane, Adjunct Professor in the Department of Poultry Science, North Carolina State University
Incubation / Hatchery	
10.45 – 11.15	“Circadian Incubation, the next generation of modular, single-stage technology” Dr. Marleen Boerjan, Pas Reform
11.15 – 11.20	Q & A Session
11.20 – 11.50	“Incubation as a hinge between broiler breeders and broilers” Prof. Dr. Eddy Decuyper, K.U. Leuven
11.50 – 11.55	Q & A Session
Day-old Chicks / Rearing	
11.55 – 12.25	“Early growth in the patio” Ir. Lotte van de Ven, Poultry Specialist, Vencomatic
12.25 – 12.30	Q & A Session
12.30 – 13.30	Break
Layer Farm	
13.30 – 14.00	“Managing the modern egg type laying hen” Dr. Hans-Heinrich Thiele, Lohmann Tierzucht
14.00 – 14.05	Q & A Session
14.05 – 14.35	“The influence of housing systems for laying hens on the microbiological egg quality” Dr. Koen de Reu, Institute for Agricultural and Fisheries Research (ILVO)
14.35 – 14.40	Q & A Session
Egg Handling	
14.40 – 15.10	“Keeping eggs intact – The importance of shell strength for egg handling” Dr. Kristof Mertens, K.U. Leuven
15.10 – 15.15	Q & A Session
15.15 – 15.35	Break
15.35 – 16.05	“Egg grading embedded in your operation” The modern egg grader in a web of logistic and administrative processes Paul Buisman, Moba
16.05 – 16.10	Q & A Session
Egg Processing	
16.10 – 16.40	“There’s more to shelf life than pasteurization” Roberto Colavitti, Sanovo Technology Group
16.40 – 16.45	Q & A Session
Summary	
16.45 – 17.15	‘Summarizing Conference and future vision’ Prof. Dr. Simon Shane, Adjunct Professor in the Department of Poultry Science, North Carolina State University