



Feed Congress

MONDAY, 30 MAY 2022 | 13:00-18:15
JAARBEURS | UTRECHT, NETHERLANDS

PROGRAM

2022 EUROPEAN LIVE FEED CONGRESS: Strategies to future-proof food production

AGENDA

13:00	<p>INTRODUCTION MODERATOR: Jackie Roembke, editor in chief, WATT Feed Brands & Feed Strategy magazine</p>
13:00 – 13:45	<p>KEYNOTE ADDRESS Future-proof food production: How the feed industry will fortify the European animal protein sector SPEAKERS: Coen Smits, director of sustainability, Trouw Nutrition</p> <p>An overview of recent development and future challenges in the European animal protein sector, with emphasis on the implications for the feed industry. The presentation will highlight the critical role that feed and feed additives will play in future sustainable animal protein production in Europe and address some strategic directions for innovation.</p>
13:45 – 14:15	<p>How feed ingredient analysis supports a more sustainable value chain SPEAKER: Pierre-Joseph Paoli, president – feed additives & ingredients, ADM Animal Nutrition</p> <p>Assessing the environmental impact of feed additives and ingredients, from the extraction of raw materials through processing, transport, use and disposal, provides baseline measures valued by suppliers and producers. Understanding environmental outputs at each stage of the product life cycle enables all those within the animal nutrition supply chain to evaluate opportunities to reduce and improve their environmental footprint. This talk will look at how and why ADM is analyzing the life cycle of its animal nutrition products produced around the world.</p>
14:15 – 15:00	<p>Feed's role in achieving net zero SPEAKER: David Nickell, vice president - sustainability & business solutions, DSM Animal Nutrition and Health</p> <p>Focus on how feed, feed formulations, feed additives and sourcing can be leveraged to meet a corporation's sustainability goals, improve production, sustainability and result in upstream returns.</p>
15:00 – 15:30	<p>COFFEE BREAK</p>
15:30 – 16:00	<p>Sustainability through feed formulation strategies SPEAKER: Carlos Dapoza, senior business manager - Mediterranean, EVONIK</p> <p>This presentation will examine the role of feed on the environmental impact of animal production. There will be a focus on low crude protein diets and the use of supplemental amino acids. The benefits of raw material quality control for a more precise formulation and how sustainability concepts can be integrated to improve feed optimization programs will also be examined.</p>
16:00 – 16:30	<p>How insects in animal diets will shape the protein landscape SPEAKER: Graeme Dear, non-executive director, Beta Bugs Ltd.</p> <p>A big picture look at the ways advancements in insect propagation and increased inclusion in animal feed can positively impact agri-food's overall environmental footprint. This talk will explore the ins and outs of insect farming, analysis of the current state of the insect ingredient market, and how the use of insect-derived feedstuffs benefit poultry and livestock production.</p>
16:30 – 17:15	<p>Panel discussion: Feeding strategies for emission reductions MODERATOR: Jackie Roembke, editor in chief, WATT Feed Brands and Feed Strategy magazine</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Dr. Carlos Dapoza, senior business manager – Mediterranean, EVONIK ▶ Dr. David Nickell, vice president – sustainability & business solutions, DSM Animal Nutrition and Health ▶ Erik Visser, CEO, Hamlet Protein
17:15-18:15	<p>NETWORKING RECEPTION</p>

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Graeme Dear, Ph.D.
Non-executive Director
Beta Bugs Ltd.

Graeme Dear, Ph.D., is the non-executive director for Beta Bugs Ltd., an insect genetics company developing and distributing breeds of Black Soldier Fly for the insect farming industry. Dear has a strong knowledge of animal protein production and markets, especially for poultry and fish. Before retiring in 2018, he served as the general manager for Aviagen UK for a decade. Prior to Aviagen, he spent most of his career in the aquaculture industry in managing director and technical roles for companies, including Marine Harvest Scotland, Skretting (UK and Ireland) and Selonda SA. Dear is currently advising aquaculture, poultry, and protein companies within his consultancy firm AquaTerra Consulting. He has a BSc in microbiology and Ph.D. in fish diseases from Heriot-Watt University in Edinburgh.



Carlos Dapoza, Ph.D.
Senior Business Manager
EVONIK - Mediterranean region

Carlos Dapoza, Ph.D., is Evonik's senior business manager for the Mediterranean region, i.e. Spain, Portugal, Italy and France. Dapoza joined Evonik in 2001 after serving as a feed formulator for international compound feed manufacturer Agribrands. During his tenure with Evonik he has worked for the animal nutrition business as a sales and technical manager, and has been involved in the development of strategies, knowledge, and tools to produce low-protein diets balanced with supplemented amino acids. Dapoza is a veterinarian with a Ph.D. in animal nutrition from the University of Zaragoza in Spain.



David Nickell, Ph.D.
Vice President of Sustainability & Business Solutions
DSM Animal Nutrition & Health

David Nickell, Ph.D., is vice president of sustainability & business solutions at DSM Animal Nutrition & Health. He partners with the global livestock and aquaculture industries in helping them adopt innovative, scalable nutritional programs and technologies to transform and improve the sustainability and economics of animal production. Having spent over two decades working in animal nutrition and health in global business, innovation and sustainability roles, Nickell has gained deep insights into what drives these industries to adopt change in the challenging world of sustainable food production. He has also been instrumental in the development of a wide range of DSM innovations. Today, Nickell plays a leading role in the development of strategies and new technologies to enable the sustainable development of animal and plant protein production to meet the demands of a growing population. He has a Ph.D. in marine biology from the University of Stirling.



Pierre-Joseph Paoli
President for Additives, Ingredients & Amino Acids
ADM Animal Nutrition

Pierre-Joseph Paoli is ADM Animal Nutrition's president for additives, ingredients & amino acids. Paoli brings more than 20 years of deep knowledge in the energy and animal nutrition sectors to his current role, where he manages the operational and financial performance of ADM's animal nutrition business across the globe. He is a key contributor to ADM's sustainability goals and is passionate about launching new feed solutions that optimize animal efficiency while minimizing environmental impact. Paoli holds a MSc of Mathematics from Ecole Centrale Paris and Oxford University as well as an MBA from INSEAD.



Coen Smits, Ph.D.
Director of Sustainability
Trouw Nutrition

Coen Smits, Ph.D., is Trouw Nutrition's director of sustainability. In this role, Smits will focus on rolling out Trouw Nutrition's sustainability roadmap and working with internal and external stakeholders to further develop sustainability solutions and programs for customers. He joined Nutreco as a poultry researcher in 1997 and has served in various R&D management positions in swine, food and ingredients research. In 2018, Smits was named R&D Director for Trouw Nutrition and under his leadership, the company expanded its R&D capabilities with the addition of new swine and poultry nutrition and health research units. Smits was also instrumental in the development of a global commercial validation farm network that cooperates closely with regional business units and local operating companies. He earned his MSc in animal nutrition and his Ph.D. in philosophy from Wageningen University.



Erik Visser
CEO
Hamlet Protein

Erik Visser is the CEO of Hamlet Protein. Visser started his career with Brenntag in Latin America and has since held several senior management positions in the animal feed industry with Provimi, Nutriad, Adisseo and currently Hamlet Protein. With a track record across species and geographies, he is currently focusing on solutions for young animal nutrition, expanding international business via plants in Denmark and USA, and a sales office in China.

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