



CONGRESS 2021

The Boardwalk Hotel, Port Elizabeth

20 - 22 September 2021

PROTECTING OUR INDUSTRY: FROM CONCEPTION TO CONSUMPTION

DAY 01 | 20 September

- 07:00** Registration
- 07:30** Welcome
- 07:40** Reproductive Management of the Dairy Cow: What's Normal and What's Not, and How to Improve it if it's Not: Part 01 - *Dr Scott McDougall (sponsored by Ceva)*
- 08:25** Challenges and Opportunities in Cattle Production: A Veterinarian's Perspective - *Dr Calvin Booker (sponsored by Zoetis)*
- 09:00** Risk Factors for Bovine Brucellosis in KwaZulu-Natal - *Dr Thami Nogwebela*
- 09:10** Tissue Sampling, What Are We Talking About - *Dr Johan De Meulemeester*
- 09:45** Introducing the Exhibitors and Pharmaceutical Trade - *Dr Faffa Malan*
- 10:20** Tea
- 10:40** Forecast of the South Africa Economy - *Ms Nicky Weimar (Chief Economist: Nedbank)*
- 11:10** Reproductive Management of the Dairy Cow: What's Normal and What's Not, and How to Improve it if it's Not: Part 02 - *Dr Scott McDougall (sponsored by Ceva)*
- 11:55** Identifying Opportunities to Enhance Value to your Clients - *Dr Calvin Booker (sponsored by Zoetis)*
- 12:40** Lunch
- 13:40** Product Promotion: Ascendis
- 13:55** TBA
- 14:40** Effective Decision Making in Cattle Production - *Dr Calvin Booker (sponsored by Zoetis)*
- 15:25** Tea
- 15:50** The History of RuVASA, RPG, LHPG - *Dr Francois van Niekerk*
- 16:25** How to Analyse Research and Scientific Articles - *Dr Peter Thomson*
- 16:55** SAVC - *Dr Alfred Kgasi*
- 17:10** SAVA/SAVF - *Mr Gert Steyn*
- 17:25** AGM
- 17:55** Braai

DAY 02 | 21 September

- 07:00** Registration
- 07:30** Early morning session: Workshop to Establish a Common, Sustainable Approach to Liver Fluke Control - *Prof Gareth Bath*
- 08:15** Interventions that Improve Reproductive Performance: The Biology and Economics - *Dr Scott McDougall (sponsored by Ceva)*
- 09:00** BRD - What Do We Know and Where Do We Go from Here - *Dr Calvin Booker (sponsored by Zoetis)*
- 09:45** Trace Mineral Supplementation to Sheep in High Intensity Systems - *Ms Anri Strauss*
- 10:20** TrichLabCheck - A Voluntary Trichomonosis Inter-laboratory Project in South Africa - *Dr Dietmar Holm*
- 10:55** Animal Health Forum - *Dr Chris van Dijk*
- 11:10** Tea
- 11:40** Product Promotion: Boehringer Ingelheim
- 11:55** Interventions that Improve Reproductive Performance: The Biology and Economics - *Dr Scott McDougall (sponsored by Ceva)*
- 12:40** Opportunities to Improve Mastitis Control, Antimicrobial Stewardship and Farmer Engagement - *Dr Scott McDougall (sponsored by Ceva)*
- 13:25** Lunch
- 14:25** Product Promotion: Boehringer Ingelheim
- 14:40** How New Technology Adds Profit to a Real Farm, Working in Harmony with Vets - *Mr Paul Westaway*
- 15:15** Tea
- 15:45** The Effect of Different Volume Setting on Milking Machine Take-off Times - *Dr Inge Marie Petzer*
- 16:15** New Strain of *Staphylococcus Aureus* Challenging the Conventional Identification - *Dr Joanne Karzis*
- 16:45** A Century of Veterinary Education in South Africa - *Prof Dietmar Holm*
- 19:00** Gala Evening

DAY 02 SAVSEG Parallel Session

13:40 - 17:10 Certification Requirements for Export: SAVSEG (South African Veterinary Semen and Embryo Group).
More information to follow

DAY 03 | 22 September

- 07:00** Registration
- 07:30** Opportunities to Improve Mastitis Control, Antimicrobial Stewardship and Farmer Engagement - *Dr Scott McDougall (sponsored by Ceva)*
- 08:15** The Use of Technology in the Feedlot - *Dr Calvin Booker (sponsored by Zoetis)*
- 09:00** Product Promotion: OBP
- 09:15** Certification of Beef Calves for the Feedlots - *Dr Danie Odendaal*
- 09:45** Tea
- 10:15** Product Promotion: Zoetis
- 10:30** Debunking the Myths About Livestock's Environmental Impact - *Dr Frank Mitloehner*
- 11:05** BRD Treatment Failure in Feedlots - *Dr Calvin Booker (sponsored by Zoetis)*
- 11:50** What is Food for Cattle is Good for Producers - *Prof MP Da Costa*
- 12:25** Lunch
- 13:25** Equine Colic for the Rural Practitioner - *Dr Arnold Mahne*
- 14:00** Rift Valley Fever - *Dr Sello Maboe (OBP)*
- 14:35** Semi-intensive Sheep Production and Nutrition - *Mr Joubert Nolte (Meadow)*
- 15:10** Tea
- 15:25** Product Promotion: TBC
- 15:40** Paratyphoid in Cattle - *Dr Maryke Henton*
- 15:55** TBA - *Dr Kenneth Botha (Barnlab)*
- 16:30** Close of Congress (Lucky draw winners)