

# Preventive veterinary medicine in a changing world: utopia or reality?

## Symposium 05/06/2024: preliminary program

Pacheco auditorium  
Finance Tower  
Pachecolaan/Boulevard Pachéco 13  
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9:00	Registration
9:30	<b>Introduction</b>
9:40	<b>Welcome and introduction to symposium objectives</b> <b>L. HERMAN</b> ( <i>ILVO, Chairwoman SciCom</i> )
<b>Session 1:</b>	<b>Biosecurity</b>
09:50	<b>Use of Biosecurity IT tools: how to be used by authorities &amp; lessons learned</b> <b>C. RETTIGNER</b> ( <i>FASFC, CVO Belgium</i> )
10:20	<b>Specific biosecurity audits for the prevention of African Swine Fever and Avian Influenza</b> <b>J. DEWULF</b> ( <i>UGent, BE</i> )
10:50	Coffee break
<b>Session 2:</b>	<b>Vaccination to prevent mass culling</b>

11:20	<b>African Swine Fever vaccine: Turning a dream into reality</b> <b>S. BLOME</b> ( <i>Friedrich-Loeffler-Institut, DE</i> )
11:50	<b>The role of vaccination in the control of Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza: challenges and perspectives</b> <b>I. H. BROWN</b> ( <i>Animal and Plant Health Agency, UK</i> )
12:20	Lunch
13:35	<b>Practical aspects and consequences of vaccination against Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza</b> <b>J.-L. GUERIN</b> ( <i>ENVT, FR</i> ) and <b>F. VELKERS</b> ( <i>Utrecht University, NL</i> )
14:05	<b>IBR vaccination: current and future challenges</b> <b>G. DE GRUYSE</b> ( <i>Sciensano</i> )
14:35	Coffee break
<b>Session 3: Surveillance: the future is now!</b>	
15:05	<b>New diagnostic methods: to broaden the horizon</b> <b>H. NAUWYNCK</b> ( <i>UGent, BE</i> )
15:35	<b>Challenges and developments in surveillance of animal health</b> <b>G. VAN SCHAIK</b> ( <i>Utrecht University, NL</i> )
16:05	<b>Towards an enhanced clinical decision-making in veterinary medicine</b> <b>C. SAEGERMAN</b> ( <i>ULiège, BE</i> )
16:35	<b>Conclusion</b> <b>P. DELAHAUT</b> ( <i>SciCom</i> )