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**Symposium: Synergy in Poultry Production, Food Science, and
Public Health for Global Well-Being**

Thessaloniki, Greece | 19-20 June 2024

Wednesday, June 19, 2024	
8:30 am	Registration and Breakfast
9:00 am	Opening Remarks and Introduction to NIMSS and Conference
9:30 am	Keynote Speaker Kumar Venkitanarayanan - Sustainable Poultry Production
10:15 am – 10:30 am	Coffee break
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Concurrent Sessions
	<i>Integrated Approaches to Enhance Poultry Production</i>
	<i>Exploring Processing Innovations in Poultry Science</i>
	10:30 – 11:15 am – Kostas Mountzouris “Phytogenics as strategic dietary tools for poultry production sustainability” 11:15- 12:00 pm – Speaker 2
	10:30 – 11:15 am – Dianna Bourassa 11:15 – 12:00 pm –Kelley Wamsley
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 pm – 2:15 pm	Concurrent Sessions Continue
	<i>Integrated Approaches to Enhance Poultry Production</i>
	<i>Exploring Processing Innovations in Poultry Science</i>
	1:00 – 1:45 pm – Speaker 1
	1:00 – 1:45 pm – Speaker 1
	1:45 – 2:15 pm – Speaker 2
	1:45 – 2:15 pm – Speaker 2
2:15 pm – 2:30 pm	Refreshment Break
2:30 pm – 3:30 pm	Challenges and Opportunities in Implementing Synergies: A Global Perspective
3:30 pm – 4:30 pm	Panel discussion with select speakers
5:00 pm	Adjourn for the day

Thursday, June 20, 2024		
8:30 am	Breakfast and Networking	
9:00 am	Welcome and Recap of Day 1	
9:30 am – 10:30 am	Concurrent Sessions	
	<i>Controlling Salmonella in poultry: Global strategies</i>	<i>Current trends in Poultry Nutrition and Health</i>
	9:30 – 10:30 am – Lin Walker “Controlling Salmonella in Poultry: Global Strategies”	9:30 – 10:30 am – Michael Persia
10:30 am – 10:45 am	Refreshment Break	
10:45 am – 12:00 pm	Concurrent Sessions Continue	
	<i>Controlling Salmonella in poultry: Global strategies</i>	<i>Current trends in Poultry Nutrition and Health</i>
	10:45 – 12:00 pm – Pratima Adhikari “Interventions against SE in laying hens and pullets”	10:45 – 12:00 pm – Tayo Adedokun “Feeding Broilers: Nutrition from the perspective of cost saving and environmental challenges”
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch	
1:00 pm – 2:30 pm	Concurrent Sessions Continue	
	<i>Adapting to Change: Navigating Animal Welfare Challenges in a Shifting Climate</i>	<i>Engaging Stakeholders: Building Bridges between Research and Communities</i>
	1:00 – 1:45 pm – Shawna Weimer 1:45 – 2:30 pm – Greg Fraley “Neurobiological approaches to understanding how environmental changes affect poultry”	1:00 – 1:45 pm – Jacquie Jacob 1:45 – 2:30 pm – Speaker 2
2:30 pm – 2:45 pm	Refreshment Break	
2:45 pm – 3:30 pm	Policy Frameworks for Sustainable Production - Representative from European Union	
3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Concurrent tasting sessions	
	<i>Olive Oil Tasting & Sensory Analysis</i>	<i>Cheese Tasting & Sensory Analysis</i>
4:30 pm – 5:00 pm	Closing remarks and Adjourn	