2nd International Symposium on Energy and Protein Metabolism and Nutrition

September 9 - September 13, 2007

Vichy, France

On behalf of the EAAP and the organising institution INRA from France, we openly invite all scientists actively working in the area of Energy and Protein Metabolism and Nutrition to attend the 2nd Symposium on Energy and Protein Metabolism and Nutrition. The congress will be held in Vichy, France from Sunday 9 to Thursday 13 September 2007.

The Symposium will be oriented towards livestock science but will also address general aspects of protein and energy metabolism as applied to livestock or biomedical science.

The National Scientific Committee has set out three objectives for the 2007 Symposium.

The first objective is to develop a platform at which widely different (i.e. from fundamental to integrative) approaches to and concepts of nutrition will be discussed. While cutting edges of research are developing rapidly, it is important that more fundamental research is translated into practical outcomes through active links with applied research.

The second objective is to encourage the comparison of research strategies developed in different species to address similar scientific issues.

The third objective is to organize an open and collegial Symposium based on a workshop spirit, in order to stimulate interactions between scientists actively working on energy and protein nutrient metabolism and nutrition.

Scientific issues addressed in the symposium will include the following topics: nutrition and mitochondrial functions, competition between tissues and/or functions for the metabolic utilisation of nutrient, high throughput technologies in metabolism and nutrition studies, the impact of digestion and metabolism on body composition and/or product quality, adaptation of feeding systems and nutritional recommendations to new objectives and to advances in new metabolic approaches.

The official language of the symposium will be English.

Please reserve these dates in your diary now.

We look forward to meeting you at the symposium.

For the Scientific Committees

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