

**MONDAY - April 4, 2022**

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| 6:45  | <b>Registration and Continental Breakfast</b>  |  |   |  |
| 7:50  | <b>Simone Stoute</b>   | <b>Program Chair Welcome; Opening Remarks</b>  |   |  |
|       | <b>SESSION I: Virology</b><br><b>MODERATOR: Ana Da Silva</b>   |  | <b>SESSION II: Bacteriology</b><br><b>MODERATOR: Iresha Subhasinghe</b> |  |
| 8:00  | <b><i>Invited Speaker, Dr. Gregg Cutler: Impact of cage free layer systems on production and diseases in commercial layers</i></b> |  |   |  |
| 8:45  | Rodrigo Gallardo   | The role of IBV on reproductive impairment in roosters   | Aaron Forga*  | Immunoprophylaxis against Clostridial cellulitis/dermatitis in commercial turkeys  |
| 9:00  | Mohamed Hassan*  | Pathogenicity of the Canadian Delmarva (DMV/1639) strain of infectious bronchitis virus (IBV) for laying hens  | James Byrd II   | Understanding <i>Salmonella</i> and how to control it  |
| 9:15  | Rachel Jude  | Genomic comparison of DMV-like and QX-like infectious bronchitis virus strains: Is there any relation between gene sequences and tissue tropism?   | Timothy Johnson   | Re-defining the avian pathogenic <i>Escherichia coli</i> (APEC) pathotype in commercial turkey production                                |
| 9:30  | <b>BREAK: 9:30 AM - 10:15 AM</b>   |  |   |  |
|       | <b>Session I: Antimicrobials and Bacteriology</b><br><b>MODERATOR: Brock Riggs</b>   |  | <b>Session I: Case Reports</b><br><b>MODERATOR: Hemlata Gautam</b>      |  |
| 10:15 | Meaghan Young*   | Identification of novel avian pathogenic <i>Escherichia coli</i> biofilm formation genes   | Gunnar Dunnam*  | An emerging <i>Enterococcus cecorum</i> outbreak in a broiler integrator in the Southern US: Analysis of antimicrobial resistance trends |
| 10:30 | Yu-Yang Tsai*  | Focal Duodenal Necrosis: identification of Gram-negative bacteria potential role in intestinal lesions   | Vijay Durairaj  | Isolation of <i>Histomonas meleagridis</i> and <i>Pentatrichomonas hominis</i> in an enterohepatitis outbreak in turkeys                 |
| 10:45 | Ana Da Silva   | Infectious coryza: A concerted effort towards a novel classification method for <i>Avibacterium paragallinarum</i>   | Kelli Jones   | Investigating Infectious Bronchitis DMV/1639 virus in broiler breeder roosters   |
| 11:00 | Agnes Agunos   | Current status of antimicrobial use, antimicrobial resistance and flock health in Canadian poultry   | Gunnar Dunnam   | A novel presentation of <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> in young broilers   |
| 11:15 | Roel Becerra*  | <i>Campylobacter hepaticus</i> in the production environment/stagnant water as a potential source of <i>Campylobacter</i> causing spotty liver disease in free range laying hens in Georgia, USA |   |  |
|       | <b>LUNCH: 11:30 PM - 1:00 PM</b>   |  |   |  |
|       | <b>Session I: Virology</b><br><b>MODERATOR: Rodrigo Gallardo</b>   |  |   |  |
| 1:00  | <b><i>Arnold S. Rosenwald Lecture: Dr. Steve Roney, Retrospective Perspectives of a Poultry Veterinarian</i></b>                   |  |   |  |
| 1:45  | Tamer Sharafeldin  | Role of turkey hepatitis reoviruses in tenosynovitis in turkeys  |   |  |
| 2:00  | Amine Mernizi*   | First seroepidemiological survey of avian metapneumovirus circulation in Moroccan broiler farms  |   |  |
| 2:15  | Nadine Cariou  | Infectious bursal disease vaccine type impacts response to IB vaccination and bursal integrity   |   |  |
| 2:30  | Kristen Roza-Sutherland  | Long-term field protection of a dual insert HVT vectored vaccine (HVT+IBD+ILT) in layer flocks   |   |  |
|       | <b>POSTER VIEWING &amp; BREAK: 2:45 PM - 3:15 PM</b>   |  |   |  |

| <b>Session I: Viral Vaccines</b><br><b>MODERATOR: Patrick Montine</b> |   |  |
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| 3:15  | Rebecca Mackey                            | Protection induced by IBDV vaccine strains ST-12 and 51A/C4 versus a Delaware E challenge  |
| 3:30  | Kalen Cookson                             | Broiler protection and performance trials of the newest HVT-IBD recombinant vaccine against AL2 and group-6 IBDV                               |
| 3:45  | Ivan Alvarado                             | Infectious laryngotracheitis HVT recombinant constructs: replication and efficacy against challenge in broilers                                |
| 4:00  | Milos Markis                              | Assessment of protection induced by inactivated trivalent variant reovirus vaccine against challenge with contemporary reovirus field isolates |
| 4:30  | <b>WPDC BUSINESS MEETING 4:30-5:15 pm</b> |  |
| 6:00  | <b>WELCOME RECEPTION - 6:00-7:30pm</b>    |  |

**TUESDAY, April 5, 2022**

**6:45 Registration and Continental Breakfast**

**8:00 Invited Speaker, Dr. Rüdiger Hauck: Diseases affecting the intestinal health of poultry, including coccidiosis and other enteric parasites**

| <b>Session I: Parasitology</b><br><b>MODERATOR: Ana da Silva</b> |                  | <b>Session II: Epidemiology</b><br><b>MODERATOR: Maurice Pitesky</b>   |   |
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| 8:45   | Lisa Bielke      | Survey of <i>Eimeria</i> species and anticoccidial resistance in turkeys   | Shayne Ramsubeik*<br>Retrospective analysis of disease caused by pigeon Paramyxovirus-1 in California domestic pigeon population 2010 to 2020 |
| 9:00   | Sydney Kinstler* | <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> and <i>Eimeria maxima</i> co-infection stimulate intestinal stem cell proliferation and differentiation in broiler chickens | Andreia Arruda<br>Epidemiological tools for informing disease risk: the example of infectious bronchitis (IBV)                                |
| 9:15   | Randall Singer   | Efficacy of antibiotic and non-antibiotic interventions in preventing and treating necrotic enteritis in broiler chickens: a systematic review             | Patrick Montine*<br>Avian reovirus surveillance in poultry farms of the California Central Valley (2012-2020)                                 |
| 9:30   | Vijay Durairaj   | Serological evaluation of turkeys challenged with <i>Histomonas meleagridis</i>  | Myrna Cadena*<br>Traditional survey-based methods for mapping backyard and game fowl poultry movement in California                           |

**POSTER VIEWING & BREAK: 9:45 AM - 10:30 AM**  
*\*\*All poster presenters will be available at their posters for discussion\*\**

| <b>Session I: Research, Gut Health, Immunity</b><br><b>MODERATOR: Nancy Reimers</b> |                 | <b>Session II: Food Safety, Gut Health, Research</b><br><b>MODERATOR: Shelly Popowich</b>   |  |
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| 10:30   | Hemlata Gautam* | Development of a novel vaccine strategy against <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> by synergizing immune-enrichment and immunostimulation in chicks                 | Dulmelis Sandu<br>Using multi-modal feed additives to help manage coccidia challenges and their sequelae in broiler production systems |
| 10:45   | John Schleifer  | Re-emergence of chondronecrosis with osteomyelitis syndrome in broilers and the effect of dietary probiotics in a <i>Staphylococcus agnetis</i> challenge model | Iresha Subhasinghe*<br>CpG-ODN-induced antimicrobial immunity involves immuno-metabolic regulation in broiler chickens                 |
| 11:00   | Ahmed Ali*      | Optimization of infectious bronchitis (IB) vaccination strategies against egg production abnormalities  | Christine Clarke<br>Seeder bird research- delveoping the best challenge model  |

**11:30 WPDC AWARDS LUNCHEON: 11:30 PM - 1:30 PM**

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| <b>SESSION II: Coccidia Vaccines</b><br><b>MODERATOR: Rüdiger Hauck</b> | <b>SESSION II: Research and Epidemiology</b><br><b>MODERATOR: Myrna Cadena</b> |
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| 1:45 | Danielle Graham | Development of a candidate bioshuttle coccidiosis vaccination program for the turkey industry                                   | Julia McElreath  | Development of a rapid method for whole genome sequencing of fowl adenoviruses   |
| 2:00 | Roy Jacob       | Comparison of the field application of a commercial coccidiosis vaccine in broilers with bio-shuttle program                    | Joseph Gendreau  | Understanding spatio-temporal trends of non-commercial poultrysales in California using online classified advertisement data     |
| 2:15 | Jose Bruzual    | Field experience managing a precocious coccidiosis vaccine in broiler breeders under field conditions in Zimbabwe, South Africa | Christine Clarke | Epidemiology of spotty liver disease in layers: starting from scratch  |
| 2:30 |                 |   | Brock Riggs      | Prevalence and viral ecology of avian influenza in wetlands of high versus low waterfowl use in the Central Valley of California |

**POSTER VIEWING & BREAK: 2:45 PM - 3:45 PM**

| Session I: Case Reports<br>MODERATOR: Shanye Ramsubeik |                |  | Session II: Research and Diagnostics<br>MODERATOR: Rodrigo Gallardo |   |
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| 3:45   | Jenny Nicholds | Bad Blood: using a modern tool to aid in poultry disease diagnostics   | Juan Rodriguez-Lecompte   | Antimicrobial characterization and microbial induction of chicken ribonuclease angiogenin 4 |
| 4:00   | Eric Gingerich | 2021 outbreak of egg drop syndrome in Northern Indiana layers  | Ricardo Munoz Saba  | Noninvasive protocol to assess eggshell hygiene status using luminometry                    |
| 4:15   | Matthew Drozd  | Causes of morbidity and mortality of peafowl & peafowl pheasants at zoological institutions: a retrospective study | Valerie Marcano   | Impact of lactic acid bacteria on eggshell quality of molted commercial layers              |
| 4:30   | Gigi Lin       | Histomoniasis outbreaks in commercial turkeys in British Columbia, Canada  |   |   |

**WEDNESDAY, April 6, 2020**

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| 6:45 | <b>Registration and Continental Breakfast</b> |  |  |  |
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**Session I: Virology  
MODERATOR: Rachel Jude**

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| 8:00 | <b><i>Invited Speaker, Martha Pulido-Landínez: Salmonella infection in Poultry</i></b> |  |  |  |
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| 8:45 | Alexandra Reilley | Fine-tuning of infectious bronchitis vaccination program in layers exposed to DMV1639 strain                               |  |  |
| 9:00 | Daniel Venne      | Broiler breeder adenovirus titer monitoring during natural, contamination or contact exposure to a 8b strain of adenovirus |  |  |
| 9:15 | Davor Ojkic       | Re-emergence of inclusion body hepatitis in Canada   |  |  |
| 9:30 | Eric Shepherd     | Experiences with inclusion body hepatitis in the Southeast United States   |  |  |

**POSTER VIEWING & BREAK: 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM**

| Session I: Research<br>MODERATOR: Vijay Durairaj |                     |  | Session II: Case Reports and Diagnostics<br>MODERATOR: Simone Stoute |   |
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| 10:30  | Naola Ferguson-Noel | Results and applications of whole genome sequencing of avian mycoplasmas                                       | Sara Throne  | That's not supposed to happen after vaccination, right?   |
| 10:45  | Jeffrey Hall        | A universal <i>E. coli</i> sub-unit vaccine protects broilers from <i>Escherichia coli</i> 078 challenge       | Leslie Johnson   | Assessment of the impact of a É-Polylysine product on hatchability, bacterial loads and 7-day performance in broiler chicks following in ovo inoculation              |
| 11:00  | Tim Johnson         | Exploring postbiotic-based strategies for the mitigation of avian pathogenic <i>Escherichia coli</i> in layers | Ana Maria Villegas   | Concomitant monitoring of <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> and <i>Eimeria specie s</i> in fecal samples of conventional and slow-growing broiler flocks by ScreenFloXÁ® |

**Simone Stoute: Concluding Remarks; Adjourn**

## POSTERS

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| 1 | Carolina Trujillo Peralta      | Isolation, speciation, and anticoccidial sensitivity of <i>Eimeria</i> spp. recovered from wild turkey feces                             |
| 2 | Marina Gaimard                 | Influenza pathogens: innovative assays for diagnosis and vaccination monitoring of H5, H7 and H9 avian influenza A virus                 |
| 3 | Ariaunna Jones                 | Long-term storage of avian origin primary cells for continued availability in virus research and diagnostic laboratories                 |
| 4 | Magali Salas                   | Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> in quail eggs for ambulatory sale in districts of the city of Lima-PerÃº                                  |
| 5 | Manuel Da Costa                | Field experience - infectious bronchitis vaccination takes before and after vaccine application and optimization of sampling methodology |
| 6 | Fathima Ishara Muhammadu Isham | Host responses to Delmarva (DMV/1639) IBV variant isolated in Eastern Canada in young chickens   |
| 7 | Chantel Caughlin               | Administration of oral meloxicam to turkey poults: literature review and proposed investigation  |