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Welcome

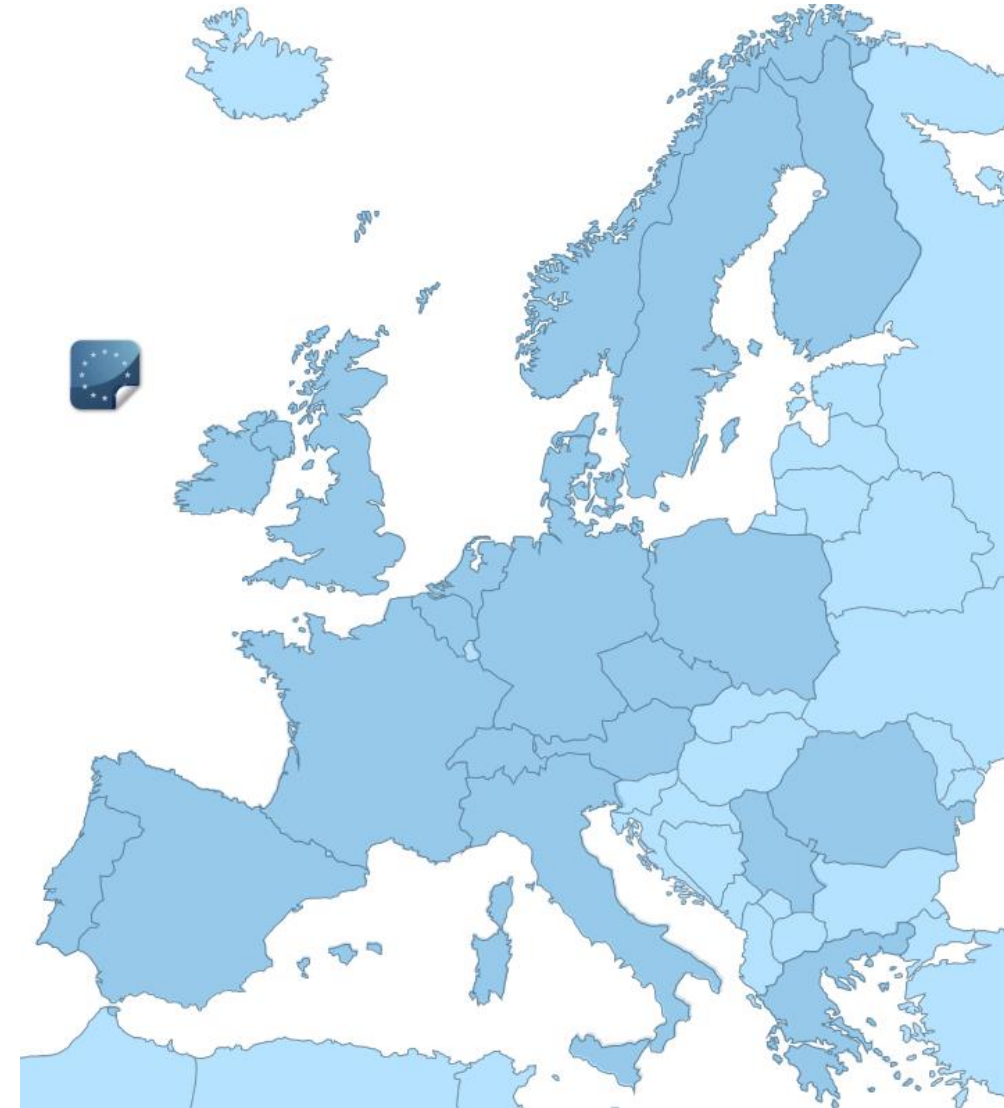
7th ATF-EAAP Special Session

Monday 26th Aug. 2019

EAAP Annual Meeting 2019
Ghent - Belgium



Towards climate smart
European livestock farming



The Animal Task Force (since 2011)

- A European Public-Private Partnership (PPP): research, farmers & private sector

- Promoting a sustainable & competitive animal production sector in Europe;

By fostering knowledge development & innovation in Europe;

- Covering the whole (terrestrial) animal production chain.

The 7th ATF-EAAP Special Session

Context



- Livestock is often blamed for its contribution to climate warming and is challenged by the COP21 agreement and last IPCC report;
- But, livestock is also part of the solution for a climate smart agriculture;
- What is the real contribution of livestock to climate change? Do we use the right metrics to evaluate the C-footprint of animal products?
- What are the mitigations options and the consequences of these options on the others services provided by livestock farming?

The 7th ATF-EAAP Special Session Aims



- Engage a dialogue with various stakeholders;
- Address how research and innovation can reduce GHG emission of livestock, synergies and trade-off with others performances;
- Provide input to European research and innovation agendas and to public policies to secure a key role for livestock in sustainable European agriculture and food chains;
- Support knowledge development and innovation;
- Foster ownership by farmers and industries.

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Programme

SETTING THE SCENE

14:00 How to estimate climate impacts and potential for mitigation?

Simon Kay, European Commission / DG Clima

14:15 Can we achieve climate targets avoiding trade-offs with biodiversity?

Sébastien Treyer, IDDRI

14:30 Discussion

IMPLEMENTATION OF CLIMATE MITIGATION OPTIONS

14:45 Farmers adopting innovative best practices

Josselin Andurand, IDELE

15:00 Industry committed to achieving mitigation targets

Charlotte Thy, Danish Crown

15:15 Options at system level & expected mitigation potential

Martin Scholten, Global Research Alliance

IMPROVEMENT OF EVALUATION METHODS

15:30 Building consensus on methodologies for the assessment of environmental performance

Camillo de Camillis, FAO, LEAP Partnership

15:45 Coffee break

PANEL DISCUSSION

16:15 Panel Discussion : ways forward, R&I

moderated by Vivi H. Nielsen, Aarhus University with audience and:

- *Simon Kay, DG Clima*
- *Josselin Andurand, IDELE*
- *Jabier Ruiz Mirazo, WWF*
- *Sijne van der Beek, CRV*
- *Monika Zehetmeier, LfL*

17:15 Closing