

Welcome



Innovative farmers

How farmers use research to innovate in animal husbandry

Animal Task Force & EAAP Special Session

Thursday 28 August 2014 14:00h - 18:00h

EAAP Annual meeting 2014 | Copenhagen - Denmark

The Animal Task Force (since 2011)

- A European Public-Private Platform (PPP): research, farmers & industries
- Promoting a sustainable and competitive animal production sector in Europe;
- By fostering knowledge development and innovation in Europe;
- Covering the whole animal production chain.



Programme



EAAP



ATF

14:00 **Welcome and introduction**
by Martin Scholten (Chair Animal Task Force) and Philippe Chemineau (President 2012-2016 EAAP)

14:10 **Successes and failures in bringing innovation to practice – an overview**
by Han Swinkels, Lecturer HAS Den Bosch

14:30 **Cases of innovative farmers from across Europe**

- 14:30 Niels Pedersen, Danish pig farmer
- 14:50 Marc Havermans, Dutch dairy farmer
- 15:10 Daniela Nieddu, Italian sheep farmer
- 15:30 Richard Fuller, UK cattle farmer

15:50 **Coffee break**

16:10 **How national farmer organizations anticipate on the European Innovation Partnership (EIP)**

- 16:10 Dirk Bruins, LTO Netherlands
- 16:25 Charlotte Johnston, Royal Agricultural Society of England

16:40 **How the European Commission intend to arrange the EIP**
Jean-Charles Cavitte, European Commission DG Agri

16:55 **Panel Discussion**

moderated by Martin Scholten

- Jean-Charles Cavitte, European Commission DG Agri
- Christina Nygaard, Copa-Cogeca
- Matthias Daun, CEJA
- Han Swinkels, Lecturer HAS Den Bosch

17:50 **Closing remarks**
by Philippe Chemineau

18:00 **Closure**