



U.S. Animal Agriculture's Future Role in World Food Production — Obstacles & Opportunities

April 3-6, 2017

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Small Ruminant Committee

Tuesday, April 4, 2017

10:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

As of February 17, 2017

****Columbus will be on Eastern Time. All times listed are ET.****

- 10:00 a.m. – 10:05 a.m. **Welcome & Introductions**
Jim Logan, DVM – Wyoming State Veterinarian, Wyoming Livestock Board, Co-Chair
Mr. Paul Rodgers – Deputy Director, American Sheep Industry Association, Co-Chair
- 10:05 a.m. — 10:40 a.m. **On the Fringe of Food-Animal Production: A Place for Small Ruminants**
Bret Taylor, DVM– Animal Scientists, USDA-ARS
- 10:40 a.m. — 11:10 a.m. **The Wildlife-Livestock Interface and its Impact on the Sheep Industry**
Don Knowles, DVM - Professor & Research Leader Veterinary Microbiology & Pathology Animal Disease Research Unit, USDA-ARS
- 11:10 a.m. — 11:40 a.m. **Panel Discussion on Small Ruminant**
Jim Logan, DVM – Wyoming State Veterinarian, Wyoming Livestock Board
Don Knowles, DVM - Professor & Research Leader Veterinary Microbiology & Pathology Animal Disease Research Unit, USDA-ARS
Bret Taylor, DVM– Animal Scientists, USDA-ARS
- 11:40 a.m. — 12:00 p.m. **Questions & Answers**
- 12:00 p.m. — 12:30 p.m. **Small Ruminant Committee Business Meeting**

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