



IFAH-Europe annual conference

Animal health: helping to feed a growing population

Renaissance Brussels Hotel, 10th June 2010

Draft programme

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There will be cocktails and a dinner for conference participants at the Renaissance Hotel on 9th June 2009 (from 7.00PM on).

Timing	What
09:55	<p>Opening Jochen Wieda, IFAH-Europe Chairman (5')</p>
10:00	<p>Session I: The animal protein challenge in the 21st century and the role of animal health Chair: Declan O' Brien, IFAH-Europe Managing Director</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • George Alagiah, BBC journalist (20') • Jeff Simmons, CEO Elanco (20') • Q/A (20') <p>Moderator: Hans Martens, EPC</p>
11:00	<p>Session II: Closing the gap between production and demand Chair: Representative from the Spanish Government</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lack of food security in developing regions Baptiste Dingu, GALVmed (20') • International cooperation in animal health - supporting food production Bernard Vallat, OIE (20') • Q/A (20')
12:00-13:30	Lunch

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13.30	<p>Session III: Social and economic impact of animal diseases Chair: Dieter Schillinger, IFAH-Europe Food Chain Committee</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improvement of farm management and economy as well as food safety through animal health Frans van Knapen, Universiteit Utrecht (20') • Trade and animal health products Knud Buhl, Danish slaughterhouses (20') • Q/A (20')
14:30	<p>Panel discussion: The food security challenge in the 21st century: How can we reconcile sustainability and competitiveness? Moderator: Hans Martens, European Policy Centre</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jim Scudamore, ETPGAH (5') • Jeff Simmons, CEO Elanco (5') • Pekka Pesonen, COPA-COGECA (5') • Paola Testori-Coggi, DG SANCO (5') • Samuel Jutzi, FAO (5') • George Alagiah, BBC journalist (5') • Q/A (30')
15:45	<p>Closing session</p> <p>Conclusions by Declan O'Brien, IFAH-Europe Managing Director Closing words by Jochen Wieda, IFAH-Europe Chairman</p>
16.00-17.30	<p>Reception</p>