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## 60<sup>th</sup> Annual meeting of EAAP (24-27 August 2009, Barcelona, Spain) – Provisional Scientific Programme

Monday 24		Tuesday 25	
a.m. (8.30 – 12.30)	p.m. (14.00 – 18.00)	a.m. (8.30 - 12.30)	p.m. (14.00 – 18.00)
S1 Local breeds: what future? 1. Selection Chair: H. Simianer (DE)	S9 Local breeds: what future? 2. Farming systems and products Chair: I. Casasús (ES)	Plenary session  Leroy Fellowship Award Lecture  Session on "Biodiversity and sustainable Animal Production Systems: economic, environmental and social aspects" (GS-Rome)	S18 Practical implementation of marker-assisted selection in pig and poultry breeding Chair: P. Knap (DE)
S2 Symposium on Protein metabolism and N excretion in dairy cattle Chair: A. van Vuuren (NL) / C. Thomas (UK)	S10 EAAP-ASAS-ADSA Growth and Development Symposium: Methods and animal models used to study physiological aspects of postnatal growth and development in farm animals Chair: M. Vestergaard (DK)		S19 Genetic evaluation of defects and longevity in horses Chair: S. Janssens (BE)
S3 The impact of competition between food, feed and fuel on livestock industry Chair: A. Van der Zijpp (NL)	S11 Future of non-production traits for breeding and management of beef and dairy husbandry Chair: M. Coffey (UK)		S20 Are organic farming systems sustainable? Chair. J. Hermansen (DK)
S4 Impact of global market on cattle breeding programs and practices (Cattle Commission and Interbull joint session) Chair: J. Juga (FI) / G. Thaller (DE)	S12 Indicators and analysis of risk factors in livestock welfare Chair: N. Bareille (FR)		S21 What contributes to low still birth and succesfull herd replacement in cattle? Chair: F. Hocquette (FR)
S5 Nutrition and product quality Chair: J. Aguilera (ES)	Practical strategies and tools for the genetic management of farm animal populations Chair: M. A. Toro (ES)		Promising applications of Nutrigenomics in animal science Chair: A. J. Connolly (IE)
S6 Emerging zoonotic diseases Chair: C. Fourichon (FR)	S14 Genetics Free communications Chair: G. Schopen (NL)		S23 Animal transportation (welfare, handling, risk assessment, economics) Chair: G. Giovagnoli (IT)
S7 Dog breeding Chair: E. Strandberg (SE)	S15 Dog behaviour Chair: A. Adam Miklósi (HU)		S24 Selection in harsh environments: methods and results Chair: L. Dempfle (DE)
S8 Fair competition between public funded research services and private	S16 FABRE-TP Technology platform in animal breeding: updating of the EC strategic research agenda Chair: A.M. Neeteson (NL)	S17 Writing and presenting scientific papers Chair: B. Malmfors (Practical workshop with limited number of participants. No abstracts are accepted. Please register by mail to eaap2009@uab.es)	

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Wednesday 26		Thursday 27	
a.m. (8.30 - 12.30)	p.m. (14.00 – 18.00)	a.m. (8.30 – 12.30)	p.m. (14.00 – 18.00)
S25 Impact of EU regulations on sheep and goat breeding and production Chair: B. Leboeuf (FR)	S33-S41 Commission future programme and elections meetings (14.00 – 15.00)	S42 Supporting immunocompetence in young pigs Chair: S. Chadd (UK)	S50 Biosecurity and free range systems Chair: S. Bastian (FR)
S26 Physiology and genetics of stress and behaviour Chair: X. Manteca (ES)	Followed by Free communications (15.00 – 18.00)	S43 Symposium on "Advances and use of electronic identification" Chair: J. Robles (ES) / O. K. Hansen (DK) / B. Besbes (FAO) / J. W. Oltjen (USA)	
S27 Methods to assess Livestock Farming Systems dynamics: adaptive strategies to changing	S33 Genetics	S44 The role of livestock farming in rural development Chair: K. Eilers (NL)	S51 Water in pig production including liquid feeding Chair: D. Torrallardona (ES)

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socio-economic environment Chair: S. Ingrand (FR)  S28 Genetics Free Communications Chair: E. Stranberg (SE)	S34 Livestock Farming Systems Chair. V. Matlova (CZ) S35 Management and Health Chair: C. Fourichon (FR) S36 Nutrition Chair: J. E. Lindberg (SE)	S45 Molecular tools for disease resistance Chair: A. Sánchez (ES)	S52 Nutrition Free Communications Chair: J. E. Lindberg (SE)
S29 Reproduction technologies in horses Chair: E. Palmer (FR)		S46 Horse Network. Performance Horses. Open questions and challenges for future research and practice Chair: N. Miraglia (IT) / W. Martin-Rosset (FR)	
S30 Management and processing for high quality forages Chair: L. Bailoni (IT)	S37 Physiology Chair: J. Rátky (HU)	S47 Feed additives to improve diet utilisation Chair: G. van Duinkerken (NL)	S53 Genetics Free Communications Chair: V. Ducroq (FR)
S31 (10:30 – 12:30) Round table "Slow Food and Livestock Production Systems: requirements and preferences"	S38 Cattle production Chair: A. Kuipers (NL) / G. Keane (IE)	S48 Cattle Network 1. Sustainable production in Mediterranean countries Chair: K. Osoro (ES)	S54 Cattle Network 2. Herd dynamics in Mediterranean countries Chair: J. N. Bonnet (FR)
S32 Animal fibre science Chair: C. Renieri (IT)	S39 Horse production Chair: M. J. Fradinho (PT) S40 Pig production Chair: P. Knap (DE) S41 Sheep and Goat production Chair: M. Schneeberger (CH)	S49 S&G organic farming and product marketing Chair: M. Gauly (DE)	Incorporation of ethical considerations in professions in livestock industry Chair: M. Marie (FR)

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