

2026 AF&GA Nutrition Seminar, Westin Hotel, Huntsville, AL

This conference is approved for 8 CEU's by ARPAS

TUESDAY, APRIL 28

1:00 – 5:00 p.m. ONSITE REGISTRATION

5:30 – 7:30 p.m. WELCOME RECEPTION with heavy hors d'oeuvres
Sponsored by Aviagen & Huvepharma



WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29 - MORNING SESSION

TECHNICAL SYMPOSIUM sponsored by BASF

6:30-8:30 a.m. Breakfast sponsored by BASF
(Valencia Ballroom)



8:30 a.m. Feed Enzyme Innovation: Unique Differentiation with BASF's White Biotechnology
Arne Solbak, BASF

9:15 a.m. Avalanche of Soybean Meal: The Good and the Bad
Philip Lobo, Lobo Consulting Solutions, LLC

10:00 a.m. Break sponsored by BASF

10:30 a.m. Harnessing the Unique Actions of Carbohydrases in Monogastric Nutrition
Dr. Amy Petry, University of Missouri

11:15 a.m. Fat Matters: How Body Composition Drives Young Layer Performance
Dr. Jarred Oxford, Cargill Animal Nutrition, USA

12:00 p.m. Lunch sponsored by BASF

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29 - AFTERNOON SESSION

1:15 p.m. Feed Mill Opportunities, Brad Tipton, Pilgrim's

2:00 p.m. Research Update: Considerations for Nutrition and Coccidiosis
Dr. Brett Lumpkins, Southern Poultry Research

2:45 p.m. Break sponsored by _____

3:15 p.m. Optimizing Premix Quality, Homogeneity and Stability
Lauren Finlay, DSM-Firmenich

4:00 p.m. Industry Nutritionist's Perspective – Opportunities and Partnerships
Dr. Rocky Latham, Tyson Foods

4:45 p.m. AFGA Scholarship Recipient Recognition

6:00-9:00 p.m. Dinner/Reception at *Field Day*
Co-sponsored by Selko & SE Minerals Inc.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 30 - MORNING SESSION

6:30-8:15 a.m. Breakfast co-sponsored by Balchem & CJ America
(Valencia Ballroom)



8:15 a.m. The State of the Flock: A Comprehensive Poultry Industry Update & Nutritional Trends, Audrianna Rogers, Agristats

9:00 a.m. A System-Level Approach to Maximizing Broiler Response through Feed Form
Dr. Kelley Wamsley, Mississippi State University

9:45 a.m. Break sponsored by _____

10:15 a.m. Reimagining the Ways We Deliver Nutrients to Broilers and Breeders
Dr. J.T. Pope, House of Raeford

11:00 a.m. What Was – What Is – What Could Be, Dr. Dave Wicker, Fieldale Farms