



# 2019 Livestock Care Conference Agenda

## Wednesday March 20, 2019

8:00 am – 12:00 pm	TLAER Introductory Course- Dr. Rebecca Gimenez
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch (not provided by AFAC)
1:00 pm – 5:00 pm	<b>FCC Meet the Experts Session (By Invite Only)</b>
6:00 pm – 10:00 pm	Reception- AAA Baron of Beef, Beer Tastings & Trivia Night (\$50/ticket)

## Thursday March 21, 2019- Moderated by Dianne Finstad

7:45 am – 8:45 am	AFAC Annual General Meeting
8:00 am – 9:00 am	<b>Registration Open</b>
9:00 am – 9:15 am	Message from Oneil Carlier, Agriculture Minister (unconfirmed)
9:15 am – 9:30 am	Welcome and AFAC update – <i>Annemarie Pedersen</i>
9:30 am – 10:30 am	<b>KEYNOTE:</b> Technical Large Animal Emergency Rescue – <i>Dr. Rebecca Gimenez (Sponsored by the Alberta Veterinary Medical Association)</i>
<b>10:30 am – 11:00 am</b>	<b>MORNING BREAK</b>
11:00 am – 11:30 am	<b>Equine RRSP- Retirement, Rescue, Slaughter and Public Attitudes - <i>Bettina Bobsien</i></b>
11:30 am – 12:15 pm	Growing Pains (AMU/AMR Panel)- <i>Cassandra Kirkpatrick (Small Flock Owner), Adam Ovinge (Beekeeper), Tom Inglis (Poultry Vet), Keith Lehman (Chief Provincial Vet) &amp; more..</i>
<b>12:15 pm – 1:15 pm</b>	<b>LUNCH BREAK &amp; AWARDS OF DISTINCTION PRESENTATION</b>
1:15 pm – 2:00 pm	Regulatory Panel: Sample ALERT Call- <i>Lindsey Anderson- RCMP, Janet Patriquin- Farmers Advocate, Ken Dean- Alberta SPCA &amp; more..</i>
2:00 pm – 2:45 pm	Navigating "tough" conversations in animal welfare- <i>Becky Taylor &amp; Sage Pullen McIntosh (Sponsored by Rural Roots Ag Days &amp; Cole's Ag Communications)</i>
<b>2:45 pm – 3:30 pm</b>	<b>AFTERNOON BREAK &amp; EMERGENCY LIVESTOCK HANDLING EQUIPMENT TRAILER TOUR</b>
3:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Poultry Behaviour- <i>Karen Schwean Lardner (Sponsored by Poultry Health Services)</i>
4:00 pm – 4:30 pm	Feedlot Assessment Tool- <i>Joyce Van Donkersgoed</i>
4:30 pm	Conference Adjournment