

Program

Date: 10.11.22 - 10.12.22

Day One - Tuesday, October 11 Hi Point Steakhouse - Ridgeway, WI

11:00 am	Bus leaves hotel to Hi Point Steakhouse and Event Space Meet in hotel parking lot at by 10:50 am
11:30 - 12:30 pm	Arrival & Lunch Mingle and eat lunch
12:30 - 12:40 pm	Welcome John Quackenbush- CCO, Minitube USA
12:45 - 1:25 pm	3rd party extender testing and sperm tolerance tests performed in accredited lab Anne Luther - Tierärztliche Hochschule, Hannover
1:30 - 2:10 pm	Choice of extender to optimize boar sperm production Rudolf Grossfeld - Minitube Germany
2:15 - 2:55 pm	Lab hygiene during boar semen production Brad Didion - PIC
3:00 - 3:30 pm Break	
3:30 - 4:10 pm	Stress and other risk factors for boar semen quality: new results from applied research in Europe Martin Schulze - Institute of Reproduction of Farm Animals, Germany
4:15 - 4:30pm	Quality control: what should I be monitoring? Amanda Minton- Acuity Genetics
4:35 - 4:55 pm	Feed management for sperm production of the modern boar Kara Stewart- Purdue University
5:00 - 5:20 pm	End volume based antibiotic management- What is the future? Rudolf Grossfeld- Minitube Germany
5:25 - 6:00 pm	Cocktail Hour Hi Point Steakhouse
6:00 pm	Dinner Hi Point Steakhouse
8:00 pm Bus leaves for Verona	



Porcine Tech Days

Day Two - Wednesday, October 12

Minitube USA - Verona, WI

Workshops
Beginning at 7:30 AM

7:00 - 7:20 AM	Arrive at Minitube USA
7:30 - 8:30 AM	Session 1
8:40 - 9:40 AM	Session 2
9:50 - 10:50 AM	Session 3
11:00 - 12:00 AM	Session 4
12:15 - 2:00 PM Lunch, Discussion, & Round Table Talks	

1. AndroVision e-Flow for beginners

How to work the Androvision e-Flow System and demo

2. AndroVison e-Flow Advanced

Helpful tips & tricks for people familiar with the Androvison e-Flow system

3. Lab management and reporting with Prism10

Interactive workshop - limit 8/session. Each participant will work on their own station

4. Water quality and extender preparation

Be consistent in your process for added security- tools and tips

5. Quality assurance in pipetting sperm samples

Useful insights to improve accuracy and efficiencies

6. Semen packaging machines

Handling and troubleshooting of SPS and QT Packer

Additional Information

Workshops will begin at 7:30 am. A registration form will be sent to you, there you will be asked to rank the workshops on interest of attending. Then, upon arrival at Minitube USA, your schedule will be given to you.

Owners & Managers

Optional round table discussions with speakers will be held from 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM for anyone who is not interested in participating in workshops.