



PPILOW

Poultry and Pig Low-input and Organic
production systems' Welfare

PPILOW Final conference
Africa Museum
Leuvensesteenweg 13, 3080 Tervuren (Brussels), Belgium
11-12 June 2024

Day 1 - 11 June 2024	
Time	Sessions
13.45 - 14:00	Registration
14:00 - 14:30	Overview of the PPILOW Project and its multiactor approach
14:30 - 15:30	PPILOW applications for pig and poultry welfare self-assessment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PIGLOW application • EBENE application • Feedback from farmers and technicians
15:30 - 16:00	Coffee break
16:00 - 17:00	How to avoid feather pecking in non-beak-trimmed hens and piglet castration? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Early management and enrichment to limit feather pecking in laying hens • Management and genetics of non-castrated male pigs in low input outdoor and organic systems
17:00 - 18:00	Alternatives to the elimination of layer male chicks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In-ovo sexing tool • Dual-purpose breeds
18:00	End of Day 1

Day 2 - 12 June 2024	
Time	Sessions
09:30 - 10:00	Genetics and range use by organic broilers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adaptability of broiler strains to the free range and agroforestry • Individual variability of range use and genetic strategies
10:00 - 10:30	Early management of broilers including on-farm hatching? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Incubation temperatures for improving the resilience of slow-growing broilers • On-farm hatching in organic and low input outdoor farms
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee break
11:00 - 11:40	Plants for better health of pigs and laying hens
11:40 - 12:10	Sow and piglet welfare in low-input outdoor and organic farms
12:10 - 13:30	Lunch break
13:30 - 14:10	How does PPILOW connect with the other European initiatives? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation of other EU-funded projects on Animal Health and Welfare • Current and future synergies of PPILOW with European projects
14:10 - 14:50	Consumers and practitioner views and lessons from the workshop on PPILOW business models
14:50 - 15:50	Round table with stakeholders on PPILOW impacts in the context of European legislation on Animal Welfare, organic farming and labelling initiatives
15:50 - 16:00	End of the conference