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ON GENETICS
APPLIED TO
LIVESTOCK PRODUCTION

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**Statistics – as of 5th
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A O T E A C E N T R E , A U C K L A N D , N E W Z E A L A N D

WCGALP Papers

Type	No.
Plenary	4
Review/Pioneering	34
Theatre	355
Electronic Poster	480
Total	873

Area	No.
Species	313
Biology	169
Genetic gain	97
Methods and Tools	96
Molecular Genetics	66
Theory to Application	55
Technologies	33
Challenges	31
Knowledge	9
Plenary	4
Total	873

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ICAR Papers

Session Name	No.
Challenges and opportunities with udder health monitoring	5
Data - Data Standards and Data Exchange Protocols	6
Global Initiatives	18
ICAR global guidelines	5
Interbull Open 1: Availability and use of genetic and genomic information in dairy and beef herd management.	6
Interbull Open 2: R&D in (inter)national evaluations: Calving traits and fertility in dairy and beef cattle.	6
Interbull Open 3: R&D in (inter)national evaluations: Implementation of new traits in dairy and beef cattle.	8
Interbull Open 4: Free Communication	6
Interbull Open 5: Addressing the challenges of genomic selection in international genetic and genomic evaluations in dairy and beef cattle.	8
Services - Identification, Meat and Reproduction Recording in Sheep and Goat	11
Services - Implications of recent developments for Breed Associations	8
Services - Recording device testing	4
Services - Servicing Laboratories: Quality Assurance Tools	5
Technologies - Milk testing inc. spectral analysis	11
Technologies - sensor devices	7
Grand Total	114

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Registrations

Delegates	No.
ICAR / Interbull	372
WCGALP	1,147
Sponsors / Exhibitors	119
Other	41

Registration Type	No.
Accompanying Person	31
Exhibitor	34
ICAR/Interbull and 2 days WCGALP	57
ICAR/Interbull and all WCGALP	199
ICAR/Interbull Only	116
Sponsor	85
Student Help	10
WCGALP only	560
WCGALP Scholarship	69
WCGALP Young Scientist	262
Total	1423

Registrations from 72 countries

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Region	No.
Europe	550
Oceania	310
North America	250
Latin America	95
Asia	81
Africa	75
Other/Unknown	24
Middle East	11

Country	No.
United States	188
New Zealand	160
Australia	149
Netherlands	80
France	73
Canada	62
United Kingdom	62
Germany	56
Brazil	48
Denmark	47
South Africa	36
Norway	32
Italy	26
Japan	25
Spain	23
Sweden	21
Poland	21
Ireland	18
China	16

Mexico	16
South Korea	16
Finland	13
Belgium	11
Kenya	11
Switzerland	11
Czech Republic	10
Uruguay	10
Lithuania	9
Nigeria	9
Chile	8
Austria	7
India	7
Argentina	6
Slovakia	6
Egypt	5
Ethiopia	5
Latvia	5
Taiwan	5

Iceland	4
Pakistan	4
Slovenia	4
Thailand	4
Hungary	3
Iran	3
Peru	3
Portugal	3
Bangladesh	2
Brasil	2
Bulgaria	2
Estonia	2
Israel	2
Libya	2
Tanzania	2
Turkey	2
Ukraine	2
Zimbabwe	2
Algeria	1
Cameroon	1
Colombia	1
Croatia	1
Georgia	1
Indonesia	1
Iraq	1
Mauritania	1
New Caledonia	1
Other	1
Saudi Arabia	1
Sri Lanka	1
Tunisia	1
Uganda	1
Zambia	1

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Other

Social Events	No.
ICAR and Interbull Dinner (Sat. 10 th)	256
Welcome Reception (Sun. 11 th)	1,090
Wine and Cheese (Mon. 12 th)	1,080
Hendrix Speed Dating (Tue. 13 th)	154
Food Evolution (Tue. 13 th)	21
WCGALP BBQ (Fri. 16 th)	1,019

Field Trips (Wed. 14 th)	No.
Alexander Farm (Sheep & Hobbiton)	65
Angus Event	100
Aquaculture (Waiheke Island)	36
Dairy	219
Dairy Sheep	34
Deer and Sheep	54
Equine	34
Limestone Downs (Beef)	102
Kiwi Fruit and Aquaculture	20
Tree Selection and Breeding	32
Total	696

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Finances

Registrations Income	\$NZ
ICAR, Interbull and 2 days WCGALP	74,370
ICAR, Interbull and full WCGALP	301,350
ICAR, Interbull only	79,850
Other	9,375
Scholarship	10,900
WCGALP only	634,400
WCGALP young scientist	232,750
Total	1,342,995

**Sponsor and Exhibitor
Income**

\$NZ 506,012

Scholarships Granted

\$NZ 47,300