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### **Undergraduate Paper Competition**

### **Graduate Student Awards Competition**

# PROGRAM EVENTS

## Friday, February 4

Academic Quadrathlon (AQ)

9:00 pm: Advisor's Meeting Fayetteville, AR

## Saturday, February 5

AQ Lab Practicum

8:00 am - Noon Fayetteville, AR

AQ Written Exam

1:00 - 5:00 pm Fayetteville, AR

## Sunday, February 6

AQ Quiz Bowl

8:00 am - noon Caraway I,  
Caraway II

AQ Oral Presentations

8:00 am - noon Caddo, Caraway III,  
Osage, Quapaw,  
Toltec

Registration

1:00 - 5:00 pm Rotunda

AQ Quiz Bowl Championship & Awards Program

2:00 - 3:30 pm Caraway I

ARPAS Exam

3:00 - 5:00 pm Peck

Information Exchange Groups:

IEG-72 Enhancing Reproduction in Cattle - Randy  
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1:00 - 4:00 pm Neosho

IEG-75 Strategies for Southern Forages - Gary Hill,  
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1:00 - 4:00 pm Izard

IEG - Small Ruminant Production - Joan Burke,  
President

1:00 - 4:00 pm Harris

SAAS Opening Symposium

4:00 - 6:00 pm Conway

ASAS Southern Section Advisory Committee/Executive  
Committee  
6:00 - 8:00 pm Miller

**Monday, February 7**

Registration  
7:00 am - Noon Rotunda

ARPAS Exams  
10:00 - noon Peck

Undergraduate Student Competition  
8:00 - 10:00 am Statehouse  
Ballroom B

Graduate Student Paper Competition  
10:15 am - Noon Statehouse  
Ballroom B

Registration  
1:00 - 5:00 pm Rotunda

ARPAS Exams  
2:00 - 4:00 pm Peck

Breeding and Genetics  
1:00 - 3:00 pm Lafayette

Pastures and Forages I and II  
1:00 - 4:00 pm Statehouse  
Ballroom A

Physiology  
1:00 - 4:30 pm Caraway II

Small Ruminant Production I and II  
1:00 - 4:15 p.m. Statehouse  
Ballroom B

Business Meeting  
5:00 - 7:00 pm Statehouse  
Ballroom A

**Tuesday, February 8**

Registration  
8:00 - noon Rotunda

Extension I and II  
8:15 am - 12:15 pm                      Statehouse  
Ballroom B

Meat Science  
8:00 - 9:45 am                              Neosho

Tropically Adapted Breeds - Regional Project  
S1013-S277 I and II  
8:00 - noon                                  Caraway I

Ruminant Animal Production  
9:00 - noon                                  Ouachita

Extension Luncheon  
12:30 - 2:30 pm                              Fulton

Tropically Adapted Breeds - Regional Project  
S1013-S277 III and IV  
1:00 - 5:00 pm                                Caraway I

Small Ruminant Production III and IV  
1:00 - 5:00 pm                                Statehouse  
Ballroom B

# ASAS Southern Section Meeting Little Rock, Arkansas February 4-8, 2005

**Monday, February 7, 2005**

**Undergraduate Student Competition**

**Room: Statehouse Ballroom B**

**Monday 8:00–10:00**

**Chair: Juan Marcos Fernandez, Louisiana State  
University, Baton Rouge, LA**

**Abstract Time**

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|---|------|---|
| 1 | 8:00 | Increased meat goat production through anestrous doe management. L. L. Schneider* <sup>1</sup> and R. L. Stanko <sup>1,2</sup> , <sup>1</sup> Texas A&M University-Kingsville, <sup>2</sup> Texas A&M University Agricultural Research Station.   |
| 2 | 8:15 | Validation of spectrophotometric methods for determining sperm concentration in ram and bull semen. E. L. Chamberlain* <sup>1</sup> and R. W. Godfrey <sup>2</sup> , <sup>1</sup> Department of Animal Sciences, Louisiana State University, <sup>2</sup> Agricultural Experiment Station, University of the Virgin Islands.  |
| 3 | 8:30 | Castration and concentrate feeding influence performance and carcass characteristics of meat goats. S. R. Johnson*, M. H. Poore, A. D. Shaeffer, S. R. Freeman, H. M. Glennon, and J.-M. Luginbuhl, North Carolina State University.  |
| 4 | 8:45 | Improving voluntary feed intake by the sow during lactation. C. W. O’Gorman* <sup>1</sup> , J. Miller <sup>1</sup> , J. W. Rounsavall <sup>1</sup> , F. Neher <sup>2</sup> , and J. C. Laurenz <sup>1</sup> , <sup>1</sup> Texas A&M University-Kingsville, <sup>2</sup> Biomin, Inc.   |
| 5 | 9:00 | Level and source of supplemental selenium in beef calves. R. S. Fry* <sup>1</sup> , E. B. Kegley <sup>1</sup> , M. E. Davis <sup>1</sup> , M. D. Ratcliff <sup>1</sup> , D. L. Galloway <sup>1</sup> , and R. A. Dvorak <sup>2</sup> , <sup>1</sup> University of Arkansas, Division of Agriculture, <sup>2</sup> Alltech.  |
| 6 | 9:15 | Dehydroepiandrosterone-sulfate (DHEAS) enhances immunization response to keyhole limpet hemocyanin (KLH) and ovalbumin (OVA). J. Dominguez* <sup>1</sup> , N. Burdick <sup>1</sup> , T. H. Welsh, Jr. <sup>2</sup> , and J. C. Laurenz <sup>1</sup> , <sup>1</sup> Texas A&M University-Kingsville, <sup>2</sup> Texas Agricultural Experiment Station-College Station. |
| 7 | 9:30 | Effects of dexamethasone, and selenium and vitamin E on steers consuming tall fescue baleage. C. Garner*, M. Nihsen, Z. Johnson, D. Kreider, and C. Rosenkrans, Jr., Department of Animal Science, University of Arkansas.  |

- 8            9:45      The effect of fatty acids on the insulin response of L6 myoblasts. N. C. Burdick\* and J. C. Laurenz, Texas A&M University-Kingsville.
- 10:00      Break

**Graduate Student Competition**  
**Room: Statehouse Ballroom B**  
**Monday 10:15–noon**  
**Chair: Chance Brooks, Texas Tech University,**  
**Lubbock, TX**

**Abstract Time**

- 9            10:15      Supplementation with dietary fat compared to ryegrass grazing on carcass traits and reproductive efficiency in yearling beef heifers. A. R. Dos Santos\*<sup>1,2</sup>, S. T. Willard<sup>1</sup>, and R. C. Vann<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Department of Animal and Dairy Sciences, Mississippi State, MS, <sup>2</sup>Brown Loam Experiment Station.
- 10           10:30      Effects of sericea lespedeza hay on goats infected with *Haemonchus contortus*. S. A. Shaik\*<sup>1</sup>, T. H. Terrill<sup>1</sup>, B. Kouakou<sup>1</sup>, G. Kannan<sup>1</sup>, J. E. Miller<sup>2</sup>, R. M. Kaplan<sup>3</sup>, J. M. Burke<sup>4</sup>, and J. A. Mosjidis<sup>5</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Fort Valley State University, <sup>2</sup>Louisiana State University, <sup>3</sup>The University of Georgia, <sup>4</sup>USDA, ARS-DBSFRC, <sup>5</sup>Auburn University.
- 11           10:45      Efficacy of copper oxide wire particles against gastrointestinal nematodes of goats. R. K. Kallu\*<sup>1</sup>, T. H. Terrill<sup>1</sup>, and J. E. Miller<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Fort Valley State University, <sup>2</sup>Louisiana State University.
- 12           11:00      Effects of feeding *ascophyllum nodosum* supplementation in finishing cattle diets to improve overall quality grades. M. Anderson\*<sup>1</sup>, J. W. Johnson<sup>1</sup>, S. Kim<sup>1</sup>, M. Miller<sup>1</sup>, J. C. Brooks<sup>1</sup>, J. Gleghorn<sup>2</sup>, D. Woerner<sup>1</sup>, Z. Vineyard<sup>1</sup>, J. Byrd<sup>1</sup>, W. Palmore<sup>1</sup>, M. Jaks<sup>1</sup>, M. Teague<sup>1</sup>, and J. Blanton Jr.<sup>1</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Texas Tech University, <sup>2</sup>Nutrition Service Associates.
- 13           11:15      No-till compared to reduced-till and conventional tillage systems for small-grain forages. M. Bowman\*, P. Beck, K. Lusby, S. Gunter, and D. Hubbell, University of Arkansas.
- 14           11:30      Mutations in the NADH complex 1 gene sequence of tissues from Holstein bulls and their dams. C. Stanley\*, J. Chandler, A. Canal, C. Williams, A. Anderson, and D. Blouin, LSU Agricultural Center.
- 15           11:45      Dexamethasone (DEX) and Insulin-like growth factor-1 (IGF-1) effects on pig macrophage nitric oxide production *in vitro*. L. A. Soliz\*<sup>1</sup>, T. H. Welsh, Jr.<sup>2</sup>, and J. C. Laurenz<sup>1</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Texas A&M University-Kingsville, <sup>2</sup>Texas Agricultural Experiment Station-College Station.

**Breeding and Genetics**  
**Room: Lafayette**  
**Monday 1:00–3:00**  
**Chair: S. M. DeRouen, Hill Farm Research**  
**Station, Louisiana State University AgCenter**

| Abstract | Time |   |
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| 16       | 1:00 | Different measures of energetic efficiency, ultrasound and carcass merit and their relationships with mitochondrial activity in Angus cattle. B. A. Sandelin* <sup>1</sup> , A. H. Brown, Jr. <sup>1</sup> , C. Ojano-Dirain <sup>1</sup> , M. Iqbal <sup>1</sup> , W. G. Bottje <sup>1</sup> , M. A. Brown <sup>2</sup> , W. O. Herring <sup>3</sup> , M. Akin <sup>4</sup> , Z. B. Johnson <sup>1</sup> , and R. T. Baublits <sup>1</sup> , <sup>1</sup> University of Arkansas, <sup>2</sup> USDA-ARS Grazinglands Research Laboratory, <sup>3</sup> Smithfield Premium Genetics Group, <sup>4</sup> Circle A Angus Ranch. |
| 17       | 1:15 | Success at first insemination in Australian Angus cattle: analysis of uncertain binary responses. M. Spangler*, R. Sapp, R. Rekaya, and J. Bertrand, University of Georgia.   |
| 18       | 1:30 | Simulation of first insemination success in beef cattle: Analysis of uncertain binary responses using fuzzy logic classification. R. L. Sapp*, M. L. Spangler, R. Rekaya, and J. K. Bertrand, The University of Georgia.  |
| 19       | 1:45 | Effects of climatic and phototrophic conditions prior to feeding on feed intake of beef bulls during post-weaning feedlot performance tests. G. T. Tabler* <sup>1</sup> , A. H. Brown, Jr. <sup>1</sup> , E. E. Gbur <sup>2</sup> , I. L. Berry <sup>3</sup> , Z. B. Johnson <sup>1</sup> , D. W. Kellogg <sup>1</sup> , and K. C. Thompson <sup>2</sup> , <sup>1</sup> University of Arkansas Department of Animal Science, <sup>2</sup> University of Arkansas Agricultural Statistics Lab, <sup>3</sup> University of Arkansas Department of Biological and Agricultural Engineering.                                      |
| 20       | 2:00 | Effects of climate and photoperiod on feed intake of beef bulls during feedlot performance tests. G. T. Tabler* <sup>1</sup> , A. H. Brown, Jr. <sup>1</sup> , E. E. Gbur <sup>2</sup> , I. L. Berry <sup>3</sup> , Z. B. Johnson <sup>1</sup> , K. C. Thompson <sup>2</sup> , and D. W. Kellogg <sup>1</sup> , <sup>1</sup> University of Arkansas Department of Animal Science, <sup>2</sup> University of Arkansas Agricultural Statistics Lab, <sup>3</sup> University of Arkansas Department of Biological and Agricultural Engineering.   |
| 21       | 2:15 | Relationships between performance test traits and age at first farrowing in four breeds of swine. Z. Johnson* <sup>1</sup> , J. Chewing <sup>1</sup> , and R. Nugent, III <sup>2</sup> , <sup>1</sup> University of Arkansas, <sup>2</sup> The Pork Group, Tyson Foods, Inc.  |
| 22       | 2:30 | Estimation of (co) variance components due to genetic competition effects in pigs. J. P. Cassady* <sup>1</sup> and L. D. Van Vleck <sup>2</sup> , <sup>1</sup> North Carolina State University, <sup>2</sup> USDA-ARS, Roman L. Hruska U.S. Meat Animal Research Center.  |
| 23       | 2:45 | A study of parasite challenge in goats. J. M. Dzakuma* <sup>1</sup> , L. C. Nuti <sup>1</sup> , B. M. Johnson <sup>1</sup> , N. C. Beckford <sup>1</sup> , S. E. Kom <sup>1</sup> , P. L. Diamond <sup>2</sup> , and T. M. Craig <sup>2</sup> , <sup>1</sup> Prairie View A&M University, <sup>2</sup> Texas A&M University.  |

**Pastures and Forages I**  
**Room: Statehouse Ballroom A**  
**Monday 1:00–2:30**  
**Chair: Stacey Gunter, University of Arkansas,**  
**Hope, AR**

| Abstract | Time |   |
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| 24       | 1:00 | Evaluation of two digestibility markers for cattle consuming wheat pasture or alfalfa hay based diets. L. Appeddu* <sup>1</sup> , K. Sweeney <sup>1</sup> , J. Su <sup>1</sup> , K. Mediano <sup>1</sup> , and M. Brown <sup>2</sup> , <sup>1</sup> Southwestern Oklahoma State University, <sup>2</sup> USDA-ARS Grazinglands Research Laboratory. |
| 25       | 1:15 | Remote sensing of crude protein in bermudagrass pastures during the summer grazing season. P. J. Starks* <sup>1</sup> , W. A. Phillips <sup>1</sup> , and S. W. Coleman <sup>2</sup> , <sup>1</sup> USDA-ARS Grazinglands Res. Lab, <sup>2</sup> USDA-ARS Subtropical Ag. Res. Sta.   |
| 26       | 1:30 | Influence of crude protein concentration in bermudagrass hay on organic matter digestibility. M. S. Gadberry*, T. R. Troxel, J. A. Jennings, and G. V. Davis, University of Arkansas, Cooperative Extension Service.  |
| 27       | 1:45 | <i>In situ</i> degradation of native legumes and alfalfa in goats and cattle. J. Foster* <sup>1</sup> , J. Muir <sup>1</sup> , B. Lambert <sup>1,2</sup> , and D. Pawelek <sup>1</sup> , <sup>1</sup> Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, <sup>2</sup> Department of Animal Sciences, Tarleton State University.                                 |
| 28       | 2:00 | Nutritional quality evaluation of forage from bahiagrass selections. R. Myer* <sup>1</sup> , S. Coleman <sup>2</sup> , J. Carter <sup>1</sup> , A. Blount <sup>1</sup> , and R. Littell <sup>1</sup> , <sup>1</sup> University of Florida, <sup>2</sup> USDA-ARS, STARS.  |
| 29       | 2:15 | Aerobic stability of wheat and orchardgrass balage during winter months. R. Rhein, W. Coblentz*, J. Turner, C. Rosenkrans, R. Ogden, and D. Kellogg, University of Arkansas Division of Agriculture.  |
|          | 2:30 | Break   |

**Pastures and Forages II**  
**Room: Statehouse Ballroom A**  
**Monday 2:45–4:00**  
**Chair: Warren Gill, University of Tennessee,**  
**Nashville, TN**

| Abstract | Time |  |
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| 30       | 2:45 | Interseeding small grains and(or) annual ryegrass into bermudagrass sod for growing cattle. P. A. Beck*, S. A. Gunter, C. B. Stewart, and J. M. Phillips, University of Arkansas, SW Research & Extension Center.  |
| 31       | 3:00 | Timing of herbage allocation 1. Effect on beef heifers daily grazing pattern. P. Gregorini* <sup>1,2</sup> , M. Eirin <sup>1</sup> , R. Refi <sup>1</sup> , M. Ursino <sup>1</sup> , and O. Ansin <sup>1</sup> , <sup>1</sup> FCAyF, Universidad Nacional de La Plata, <sup>2</sup> Animal Science Department, University of Arkansas. |

- 32 3:15 Timing of herbage allocation 2. Effect on beef heifers weight gain, body condition score and daily herbage intake. P. Gregorini\*<sup>1,2</sup>, M. Eirin<sup>1</sup>, R. Refi<sup>1</sup>, M. Ursino<sup>1</sup>, and O. Ansin<sup>1</sup>, <sup>1</sup>FCAYF, Universidad Nacional de La Plata, <sup>2</sup>Animal Science Department, University of Arkansas.
- 33 3:30 Effect of weaning date and pasture rotation frequency on weaning and post-weaning growth performance by fall-born calves grazing tall fescue pastures. K. Coffey\*<sup>1</sup>, W. Coblenz<sup>1</sup>, R. Ogden<sup>1</sup>, T. Smith<sup>1</sup>, D. Scarbrough<sup>1</sup>, D. Hubbell, III<sup>1</sup>, C. Rosenkrans<sup>1</sup>, and J. Jennings<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>University of Arkansas, <sup>2</sup>Cooperative Extension Service.
- 34 3:45 Incidence of fecal shedding of *E. coli* O157:H7 and *Salmonella* in stocker steers grazing different forages. M. L. Looper\*<sup>1</sup>, T. S. Edrington<sup>2</sup>, R. Flores<sup>3</sup>, C. F. Rosenkrans, Jr.<sup>3</sup>, M. E. Nihsen<sup>3</sup>, and G. E. Aiken<sup>4</sup>, <sup>1</sup>USDA-ARS, Dale Bumpers Small Farms Research Center, <sup>2</sup>USDA-ARS, Feed and Food Safety Lab, <sup>3</sup>University of Arkansas, <sup>4</sup>USDA-ARS, Forage Animal Production Research Unit.

## Physiology

**Room: Caraway II**

**Monday 1:00–4:30**

**Chair: M.J. Estienne, Virginia Tech,  
Blacksburg, VA**

### Abstract Time

- 35 1:00 Hormonal profiles in pregnant ewes following intra-uterine inoculation with *Escherichia coli*. K. Moulton\*<sup>1</sup>, S. Willard<sup>1</sup>, P. Ryan<sup>1</sup>, A. Chromiak<sup>1</sup>, D. Tucker<sup>1</sup>, C. Klauser<sup>2</sup>, S. Rodts-Palenik<sup>2</sup>, C. Rose<sup>2</sup>, J. Morrison<sup>2</sup>, and W. Bennett<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Department of Animal and Dairy Science, <sup>2</sup>Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of Mississippi Medical Center.
- 36 1:15 Use of digital infrared thermal imaging to evaluate the effect of scrotal color on scrotal surface temperatures of hair sheep rams in the tropics. S. Augustin\*, R. W. Godfrey, R. E. Dodson, and A. J. Weis, Agricultural Experiment Station, University of the Virgin Islands.
- 37 1:30 Effect of pyruvate and lactate on motility of cold stored stallion spermatozoa. G. Webb\* and C. Dekat, Southwest Missouri State University.
- 38 1:45 Motility characteristics of boar spermatozoa during long-term storage in different extenders. M. Estienne\*<sup>1</sup>, J. Day<sup>2</sup>, and A. Harper<sup>1</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, <sup>2</sup>Auburn University.
- 39 2:00 The acute-phase response of cloned pigs following an immune challenge. J. Carroll\*<sup>1</sup>, B. Carter<sup>2</sup>, S. Korte<sup>3</sup>, S. Dowd<sup>1</sup>, and R. Prather<sup>4</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Livestock Issues Research Unit, ARS-USDA, Lubbock, Texas, <sup>2</sup>College of Veterinary Medicine, Kansas State University, Manhattan, <sup>3</sup>Department of

- Veterinary Pathobiology, University of Missouri, Columbia, <sup>4</sup>Department of Animal Science, University of Missouri, Columbia.
- 40 2:15 Cortisol concentrations in gilts housed individually in stalls or in groups in pens during the first 30 d post-mating. M. Estienne\*, A. Harper, and J. Knight, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.
- 2:30 Break
- 41 2:45 Effects of GnRH in combination with PGF<sub>2α</sub> on ovarian function in post-pubertal Holstein heifers. R. Harper<sup>1</sup>, W. Bennett<sup>2</sup>, E. Cuadra\*<sup>1</sup>, C. Vaughn<sup>1</sup>, and N. Whitworth<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Alcorn State University, <sup>2</sup>University Medical Center.
- 42 3:00 Utilization of progesterone releasing devices on improving reproductive performance of 'at-risk' beef cows. R. C. Vann\*<sup>1</sup> and T. Engelken<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>MAFES-Brown Loam Experiment Station, <sup>2</sup>CVM-Mississippi State University.
- 43 3:15 Effects of intra-vaginal progesterone releasing devices on the survival of embryos transferred to recipient suckling multiparous beef cows. E. J. Cuadra<sup>1</sup>, R. C. Vann\*<sup>2</sup>, W. A. Bennett<sup>3</sup>, R. Johnson<sup>1</sup>, S. T. Willard<sup>4</sup>, and T. Kiser<sup>4</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Alcorn State University, <sup>2</sup>Brown Loam Experiment Station, <sup>3</sup>University of Mississippi Medical Center, <sup>4</sup>Dept of Animal & Dairy Science, Mississippi State University.
- 44 3:30 Effects of supplemental progesterone in a timed insemination protocol in beef heifers. N. Post\*, D. Kreider, R. Rorie, and T. Lester, University of Arkansas.
- 45 3:45 Effect of melengestrol acetate (MGA) and monensin supplementation on puberty and pregnancy rates in crossbred beef heifers. J. L. Roberts<sup>1</sup>, R. P. DelVecchio<sup>1</sup>, G. T. Gentry, Jr.\*<sup>1,2</sup>, D. Sanders<sup>2</sup>, P. E. Humes<sup>1</sup>, and R. A. Godke<sup>1</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Department of Animal Sciences, LSU Agricultural Center, <sup>2</sup>Idlewild Research Station.
- 46 4:00 Growth traits and reproductive parameters of Holstein and Gir (*Bos indicus*) x Holstein bulls and heifers. A. Denson\*<sup>1</sup>, S. Schmidt<sup>1</sup>, S. Bowers<sup>1</sup>, T. Dickerson<sup>1</sup>, K. Graves<sup>1</sup>, R. Vann<sup>2</sup>, and S. Willard<sup>1</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Department of Animal and Dairy Sciences, Mississippi State University, <sup>2</sup>Brown Loam Branch Experiment Station.
- 47 4:15 Puberty in beef heifers fed high or low starch diets. R. P. Wettemann\*, N. H. Ciccioli, S. L. Charles-Edwards, H. T. Purvis, K. S. Lusby, G. W. Horn, and D. L. Lalman, Oklahoma Agricultural Experiment Station.

**Small Ruminant Production I  
Reproduction**

**Room: Statehouse Ballroom B**

**Monday 1:00–2:30**

**Chair: Joan Burke, USDA, Agricultural Research  
Service, Booneville, AR**

| Abstract | Time |  |
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| 48       | 1:00 | The effect of hCG on circulating progesterone in goats at the end of the breeding season. A. Landry*, H. DiMaggio, W. Burnside, L. Sarradet, J. Saenz, D. Landry*, L. Gentry, K. Bondioli, and R. Godke, Department of Animal Sciences, Louisiana State University Agricultural Center.      |
| 49       | 1:15 | Hair sheep performance in an accelerated lambing and extensive management system in the tropics: A ten year summary. R. W. Godfrey*, J. R. Collins, E. L. Hensley, H. A. Buroker, J. K. Bultman, and A. J. Weis, Agricultural Experiment Station, University of the Virgin Islands.          |
| 50       | 1:30 | Use of melengestrol acetate (MGA) feeding to synchronize mating in hair sheep and meat goats during seasonal breeding. S. Wildeus* <sup>1</sup> , D. H. Keisler <sup>2</sup> , and J. R. Collins <sup>1</sup> , <sup>1</sup> Virginia State University, <sup>2</sup> University of Missouri. |
| 51       | 1:45 | Effects of oocyte transport methods on maturation rate in sheep. B. Sayre*, Virginia State University.   |
| 52       | 2:00 | Application of a bovine electronic estrus mount detection system for use in goats and hair sheep. S. Wildeus* and J. R. Collins, Virginia State University.  |
| 53       | 2:15 | Initial assessment of three meat goat breeds for preweaning doe-kid performance. R. Browning, Jr.*, S. Kebe, T. Payton, B. Donnelly, P. Pandya, and M. Byars, IAgER - Tennessee State University.  |
|          | 2:30 | Break  |

**Small Ruminant Production II  
Parasite Control**

**Room: Statehouse Ballroom B**

**Monday 2:45–4:15**

**Chair: Steve Hart, Langston University,  
Langston, OK**

| Abstract | Time |   |
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| 54       | 2:45 | Effect of breed, rearing management, and supplement type on gastrointestinal parasitism in hair sheep lambs. S. Wildeus* <sup>1</sup> , J. E. Miller <sup>2</sup> , and J. R. Collins <sup>1</sup> , <sup>1</sup> Virginia State University, <sup>2</sup> Louisiana State University. |
| 55       | 3:00 | The use of copper oxide wire particles (COWP) in pregnant ewes. J. Burke* <sup>1</sup> and J. Miller <sup>2</sup> , <sup>1</sup> USDA, Agricultural Research Service, <sup>2</sup> School of Veterinary Medicine, Louisiana State University.   |

- 56 3:15 Interaction between copper oxide wire particles (COWP) and *Duddingtonia flagrans* in hair breed lambs. J. Burke\*<sup>1</sup>, J. Miller<sup>2</sup>, M. Larsen<sup>3</sup>, and T. Terrill<sup>4</sup>, <sup>1</sup>USDA, Agricultural Research Service, <sup>2</sup>School of Veterinary Medicine, Louisiana State University, <sup>3</sup>The Royal Veterinary and Agricultural University, <sup>4</sup>Agricultural Research Station, Fort Valley State University.
- 3:30 Break
- 57 3:45 Effect of 0.5, 1.0 and 1.5 gram copper oxide wire particles on natural infection in lambs. J. Miller<sup>1</sup>, J. Burke<sup>2</sup>, and T. Terrill\*<sup>3</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Louisiana State University, <sup>2</sup>USDA ARS Booneville, <sup>3</sup>Fort Valley State University.
- 58 4:00 Effect of the condensed tannin containing forage, sericea lespedeza, fed as hay, on natural and experimental challenge infection in lambs. K. Lange<sup>1</sup>, D. Olcott<sup>1</sup>, J. Miller\*<sup>1</sup>, J. Mosjidis<sup>2</sup>, T. Terrill<sup>3</sup>, and J. Burke<sup>4</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Louisiana State University, <sup>2</sup>Auburn University, <sup>3</sup>Fort Valley State University, <sup>4</sup>USDA ARS Booneville.

## **Business Meeting**

**5:00–7:00 p.m.**

**Statehouse Ballroom A**

**Tuesday, February 8, 2005**

### **Extension I**

**Development and Evaluation of Original Programs**

**Room: Statehouse Ballroom B**

**Tuesday 8:15–10:00**

**Chair: John Arthington, University of Florida,  
Ona, FL**

- | <b>Abstract</b> | <b>Time</b> |   |
|-----------------|-------------|---|
| 74              | 8:15        | Results of technology questions as part of Master Cattle Producer Survey. J. B. Neel*, C. D. Lane, W. W. Gill, and A. E. Fisher, University of Tennessee.   |
| 75              | 8:30        | Cooperative multi-state extension programming; the five state beef initiative. Project development and extension program impacts in Kentucky. L. Meyer*, K. Burdine, and J. Johns, University of Kentucky.                                      |
| 76              | 8:45        | Cooperative multi-state extension programming; the five state beef initiative. Carcass data, case studies and pricing scenarios for improving on-farm herd management in Kentucky. K. Burdine*, J. Johns, and L. Meyer, University of Kentucky. |
| 77              | 9:00        | Producer education using a cattle feeding profitability prediction contest. J. A. Parish* and W. B. McKinley, Mississippi State University.   |
| 78              | 9:15        | Horse Round Table: A unique approach to a one evening program. F. Harper* <sup>1</sup> , N. Denton <sup>1</sup> , T.  |

- Petty<sup>1</sup>, K. Hart<sup>1</sup>, and S. Jerrell<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>University of Tennessee, <sup>2</sup>Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.
- 79 9:30 Live placing of pigs from discrete categories of a packer value index at the Virginia State Fair Youth Market Hog Show. A. Harper\*, C. Wood, M. Estienne, and J. Zhao, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.
- 80 9:45 Effect of herd size on production costs and returns for farms enrolled in the Arkansas Beef Improvement, Integrated Resource Management program. J. T. Richeson\*, M. S. Gadberry, and T. R. Troxel, University of Arkansas, Cooperative Extension Service.
- 10:00 Break

**Extension II**  
**Applied Research and Demonstrations**  
**Room: Statehouse Ballroom B**  
**Tuesday 10:15–12:15**  
**Chair: John T. Johns, University of Kentucky,**  
**Lexington, KY**

- | Abstract | Time  |   |
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| 81       | 10:15 | Preconditioning reduces sickness and death loss in weaned calves. D. Lalman* <sup>1</sup> , A. Hutson <sup>1</sup> , W. Shearhart <sup>1</sup> , C. Ward <sup>1</sup> , and S. McKinley <sup>2</sup> , <sup>1</sup> Oklahoma State University, <sup>2</sup> Oklahoma Cattlemen's Association.   |
| 82       | 10:30 | The effects of method of castration, and/or implantation on cow/calf performance when creep grazing either tall fescue or crabgrass. B. Stewart* <sup>1</sup> , S. Gunter <sup>1</sup> , P. Beck <sup>1</sup> , M. Phillips <sup>1</sup> , J. Parrish <sup>2</sup> , and T. Troxel <sup>2</sup> , <sup>1</sup> University of Arkansas, SW Research & Extension Center, <sup>2</sup> University of Arkansas Cooperative Extension Service. |
| 83       | 10:45 | Impact of implant anomaly on performance and return of stocker cattle. P. A. Beck* and S. A. Gunter, University of Arkansas, SW Research & Extension Center.  |
| 84       | 11:00 | Corn gluten feed as a diet ingredient for Senepol- or Angus-sired finishing steers. M. H. Poore*, J. P. Cassady, and G. A. Benson, North Carolina State University.   |
| 85       | 11:15 | Effects of feeding soybean hulls or corn gluten feed during the preconditioning period on feedlot performance and carcass characteristics of Angus steers. J. E. Rossi* <sup>1</sup> and P. Worley <sup>2</sup> , <sup>1</sup> University of Georgia, Coastal Plain Experiment Station, <sup>2</sup> Northwest Research and Education Center, Calhoun.  |
| 86       | 11:30 | Milk production evaluation of straightbred Nellore and Nellore x Red Angus crossbred primiparous cows. J. M. B. Vendramini* and N. C. Favero, University of Florida.  |
| 87       | 11:45 | Assessing and improving mineral status of a cow-calf herd. J. Gentry* <sup>1</sup> , K. Downs <sup>1</sup> , W. Gill <sup>2</sup> , and A.  |

- 88 12:00 Fisher<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Middle Tennessee State University, <sup>2</sup>University of Tennessee.  
 Effect of source of energy on growth and reproduction of replacement beef heifers. J. C. Wuenschel\*, D. L. Cuddy, S. P. Greiner, and J. B. Hall, Virginia Tech.

**Meat Science**  
**Room: Neosho**  
**Tuesday 8:00–9:45**  
**Chair: Susan Duckett, University of Georgia,**  
**Athens, GA**

- | Abstract | Time |  |
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| 89       | 8:00 | Relationship between ultrasound and carcass measures of Charolais-cross harvest cattle using an automated computer tracing software. T. Perkins* <sup>1</sup> , C. Fercherio <sup>2</sup> , and J. Worthington <sup>1</sup> , <sup>1</sup> Southwest Missouri State University, <sup>2</sup> Purina Mills, LLC.  |
| 90       | 8:15 | Fatty acid profiles and meat characteristics of different biological types of beef cattle developed on grazed forages under a rotational management-intensive grazing system. M. Thomas* <sup>1</sup> , D. Kellogg <sup>1</sup> , A. Brown <sup>1</sup> , D. Rule <sup>2</sup> , Z. Johnson <sup>1</sup> , K. Anschutz <sup>1</sup> , R. Baublits <sup>1</sup> , and C. Murietta <sup>2</sup> , <sup>1</sup> University of Arkansas, <sup>2</sup> University of Wyoming. |
| 91       | 8:30 | Effects of dietary fat source on carcass fatty acid composition of pigs slaughtered at 113.6 kg. J. K. Apple*, C. V. Maxwell, D. L. Galloway, and L. K. Rakes, Department of Animal Sciences, University of Arkansas.  |
| 92       | 8:45 | Effects of sodium chloride, phosphate type and concentration, and pump rate on beef <i>biceps femoris</i> quality and sensory characteristics. R. T. Baublits*, F. W. Pohlman, A. H. Brown, Jr., and Z. B. Johnson, University of Arkansas.  |
| 93       | 9:00 | Effects of sodium chloride, phosphate type and concentration, and pump rate on beef <i>biceps femoris</i> instrumental color characteristics. R. T. Baublits*, F. W. Pohlman, A. H. Brown, Jr., and Z. B. Johnson, University of Arkansas.   |
| 94       | 9:15 | Meat quality and sensory characteristics of beef <i>biceps femoris</i> steaks treated with sodium chloride and differing phosphate types, concentrations and pump rates, compared with untreated steaks or steaks treated with only sodium chloride. R. T. Baublits*, F. W. Pohlman, A. H. Brown, Jr., and Z. B. Johnson, University of Arkansas.  |
| 95       | 9:30 | Instrumental color characteristics of beef <i>biceps femoris</i> steaks treated with sodium chloride and differing phosphate types, concentrations or pump rates, compared with untreated steaks or steaks treated with only sodium chloride. R. T. Baublits*,   |

F. W. Pohlman, A. H. Brown, Jr., and Z. B. Johnson, University of Arkansas.

**Tropically Adapted Breeds - Regional Project  
S1013-S277 I**

**Room: Caraway I**

**Tuesday 8:00-10:00**

**Chair: Larry V. Cundiff, U.S. Meat Animal  
Research Center, ARS, USDA, Clay Center, NE**

| Abstract | Time |  |
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|          | 8:00 | Introduction, Larry Cundiff, U.S. Meat Animal Research Center, ARS, USDA, Clay Center, NE.   |
| 96       | 8:05 | Rationale for evaluating alternative sources of subtropically adapted beef cattle germplasm. F. A. Thrift* <sup>1</sup> and T. A. Thrift* <sup>2</sup> , <sup>1</sup> University of Kentucky, <sup>2</sup> University of Florida.  |
| 97       | 8:25 | Florida crossbreeding research. D. G. Riley* <sup>1</sup> , G. R. Hansen <sup>2</sup> , J. R. Crockett <sup>2</sup> , T. A. Olson <sup>2</sup> , and C. C. Chase, Jr. <sup>1</sup> , <sup>1</sup> ARS, <sup>2</sup> Univ. of Florida.  |
| 98       | 8:45 | Reproduction of <i>Bos indicus</i> breeds and crosses. R. D. Randel*, Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center - Overton.   |
| 99       | 9:00 | Birth to harvest attributes of Brahman and Brahman-influenced steers. F. M. Rouquette* <sup>1</sup> , C. R. Long <sup>1</sup> , J. J. Cleere <sup>2</sup> , and R. D. Randel <sup>1</sup> , <sup>1</sup> Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, <sup>2</sup> Texas Cooperative Extension.  |
| 100      | 9:20 | Zero, 1/4, and 1/2 Brahman cows in spring vs fall calving programs. D. Buchanan* and R. Frahm, Oklahoma Agricultural Experiment Station.   |
| 101      | 9:35 | Cow-calf performance of Brahman-British and Brahman-Continental beef females. S. M. DeRouen* <sup>1</sup> , W. E. Wyatt <sup>2</sup> , P. E. Humes <sup>3</sup> , D. E. Franke <sup>3</sup> , and D. C. Blouin <sup>3</sup> , <sup>1</sup> Louisiana State University Agricultural Center, Homer, <sup>2</sup> Jeanerette, <sup>3</sup> Baton Rouge. |
| 102      | 9:50 | Feedlot performance and carcass characteristics of Brahman x British and Brahman x Continental Beef Steers. W. Wyatt*, S. DeRouen, T. Bidner, P. Humes, D. Franke, and D. Blouin, Louisiana State University Agricultural Center.  |

**Tropically Adapted Breeds - Regional Project  
S1013-S277 II**

**Room: Caraway I**

**Tuesday 10:05-noon**

**Chair: M. D. Brown, ARS, USDA, El Reno, OK**

| Abstract | Time  |   |
|----------|-------|---|
| 103      | 10:05 | Reciprocal differences in gestation length and birth weight in <i>Bos indicus</i> / <i>Bos taurus</i> crosses. C. A. Gill*, T. S. Amen, J. O. Sanders, and A. D. Herring, Texas A&M University. |

- 104 10:20 Maternal and fetal genotype influences on fetal growth. C. L. Ferrell\*, USDA-ARS, U.S. Meat Animal Research Center.
- 105 10:35 Evaluation of F<sub>1</sub> crosses of five *Bos indicus* breeds with Hereford for birth, growth, carcass, cow productivity and longevity traits. J. Sanders\*<sup>1</sup>, D. Riley<sup>2</sup>, J. Paschal<sup>1</sup>, and D. Lunt<sup>1</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, <sup>2</sup>United States Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Research Service, Subtropical Agricultural Research Station.
- 106 10:55 Evaluation of Brahman and tropically adapted *Bos taurus* breeds in the humid subtropics. C. C. Chase, Jr.\*<sup>1</sup>, D. G. Riley<sup>1</sup>, T. A. Olson<sup>2</sup>, and S. W. Coleman<sup>1</sup>, <sup>1</sup>USDA, ARS, Subtropical Agricultural Research Station, <sup>2</sup>University of Florida.
- 107 11:15 Lifetime performance and efficiency of F<sub>1</sub> tropically adapted beef cattle breeds x Angus in arid rangeland. J. Holloway\*<sup>1</sup>, B. Warrington<sup>1</sup>, D. Forrest<sup>2</sup>, R. Randel<sup>3</sup>, and C. Long<sup>3</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, <sup>2</sup>Texas A&M University, <sup>3</sup>Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.
- 108 11:35 Evaluation of the F<sub>1</sub> crosses of the Tuli, Boran, and Brahman with Hereford and Angus for birth, growth, carcass, cow productivity and longevity characteristics. J. Sanders\*<sup>1</sup>, S. Cunningham<sup>1</sup>, A. Ducoing<sup>2</sup>, A. Herring<sup>1</sup>, and D. Lunt<sup>1</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, <sup>2</sup>Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico.

## **Ruminant Animal Production**

**Room: Ouachita**

**Tuesday 9:00–noon**

**Chair: Mike Brown, West Texas A&M University,  
Canyon, TX**

### **Abstract Time**

- 121 9:00 Relationship of prepartum concentrations of insulin-like growth factor-I (IGF-I) in cows with birth weight, concentrations of IGF-I, and weaning weights of calves. R. Flores\*<sup>1</sup>, M. L. Looper<sup>2</sup>, K. P. Coffey<sup>1</sup>, W. K. Coblentz<sup>1</sup>, and C. F. Rosenkrans, Jr.<sup>1</sup>, <sup>1</sup>University of Arkansas, <sup>2</sup>USDA-ARS, Dale Bumpers Small Farms Research Center.
- 122 9:15 Effects of cool season annuals with legumes on wintering beef cows. J. D. Shockey\*<sup>2</sup>, W. A. Whitworth<sup>1</sup>, T. G. Montgomery<sup>1</sup>, and S. A. Gunter<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>University of Arkansas SEREC, Moticello, <sup>2</sup>University of Arkansas SWREC, Hope.
- 123 9:30 Perennial versus annual grasses as a supplement to gestating beef cows. S. Hutchison\*, S. A. Gunter, P. A. Beck, C. B. Stewart, J. D. Shockey, and J. M. Phillips, Southwest Research & Extension Center, University of Arkansas, Hope.
- 124 9:45 Effects of beef cow parity on responses to early calf weaning. S. Galindo-Gonzalez\*<sup>1,2</sup>, J. D. Arthington<sup>1,2</sup>, and A. De Vries<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>University of

- Florida, Range Cattle Research and Education Center, <sup>2</sup>University of Florida, Department of Animal Sciences.
- 125 10:00 Assessing castration at arrival on long-term growth performance of cattle. M. D. Ratcliff\*, E. B. Kegley, K. S. Lusby, S. A. Gunter, L. B. Daniels, and D. S. Hubbell, III, University of Arkansas Division of Agriculture.
- 126 10:15 Effects of time of castration on growth, feedlot performance, and carcass characteristics of Angus and Charolais-sired calves. M. L. Looper\*<sup>1</sup>, J. M. Burke<sup>1</sup>, L. J. McBeth<sup>2</sup>, C. R. Krehbiel<sup>2</sup>, R. Flores<sup>3</sup>, C. F. Rosenkrans, Jr.<sup>3</sup>, and G. E. Aiken<sup>4</sup>, <sup>1</sup>USDA-ARS, Dale Bumpers Small Farms Research Center, <sup>2</sup>Oklahoma State University, <sup>3</sup>University of Arkansas, <sup>4</sup>USDA-ARS, Forage Animal Production Research Unit.
- 127 10:30 The effects of energy supplementation and metaphylaxis on the performance of newly received cattle. S. A. Gunter\*<sup>1</sup>, P. A. Beck<sup>1</sup>, and D. S. Hubbell, III<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>University of Arkansas, Southwest Research & Extension Center, Hope, <sup>2</sup>Livestock & Forestry Branch Station (LFBS), Batesville.
- 128 10:45 Effects of anthelmintic treatment on calf gains while grazing tall fescue. C. Rosenkrans, Jr.\*<sup>1</sup>, M. Nihsen<sup>1</sup>, Z. Johnson<sup>1</sup>, T. Yazwinski<sup>1</sup>, D. Kreider<sup>1</sup>, K. Coffey<sup>1</sup>, W. Coblentz<sup>1</sup>, and C. West<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Department of Animal Science, University of Arkansas, <sup>2</sup>Department of Crop, Soil, and Environmental Sciences, University of Arkansas.
- 129 11:00 Optimizing N supply for growing steers consuming forage diets supplemented with citrus pulp. J. D. Arthington\*<sup>1,2</sup> and A. T. Adesogan<sup>1</sup>, <sup>1</sup>University of Florida, Department of Animal Sciences, <sup>2</sup>University of Florida, Range Cattle Research and Education Center.
- 130 11:15 Cotton by-product supplements fed with hay: Steer performance and diet digestion. G. M. Hill\*, J. F. Baker, B. C. Hand, and B. G. Mullinix, Jr., University of Georgia.
- 131 11:30 The effect of replacing soybean meal with *Mucuna pruriens* on the performance of sheep. S. Chikagwa-Malunga\*<sup>1</sup>, A. Adesogan<sup>1</sup>, M. Huisden<sup>1</sup>, S. Kim<sup>1</sup>, N. Krueger<sup>1</sup>, D. Dean<sup>1</sup>, T. Ososanya<sup>1</sup>, K. Arriola<sup>1</sup>, and S. Phatak<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>University of Florida, <sup>2</sup>University of Georgia.
- 132 11:45 Effects of nitroethane administration on methane production in growing steers. E. G. Brown\*<sup>1</sup>, G. E. Carstens<sup>1</sup>, L. J. Slay<sup>1</sup>, S. A. Woods<sup>1</sup>, M. J. Quinn<sup>1</sup>, J. L. McReynolds<sup>2</sup>, R. C. Anderson<sup>2</sup>, and D. J. Nisbet<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, <sup>2</sup>USDA/ARS, Food and Feed Safety Research Unit.

**Tropically Adapted Breeds - Regional Project  
S1013-S277 III  
Room: Caraway I  
Tuesday 1:00-3:15  
Chair: David G. Morrison, Louisiana State  
University, Baton Rouge, LA**

| Abstract | Time |  |
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| 109      | 1:00 | Performance of tropically adapted breeds in a temperate environment: Calving, growth, reproduction and maternal traits. L. V. Cundiff*, U. S. Meat Animal Research Center, ARS, USDA.  |
| 110      | 1:20 | Feed utilization and performance of tropically adapted cattle. C. L. Ferrell*, T. G. Jenkins, and H. C. Freetly, USDA-ARS, U.S. Meat Animal Research Center.   |
| 111      | 1:35 | Carcass and meat traits of tropically-adapted breeds. T. Wheeler*, S. Shackelford, and M. Koohmaraie, U.S. Meat Animal Research Center.  |
| 112      | 1:55 | Cow efficiency during the preweaning period of tropically adapted cattle. T. G. Jenkins* and C. L. Ferrell, USDA-ARS, U.S. Meat Animal Research Center.  |
| 113      | 2:15 | Foraging behavior of tropically adapted breeds. D. Forbes*, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.   |
| 114      | 2:35 | Evaluation of Boran, Tuli, Gelbvieh, and Brahman F1 crosses in Oklahoma. W. A. Phillips* <sup>1</sup> , R. P. Wettemann <sup>2</sup> , S. W. Coleman <sup>3</sup> , and J. W. Holloway <sup>4</sup> , <sup>1</sup> USDA-ARS Grazinglands Res Lab, <sup>2</sup> OK Agric. Exper. Sta., <sup>3</sup> USDA-ARS Subtropical Ag. Res Sta., <sup>4</sup> Texas A&M Res and Ext Center. |
| 115      | 2:50 | Genotype x environment interactions in Brahman, Angus, and reciprocal-cross cows and their calves. M. Brown* <sup>1</sup> and H. Brown, Jr. <sup>2</sup> , <sup>1</sup> USDA-ARS, Grazinglands Research Laboratory, <sup>2</sup> University of Arkansas.   |
|          | 3:15 | Break  |

**Tropically Adapted Breeds - Regional Project  
S1013-S277 IV  
Room: Caraway I  
Tuesday 3:25-4:45  
Chair: J. W. Holloway, Texas A&M University,  
College Station, TX**

| Abstract | Time |   |
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| 116      | 3:25 | Varying differences between sexes in birth weight and weaning weight of calves sired by tropically adapted breeds at six diverse U.S. locations. A. D. Herring* <sup>1</sup> , S. F. Cunningham <sup>1</sup> , L. V. Cundiff <sup>2</sup> , C. C. Chase, Jr. <sup>3</sup> , J. O. Sanders <sup>1</sup> , W. A. Phillips <sup>4</sup> , J. F. Baker <sup>5</sup> , J. W. Holloway <sup>6</sup> , B. G. Warrington <sup>6</sup> , and S. W. Coleman <sup>4</sup> , <sup>1</sup> Texas A&M University, <sup>2</sup> USDA-ARS, <sup>3</sup> USDA-ARS, <sup>4</sup> USDA-ARS, <sup>5</sup> University of |

- 117 3:40 Georgia, <sup>6</sup>Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. Genetic (co)variances for growth, carcass, and tenderness traits of Brahman steers. T. Smith\*<sup>1</sup>, J. Domingue<sup>1</sup>, T. Bidner<sup>1</sup>, J. Paschal<sup>2</sup>, G. Whipple<sup>3</sup>, and D. Franke<sup>1</sup>, <sup>1</sup>LSU Agricultural Center, <sup>2</sup>Texas A&M University, <sup>3</sup>University of Nebraska.
- 118 3:55 Evaluation of heterosis retention for cow productivity traits in *Bos indicus/Bos taurus* crosses. J. Sanders\*<sup>1</sup>, K. Key<sup>1</sup>, D. Riley<sup>2</sup>, and D. Lunt<sup>1</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, <sup>2</sup>United States Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Research Service, Subtropical Agricultural Research Station.
- 119 4:15 Direct and maternal breed additive and nonadditive genetic effects for reproductive, growth, and carcass traits in Brahman crossbred cattle. D. Franke\*<sup>1</sup>, S. Derouen<sup>1</sup>, and A. Williams<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>LSU Agricultural Center, <sup>2</sup>The Jacob Alliance.
- 120 4:30 Carcass and meat characteristics of Bonsmara-influenced cattle. R. K. Miller\*<sup>1</sup>, S. M. Falkenberg<sup>1</sup>, B. G. Warrington<sup>2</sup>, G. W. Chapman<sup>3</sup>, G. E. Carstens<sup>1</sup>, and J. W. Holloway<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Texas A&M University, Department of Animal Science, <sup>2</sup>Texas A&M Research Center, Uvalde, <sup>3</sup>Chapman Ranches.

**Small Ruminant Production III**  
**Meat Quality, Products, and Production**  
**Room: Statehouse Ballroom B**  
**Tuesday 1:00–2:45**  
**Chair: Sam Jackson, Texas Tech University,**  
**Lubbock, TX**

- | Abstract | Time |  |
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| 59       | 1:00 | Preharvest spray washing of goats: effects on stress responses and bacterial counts on skin and carcass surfaces. A. J. Hagerman*, G. Kannan, K. R. Eega, B. Kouakou, and G. W. McCommon, Fort Valley State University.  |
| 60       | 1:15 | Effects of breed and carcass electrical stimulation on meat quality characteristics in goats. K. M. Gadiyaram* <sup>1</sup> , G. Kannan <sup>1</sup> , S. Galipalli <sup>1</sup> , T. D. Pringle <sup>2</sup> , and K. W. McMillin <sup>3</sup> , <sup>1</sup> Fort Valley State University, <sup>2</sup> The University of Georgia, <sup>3</sup> Louisiana State University AgCenter. |
| 61       | 1:30 | Carcass traits and meat quality of pasture-raised Katahdin crossbred lambs. D. J. Jackson* <sup>1</sup> , N. C. Whitley <sup>1</sup> , J. W. Lemaster <sup>2</sup> , and S. Schoenian <sup>2,3</sup> , <sup>1</sup> University of Maryland Eastern Shore, <sup>2</sup> Maryland Cooperative Extension, <sup>3</sup> WMREC.   |
| 62       | 1:45 | Demographic factors influencing consumer preference of chevon products. G. Kannan* <sup>1</sup> , M. C. Nelson <sup>1</sup> , T. E. Hollis <sup>1</sup> , T. D. Pringle <sup>2</sup> , and K. W. McMillin <sup>3</sup> , <sup>1</sup> Fort Valley State University, <sup>2</sup> The University of Georgia, <sup>3</sup> Louisiana State University AgCenter.                          |

- 63 2:00 Objective and subjective evaluations of value-added chevon and beef products. K. R. Eega\*<sup>1</sup>, K. M. Gadiyaram<sup>1</sup>, G. Kannan<sup>1</sup>, V. R. Gutta<sup>1</sup>, T. D. Pringle<sup>2</sup>, and K. W. McMillin<sup>3</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Fort Valley State University, <sup>2</sup>The University of Georgia, <sup>3</sup>Louisiana State University AgCenter.
- 64 2:15 Production of Dorper × St. Croix White and St. Croix White lambs grazing pasture during the wet season in the US Virgin Islands. R. E. Dodson\*, A. J. Weis, and R. W. Godfrey, Agricultural Experiment Station, University of the Virgin Islands.
- 65 2:30 Effect of feeding regimens on growth, leptin, and carcass composition in meat-type goats raised in Missouri. E. Walker\*<sup>1</sup>, W. Walker\*<sup>1</sup>, N. Whitley<sup>2</sup>, C. Stahl<sup>3</sup>, D. Keisler<sup>3</sup>, and E. Berg<sup>3</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Southwest Missouri State University, <sup>2</sup>University of Maryland, Eastern Shore, <sup>3</sup>University of Missouri.
- 2:45 Break

**Small Ruminant Production IV  
Production and Feeds  
Room: Statehouse Ballroom B  
Tuesday 3:00–5:00**

**Chair: Bob Godfrey, University of the Virgin Islands, Kingshill, St. Croix, VI**

**Abstract Time**

- 66 3:00 Nitrogen fertilizer rates on wheat pastures for goats in north Texas. D. Pawelek\*<sup>1</sup>, J. P. Muir<sup>1</sup>, and B. D. Lambert<sup>1,2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, <sup>2</sup>Tarleton State University.
- 67 3:15 Preference of grazing goats for cool-season annual clovers. T. H. Terrill\*<sup>1</sup>, W. F. Whitehead<sup>1</sup>, B. P. Singh<sup>1</sup>, S. Gelaye<sup>1</sup>, G. Durham<sup>2</sup>, and C. S. Hoveland<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>Fort Valley State University, <sup>2</sup>The University of Georgia.
- 68 3:30 Performance by goats and sheep consuming a 65% concentrate diet subsequent to co-grazing of grass/forb pastures at different stocking rates. G. Animut\*<sup>1,2</sup>, A. L. Goetsch<sup>1</sup>, G. E. Aiken<sup>3</sup>, R. Puchala<sup>1</sup>, G. Detweiler<sup>1</sup>, C. R. Krehbiel<sup>2</sup>, R. C. Merkel<sup>1</sup>, T. Sahl<sup>1</sup>, L. J. Dawson<sup>4</sup>, and Z. B. Johnson<sup>5</sup>, <sup>1</sup>E (Kika) de la Garza American Institute for Goat Research, Langston University, <sup>2</sup>Animal Science Department, Oklahoma State University, <sup>3</sup>USDA ARS Dale Bumpers Small Farms Research Center, <sup>4</sup>College of Veterinary Medicine, Oklahoma State University, <sup>5</sup>Department of Animal Science, University of Arkansas.
- 69 3:45 Growth performance of weaned fallow deer fawns (*Dama dama*) is unaffected by Cattle-Ase™ supplementation. L. Jonovich\*, S. Mapel, D. Neuendorff, A. Lewis, and R. Randel, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.
- 70 4:00 Energy utilization by lactating Alpine goats: dietary concentrate level and stage of lactation. I.

Tovar-Luna<sup>1</sup>, A. L. Goetsch\*<sup>1</sup>, R. Puchala<sup>1</sup>, T. Sahlu<sup>1</sup>, S. P. Hart<sup>1</sup>, and Z. B. Johnson<sup>2</sup>, <sup>1</sup>E (Kika) de la Garza Institute for Goat Research, Langston University, <sup>2</sup>Department of Animal Science, University of Arkansas.

- 71      4:15      The relationship between heart rate and energy expenditure in growing crossbred Boer and Spanish wethers. R. Puchala\*, I. Tovar-Luna, A. L. Goetsch, and T. Sahlu, E (Kika) de la Garza American Institute for Goat Research.
- 72      4:30      Evaluating the relationship between temperament and production traits of hair sheep. V. McSween\*, R. W. Godfrey, R. E. Dodson, and A. J. Weis, Agricultural Experiment Station, University of the Virgin Islands.
- 73      4:45      Production and marketing recommendations for profitable goat production in West Virginia. D. Singh-Knights\* and M. Knights, West Virginia University.

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| 1993 | J.R. Jones           | North Carolina |
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| 1991 | Keith Lusby          | Oklahoma       |
| 1990 | Joe Hughes           | Oklahoma       |
| 1989 | Henry Webster        | Clemson        |
| 1988 | Donald R. Gill       | Oklahoma       |
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| 1986 | M.K. Cook            | Georgia        |
| 1985 | W.G. Luce            | Oklahoma       |
| 1984 | Charles Cooper       | Virginia       |
| 1983 | C.W. Absher          | Kentucky       |
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| 2003 | Texas A&M University      |
| 2002 | University of Florida     |
| 2001 | University of Kentucky    |
| 2000 | Texas A&M University      |
| 1999 | University of Kentucky    |
| 1998 | University of Kentucky    |
| 1997 | Oklahoma State University |
| 1996 | Oklahoma State University |
| 1995 | Virginia Tech             |
| 1994 | Oklahoma State University |
| 1993 | Texas A&M University      |
| 1992 | Oklahoma State University |
| 1991 | University of Kentucky    |
| 1990 | Virginia Tech             |
| 1989 | Oklahoma State University |
| 1988 | Texas A&M University      |
| 1987 | University of Georgia     |
| 1986 | University of Georgia     |
| 1985 | University of Kentucky    |
| 1984 | Texas A&M University      |

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| 1996 <sup>1</sup> | William L. Flowers   | NC State University    |
| 1996 <sup>2</sup> | Markus F. Miller     | Texas Tech University  |
| 1995 <sup>1</sup> | Craig H. Wood        | University of Kentucky |
| 1995 <sup>2</sup> | Jeffrey D. Armstrong | NC State University    |
| 1994 <sup>1</sup> | Debra K. Aaron       | University of Kentucky |
| 1994 <sup>2</sup> | Peter J. Hansen      | University of Florida  |
| 1993 <sup>1</sup> | Kevin Pond           | NC State University    |
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| 1992 <sup>1</sup> | David S. Buchanan    | Oklahoma State Univ.   |
| 1992 <sup>2</sup> | James L. Sartin      | Auburn University      |
| 1991 <sup>1</sup> | W.E. Beal            | VPI & SU               |
| 1991 <sup>2</sup> | Wayne Greene         | Texas A&M University   |
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| 1987              | D.L. Thompson, Jr.   | Louisiana State Univ.  |
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<sup>2</sup>Research

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| 2002 | Kim Cole           | University of Arkansas  |
| 2001 | G. E. Conatser     | University of Tennessee |
| 2000 | Not given          |                         |
| 1999 | Not given          |                         |
| 1998 | Robert A. Cushman  | NC State University     |
| 1997 | M. Todd See        | NC State University     |
| 1996 | William L. Flowers | NC State University     |
| 1995 | M. Todd See        | NC State University     |
| 1994 | Robert Dove        | University of Georgia   |

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| 2002        | J. A. Parish     | Orlando                 | Univ. of Georgia        |
| 2001        | J. Montgomery    | Ft. Worth               | Texas Tech University   |
| 2000        | M. R. Stivarious | Lexington               | University of Arkansas  |
| 1999        | T. E. Engle      | Memphis                 | NC State University     |
| 1998        | C. Barnett       | Little Rock             | Univ. of Tennessee      |
| 1997        | D.H. Crews, Jr.  | Birmingham              | Louisiana State Univ.   |
| 1996        | None Given       |                         |                         |
| 1995        | E.B. Kegley      | New Orleans             | NC State University     |
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| 1993        | D.K. Bishop      | Tulsa                   | Oklahoma State Univ.    |
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| 1988        | M.J. Esteinne    | New Orleans             | University of Georgia   |
| 1987        | T.W. Burnell     | Nashville               | University of Kentucky  |
| 1986        | M.J. Wylie       | Orlando                 | Texas A&M University    |
| 1985        | M.W. Richards    | Biloxi                  | Clemson University      |
| 1984        | J.C. Betts       | Nashville               | Texas A&M University    |
| 1983        | J.B. Lutz        | Atlanta                 | University of Georgia   |
| 1982        | K.R. Pond        | Orlando                 | Texas A&M University    |
| 1981        | L.W. Greene      | Atlanta                 | VPI & SU                |
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| 1979        | T.W. Robb        | New Orleans             | University of Kentucky  |
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| 1974        | D.M. Hallford    | Memphis                 | Oklahoma State Univ.    |
| 1973        | A.C. Mills       | Atlanta                 | University of Florida   |
| 1972        | C. McLellan, Jr. | Richmond                | Oklahoma State Univ.    |
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| 1970        | A.R. Bellve      | Memphis                 | NC State University     |
| 1969        | W.L. Brown       | Mobile                  | Auburn University       |
| 1968        | W.E. Powell      | Louisville              | Auburn University       |
| 1967        | F.W. Bazer       | New Orleans             | NC State University     |
| 1966        | D.G. Ely         | Jackson                 | University of Kentucky  |
| 1965        | R.D. Goodrich    | Dallas                  | Oklahoma State Univ.    |
| 1964        | C.K. Vincent     | Atlanta                 | NC State University     |
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| 1962        | J.R. Crockett    | Jacksonville            | University of Florida   |

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| 2002 | B. Spader       | Orlando          | University of Missouri     |
| 2001 | R. Horsley      | Ft. Worth        | Virginia Polytechnic Univ. |
| 2000 | B. Robbins      | Lexington        | Virginia Tech              |
| 1999 | J. L. Bardugone | Memphis          | Virginia Tech              |
| 1998 | S. F. Flohr     | Little Rock      | Virginia Tech              |
| 1997 | T.M. Weick      | Birmingham       | Louisiana State Univ.      |
| 1996 | K. J. Goodson   | Greensboro       | Texas A&M University       |
| 1995 | B. C. Bloom     | New Orleans      | Auburn University          |
| 1994 | Beth Good       | Nashville        | Oklahoma State Univ.       |
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