



2011 AABP/NMC GENERAL REGISTRATION INFORMATION & FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS



44th Annual Conference of the American Association of Bovine Practitioners • 3rd International Symposium on Mastitis and Milk Quality • September 22-24, 2011 • St. Louis, Missouri • Preconference Seminars September 18-21, 2011



Register Online at
www.aabp.org

General Information

AABP general conference registration includes admission to all AABP scientific sessions (Preconference Seminars and Clinical Forums excluded), Exhibit Hall, Wednesday Evening Welcoming Reception and Dessert Reception, Thursday Evening Reception, Friday Evening Auction and Dinner, and Saturday AABP Membership and Awards Luncheon.

Note: Tour and event signups can be completed online or under "2011 Tours & Events" on the back of the Registration Form. Lodging registration must be completed separately.

3 Ways to Preregister

• **ONLINE:** www.aabp.org
Pay with PayPal or credit card.

• **FAX:** 334-821-9532
Pay with credit card only.
Deadline: August 22, 2011

For security reasons, no conference registrations will be accepted by telephone.

• **MAIL:**
AABP
PO Box 3610
Auburn, AL 36831-3610
Must include payment.

Important Deadlines

• **Preregistration deadline: August 22, 2011. After August 22, on-site fees are applicable.**

You must preregister for seminars and other events with limited enrollment to be guaranteed acceptance. Certain seminars may be canceled if enrollment is inadequate by **August 8, 2011.**

• **Do not mail this form after August 22, 2011.** Forms postmarked after/faxes received after/online registration after August 22 must include payment at ON-SITE rates.

• **Do not send registration forms by fax after September 2, 2011.**

What forms of payment are accepted?

Payment can be made with a business or personal check, traveler's check (USD), or credit card.

- All checks must be payable to AABP in US funds drawn on a US bank.
- American Express, MasterCard, and Visa are accepted.
- Online payment can be made through PayPal at www.aabp.org.
- Do not send cash.
- Do not mail the Registration Form and payment after August 22, 2011.

Where do I sign up for special events and tours?

Register online or use the Registration Form.

Free of Charge But Registration Required:

Genomics Breakfast

(Thurs., 6:30am, no charge)

Breakfast with a Bovine Twist

(Fri., 6:30am, no charge)

Friday Evening Auction & Dinner

(Fri., 6:00pm, no charge)

AABP Gateway Gala Reception & Dinner (Sat., 6:00pm, no charge but tickets required, limit 750)

Additional Fee Required:

Local Tours (Wednesday-Friday)

Christian Veterinary Mission Breakfast

(Sat., 6:30am, \$15)

How do I request special services?

If you require special services, please submit a written description of your requirements with your completed Registration Form.

When will I receive my AABP Proceedings?

Conference proceedings will be mailed to all 2011 conference participants following the meeting. A proceedings is also available from the 3rd International Symposium on Mastitis and Milk Quality. See the AABP Registration Form online or on page C4 for details.

Where do I donate to the AABP Amstutz Scholarship Fund?

Help educate our future cattle practitioners by designating your contribution on the back of the Registration Form. Thank you for supporting your future colleagues.

Where do I donate to the AABP Foundation?

The AABP Foundation promotes the health and well-being of cattle, advances the education of bovine practitioners and the public, and helps to assure a supply of food animal practitioners for the future. You

can contribute by designating an amount on the back of the Registration Form. Thank you for supporting the AABP Foundation.

What is the AABP cancellation policy?

Cancellation/refund requests must be received in writing before September 7, 2011, to qualify for a 100% refund. Refund requests received September 7 through September 21 qualify for a 50% refund. Refund requests received after September 21 may not be eligible for a refund.

How do I document CE credit?

A Record of Participation Form is available by request from the AABP Registration Desk in St. Louis. A Certificate of Attendance can be generated and printed from one of the kiosks at the Registration Desk as you leave the conference by using the electronic identification (EID) included with your name badge.

Following the conference, these forms can be created and printed from the AABP website using your assigned EID number. Some states (eg, Texas) require that the Certificate of Attendance be printed at the meeting and will not recognize certificates mailed from the AABP office at a later date. Knowledge of licensure requirements is your responsibility.



AABP/NMC 2011 REGISTRATION FORM

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PREREGISTER EARLY!

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Name _____

Check ALL that apply: AABP Member Member No. _____ NMC Member AASRP Member

Street _____ City _____

State/Province _____ Country _____ Zip/Postal Code _____

Phone* (____) _____ Email* _____

**Please provide preferred phone number or working email address for further conference communication.*

REGISTRATION FEE SUMMARY

Preregistration (by August 22) On-site (after August 22)

AABP Member \$325 \$365 \$ _____

AASRP Member \$325 \$365 \$ _____

NMC Member (includes individuals who are members of BOTH AABP and NMC) \$325 \$365 \$ _____

Proceedings from the 3rd International Symposium on Mastitis and Milk Quality will be provided on CD to all NMC members free of charge. Non-NMC members can purchase the CD. Printed copies are available by request for an additional charge.

<input type="checkbox"/> CD (no charge for NMC members)	\$ No charge
<input type="checkbox"/> CD (non-NMC member \$15)	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Printed copy (NMC members and non-NMC members) \$25	\$ _____

1-Day Registration (check day) Thursday Friday Saturday \$215 \$255 \$ _____

Non-AABP Member \$450 \$490 \$ _____

AABP or NMC Member Graduate Student/Intern \$160 \$180 \$ _____

AABP or NMC Undergraduate Student Member No charge No charge \$ _____

Veterinary Technician *Must be endorsed by AABP member/instructor* \$100 \$120 \$ _____
Endorsed by (signature) _____ AABP Member No./Institution _____

Veterinary Technician Student No charge No charge \$ _____
Must be endorsed by AABP member/instructor
Endorsed by (signature) _____ AABP Member No./Institution _____

Accompanying Person \$50 \$50 \$ _____

Accompanying Person's Name: _____

NOTE: Accompanying Person registration includes Wednesday Welcoming Reception and Dessert Reception, Thursday Dinner Reception, Friday Evening Auction and Dinner, Saturday Membership and Awards Luncheon, and access to Hospitality Room throughout the conference.

CHILDREN: age 12/under; no badge required; no charge.

COMPLIMENTARY EVENTS (NO FEE)—REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Please indicate the events you will attend and the number of tickets you wish to receive.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Thursday Genomics Breakfast _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday AABP Membership Luncheon _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Friday Bovine Twist Breakfast _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday Gateway Gala Reception/Dinner (Available only to conference registrants, paid Accompanying Persons, and children 12/under; tickets are first come, first served.) _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Friday Evening Auction & Dinner _____ | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Friday CABV/ACVB Reception (8:00–10:00 pm; members only) _____ | |

ADDITIONAL FEES

Register for these on the second page of this form: Preconference Seminars, Clinical Forums, Local Tours, (Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday), and Christian Veterinary Mission Breakfast

2011 TOURS & BREAKFAST

Please indicate the number of persons and total fee for each item you are selecting below.

TOUR 1 Wed., Sept. 21:
Beautiful Blooms/Homes
 _____ Persons @ \$57 ea. \$ _____

TOUR 2 Thurs., Sept. 22:
Majestic St. Louis
 _____ Persons @ \$90 ea. \$ _____

TOUR 3 Fri., Sept. 23:
Taste of St. Louis
 _____ Persons @ \$83 ea. \$ _____

BREAKFAST Sat., Sept. 24:
Christian Veterinary Mission
 _____ Persons @ \$15 ea. \$ _____

2011 CLINICAL FORUMS

Cost \$50 (USD)/Forum; includes hot breakfast. Limit: 20 veterinarians/Forum (AABP, NMC, and AASRP members only). See full titles and descriptions at www.aabp.org. Rank preferred Forums by writing the seminar numbers in the appropriate spaces. Indicate 2 Forums on the day you wish to attend (Thursday and/or Saturday).

Thursday 1st Choice, No. _____ 2nd Choice, No. _____ \$50 \$ _____
Saturday 1st Choice, No. _____ 2nd Choice, No. _____ \$50 \$ _____

- Thursday, Sept. 22 • 7:00-9:00 am (hot breakfast)**
- 1 Are You Prepared for an Undercover Video?
Belinda Thompson
 - 2 Veterinarians Without Borders
Tom Graham
 - 3 Pasteurization of Colostrum and Milk
Sandra Godden
 - 4 Training Personnel for Effective Maternity Care
Maarten Drost
 - 5 Integrated Cow-Calf/Feeder Consultation
Troy Drake
 - 6 CAHWs for Cows - Community Animal Health Worker Training in East Africa
Robert Sindler

- Saturday, Sept. 24 • 7:00-9:00 am (hot breakfast)**
- 7 Veterinary Services in Pasture-Based, Seasonal Calving Systems: The Kiwi Experience
Scott McDougall
 - 8 Implementation and Pitfalls of Low Energy Dry Cow Diets
James Drackley
 - 9 Implementation of Ad Lib Calf Feeding
Neil Anderson
 - 10 Beef Cow/Calf Records
Mark Hilton
 - 11 FDA and Cattle Veterinarians – Current Issues
Bill Flynn

2011 PRECONFERENCE SEMINARS

AABP/NMC/AASRP members only. Registration for any Preconference Seminar requires either a 1-day or full conference registration. Seminars with insufficient registrations will be canceled by August 8, 2011. Full descriptions appear at www.aabp.org.

- 1A* Quality Milk Production** (Sun., Sept. 18; limit 30) \$295\$ _____
- 1B* Quality Milk Production** (Mon., Sept. 19; limit 30) \$295\$ _____
- 1C* Quality Milk Production** (Tues., Sept. 20; limit 30) \$295.....\$ _____
- REDUCED FEE:** Seminars 1A + 1B + 1C \$800\$ _____
- 2A* Applied Dairy Nutrition** (Sun.-Mon., Sept. 18-19; limit 30) \$400\$ _____
- 2B* Ration Building & Balancing Lab – Part 2** (Tues., Sept. 20; limit 30) \$300\$ _____
- REDUCED FEE:** Seminars 2A + 2B \$650\$ _____
- 3 Applied Beef Cattle Nutrition** (Mon.-Tues., Sept. 19-20; limit 25) \$375\$ _____
- 4 Reproduction for Success and Profit** (Tues.-Wed., Sept. 20-21; limit 30) \$450\$ _____
- 5 Understanding Milk Components and Troubleshooting Herd Problems** (Wed., Sept. 21; limit 30) \$300 ...\$ _____
- 6 Practical Protein and Amino Acid Nutrition in Dairy Cattle** (Tues., Sept. 20; limit 30) \$225\$ _____
- 7 Bovine Lameness Seminar** (Wed., Sept. 21; limit 30) \$250\$ _____
- 8 The Replacement Heifer from Birth to Precalving** (Tues.-Wed., Sept. 20-21; limit 30) \$475\$ _____
- 9 Embryo Transfer and Freezing Techniques** (Tues.-Wed., Sept. 20-21; limit 20) \$575.....\$ _____
- 10 Amazing Grazing** (Wed., Sept. 21; limit 40) \$275\$ _____
- 11 Applied Transition Cow Nutrition and Physiology** (Wed., Sept. 21; limit 30) \$250.....\$ _____
- 12 Basic Reproductive Ultrasound in Practice** (Mon.-Tues., Sept. 19-20; limit 20) \$500.....\$ _____
- 13 Building Effective Veterinary Teams** (Wed., Sept. 21; limit 45) \$200\$ _____
- 14 Farm Animal Welfare: How Addressing Animal Welfare** (Tues., Sept. 20; limit 30) \$300\$ _____
Is a Winning Proposition for You and Your Clients
- 15 Pain Management** (Mon., Sept. 19; limit 30) \$250.....\$ _____
- 16 Building System-The Herd Analytic Loop** (Tues., Sept. 20; limit 20) \$300\$ _____
- 17 Practical On-Farm Euthanasia** (Tues., Sept. 20; limit 25) \$200\$ _____

*Choose one comprehensive fee or enroll separately.

Contribution to AABP Amstutz Scholarship Fund\$ _____
 Contribution to AABP Foundation\$ _____

TOTAL DUE

(Total of Registration Fee, Events, Tours, Clinical Forums, Preconference Seminars, and Contributions)\$ _____

PAYMENT

Check: Check No. _____ (payable to AABP in US funds drawn on a US bank)

Credit Card: Account No. _____ Exp. Date _____

Authorized Signature _____



AABP/NMC 2011 HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

See hotel location map on page C6

Each of these hotels has been selected by AABP and **offers discounted rates until August 24, 2011.**

For BEST AVAILABILITY and to guarantee a reduced rate, reserve by phone through the AABP/NMC Housing Bureau, Monday through Friday, 8:00am to 5:00pm CDT, by August 24: 888-882-5178 (toll-free; international, call 314-992-0691). Or reserve online 24/7 at www.aabp.org. To reserve by mail or fax, use the form on the next page.

Changes and cancellations can be made until August 31. Email change/cancellation requests are accepted at housing@explorestlouis.com or send a fax to 314-621-9467. *Note that AABP charges \$100 for room cancellations requested after August 29.* Starting September 1, you should contact your hotel directly with any changes.

Conference Hotels

Renaissance St. Louis Grand Hotel

800 Washington Avenue



Distance from the Convention Complex: Directly Across Street

This historic 4-Diamond/4-Star downtown St. Louis luxury hotel is a nostalgic city favorite that blends lavish amenities with classic style. Located just a short walk from upscale Washington Avenue restaurants, entertainment, and nightlife, the premier Renaissance St. Louis Grand Hotel, owned by Marriott, is also close to such top attractions as Busch Stadium, the City Museum, and Gateway Arch.

Rates:

\$155 (USD) Single/Double,

\$165 Triple, \$175 Quad

Parking: Self-Park \$14/Day

Valet Parking: \$28/Day

Check-in: 4:00 pm

Check-out: 12:00 pm

Pets Not Allowed (service animals allowed for persons with disabilities)

Selected Amenities

Cable TV

Cash Machine/ATM

Concierge Desk

Foreign Exchange Nearby

Full-Service Business Center

Gift Shop/Newsstand

Hair Dryer

Health Club & Indoor Pool

High-Speed Internet

Access (fee)

Housekeeping Service Daily

In-Room Coffee/Tea

Iron & Ironing Board

Local Restaurant Dinner

Delivery

Mini Refrigerator

On-Site Dining: Restaurants,

Lobby Bar, Starbucks

Room Service

Shoeshine

Smoke-Free Facility

Valet Dry Cleaning

Vending Machines

Voicemail

Wireless Internet in

Public Areas

Holiday Inn Select Downtown

811 North 9th Street



Distance from the Convention Complex: 2 Blocks

The newly remodeled Holiday Inn Select provides lodging in the heart of downtown St. Louis directly across the street from America's Center and Edward Jones Dome, the Home of the Rams. The hotel is also just blocks from Laclede's Landing entertainment district, the Gateway Arch, Busch Stadium, Casino Queen Riverboat Gaming, Union Station, major sports venues, and the MetroLink Rail system.

Rates:

\$128 (USD) Single/Double,

\$138 Triple, \$148 Quad

Parking: Self-Park \$15/Day

Valet Parking: Not Available

Check-in: 4:00 pm

Check-out: 12:00 pm

Pets Not Allowed (service animals allowed for persons with disabilities)

Selected Amenities

24-Hour Business Center

Cable & Satellite TV

Electronic Door Locks

Exercise Room

Fax Services

Free Morning Newspaper

Delivered to Room

Free Wireless Internet

Guest Laundry

Hair Dryer

Indoor Pool

In-Room Coffee/Tea

In-Room Movies

Iron & Ironing Board

Microwave Oven

Mini Refrigerator

Restaurant

Room Service

(6:30 am-11:00 pm)

Same-Day Dry Cleaning

Available

Snack & Convenience Center

Voicemail



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International 314-992-0691

Monday Through Friday,
8:00 am to 5:00 pm CDT

or ONLINE: www.aabp.org
Or Fax This Form to: 314-621-9467

Or Mail This Form to:
AABP/NMC Housing Bureau
Attn: SLCVC Housing Department
701 Convention Plaza, Suite 300
St. Louis, MO 63101

DEADLINE: Hotel Accommodations Forms must be RECEIVED by AABP/NMC Housing Bureau on or before August 24, 2011, to guarantee convention rates.

- AABP/NMC Housing Bureau is not responsible for duplicate reservations.
- Only one room may be requested per name. To share a room, submit only one application listing all room occupants. Primary occupant will receive confirmation.
- Photocopy this form if more than one room is required.
- Please indicate your hotel preference at right. If both hotels are full, you will be contacted about alternate choices.
- Room types are assigned first come, first served.
- After August 24, 2011, convention rates are not guaranteed, and room and rates are subject to availability. Housing forms are processed in order of receipt. Early submission increases the likelihood of receiving your preference.
- Acknowledgment from AABP/NMC Housing Bureau will be emailed, faxed, or mailed according to the information you provide. Email will be used if an email address is indicated or your reservation is made online.
- For questions or special requests, contact the Housing Bureau at housing@explorestlouis.com/ toll-free 888-882-5178/international 314-992-0691.

REQUIRED DEPOSIT: To process your housing request requires a valid credit card number and expiration date valid through September 2011. After August 24, 2011, the assigned hotel may charge your credit card an amount equal to one night's room rate and tax.

CHANGES/CANCELLATIONS: Changes/cancellations can be requested until August 31, 2011. Email requests are accepted at housing@explorestlouis.com or by fax at 314-621-9467. After August 29, AABP charges an additional \$100 for cancellations. Starting September 1, you can contact your hotel directly with changes or cancellations.

RATES, TAX, & REQUESTS: All rates are per room in US currency. Room rates do not include sales and occupancy tax that will be added at checkout. Special requests will be relayed to the assigned hotel but cannot be guaranteed.

72-HOUR CANCELLATION POLICY: Your reservation is subject to a charge of one night's room rate and tax if cancellation is not made at least 72 hours before your scheduled arrival.

GUEST INFORMATION Please print clearly.

ARRIVAL DATE _____ DEPARTURE DATE _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

Email Address _____

Practice/Company _____

If outside of USA/Canada, include country and city codes for phone and fax numbers.

LIST NAMES OF ALL OCCUPANTS List all occupants' arrival and departure dates, if different from above.

	<i>Arrival</i>	<i>Departure</i>
_____	____/____/11	____/____/11
_____	____/____/11	____/____/11
_____	____/____/11	____/____/11

HOTEL SELECTION Note: Room type requests are not guaranteed.

Hotel	Preference Rank	Rate (USD)*	Distance from Convention Center
Renaissance St. Louis Grand Hotel	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$155 Single/Double \$165 Triple \$175 Quad	Directly Across from Convention Complex

Please check your choices for room type:

1 King Bed 2 Double Beds Handicapped *(All rooms are nonsmoking.)*

Number of Persons in Room: 1 2 3 4

Holiday Inn Select Downtown	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$128 Single/Double \$138 Triple \$148 Quad	2 Blocks from Convention Complex
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Please check your choices for room type:

1 King Bed 2 Double Beds

Handicapped Smoking Nonsmoking

Number of Persons in Room: 1 2 3 4

RESERVATION REQUIREMENTS

To process your hotel request, you must supply a credit card number and expiration date valid through September 2011 for guarantee purposes. Only forms with credit card guarantees will be processed.

American Express Discover MasterCard Visa

Card Number _____ Exp. Date _____

Name on Card _____

Cardholder Signature _____

SEND RESERVATION ACKNOWLEDGMENT TO (only one acknowledgment will be sent):

Use information above Use address and email below (different from above)

*A small portion of the room rate will go toward defraying convention complex rental charges.

ST. LOUIS DOWNTOWN WITH HOTEL LOCATIONS



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