

WORKSHOPS

The conference will include two workshops:

Pre-conference workshop for young scientist or scientist new to the field of veterinary drugs. The topic will be: Setting the scene; and the workshop will include residue control in general, registration of veterinary drugs, monitoring and legislation.

Risk based approaches for monitoring veterinary drugs.

PROGRAMME

Sunday 22 May	Pre conference workshop
Sunday 22 May:	Get-together party
Monday 23 May:	Congress and excursion
Tuesday 24 May:	Congress and dinner
Wednesday 25 May:	Congress closing farewell lunch

VENUE

Hotel Zuiderduin, Egmond aan Zee, the Netherlands. This hotel is located 30 km from Amsterdam Airport. Transport between airport and hotel will be arranged.

CALL FOR YOUNG SCIENTIST AWARD NOMINEES

At the EuroResidue Conference VIII, the organisers intend to award another individual with high potential a Young Scientist Award. It is, however, a challenge to assess all the talents out there in the field. It is for this reason that we are asking for your assistance and invite the residue scientist community **TO MAKE US AWARE OF CANDIDATES FOR THE YOUNG SCIENTIST AWARD.** Criteria for aspirant award holders could be originality and quality of the delivered work, but factors such as powerful representation of the profession and making the work understandable to the public can also be considered as a reason for listing a candidate. Preferably, of the results of the nominee's work are accessible, for example publications in high-standard peer-reviewed scientific journals. Though there are no specific age-limits, the nominee should be considered "young" by generally accepted qualitative terms.

Please make your nominee with a brief, adequate justification known to the Chair of the Scientific Committee before March 1st, 2016

PRESENTATIONS

Abstracts are invited for consideration for oral or poster presentation on residues of pharmacologically active compounds, such as antibiotics, growth promoters, parasiticides and disinfectants, in food of animal origin and other relevant matrices.

The central theme of the conference will be on modern approaches in the control of residues, advances in analytical methods and the application of such methods in inspection and control. Within this context, the Scientific Committee would also welcome contributions on: aspects of residue depletion (including metabolites); 'omic' technologies; robotics; hyphenated techniques; developments in screening and confirmatory analysis; legislative aspects; monitoring based on risk analysis and epidemiological information; and the environment as a source of residues in food producing animals.

Oral and poster contributions are considered to be of equal status. The Scientific Committee will decide on acceptance and on the manner of presentation.

Abstracts, not exceeding 200 words, should be submitted via the EuroResidue website, using the format supplied. Authors of accepted abstracts will be invited to submit full manuscripts for publication in the symposium proceedings. Full manuscripts will be considered for inclusion in the proceedings only when the registration fee is received.

KEY DATES

Abstract submission	1 October 2015
Notification of acceptance	January 2016
Deadline Early Registration fee	1 March 2016
Full manuscript submission	1 March 2016

EXHIBITION

Laboratory supplies, instruments, equipment, test kits and other items related to the subject of the meeting will be exhibited by various companies.

CONFERENCE LANGUAGE

English only



EuroResidue VIII

Conference on Residues of Veterinary Drugs in Food

23 - 25 May 2016

**Hotel Zuiderduin
Egmond aan Zee
The Netherlands**

**First circular
and call for papers**

DEAR COLLEAGUE,

On behalf of the EuroResidue Conference Foundation, and the Scientific- and Organising Committees, it is our pleasure to invite you to EuroResidue VIII, which will be held 23 to 25 May 2016 in Egmond aan Zee, The Netherlands.

The EuroResidue Conferences are intended to include all aspects of the control of residues of veterinary drugs. Special emphasis is placed upon recent developments related to the detection and determination of residues in food, feed and other relevant matrices, pharmaceutical and toxicological studies, and veterinary drug registration and regulation. Previous EuroResidue Conferences were held in 1990, 1993, 1996, 2000, 2004, 2008 and 2012. The last "Ghent" meeting (the 7th International Symposium on Hormone and Veterinary Drug Residue Analysis, which is complementary to the EuroResidue series) took place in 2014.

Once again, the intention is to bring together experts and interested persons from various scientific disciplines to enable them to discuss developments and problems in the field of residue analysis and control, and to debate and exchange ideas and opinions.

The program includes keynote lectures, oral and poster presentations, workshops and a display of commercial products.

The conference venue has meeting facilities, participant accommodation, restaurants and bars all under a single roof and offers excellent opportunities for informal contacts and networking. Conference participants can breathe fresh sea air at the Dutch seaside only 100 meters from the venue, allowing the opportunity to clear the head after long, inspiring days.

We hope to see you all in May 2016 at EuroResidue VIII.

Yours sincerely,

Aldert Bergwerff	Saskia Sterk	Andrew Cannavan
EuroResidue	Organising	Scientific
Foundation	Committee	Committee

PRELIMINARY SCIENTIFIC OUTLINE

In addition to the general topics related to the scope of the conference, EuroResidue VIII will feature a number of specific topics. Contributions for oral or poster presentation are called for on:

- New techniques and approaches
- Broad screening methods, big data, non-targeted screening
- Advances in confirmatory analysis, new techniques
- The environment and residues
- Antibiotic resistance and alternatives to antibiotics

ORGANISING COMMITTEE

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SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

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PROCEEDINGS

The proceedings will be available at the start of the conference. Authors will be invited to elaborate their manuscript into a full paper, which, in case of acceptance, will be published in a peer-reviewed proceedings scientific journal following the meeting.

REGISTRATION FEES

Early registration € 615 (Until 2016.03.01)
Late registration € 665 (After 2016.03.01)
1 day registration € 200

The full registration fee includes proceedings, get-together party, refreshments, three lunches, an evening meal, an excursion and a congress dinner.

ACCOMMODATION

A single room with a private bathroom and WIFI, can be booked via de EuroResidue website. The price for a single room is 90 euro per night. More information on extra nights and double rooms can also be found on the registration EuroResidue website under 'registration'.

REGISTRATION

Conference registration and hotel reservations can be made on the EuroResidue website.

CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellation must be in writing and send to the Registration Office. Cancellation before March 1st 2016, will give you reimbursement of the registration fee minus € 50 handling charges. After this date there will be no fee refunded.

FURTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

A second circular will be published in February 2016. It will contain the complete meeting program, including the planned social events.

CONTACT AND INFORMATION

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