Training course

Ruminant methane emissions and measurement techniques

Organizing center: SRUC (UK)

Type of training: Web conference

Target participants

Early career researchers and research technicians Master or PhD students

Training objectives

After the training session, the trainee will be able to:

- Describe the principles of operation of respiration chambers for measuring methane emissions
- Outline the available short-term measurement techniques for estimating methane emissions from ruminants
- Understand the strengths and weaknesses of these techniques

Pre requisite skills

Graduate-level understanding of ruminant production systems and ruminant nutrition/rumen function

Program

Theory and practice of the operation of respiration chambers

Short-term methane measurements (GreenFeed, 'sniffers' and laser methane detector) – theory, strengths and weaknesses

Pedagogical approach: Lecture – additional video material of the equipment will be available

Trainer

Dr Gemma Miller (SRUC)

Duration: 1 hour (Webconference)

Date of course

October 2nd, 2019, 9 am to 10 am (GMT)

Deadline for registration: 18th September 2019

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