

FACULTY CRITICAL TO THE SUCCESS OF COE

As many of their colleagues were enjoying a long summer break, the Center of Excellence Scholarship/Internship Program's faculty members took valuable time out of their summer schedules to prepare a curriculum, travel to Madison, and share their valuable knowledge and expertise with our COE students. These dedicated individuals include nationally recognized faculty from participating land grant institutions, experienced poultry industry representatives, and professionals from other universities and related agencies. Together, they serve as the backbone of the COE and provide students with unmatched expertise in the field of poultry.

A strong commitment by faculty members who are dedicated not only to the poultry industry but to the students they educate are at the core of the success the Center of Excellence Scholarship/Internship Program (COE) enjoys. Each year, leading faculty members commit themselves to educating the next generation of poultry industry leaders, making sure COE students are well-prepared to face the future challenges the poultry industry will present. The enthusiasm they bring to their work is evident and serves to generate excitement about future employment opportunities among COE students. With 30 faculty members, the COE program continued its outstanding student-to-faculty ratio in 2018!

Special thanks go to the following 2018 COE faculty members and guest speakers who dedicated their time and shared their expertise with COE students; without them, the COE would not be the success it is today. If you know any of these faculty or industry members, please acknowledge their dedication to the future of the poultry industry. (*Course Coordinators*)

SUMMER SESSION I

Avian Physiology

Greg Fraley, *Hope College*
John Parrish, *University of Wisconsin-Madison*
Yuko Sato, *Iowa State University*

Breeder Flock & Hatchery Management

Ron Kean, *University of Wisconsin-Madison*
Sally Noll, *University of Minnesota*
Ian Rubinoff, *Hy-Line International*
Mike Wineland, *North Carolina State University*

Poultry Products Technology

Adam Borger, *University of Wisconsin-Madison*
Beth Button, *University of Wisconsin-Madison*
Deana Jones, *USDA-ARS*
Andy Milkowski, *University of Wisconsin-Madison*
Mark Richards, *University of Wisconsin-Madison*
Manpreet Singh, *University of Georgia*
Robby Weyker, *University of Wisconsin-Madison*

SUMMER SESSION II

Avian Health

Maria Arendt, *University of Wisconsin-Madison*
Mick Fulton, *Michigan State University*

Poultry Nutrition

Elizabeth Bobeck, *Iowa State University*
Caitlin Evans, *Kansas State University*
Carl Parsons, *University of Illinois*
April Waguespack-Levy, *DSM Nutritional Products*

Poultry Enterprise Management

Cody Brockway, *Organic Valley Co-op*
Steven Corbitt, *Maple Leaf Farms*
Trudy DeRemer, *MacFarlane Pheasants*
Kelsey Held, *GNP Company*
Ken Koelkebeck, *University of Illinois*
Keith Kulow, *Daybreak Foods*
Nick Levedoski, *Organic Valley Co-op*
Beth Nelson, *MPC*
Megan O'Rourke, *University of Wisconsin-Madison*
Chelsea Russell, *MPC*
Jillian Theiler, *Daybreak Foods*