

DKF The Danish Association of Vets
Certified in Cattle Production
and Diseases

ANNUAL MEETING

For all cattle vets

**12-13
MARCH
2024**

Hotel Koldingfjord
Fjordvej 154, Kolding
Denmark

➔ **TOPIC: How to Improve Productivity,
Welfare and Longevity**

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PROGRAM 12 MARCH

Arriving and Coffee

Opening and Welcome

Dairy Cattle Welfare:

The Key Issues and How Do We Improve Care on Farms?

Marina (Nina) von Keyserlingk, NSERC Industrial Research Chair Professor, Animal Welfare, University of British Columbia

Optimizing Diets and Their Management with Cow Behavior

Trevor de Vries, Professor and Canada Research Chair in Dairy Cattle Behaviour and Welfare, University of Guelph

Speakers Corner x 2

Coffee Break

Managing Transition Cows for Success

Trevor de Vries, Professor and Canada Research Chair in Dairy Cattle Behaviour and Welfare, University of Guelph

Speakers Corner x 2

Lunch and Exhibition

Transition Period and Transition Cow Management for Modulating Inflammation

Adrian Barragan, Associate Research Professor, Penn State University

Speakers Corner x 2

Coffee Break

Regodkendelse som fagdyrlæge

Preben Bjerre, Certified in Cattle Production and Diseases

General Assembly

Welcome Reception

Conference Dinner

PROGRAM 13 MARCH

Highlights from the UBC Animal Welfare Program

Marina (Nina) von Keyserlingk, NSERC Industrial Research Chair Professor, Animal Welfare, University of British Columbia

Coffee Break

Speakers Corner x 2

Subclinical Hypocalcaemia

Rafael Neves, Assistant Professor, Food Animal Production Medicine, Section Head, Bovine Field Service, Purdue University

Speakers Corner x 2

Coffee Break

Increased Welfare for the Cows

Anja Juul Freudendal, Cand. Agro. Senior Specialist

Speakers Corner x 2

The Role of the Immune System during the Transition Period

Rafael Neves, Assistant Professor, Food Animal Production Medicine, Section Head, Bovine Field Service, Purdue University

Closing

Lunch and goodbye