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ADSA 2018 Annual Meeting in Knoxville, Tennessee

The 2018 ADSA Annual Meeting is scheduled for June 24–27, 2018, in Knoxville, Tennessee. This meeting will address many topics and issues of interest to you as a scientist or practitioner involved in teaching, extension, research, and commercial activities in all areas of dairy science.

Please visit our 2018 meeting website (https://www.adsa.org/2018/) to find instructions for electronic submission of abstracts (deadline: February 21, 2018, 11:59 p.m. CST). Other valuable information on the website includes program highlights, quality standards for abstracts, instructions for poster presentations, housing information, and undergraduate and graduate contest information.

The 2018 ADSA Annual Meeting Overall Program Committee and the individual program committees have developed an exciting program that includes approximately 25 symposia and workshops. Sessions will include platform sessions, panel discussions, workshops, and other formats, as well as oral presentations by internationally known speakers and traditional poster sessions. The outstanding planning by these committees ensures that this will be a value-packed meeting.

Special efforts are underway to welcome graduate and undergraduate students as well as industry personnel to the 2018 ADSA Annual Meeting. Again, the meeting concept will include several symposia geared to help all students succeed in various aspects of the animal agriculture industry.

Graduate Student Literature Reviews

Graduate students may now submit their literature reviews (as Grad Student Lit Review) to be evaluated by the journal for publication as review papers. Manuscripts must be prepared according to JDS Style and Form (http://www.journalofdairyscience.org/content/inst-auth), contain no more than 30 double-spaced pages, and be submitted to the appropriate scientific section of the journal (not as invited reviews). Students submitting papers should note in the cover letter that the paper is a graduate student literature review, that they are competing for the Graduate Student Literature Review Award and indicate the category in which they are competing (PhD Production Division, MS Production Division, PhD Dairy Foods Division, MS Dairy Foods Division). A full description of the award can be found on the ADSA website (https://www.adsa.org/Membership/ADSAAwards.aspx).