International conference on pig welfare:

# Improving pig welfare – what are the ways forward?



Copenhagen Denmark 29<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> April 2015







# Please join us for a two-day international conference in Copenhagen focusing on pig welfare!

The conference is free of charge and is open to all with an interest in the field of animal welfare, pig production and research.

The programme contains presentations from highly esteemed scientists and specialists who will present recent knowledge on animal welfare with the main focus on pigs. The conference will in several workshops facilitate discussions on the ways forward for pig welfare. A concluding panel discussion will bring together different stakeholders' views on the ways forward for improving pig welfare. Finally, the conference welcomes researchers to present posters on projects focusing on pig welfare.

## **CONFERENCE TOPICS INCLUDE:**

- Recent knowledge on tail docking and castration
- Recent knowledge on piglet and sow mortality
- Animal welfare in the organic pig production
- Pig welfare and sustainability
- Use of animal welfare indicators to improve animal welfare
- The ability of market forces to drive animal welfare improvements?
- The role of education in improving animal welfare?

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Conference registration opens: December 15<sup>th</sup> 2014

Deadline for registration: January 30<sup>th</sup> 2015

Deadline for poster abstract submission: February 25th 2015

Conference dates: April 29<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> 2015

REGISTRATION (from December 15<sup>th</sup> 2014)

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### FURTHER INFORMATION

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