

STAKEHOLDER NEWS



IGP Institute
INTERNATIONAL GRAINS PROGRAM

Upcoming in May

IGP-KSU Baking Basics Training: Bread, Cakes, and Cookies



Carlos Campabadal, IGP feed manufacturing and grain quality management specialist introduces Peter Ferket, a faculty member specializing in nutrition and biotechnology and director of the Animal Food and Nutrition Consortium at North Carolina State University prior to his presentation for the USSEC participants.

IGP Institute Hosts USSEC Stepping Ahead with U.S. Soy Course at the K-State Olathe Campus

The IGP Institute and USSEC partnered to bring 37 participants to K-State's Olathe campus for a three-day course held April 26–28.

Animal nutritionists and feed industry professionals from Guatemala, Colombia, El Salvador, Panama, Peru, El Salvador, Honduras, Mexico, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Venezuela, and the Dominican Republic viewed presentations from guest faculty specializing in poultry and swine nutrition from multiple universities in the United States.

Lectures and presentations during the three-day course covered a variety of topics from specific animal nutrition requirements to feed additives and discussions of new technology, enzymes, protein

requirements, and sustainability throughout the industry. The final sessions covered feed processing and grain management.

Each day concluded with a question and answer session and evening dinners at local restaurants. The final night ended with a closing ceremony banquet and the presentation of course certificates.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY

April Participant Numbers

60

Distance

37

On-site



April Trainings and Activities

- USSEC Americas' Stepping Ahead with US Soy course at the KSU Olathe campus – 37 participants
 - IGP–KSU Grain Procurement and Purchasing Course (Virtual)
 - IGP–USSEC Japan: Grain Procurement and Purchasing Course (Virtual)
 - Presented Notes and Observations in International Commodity Markets. A weekly set of headline articles of events impacting the international grain and oilseed markets; distributed to faculty, key stakeholders, and an international audience, as well as being posted on the Ag Manager website. Learn more at <https://www.grains.k-state.edu/igp/on-site-training/grain-marketing/>
 - Recap of Weekly U.S. Grain and Oilseed Export Shipment and Sales. A weekly set of analysis and data recapping the recent and year to date export shipment and sales. Distributed internally to IGP and to key stakeholders, and an international audience, as well as being posted on the Ag Manager website.
 - KSU Agriculture Today, with Eric Atkinson – Podcast: Prepared and presented the 20 minute podcast covering: “Highlights of Issues Facing the International Grain Trade” reflected in this month’s USDA WASDE International Trade Markets Report
 - Met with Kansas Grain Sorghum Commission
 - Met with Olido Foods Ltd (a Chinese owned company) to discuss U.S. wheat and grain export supply chain and execution to China
 - Attended KSU Flinchbaugh Wheat Seminar
 - Presented at the University and Industry Consortium
 - Met with Kelly Grains – Grain Merchant and Logistics Specialist for a discussion of grain storage and handling in the U.S., and a tour of IGP and the Wheat Innovation Center
 - Met with KDA on Aquacultural training program
 - Met with Grain Sorghum Check-Off Staff
 - Met with USDA on Cochran Program: U.S. Wheat Marketing and Promotion for Morocco and Tunisia
 - Attended KARL Experience Wrap-Up Meeting
 - Met with IAOM for on-site course programming
 - Participated in milling study on HRW vs HWW wheat for U.S. Wheat Associates and Kansas Wheat Commission
 - Traveled to Egypt to work with AGCO’s Ciambria for technical assistance in wheat storage
 - Presented on behalf of KSU at the Stand Up for Grain Safety on Work Safety on Cold and Hot Weather
 - Presented on behalf of KSU at the Stand Up for Grain Safety on Infectious Diseases
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