

55° ANNUAL MEETING
Associazione Scientifica di Avicoltura
Italian Branch of World's Poultry Science Association



1st Joint Meeting Organized by
Associazione Scientifica di Avicoltura
& Società Italiana di Patologia Aviare

Microbiota:
perspectives and
applications in
poultry production
chain

in collaboration with
Forlì Fair

Forlì – March 29th, 2019

Sala Europa
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*On behalf of the Board of our Associations,
we are delighted to invite you to join*

1st Joint Meeting organized by Associazione Scientifica di Avicoltura & Società Italiana di Patologia Aviare

which will take place on March 29th, 2019
at Sala Europa of the Forlì Fair
Via Punta di Ferro, Forlì



Martino Cassandro
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*Simultaneous translation (Italian – English / English – Italian)
will be available during the meeting*

PROGRAMME

9:00 Opening address

Gian Luca Bagnara, *President of Forlì Fair*
Martino Cassandro, *President of Associazione Scientifica di Avicoltura*
Mattia Cecchinato, *President of Società Italiana di Patologia Aviare*

9:10 Microbiome-host: the complex transgenomic interaction,
Patrizia Brigidi, *Dept. of Pharmacy and Biotechnology, University of Bologna, Italy*

9:40 Current perspectives of the chicken gastrointestinal tract and its microbiome, Daniel Borda Molina, *Institute of Animal Science, University of Hohenheim, Germany*

10:25 Coffee break

10:45 Sequencing strategies to investigate the dynamics of microbial communities in poultry: state of art and future opportunities, Gerardo Manfreda, *Dept. of Agricultural and Food Sciences, University of Bologna, Italy*

11:30 Field experience on the use of a multi-species synbiotic on gut health and production parameters in broiler breeders and their progeny, Zoi Prentza, *Dept. of Poultry Diseases, University of Thessaly, Greece*

12:15 How can probiotics affect birds and their microbiome in commercial poultry production? Daniel Petri, *Global Product Line Manager – Microbials, BIOMIN Holding GmbH, Austria*

13:00 Discussion and Conclusions

13:15 Lunch break

14:30 Meeting of WPSA members (Sala Goberti)

N.B. Participation will be free of charge, but participants (also WPSA members) are requested to pre-register through email (info@wnsa.it) or just by doodle poll (<https://doodle.com/poll/k7dqa3tsfugeg25e>)