

2011 2nd International Aquaculture Biosecurity Conference and Workshop

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Trondheim, Norway

www.IABConference.org

Early registration deadline (*June 1*) is fast approaching for a unique conference and workshop dealing with the Advances in Practical Approaches in Prevention, Control, and Eradication of Infectious and Contagious Aquatic Animal Diseases. The 2nd International Aquaculture Biosecurity Conference (IABC) will be followed with a Workshop covering the entire value chain of production of sea food. This 'first of its kind' workshop includes visits at operations and farms for brood fish, smolt, and salmon at sea. Practical biosecurity using the biosecurity manual and the biosecurity check list will be presented at all sites. Biosecurity at the slaughterhouse will also be included.

The IABC website contains information on speakers, a call for oral and poster presentations, the requirements for abstract submission, and information on registration, travel, hotel and local activities.

Take advantage of the discounted early registration rate by June 1 and submit an oral or poster presentation abstract. The IABC Conference and Workshop are open to aquaculture producers, veterinarians, and government officials to share opinions about practical approaches to biosecurity including:

- Components of ideal biosecurity plans and programs
- International, regional and national strategies
- Identifying and prioritizing hazardous diseases and evaluating risks
- Determining and mitigating hazardous disease critical control points and risks
- Disease epidemiology, surveillance and monitoring
- Determining disease status and freedom
- Control and eradication contingency plans and programs
- Disease diagnostics, medical and farm record keeping
- Use of Practical Biosecurity Manual and hands-on Workshop

Early travel and accommodations are recommended for the IABC and the AquaNOR tradeshow (the largest in the world) as summer in Trondheim is a high tourist season.

For registration, abstract submission, travel, hotel and local activities go to www.IABConference.org.

Additional information can be obtained from the IABC Secretariat (IABCsec@iastate.edu)

English and Spanish Flyers, and a Program Outline are attached