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Cooperation with Gerhardt – Analytical Systems

We are grateful to C. Gerhardt GmbH & Co. KG, Königswinter/Germany, for generously providing us with the FIBRETHERM® - Fully Automatic Sample Preparation for Crude Fibre Analysis, valued at approx. EUR 20,000.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to C. Gerhardt GmbH & Co. KG for this generous donation to the IFF!

The project is being supervised by our research associate, Patrick Sudwischer.

EVENT DATES

Workshop “Soya treatment – From cultivation to the end product ” from 8 to 10 November 2023 (German)

In November, we are offering a 3-day workshop in collaboration with the Donau Soja Organisation e.V., Vienna, focusing on the topic of soya processing and production to animal feed. The aim of this workshop is not only to convey relevant basic and user knowledge, but above all to create an understanding of the interrelationships in the thermal and hydrothermal treatment of soya.

This event is aimed at agricultural self-processors and self-mixers, employees in small and medium-sized agricultural businesses, cooperatives, producer associations, in the agricultural trade sector, as well as employees in feed manufacturing companies, oil mills and in plant and mechanical engineering.



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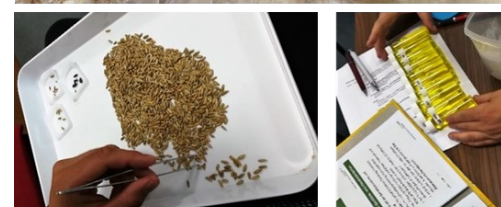


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Compact Course “Basics of compound feed production” from 21 to 23 November 2023 (German)

Feed ingredients play a crucial role in the production of safe food. In our compact course, essential knowledge required for expertise and production of compound feed is provided in a concise format:

- Basic operations in the feed mill
- Measurement technology
- Feed legislation
- Quality management and plant safety
- Animal nutrition and feed science



Expert Conference “Feed hygienisation” on 28 November 2023 (German)

Gain up-to-date knowledge on feed hygiene from both regulatory and scientific perspectives. Our conference offers exclusive presentations and insights into the latest scientific findings and regulatory guidelines. You will have the opportunity to engage in direct discussions with leading experts at the forefront of feed research and regulation. You will be equipped with practical knowledge of best practices that will help you optimise feed hygiene in your company.

This conference is designed for executives and individuals interested in the feed industry, machinery and equipment manufacturing, quality management personnel in the feed industry and agricultural trade, as well as animal nutritionists.



Source: <https://www.efs-holland.com/de/neuigkeiten/mykotoxine/>

You can find more information about our events on our website at www.iff-braunschweig.de.

We look forward to receiving registrations from your organisation!

REVIEW

Meet the Scientist at phaeno Wolfsburg

As part of the Volkswagen Group’s “Meet the Scientist” cooperation, scientists from the region presented their research work at a “research stand” in the middle of the phaeno exhibition on 13 July 2023.

Patrick Sudwischer, research associate at the IFF, had the opportunity to interact with guests and convey his work in an understandable manner. He highlighted the challenges in researching new food products and the level of high-tech involved in mixed feed production.



Practical Course “Essentials of feed compounding technologies” from 5 to 7 September 2023 (English)

In our 3-day English-language practical course “Essentials of feed compounding technologies” we welcomed participants from Italy, Denmark, Sweden, the Netherlands, and Saudi Arabia to the IFF.

The central theme of this course was process technology, providing participants with insights into the production process of feed manufacturers. Other topics covered the use of various resources, quality control, energy management and safety assessment.

A big thank you goes to Lars Wiehen and Jens Sporkmann (both from Amandus Kahl), Karsten Frese (Tietjen) and Bart van den Brand (KSE) for their contributions to the success of the event!



Photo: Participants of the practical course

Excursion to the IFF

On 26 September 2023, as part of an excursion, 53 apprentices and their supervisors from Amandus Kahl GmbH & Co. KG, Reinbek, visited us.

In addition to a presentation about IFF by the general manager Rolf-Michael Blume, there was also a guided tour of the institute’s technical facilities.



Photo: Trainees of the Kahl company

102nd Meeting of the Scientific Advisory Board (WB) of the IFF

On 4 October 2023, the WB meeting took place as an in-person event.

Topics included ongoing projects, those in the application phase and newly proposed project ideas up for discussion.



Photo: Participants of the WB meeting

Practical Course “Basic processes in compound feed production” on 10 and 11 October 2023 (German)

This practical course aimed primarily to empower participants to develop an understanding of the interaction between plant operation and machine selection and its impact on product quality and energy requirements.

Furthermore, it provided insights into the use of essential measurement and testing methods that are mandatory for characterising relevant material properties. The course content was reinforced through practical exercises. The open dialogue between participants and instructors consistently offered the opportunity to discuss questions or current issues.

IFF MEMBERSHIP

We warmly welcome UBM Feed Zrt. from Hungary as a new member of the IFF.

The UBM Group is a leading Hungarian-owned feed manufacturer and the market-leading trading conglomerate for cereals, oilseeds and protein crops in Hungary.