

# First Workshop of National Reference Laboratories for Parasites

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## Agenda

8.30	<b>Welcome</b> Ronald Dwinger, Edoardo Pozio,
8.40	<b>CRL presentation</b> Edoardo Pozio, Patrizia Rossi
9.10	<b>NRL presentations</b> Walter Glawischnig, Jean De Borchgrave, Bretislav Koudela, Charlotte Maddox-Hytte, Pascal Boireau, Karsten Nockler, Sofia Boutsini, Ruta Bubuliene, Joke van der Giessen, Janez Posedi, and Dan Christensson
11.10	<b>Coffee break</b>
11.30	<b>Presentation of the Results of the Ring Trial on ELISA to detect anti-<i>Trichinella</i> IgG in swine sera</b> Maria Angeles Gomez Morales
12.00	<b>Discussion and concluding remarks</b>
13.00	<b>Lunch</b>

14.00	<b>Presentation of the Guideline on the detection of <i>Trichinella</i> larvae at the slaughterhouse in a Quality Assurance System</b> Edoardo Pozio, Patrizia Rossi
14.20	<b>Discussion and concluding remarks</b>
14.50	<b>Presentation of the France Ring Trial on digestion methods at the abattoirs</b> Pascal Boireau
15.20	<b>Discussion and concluding remarks</b>
15.30	<b>Coffee break</b>
15.45	<b>Identification and development of sampling methods and design of suitable protocols for monitoring of indicator species</b> Edoardo Pozio
16.10	<b>Discussion and concluding remarks</b>
16.30	<b>Examination of piglets of less than 6 weeks old for <i>Trichinella</i> (derogation requested from Italy and Spain)</b> Ronald Dwinger
17.00	<b>Future tasks and fields of interest</b> Ronald Dwinger, Edoardo Pozio
17.30	<b>End of the workshop</b>

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