

## **Workshop 'Researchers link European industrial partners'**

### Calendar and venue

This workshop will take place in Pulawy, Poland, on the 8th December 2016, 9.00-13.00 (<http://www.piwet.pulawy.pl/asf-stop/>)

### Bakground and objectives

The workshop brings together non-academic actors from industry and researchers and is open to all participants.

The workshop aims at enabling fruitful collaboration between scientists and business, facilitating application of research into commercial development of tools to combat ASF. The scientists will interact directly with the industrial partners to explore opportunities to translate research findings into commercial products such as development of improved diagnostic kits, innovations and advances in ASF vaccines, safe and practical devices for transport of samples, protective clothes to work on pig farms enabling high biosecurity, and techniques for non-invasive sampling of wild boar, such as materials to collect saliva for virus and antibody detection.

### Facilities

There will be 10 exhibition booths free of charge for the first 10 industrial partners who register to the workshop and would like to present their products.

### **Workshop Program**

**09:00-09:20** - Opening and introduction. Francisco Ruiz-Fons (Vice-chair ASF-STOP) and Dolores Gavier-Widén (Chair ASF-STOP)

**09:20-09:30** - Tour de table

**09:20-9.50** - Advances in ASF diagnosis in domestic and wild suids. Sandra Blome, Friedrich-Loeffler-Institut, Germany

**9.50-10:20** - Mitigation of health conflicts at the wildlife-livestock interface: know-how transference. Mariana Boadella, SABIOTEC, Spain

**10:20-10:50** - Coffee break

**10:50-11:20** - Opportunities for industrial interactions on ASFV vaccines, Linda Dixon, The Pirbright Institute, UK

**11:20-11:50** - Implementation of control and biosecurity measures to avoid African Swine Fever spread in pig premises. Silvia Bellini, Istituto Zooprofilattico Sperimentale della Lombardia ed Emilia, Italy

**11:50-12:10** - SAFOSO role in projects on ASF and at the interface between science, policy makers and industries. Marco de Nardi, SAFOSO, Switzerland

**12:15-13:00** - Round table discussion: What can we do to improve transference between researchers and the industry in relation to ASF?

Invited Speakers (Linda Dixon, Sandra Blome, Mariana Boadella, Silvia Bellini), Moderators (Francisco Ruiz-Fons and Dolores Gavier-Widén), SME Representative (Marco de Nardi).