



Friday Notes from *MSSTATE Poultry Science*

Friday Notes - to keep you informed about noteworthy news from Poultry Science at Mississippi State....and let us hear from you as well!

Poultry Science Department News: Faculty, Staff, and Student Travel and Activities.

- **Drs. Beck** and **Tabler** participated in the annual Legislative Luncheon sponsored by the Mississippi Egg Board, Jan 28
- **Dr. Kiess** presented a talk entitled, "Supporting Poultry Health Through Science - MSU's New Animal BSL-2 Facility," MPA Poultry Health Seminar, MS Ag and Forestry Museum, Jackson, March 6; **Drs. Tabler** and **Sadler** attended the Seminar
- **Dr. Beck** participated in the PSA Foundation Board of Trustees meeting conference call and then in a Skype meeting with the head of the poultry division, Ministry of Primary Industries, New Zealand, March 7.
- **Dr. Beck** participated in the CALS Annual Distinguished Fellows Alumni dinner at the M Club, along with a strong contingent of Poultry Science Advisory Board members, March 7.
- **The Poultry Department** met with the Poultry Science Advisory Board for updates and discussions, March 8.

Congratulations to....

- **Andrew Brown**, MS grad student with **Dr. Wamsley**, for successfully defending his Master's thesis, Jan. 24.
- **Jessica Wells**, PhD grad student with **Dr. McDaniel**, for successfully defending her Doctoral thesis, March 4.
- **Dr. Ryn Laster**, Poultry Science alumna and 2019 Distinguished Fellow for Poultry Science, March 7-8.

Recent Publicatios:

- **Claudia Castañeda, Christopher McDaniel, Hossam Abdelhamed, Attila Karsi, Aaron S. Kiess**, 2019. Evaluating bacterial colonization of a developing broiler embryo after in ovo injection with a bioluminescent bacteria. Poultry Sci. <https://doi.org/10.3382/ps/pez053>.
- **Xi Wang Yuhua Z Farnell Aaron S Kiess E David Peebles Kelley G S Wamsley Wei Zhai**, 2019. "Effects of *Bacillus subtilis* and coccidial vaccination on cecal microbial diversity and composition of *Eimeria*-challenged male broilers," Poultry Sci. <https://doi.org/10.3382/ps/pez096>

Cumulative List of Scientific and Extension Publications, 2019

- **Abstracts of Presentations at the IPSF, Atlanta, February 11-12, 2019; these can be accessed at www.ippexpo.org/ispf:**
 - **Chrysta Beck***, **Christopher McDaniel**, **Kelley Wamsley**, G. Pharr, **Aaron Kiess**, “In ovo injection of probiotic bacteria and its influence on the broiler immune system during a coccidia challenge”
 - **Abdulmohsen Alqhtani***, Scott Branton, Jeff Evans, **Katie Elliott**, **David Peebles**, “The effects of in ovo administration of 6/85 Mycoplasma gallisepticum vaccine on layer chicken embryo hatchability and early post-hatch performance “
 - **Andrew Brown***, Mark Lemons, **Christopher McDaniel**, Joseph Moritz, **Kelley Wamsley**, “Determining the average particle size (APS) consumed between two broiler strains (S) receiving diets varying in feed form (FF) and feed quality (FQ) and the subsequent impact on starter performance (0-6 and 0-18 d)”
 - **Courtney Ennis***, Mark Jackson, Omar Gutierrez, Staci Cantley, **Kelley Wamsley**, “Effects of superdosing phytase and use of carbohydrase enzymes in low energy diets on 56 day male broiler performance and processing”
 - **Milan Sharma***, Carlos Domenech, **Pratima Adhikari**, “Effect of feeding pronutrient (Alquernat Nebsui L) on hen day egg production, egg quality and small intestine histomorphology of laying hens. ‘
 - **Bo Zhang***, **Wei Zhai**, “Effects of riboflavin on growth performance, processing yield, and internal organ development of Ross 708 male broilers”
 - **Saman Fatemi***, **Katie Elliot**, Abiodun Bello, Bradley Turner, Haijun Zhang, **Edgar Peebles**, “Effects of the in ovo injection of vitamin D3 and 25-hydroxyvitamin D3 on immunity and small intestine morphology in broilers fed commercial or calcium and phosphorous-restricted diets”
 - **Rosana Hirai***, Leonel Mejia, Cesar Coto, Justina Caldas, **Christopher McDaniel**, **Kelley Wamsley**, “Impact of feeding varying grower digestible lysine and energy levels to female Cobb MV × Cobb 500 broilers on 42-day growth performance and processing yield”
 - **Katie Elliott***, Scott Branton, Jeffrey Evans, **Edgar Peebles**, “Early chick immunity after in ovo vaccination of F strain Mycoplasma gallisepticum and the influence of sex on the response to the vaccination”
 - **Josie Gamble***, **Claudia Castaneda**, **Kelley Wamsley**, **Christopher McDaniel**, **Aaron Kiess**, “In ovo injected Bacillus subtilis probiotic serotypes alter broiler hatchability and intestinal microflora”
 - **Lauren Lindsey***, **Katie Elliott**, **Seyed Fatemi**, **Peter Ishola**, Patrick Gerard, **Edgar Peebles**, “Incubational and embryonic temperature relationships in Ross 708 broiler hatching eggs”