

TO THE LANDHOLDER



Graham Centre Livestock Forum

Market updates and new research that can be applied on-farm

Friday 26 July 2019 | 9.00am–3.00pm (8.30am for 9.00am start)
Convention Centre, Charles Sturt University, Wagga Wagga

Register now

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\$25 per person

Includes morning tea and lunch

Please note:

pre-payment is essential – no payments accepted on the day



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Whether you're a sheep producer, a beef producer or both – there's something for you at the Graham Centre's 2019 Livestock Forum.

Our new format means you can access the research that's most relevant to you and get to speak to our experts.

This year we're running keynote presentations, concurrent sessions and research snapshots so you can choose a program that suits you best.

There is also an opportunity for you to help shape the research agenda during a facilitated workshop.

We've also set time aside so you can speak one-on-one with our researchers.

Keynote presentations:

Chops, T-bones and Vita Brits: the decisions, implementation and outcomes of adding a sheep enterprise to our business
(Murray Scholz, Scholz Farming)

Managing pasture fertility: short and long-term
(Jim Virgona, Graminus Consulting)

Red meat industry overview
(Meat & Livestock Australia)



Morning tea

Concurrent sessions

Sheep	Beef
Impact of calcium and magnesium supplements on lamb performance (Forough Ataollahi, NSW Department of Primary Industries)	Growing beef on dual purpose crops (Jeff McCormick, Charles Sturt University)
Increasing lamb growth rates on pastures – assessing novel legumes and supplements for lambs grazing lucerne (Shawn McGrath, Charles Sturt University)	Hydatid disease – a risk to your enterprise? (Cara Wilson, PhD student, Charles Sturt University)
Outlook for wool (Australian Wool Innovation)	The effect of Bovilis MH + IBR vaccination on weight gain in pre-feedlot steers (Fauve Buckley, Honours student, Charles Sturt University)
Breeding for quality lamb meat from merinos (Sue Mortimer, NSW Department of Primary Industries)	Pestivirus eradication and biosecurity on-farm (Rachael Long, Honours student, Charles Sturt University)
	Angus Australia: research and development for the commercial producer (Christian Duff, Angus Australia)

Driving the research agenda facilitated workshop

Research snapshots:

- Investigating the use of caffeine to increase lamb survival
(Susan Robertson, Charles Sturt University)
- Crush side test to aid bull fertility assessment
(Mark Baker, University of Newcastle and Allan Gunn, Charles Sturt University)
- How can we be better prepared for protecting our industries against foot and mouth disease?
(Marta Hernandez-Jover, Charles Sturt University)
- Investigation of the effects of grain processing on the performance of mixed-sex crossbred weaner lambs in feedlots
(Sabrina Meurs, Honours student, Charles Sturt University)
- Cutting for hay can increase barley grass in pasture
(John Piltz, NSW Department of Primary Industries)
- Drought and supplementary feed calculator
(Geoff Casburn, NSW Department of Primary Industries)
- Pain relief for castration (sheep and cattle)
(Bruce Allworth, Charles Sturt University)

Lunch

Meet the researchers

