

### ANSC 481 – Team Presentations Fall 2015

<u>Date</u>	<u>Guest Faculty</u>	<u>Presentation Topic</u>	<u>Team</u>
September 22	Dr. Plaut	Tail docking in dairy cattle	1
October 20	Dr. Cabot	Research using domestic livestock – does it benefit agriculture & biomedicine	2
October 27	Dr. Lemenager	COOL (country of origin) – advantages vs concerns vs cost	3
November 3	Dr. Machaty	Cloning in animal agriculture – benefits and ethical issues	4
November 10	Dr. Lay	Animal Welfare	5
November 17	Dr. Schinckel	Farrowing Crates	6
December 1	Dr. Casey	Using BST and hormone free milk – is “organic milk” safer	7
December 8	Dr. Schoonmaker	Livestock greenhouse gas production	8

Guest Faculty email and bio can be developed from this site: <https://ag.purdue.edu/ansc/Pages/FacPhotoGallery.aspx>

**Team presentations** - each student will participate in team presentations on contemporary issues in the animal industry and will involve an oral presentation and class discussion. Team presentations will be in a discussion format with the presenting team providing at least 2 different perspectives on the issue assigned. The audience will be involved and will provide a “board” response, recommendations and ask questions.

**Procedures** - Investigate the topic and determine 2 or more perspectives of the issue assigned and **email (only 1 team member) the faculty member assigned to your date and seek their approval of the 2 or more perspectives your team plans to present. Once approved by the faculty member, email the topic and perspectives to Dr. Mathew (agmathew@purdue.edu) at least 1 week before your presentation and give a very brief summary in class 1 week before your presentation.** Use ‘ANSC 481’ in the subject line of your email message; and include the 2 or more perspectives in the body of the email message text. Five points will be deducted from the overall project grade for each day the email is late.

- **August 25** Teams will be assigned a topic and a date to present with 4 – 6 students.
- **Email the faculty member assigned to your date to obtain approval of the 2 proposed perspectives of the issue.**
- Teams will divide into subgroups to present different perspectives (Min 15 - max 20 minute presentation).
- Any concise, creative communication tool can be used– power point is limited to 2 slides.
- Your team will introduce the guest faculty member at the beginning of class. Develop your introduction from this site: <https://ag.purdue.edu/ansc/Pages/FacPhotoGallery.aspx>
- Format: a professional setting addressing 6 “mock boards” in class.
- A 5 minute working time will be provided after the presentation for the “boards” to prepare their recommendations and questions.
- The presenting team will be required to respond briefly to the board.