



Ibis Styles Mt Isa Verona - Camooweal Street Mount Isa City, QLD 4825 Wednesday 8 November - 8:00am - 1:30pm

Cost: Free | Includes Lunch

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Calf loss in beef breeding herds is a global problem causing reduced live weight production and lower profitability. Large studies in recent times have shown the major risk factors to be very different to that which cause calf loss in intensive or temperate region cattle systems.

Join us for this symposium, featuring respected Australian specialists, to discuss the opportunities available to manage cows for improved reproductive performance and productivity in northern Australia.

Featuring brief updates on current research & panel discussion from Australian specialists:



A/Prof Luis Prada e Silva



Prof John Gaughan



Dr Patricia Colusso



Emily Hinds



Dr Ian Braithwaite



Dr Dionne Walsh



Dr Kieren McCosker

Cow Cuddles: A New Way to Detect Suckling

Paddock Power: results from commercial datasets

Improving breeder herd performance through optimal pasture



Dr Christie Pearson



Dr Robyn Cowley

Kieren McCosker

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David Phelps



Prof David Phelps

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Time Programme 8:00 am Coffee on arrival Luis Prada e Silva 8:30 am Calf Alive: nourishing the future through cow nutrition 9:00 am Heat load impact on tropical cattle production John Gaughan Reading the signs, what animal behaviour tells us about heat 9:30 am Patricia Colusso stress 9:50 am Regional climate update **Emily Hinds** 10:10 am Breeding for profitability and resilience Ian Braithwaite 10:30 am Morning tea 11:00 am Research updates (short 10 min talks) Increase your "Paddock Power" to make great development Dionne Walsh





Light Lunch

decisions

utilisation

Panel discussion

12:00 pm

1:10 pm

1:30 pm