



The 23rd
INTERNATIONAL FARM MANAGEMENT CONGRESS

26th of June to 1st of July 2022

in
Copenhagen

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23rd IFMA Congress Program

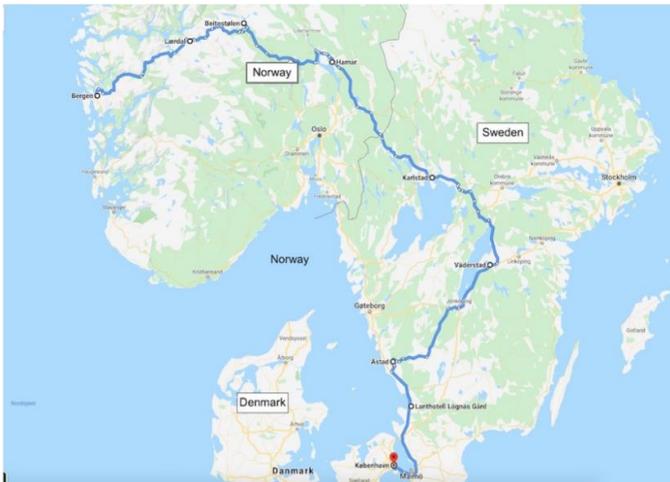
Overview

- 18th June – 25th June : Pre conference tour (Norway and Sweden)
- 25th June – 26th June: Next Gen Workshop (Sweden)
- 26th June – 1st July : IFMA conference (Copenhagen, Denmark)
- 1st July – 9th July : Post conference tour (Jutland, Denmark)

Pre conference tour (18.6 -25.6.)

The tour starts from Bergen, Norway on Sunday the 19th of June 2021. The tour goes via Sweden and ends on Saturday evening, June 25th in Copenhagen, Denmark.

In Norway the participants will get an understanding of Norwegian farming as well as admire the beautiful fjords and mountains on the way. The farm stops will focus on milk production in the mountains, how to adjust to changes in conditions for these farmers, and their ability to adjust. The tour will also look at trout farming and lowland dairy farming as well as high tech breeding of pigs, before travelling into Sweden.



In Sweden, the farms visited will focus on machinery to reduced tillage and a beautiful vineyard. The following days, the tour goes to a sheep farm and the tour ends with Midsummer Celebrations before traveling to Copenhagen on Saturday.

Next Gen Workshop (25.6-26.6.)

The Next Gen workshop is for the younger of the conference participants. The focus is on building the participants' knowledge of farm management as well as an international network between young farmers and agricultural sector participants.

The workshop will focus on the key elements in successful farm management. The work in the workshop will be based on selected case farms where the participants visit and present strategic plans based on the background material and discussions in the groups.

The workshop will consist of 30-40 younger participants from around the world and a number of selected seniors who together will work to provide the participants with both practical and theoretical inputs.

The Workshop will be carried out in Sweden (Lögnäs Lanthotell) and the groups will develop a Strategic plan which will be discussed with other group participants and the two owners who participate. Departure from Copenhagen 25th of June at 8 am and return on the 26th of June at 2 pm. It is possible to be on the pre-conference tour and join the Next Gen from Saturday morning.



IFMA CONGRESS PROGRAM (26.6. – 1.7.)



Sunday 26 th of June	
13.00 - 21.00	Registration opens KU Frederiksberg (Marble Hall)
15.00 - 16.00	Canal boat trip Departure from Nyhavn (location can be reached by Metro) See most of Copenhagen from the sea including the Little Mermaid and the Opera. Tours have been pre-booked
18.30 - 22.00	Welcome event At the Frederiksberg Campus Gardens near the main building Including a barbecue style event with roasted suckling pig

Monday 27 th June	
9.00	Partner tour starts at University Frederiksberg (outside Marble Hall)
8.30	Plenary Session DAY 1
8.30	Welcome to the IFMA conference Trevor Atkinson President of the International Farm Management Association Brian H. Jacobsen Chairman of the Organizing Committee
8.50	Strategic Farming and farm management- What is it? Introducing the 5 pillars as the conference focus Ove Karlsson / Jakob Vesterlund Olsen / Ole Christen Hallesby (SWE / DK / NOR)
9.15	The leaders of agriculture welcome The leaders of the Farming Unions DK: Søren Søndergaard, Danish Agriculture and Food Council NO: Bjørn Gimming, Norwegian Farmers Union SWE: Palle Borgström, The Federation of Swedish Farmers
10.00 – 10.30	Morning break
10.30	The Global Perspective after Corona -Agricultural policies and trade Professor and Director of IFPRI Johan Swinnen, Belgium
11.15	The financial perspective (income and value over time) Ruud Huirne, Rabobank
11.45	Political Risk The mink production in Denmark as a case for impact of political risk and farming Speaker : Knud Vest, Former chairman of European Fur Breeders Association

Monday 27 th June	
12.30 -13.30	Lunch
	Contributed Paper sessions
13.30 – 15.00	Parallel sessions
15.00 – 15.30	Afternoon break
15.30 – 17.30	Parallel sessions
18.30	Evening Reception at the KU University Old Hall (Nørregade 10)

Tuesday 28 th June	
08.00 – 17.00	Field trips - See overview
18.30	Evening meal on your own



Wednesday 29 th June	
9.00	Partner tour starts at KU Frederiksberg (outside Marble Hall)
9.00	Plenary Session DAY 2
8.00	IFMA General Meeting
9.00	The Ecological Sustainability Challenge Christel Cederberg, Ph.d. What does the market do about the challenges in ecological sustainability? Director Hanne Søndergaard, Arla
10.00 – 10.30	Morning break
10.30	What does the market do about the challenges in ecological sustainability VP Sustainability Governance Bernhard Stormyr, Yara
11.00 – 12.30	New market innovations? Associate Professor Kristin Bentsen, University of South East Norway, Norway New strategic market and product innovations CEO Maria Donis, Swedish Birds Association
12.30 -13.30	Lunch

Wednesday 29th June	
	Contributed Paper Sessions
13.30 – 15.00	Parallel sessions
15.00 – 15.30	Afternoon break
15.30 – 17.30	Parallel sessions
19.00 – 22.00	Evening dinner in Tivoli Restaurant Paafuglen Presentation of Tour de France Riders in Tivoli



Thursday 30th June	
08.00 – 17.00	Field trips - See overview
19.00	Congress Dinner Langelinie Pavilion

Friday 1st July	
9.00	Plenary Session DAY 3
9.00	Putting all the pieces together! - What are the impressions from the young generation? Next Gen presents their reflections Input from the Hands on Team The leadership challenges Cecilia Klasson, Annelöv Pig farm
10.15 – 10.45	Morning break
10.45 – 11.30	Team leader and commitment Leadership expert Christian Silvasti
11.30 – 12.15	Panel discussion What lessons have we heard? What should we focus on in the future management of the farms?
12.15	Lunch and Goodbye



Post conference tour (1.7.-9.7.)

See the rest of Denmark and experience historic attractions and successful farm operations. The post congress tour you will see old mansions with entrepreneurial owners who have managed to diversify but still have a strong and modern farming business. You will also have a look into the world leading wind-mill industry originally founded in agriculture, and of course you will see well managed dairy and pig operations.

For the future, GreenLab Skive is a unique park for businesses working actively with integrated renewable energy, energy storage and resource efficiency.

The trip departs on the 1st of July and will return to Copenhagen on the 9th of July.



Spouse Program

The Accompanying persons' Tour aims to show you some of the best historic sites outside Copenhagen whilst driving along the coast and through beautiful countryside. We aim to give you a sense of rural Denmark and an opportunity to see typical Danish historic towns whilst visiting famous historic castles, our world UNESCO heritage Cathedral and delving back to the time of the Vikings. The end of June is arguably the best time to visit Denmark when we experience the longest days of the year with maximum sunlight and often lovely weather to match.

Do take time to be a "tourist" in Copenhagen either before or after the conference. You can easily rent a bike and use it to get around in the bike friendly city.

There will also be a number of interesting cycling events in Copenhagen as the Tour de France 2022 departs from Copenhagen on the 1st of July 2022.



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