



## Welcome to the 33rd International Symposium Animal Science Days 2025

Dear colleagues, researchers, students, experts,

Dear friends,

Welcome to the **33<sup>rd</sup> International Symposium Animal Science Days 2025** (ASD 2025) in **Mojmírovce**, Nitra, Slovakia, which will take place from **23 to 26 September 2025**.

We would like to invite you on behalf of local organizers: Institute of Nutrition and Genomics of **Faculty of Agrobiological and Food Resources**, Slovak University of Agriculture in Nitra, Slovakia.

Topic of the present edition of ASD is:

***"Innovation, Sustainability, and Collaboration in Animal Sciences: Empowering the Next Generation of Researchers"***

With this we encourage all scientists to submit their contribution in the field of:

- Animal Genetics and Genomics
- Animal Husbandry, Welfare and Health
- Animal Nutrition
- Livestock Farming System
- Sustainable Production and Utilisation of Food Resources of Animal Origin

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AS usually, the conference will feature keynote speakers, inspiring oral and poster presentations selected from participants' submissions, and an exhibition of sponsors. A field trip and a half-day course on basic manipulation with sequence data is also planned.

This year we will invite also young research and innovators from COST action **EU-LIV-PHE**.

**Animal Scientific Days (ASD)** is an annual event with the aim to create a platform for Central and Eastern European colleagues and for interested academics and professionals from around the globe in the field of Animal Sciences to exchange ideas and to enable efficient collaboration. Organizers particularly focus on promoting the generation of young researchers, scientists and experts. The consortium organizing this scientific event currently includes of 8 partner institutions - universities from Austria, Croatia, Czechia, Hungary, Italy, Slovakia and Slovenia.

The impact of this regional meeting of researchers and faculty members from eight universities was also recognized by the European Federation for Animal Science (EAAP), whose goal is to improve knowledge and dissemination of research results in farm animal science. Therefore, ASD 2025 is organised under the **patronage of the EAAP**.

### Conference Partners



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### ... register for the conference?

Registration for the conference is via an online [registration form](#):

Deadlines & Conference fees

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| • Early bird | 30.6.2025       | 220 € |
| • Regular    | 30.7.2025       | 300 € |
| • Late       | After 15.8.2025 | 350 € |

### ... pay the conference fees?

Account for transfer the registration fee:

Bank name: Štátna pokladnica  
Account Number: 7000066247/8180  
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### ... find accommodation?

Manor House Mojmirovce :: <https://kastiemojmirovce.sk/en/mojmirovce-manor/>

*Accommodation booking should be made via e-mail ([recepacia@kastiemojmirovce.sk](mailto:recepacia@kastiemojmirovce.sk)), subject - ASD2025. Please for the registration of accommodation in the Manor House (conference venue), please follow instructions on the webpage as whole capacity is reserved for the ASD 2025.*

Thermal Park Polný Kesov :: <https://booking.thermalnitrava.sk/en>

More can be found on [booking.com](https://www.booking.com)

### ... write and submit an abstract?

Abstracts should be prepared according to the [template for an abstract](#) and sent as MS Word or OpenOffice/LibreOffice file (.docx/.odt). File naming convention: Lastname\_ASD2025.docx. [An online form \(Google\)](#) for abstract submitting is available (login required).

Abstracts will be published in the electronic book of abstracts.

The ASD Scientific Committee reserves the right to return abstracts for revision if they do not conform to the form specified in the template.

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