



**Nordic Meeting on Agricultural Occupational Health & Safety  
NMAOHS 2018 - September 11-13, 2018  
Hurdalsjøen hotel- and conference-center, Hurdal, Norway**

**Program, Tuesday September 11.**

11:00 Registration opens

12:00 Lunch

**13:15 Opening** - Leif Forsell, Secretary General Ministry of Agriculture and Food, and  
Frøydis Haugen, vicepresident Norwegian Farmers Union  
Bjørn Iversen chair of conference

13:40 Risk management across sectors: System characteristics and scope of action - Kari Kjestveit

14:25 Updates from the Nordic countries

Peter Lundquist, Sweden

Helle Birk Domino, Denmark

Finland

Inger Johanne Sikkeland, Norway

14:50 Conference-information

15:00 Break

**15:15 – 18:00 Safety Culture and Risk Management in Agriculture - SACURIMA Open session**

15:15 SACURIMA Program overview – Risto Rautiainen

15:25 Short Term Scientific Missions – Claudio Colosio

15:30 ITC Conferences – Natasa Holcer

15:35 Training Schools – Catherine Laurent

15:40 Dissemination in SACURIMA COST Action – Pat Griffin

15:45 WG 4: Strengths and weaknesses of the existing data collection mechanisms – Eda Merisalu

16:05 WG 2: Innovative tools measuring safety culture in agriculture – Stephan Van den Broucke,  
Jarkko Leppälä

16:25 WG 3: Measures taken to train and integrate vulnerable populations – Laura Girdziute

16:45 WG 1: Inventory of national approaches in agricultural safety and health – Martina Jakob

17:05 Break

17:15 Panel discussion

18:00 End of session

**19:30 Dinner**

**Program, Wednesday September 12.**

**08-09:30 SESSION 2 –Systems and Framework**

08:00 *Comparison of national Agricultural Health and Safety surveillance Systems - Martina Jakob*

08:20 *Effect of Administrative Tools to health and safety in agriculture - Margaret Eide Hillestad*

08:40 *Temporary Agricultural Worker Program – Thomas Arcury and Sara Quand*

09:00 *Vision for occupational health and safety in Finland 2025 – Janne Karttunen*

09:20 *Farm relief workers safety culture and motivation – Jarkko Leppälä*

09:40 *Questions and discussion*

09:55 – 10:15 *Break*

**10:15 – 12:00 SESSION 2 (continues) – Factors effecting safety-culture (individual)**

10:15 *Development of Extension OHS-training in Ireland – John McNamara*

10:35 *Occupational health and safety in agriculture, a new study-program – Svein Storbakk*

10:55 *“Gear up for AG Health and Safety” Ag College Program - Carolyn Sheridan, David Sullivan*

11:15 *Health and safety promotion through dairy discussion groups – John McNamara*

11:30 *Lean – Safety on board-meetings – Christina Edstrand*

11:45 *Nudging – a way to change behavior – Helle Birk Domino*

**10:15 – 12:00 SESSION 3 - Health**

10:15 *Pesticide exposure and health effects in Swiss farm workers – Berthet Aurelie*

10:35 *Undiagnosed Pulmonary Obstruction and Restriction from Exposure – Wayne Sanderson*

10:55 *Dairy bioaerosol exposures and interventions – Stephen Reynolds*

11:15 *The air microbiome and respiratory health among dairy workers – Joshua Schaeffer*

11:35 *Effect of Intervention on hearing threshold levels – Chandran Achutan*

**12:00 – 13:00 Lunch**

**13:00 – 18:00 Farm-visit and Norwegian Systems**

13:00 *Norwegian Agricultural Quality System (KSL) – Bjørn Hvaleby*

13:30 *Norwegian Agricultural Extension Service (NLR) – Halle Arnes and Linn Thorud*

14:00 *Preparing for farm-trip – Dagrun Rommen, Norwegian Food Safety Authority*

14:30 *Bus leave for Klaseie Farm*

15:15 *Klaseie Farm*

17:20 *Bus leave Klaseie Farm*

**19:00 Conference-dinner**

**Program, Thursday September 13.**

**08:15 – 10:15 SESSION 4 Accidents and injuries**

08:15 Preventive actions, agricultural occupational injuries Sweden – Catharina Alwall Svennefelt

08:35 Farm-related Injuries and Fatalities involving Manure – William Field

08:55 Success of Farmers Impacted by Disability Through the AgrAbility Program – William Field

09:15 Trickle Out to the neighbours: a vehicle for culture change – William Atkinson

09:35 -10:00 Poster presentations

*Irish Farm Accident Survey (P) – John McNamara*

*Types and Causes of Slip-Injuries (P) – Yangwon Kang*

*System to prevent Traffic-accidents related to Agricultural Machinery (P) – Kyungran Kim*

*Treatment in a tractor-seat to help back problems (P) – Jarkko Leppälä*

*Upper extremity Musculoskeletal diseases (P) – Ad de Rooij*

*Exposure on organic dust and gas in pig-farm (P) – Mintae Seo*

*Questions, discussion*

**10:00 – 10:15 Break**

**10:15 – 11:15 Session 5 - Health**

10:15 Testing Captive Tools, typical agricultural scenarios – Federica Masci

10:35 Occupational health and safety for farmers, testing and findings -

10:55 Estimation of occupational disease prevalence – Kyu Yeon Kim

**10:15 – 11:15 Session 6 Safety, Safety Culture and Mental Health**

10:15 Risk acceptance and attitudes to childrens use of ATVs – Eva Gøransson

10:35 Stress and Psychological Distress among Young Farmers – Josie Rudolpi

10:55 Mental health among young farmers in Norway – Ivar Erik Ree

**11:15 – 11:40 Break and check out**

**11:40 -13:20 SESSION 7 «From Science to practical results»**

11:40 Using Influence strategies to increase Efficacy of Campaign – Julie Sorenson

12:00 Creating a National Center for Agricultural Occupational medicine – Bjørn Hilt

12:20 Main points from the sessions – Possibilities for new scientific actions - Bjørn Iversen

*Discussion, conclusions, statement*

**13:20 Closing of conference**

**13:30 LUNCH – and then home**

**Shuttle to the airport**