



SEPTEMBER 24th, 2025 – Wednesday

AUDITORIUM 15

SYMPOSIUM / BEE HEALTH

14:30 – 16:30

Honey Bee Pathogens

Moderators: Marion Laurent & James D Ellis

14:30 – 14:45

Microscopic Insights into Overwintering Disease Dynamics in Yukon's Subarctic

Etienne Tardif – Canada

14:45 – 15:00

A Review of Bee Health in Africa: A Development Perspective

William Van Blyderveen – United Kingdom

15:00 – 15:15

World Honey Bee Health – A COLOSS effort to monitor the global distribution of *Apis mellifera* pests and pathogens

James D. Ellis – USA

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Rapid quantification and classification of *Nosema spp.* spores and *M. mellifacae* cysts using automated microscopy and artificial intelligence

Iratxe Perales – Spain

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Honey bee (*Apis mellifera*) hygienic behavior linked to innate defenses against an adult bee pathogen, *Vairimorpha (Nosema) ceranae*

Sydney Miller – USA

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Nosema (Vairimorpha) ceranae infection alters honey bee (*Apis mellifera*) queen behavior and reproductive capacity

Juliana Rangel – USA

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Effects of conventional and sustainable beekeeping on the pathogen load of honeybees

Ricarda Scheiner – Germany

16:15 – 16:30

The European Union national reference laboratories are ready to diagnose diseases and protect beekeeping

Marion Laurent – France