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SEPTEMBER 25th, 2025 - Thursday

HALL A2 11:00 – 13:00	SYMPOSIUM / BEE HEALTH Focus On Foulbrood
11:00 – 11:15	Official Monitoring of American Foulbrood in Saxony 2019 - 2023 Michael Hardt – Germany
11:15 – 11:30	A rapid diagnosis of American and European foulbrood in one test kit Sandra Ehrenberg – Germany
11:30 – 11:45	Newly isolated bacteria increase the survival of honeybee larvae infected with <i>Paenibacillus larvae</i> Li Zhang – <i>China</i>
11:45 – 12:00	The Foster AFB Method: rapid detection of clinical American Foulbrood through non-invasive hive sampling and DNA quantification via qPCR John Mackay – <i>New Zealand</i>
12:00 – 12:15	A Rapid and Early Detection Method for <i>Paenibacillus larvae</i> Spores: Advancing AFB Diagnosis and Hive Protection Ana Oliveira – <i>Portugal</i>
12:15 – 12:30	Paenibacillus melissococcoides: the discovery of a new bacterium associated with a honey bee brood disease Benjamin Dainat – Switzerland
12:30 – 12:45	Pros and Cons of Diagnostic Tests Used for Early Detection and Risk Assessment of American Foulbrood in Small and Large Beekeeping Operations Elemir Simko – <i>Canada</i>
12:45 – 13:00	Disinfection and antimicrobial management of European foulbrood disease reservoirs Sarah C. Wood– Canada