Animal Science Days 2017 - Workshop "On-farm welfare assessment in dairy cattle"

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This course aims at providing basic insights into on-farm welfare assessment in dairy cattle. It will be based on the protocols developed in the course of the Welfare Quality (<a href="www.welfarequalitynetwork.net">www.welfarequalitynetwork.net</a>) and Assurewel projects (<a href="www.assurewel.org">www.assurewel.org</a>). The 1-day workshop includes both classroom as well as on-farm training. It will be given by Prof. Christoph Winckler and Dr. Christine Leeb.

There are no fees (lunch and refreshments not included). The maximum number of participants is 15.

## **PROGRAM**

| 09:00 | Welcome  |
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| 09:15 | Introduction to animal welfare assessment  |
| 09:45 | Classroom training of animal-based measures of dairy cattle welfre (based on the Welfare Qualityand the Assurewel protocols) |
| 10:30 | Coffee break   |
| 11:00 | Classroom training continued   |
| 12:15 | Lunch  |
| 13:30 | On-farm training (commercial farm) and inter-observer reliability testing  |
| 16:30 | Concluding discussion  |
| 17:00 | End  |