



*Friday Notes*  
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*MSSTATE Poultry Science*

**Friday Notes** - to keep you informed about noteworthy news from Poultry Science at Mississippi State....and let us hear from you as well!

***Poultry Science Department News:  
Faculty, Staff, and Student Travel and Activities.***

- **Dr. Tabler** attended a CERT training session and visited a Peco farm, April 28-29.
- **Mrs. Wells**, assisted by **Mark Lemons** (PhD student), **Courtney Ennis** (MS student), and **Juan Reyes** (intern) (all 3 with **Dr. Wamsley**) conducted the Hatch-out Project with 10 classes in Greenville, MS, April 25-29.
- **Drs. Peebles** and **Farnell** participated in the Poultry Science Board of Directors meeting in Austin, TX, April 26-29. Dr. Peebles in a Director of PSA and Dr. Farnell is serving as this year's annual meeting general program chair.

***Congratulations to...***

- **Chrysta Beck** and **Victoria Comer**, poultry science Juniors, for being selected to join the highly prestigious Mortar Board Honor Society for their scholastic achievements and service, April 28. The 21 new members were honored at a ceremony in the President's conference room; we're so pleased to have two of the 21 come from Poultry Science!

***To all of our students....  
Good luck on your exams and have a  
safe, fun, and productive summer -  
See you in August!***

***Running Cumulative List of Scientific and Extension Publications, 2016***

***The following oral talks and posters were presented at the IPSF, Atlanta, GA; \* indicates the presenting author and the abstracts may be found at***

***[http://www.ippexpo.org/ipsf/docs/2016SPSS\\_AbstractBook.pdf](http://www.ippexpo.org/ipsf/docs/2016SPSS_AbstractBook.pdf)***

- **M65: Rosana Hirai\***, Omar Gutierrez, **Kelley Wamsley**, Ana Oliveira, “Effects of varying phytase inclusion in conjunction with xylanase supplementation on 0-56 d male broiler performance.”
- **M83: Dima White\***, Aaron Kiess, Tom Tabler, Chris McDaniel, Yuhua Farnell, Shailesh Gurung, Marcelo Moreira, Dan Zhao, Morgan Farnell, “Application of a commercially available cleaner and disinfectant via a compressed air foam system to decrease aerobic bacteria in pullet and layer houses.”
- **M84: Katie Collins\***, Scott Branton, Jeff Evans, **E. David Peebles**, “Evaluation of the potential influence of the disinfection cycle on the efficacy of F-strain Mycoplasma gallisepticum vaccine administered by in ovo injection to layer hatching eggs.”
- **M122: Mark Lemons\***, Christopher McDaniel, Joseph Moritz, **Kelley Wamsley**, “Influence of feed form (FF) and diet phase effects on 0-46 d broiler performance.”
- T146: Ivan Alvarado\*, **Kelley Wamsley**, Alejandro Banda, “Evaluation of the synergistic effect of the live attenuated infectious bursal disease vaccine 89/03 and a recombinant HVT-IBD against early infectious bursal disease challenge in commercial broilers.”
- **P200: Katherine Lott\***, AJ Kawaoku, Holly Parker, Chris McDaniel, “The male and female contribution to parthenogenesis-induced infertility in quail.”
- **P201: AJ Kawaoku\***, Katherine Lott, Holly Parker, Chris McDaniel, “Roles of the male and female quail in egg component alterations due to the parthenogenetic trait.”
- **P202: Pedro Mota\***, Melissa Triplett, David Peebles, Christopher McDaniel, Aaron Kiess, “Investigating the potential to introduce Lactobacillus acidophilus and Bacillus subtilis to the broiler embryo through commercial in ovo technology.”
- **P204: Edgar Peebles\***, Floyd Wilson, Taylor Barbosa, Timothy Cummings, John Dickson, Sharon Womack, “Comparative effects of in ovo versus subcutaneous vaccination and pre-placement holding time on scanning electron micrograph and histomorphometric measurements of small intestinal villus length and villus/crypt ratios in broiler chickens.”
- **P210: Alisha Moore\***, Chander Sharma, “Antimicrobial efficacy of acidified lactic acid, propionic acid, and lauric arginate against Salmonella in ground chicken frames.”
- **P318: Ana Beatriz Oliveira\***, Wei Zhai, Kelley Wamsley, “Feasibility of using Elusieve processing to improve the nutritional profile of feed ingredients used in commercial poultry diet formulation.”
  - **NOTE: Ana received an Honorable Mention in the Don R. Sloan Undergraduate Research Competition for this presentation and a check for \$250.**

***USDA-ARS Poultry Research Unit Publications:***

- Abstracts presented at the International Poultry Scientific Forum, Atlanta GA, Jan. 25-26;  
[http://www.ippexpo.org/ipsf/docs/2016SPSS\\_AbstractBook.pdf](http://www.ippexpo.org/ipsf/docs/2016SPSS_AbstractBook.pdf):
  - J.L. Purswell and S.L. Branton. 2016. Performance of an automated whole-house vaccination system.
  - J.E. Linhoss, J.L. Purswell, and J.D. Davis. 2016. Preferences of young chicks for varying radiant fluxes.
  - H. Olanrewaju, Influence of light sources and photoperiod on growth performance and carcass characteristics of heavy broilers at 56 days of age.