For Ally module 4 in FY2025

WOAH Regional Workshop on Avian Disease Prevention and Control in Asia and the Pacific 2025

26-28 August 2025

Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Hokkaido University, JAPAN

[Objectives of Workshop]

- Share information on the global strategy for the prevention and control of high pathogenicity avian influenza
- Provide updates on recent outbreaks, surveillance data, and the impact of avian diseases over the past year
- Provide an update on OFFLU and other activities, following the recommendations from the previous meetings
- Update on diagnostic techniques and sampling for avian influenza in both domestic and wild birds
- Discuss effective prevention and control of avian influenza and other avian diseases in the region

[Participants to the Workshop]

- Approximately 70 participants from the Asia-Pacific region: Country representatives from WOAH Member countries/territories in the Asia Pacific region
- Experts from regional expert network on avian diseases, including WOAH Reference laboratories/Collaborating Centres
- Global consultants and advisors for WOAH projects and activities
- Focal secretariats in WOAH
- Representatives from international organisations e.g., FAO, JICA, SPC, etc.

[Recruiting observers]

- The observers are counted as participants to the Workshop. During the Workshop, the observers are requested for logistical assistant.
- For preparation to the Workshop, the observers are requested to attend one-hour call before the Workshop.
- In this regard, we open the slots to students as Module 4 of Ally course.

[Application]

- Please access to the syllabus of "M409_WOAH Regional Expert Group Meeting for the Control of Poultry disease in Asia"
 (https://wise-oh-ally.vetmed.hokudai.ac.jp/syllabus/m4/oie-regional-expert-group-meeting-for-the-control-of-avian-influenza-in-asia.html)
- Register through the syllabus of M409.
- Type necessary information for registration.

[Schedule of application process]

- Until 18 July: sending the e-mail to WISE office.
- On 25 July: confirmation of application.

[Remarks]

- This attendance is NOT counted for a credit of "Internship abroad".

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