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Bergen, Norway

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WELCOME LETTER

Dear President of the European College of Porcine Health Management,

On behalf of the Local Organizing Committee, it is with great privilege and pleasure that I would like to invite colleagues from all over the world to join us for the 19th European Symposium of Porcine Health Management (ESPHM) in Bergen, Norway.

Bergen, often referred to as the "Gateway to the Fjords," is a picturesque city located on the west coast of Norway. Surrounded by seven majestic mountains and nestled between fjords, Bergen is a place of stunning natural beauty. Its charming, colorful wooden houses in the historic Bryggen district, a UNESCO World Heritage site, transport visitors back in time, showcasing the city's rich history as a trading hub in the Hanseatic League. While in Bergen, do not miss out on Fløibanen and Mount Ulriken.

Bergen is known for its vibrant cultural scene, offering world-class museums, galleries, and theaters. The city also hosts an array of festivals, from music and arts to food celebrations, making it an exciting destination year-round. It is the administrative centre of Vestland County. Many of the extra-municipal suburbs are located on islands. It lies close to Rogaland County, with approximately 30% of the country's pig production.

Bergen's Flesland Airport (BGO) is the main gateway to the city, with numerous international and domestic flights. You can fly directly to Bergen from major European cities such as London, Copenhagen, and Amsterdam, or from other Norwegian cities like Oslo and Stavanger. From the airport, you can take a bus or taxi to the city center, which takes about 30 minutes.

The symposium is scheduled from the 3rd to the 5th of May 2028, and with its average of 1,200 participants annually, the ESPHM is now the main scientific event for people dedicated to Porcine health management. The symposium brings together experts from academia, industry, and government to exchange knowledge and foster collaboration in addressing the evolving health challenges faced by the swine industry. It is an excellent opportunity for professionals to stay up to date with the latest research, network with peers, and explore innovative solutions to improve pig health and welfare, as well as production efficiency. It plays a crucial role in shaping the future of porcine health management and supporting the ongoing development of a sustainable and resilient swine industry.

The venue of the 19th ESPHM is Grieghallen. Grieghallen is one of Bergen's most iconic cultural landmarks, located in the heart of the city. This concert hall is named after the famous Norwegian composer Edvard Grieg, whose music and legacy are deeply connected to Bergen. In addition to its musical performances, Grieghallen is often used for conferences, exhibitions, and other cultural events. Its central location also makes it easily accessible. If you're a delegate staying in Bergen's city center, Grieghallen is within walking distance from most major hotels and attractions. It's about a 10-15 minute walk from Bergen's central train station (Bergen Sentralstasjon). Also, Bergen has an extensive public transportation network, and several bus lines pass through the area around Grieghallen.

We are certain that the 19th ESPHM will be a significant scientific event and a great opportunity to immerse yourself in the famous nearby sights. We eagerly anticipate welcoming you to ESPHM2028 in Bergen!

Sincerely, Dr. Marianne Oropeza-Moe on behalf of the Local Organizing Committee





Den Norske Veterinærforening (DNV), or the Norwegian Veterinary Association, is a professional organization that represents veterinarians in Norway. Founded in 1898, the DNV plays a key role in advocating for the interests of veterinary professionals, promoting animal health, and supporting the development of veterinary science in the country. The main objectives of the DNV include:

Supporting Veterinary Professionals: The association works to support veterinarians throughout their careers by providing professional development, education, and networking opportunities.

Promoting Animal Health and Welfare: DNV is actively involved in advancing animal health, welfare, and ethical standards. The association works to improve public understanding of veterinary practices and animal-related issues.

Advocacy and Policy Influence: DNV represents the veterinary profession in discussions with government authorities and other stakeholders, influencing policies that impact animal health, veterinary practices, and public health.

Fostering Collaboration and Research: DNV encourages collaboration between veterinarians, researchers, and industry experts to drive innovation in veterinary medicine and improve animal care. The DNV also organizes various events, conferences, and seminars, providing its members with opportunities for continuous learning and professional growth. In addition, the association plays an important role in advancing veterinary standards, ensuring high levels of education and ethical practice within the field.

By focusing on both professional support and animal welfare, the Norwegian Veterinary Association is an essential institution for promoting excellence in veterinary care across Norway.



THE HOSTING INSTITUTION

Produksjonsdyrveterinærers Forening (PVF), or the **Norwegian Association of Production Animal Veterinarians**, is a specialized division within the **Norwegian Veterinary Association (DNV)**. PVF focuses on the interests and professional development of veterinarians who work with production animals, such as cattle, pigs, sheep, and poultry.

The key aspects of PVF include:

Supporting Production Animal Veterinarians: PVF provides a platform for veterinarians working in the production animal sector, offering professional development, networking opportunities, and access to specialized knowledge and resources.

Animal Health and Welfare Advocacy: PVF is dedicated to promoting animal health, welfare, and productivity in the agricultural sector. The organization works to ensure high standards of care and ethical treatment of animals, supporting veterinarians in addressing health challenges in farm animal populations.

Collaboration with Industry and Stakeholders: PVF plays an essential role in fostering collaboration between veterinarians, farmers, agricultural organizations, and government authorities. It provides a voice for production animal veterinarians in shaping policies related to animal health, biosecurity, and sustainable agricultural practices.

Education and Research: The association encourages continued learning and scientific research within the field of production animal medicine. PVF supports its members in staying up-to-date with the latest research, technologies, and best practices to improve animal health and the efficiency of the agricultural sector.

Focus on Sustainable Animal Production: PVF is actively involved in promoting sustainable practices in animal husbandry. This includes improving the productivity and health of livestock while maintaining high standards of animal welfare and reducing the environmental impact of farming.

Through its work, PVF aims to enhance the health and welfare of production animals in Norway while ensuring that veterinarians are equipped with the knowledge and tools needed to address the challenges faced by the agricultural industry. It is a vital resource for professionals dedicated to the care of farm animals and the improvement of Norwegian animal agriculture.



PIG PRODUCTION IN NORWAY



Pig Production in Norway is a significant part of the country's agricultural industry, contributing to both the national economy and food security. While Norway is known for its focus on sustainable and high-quality animal products, pig production faces unique challenges due to the country's geography, climate, and emphasis on animal welfare.

Pig production in Norway is typically based on family-owned farms with a focus on high-quality, sustainable practices. Most farms are relatively small to medium-sized, with an emphasis on indoor, climate-controlled housing systems that ensure optimal conditions for animal welfare. Norwegian pig farming uses modern technologies and management systems to increase efficiency while maintaining high standards for animal care. Norway's annual pig production is significant but relatively small compared to other European countries.

In recent years, there have been approximately 2,400 commercial pig farms in Norway. The three counties with the most pig farms are Rogaland, Trøndelag, and Innlandet. On average, Norway has an annual production of around 1.5 million

pigs for slaughter, producing around **200,000** to **250,000** tonnes of pork annually. This production is primarily used to meet domestic consumption, with Norway being largely **self-sufficient** in pork production, producing about **95%** of the pork it consumes.

The Breeding Pyramid in Norwegian Pig Production is a structured system used to manage and improve genetic quality in the pig population. This pyramid model helps ensure efficient breeding practices, healthy livestock, and sustainable production in the Norwegian pig industry. The pyramid consists of several hierarchical levels, with each level contributing to the overall goal of improving the genetic potential of pigs, ensuring high-quality meat production, and maintaining disease resistance. At the top level we find the breeding nucleus farms. These are specialized farms where the highest genetic quality of pigs is maintained, and they focus on selecting the best breeding pigs for further reproduction, with a strong emphasis on traits like growth rate, meat quality, health, and disease resistance. The breeding nucleus farms supply the next level of the pyramid with genetically superior pigs. The second level of the pyramid is made up of multiplication farms. These farms take the high-quality pigs from the breeding nucleus farms and multiply them for use in the commercial production system. The third level includes the commercial farms with breeding sows. These farms receive the genetically improved pigs from the previous levels and use them to produce piglets for the slaughter phase. At the base of the pyramid are the finishing pig farms. These farms are dedicated to raising pigs that have been born from breeding sows. The pigs are raised until they reach the appropriate weight for slaughter.

Established in 1958, **Norsvin** has grown from a national distributor of pig semen to one of the leading international companies in the field of **pig genetics** and **breeding technology**. It is a key player in improving the genetics of pigs, focusing on productivity, health, and disease resistance to meet the demands of both Norwegian and glo-

PIG PRODUCTION IN NORWAY

bal pork markets. While Norsvin initially focused on the domestic market in Norway, it has since expanded internationally. In 2014,

Norsvin International merged with the Dutch company Topigs, forming the company Topigs Norsvin. This merger made Norsvin one of the largest companies in the world for pig genetics. The company now sells its products and services in over 50 countries, providing advanced breeding solutions to farmers globally. orsvin is deeply involved in research and development. The company collaborates with academic institutions, veterinary organizations, and other stakeholders to advance pig breeding technologies. This includes the use of cutting-edge tools such as genetic selection and biotechnologies like artificial insemination (AI) and genetic editing techniques. Their focus on research ensures that they stay at the forefront of pig genetics innovation.

Norwegian pig farming is known for its strict **animal welfare standards**. The country has robust regulations in place to ensure pigs are raised in conditions that promote good health and wellbeing. These regulations cover aspects such as space allowances, environmental conditions, and handling practices. Norway has also committed to reducing the environmental impact of pig production, with many farms adopting sustainable practices to minimize waste and reduce carbon footprints.

The main breeds used in Norwegian pig production are the **Norwegian Landrace** and **Duroc**. These breeds are favored for their robustness, excellent health, and high-quality meat production. The breeding focus is on producing pigs with good meat quality, high feed efficiency, and resistance to disease, ensuring both the health of the animals and the economic viability of the farms.

Given Norway's high standards for biosecurity, the country's pig farms are well-equipped to prevent the spread of diseases. Strict regulations and protocols are in place to safeguard animal health, and Norwegian authorities regularly monitor and control any potential disease outbreaks. This has been particularly important in the context of international threats such as **African Swine Fever** (ASF) and **Porcine Reproductive and Respiratory Syndrome (PRRS).**

Norway produces a significant amount of its own pork, making the country largely self-sufficient in terms of pork production. Pork is a staple in Norwegian cuisine, with popular dishes like "**ribbe**" (roast pork belly) often featured during festive occasions, especially Christmas. Despite the country's **self-sufficiency**, Norway still imports some pork to meet demand, as domestic production can sometimes fall short due to limited production capacity.

Norwegian pig production is expected to continue evolving with a focus on **sustainability**, **health**, and **innovation**. The adoption of new biotechnologies, like assisted reproductive technologies (ARTs) and genetic selection, is increasingly important to improve efficiency and breed high-performing pigs. There is also an emphasis on improving **animal welfare** further and ensuring that production methods are both environmentally and economically sustainable.

In summary, pig production in Norway is characterized by its commitment to high standards of animal welfare, sustainability, and efficiency. The industry plays an important role in the country's food system and is poised to meet future challenges through innovation and continued focus on health and sustainability.







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NORWAY AND BERGEN THE HOSTING CITY



NORWAY

Norway is a country renowned for its breath-taking natural beauty, from towering mountains and deep fjords to expansive forests and stunning coastal landscapes. The country offers a wealth of outdoor activities, such as hiking, skiing, fishing, and the opportunity to witness the mesmerizing Northern Lights. In addition to its natural wonders, Norway boasts a rich cultural heritage, with charming villages, modern cities like Oslo, and a history that stretches back to the Viking Age. Whether you are seeking adventure, history, or tranguillity, Norway has something to offer every traveller.

BERGEN

Bergen, a vibrant city and a popular starting point for exploring the iconic Norwegian fjords, is also home to numerous historical landmarks. With over 3 million tourists annually, it stands as one of the most important cities in the Nordic region, as evidenced by its many historic buildings and attractions.

Situated between two of Norway's largest fjords—the Hardangerfjord (180 km) and the Sognefjord (203 km)—Bergen is often referred to as the "Gateway to the Fjords." Its ideal location makes it an excellent choice for pre- and post-congress tours.

Nestled on Norway's west coast, Bergen is a **picturesque city surrounded by seven majestic mountains** and stunning fjords. It's the perfect base for discovering the natural wonders of the region. Steeped in history, Bergen features the **UNESCO World Heritage**-listed Bryggen district, which show cases colourful wooden buildings dating back to the 14th century. These buildings were once home to merchants of the Hanseatic League, a powerful medieval trading group.

In addition to its historic charm, Bergen is renowned for its **vibrant cultural scene**, with numerous theatres, museums, and galleries. The city is also famous for its lively fish market, offering fresh seafood and local delicacies.

Bergen's compact city centre allows for easy access between hotels, event locations, and venues for social events, all within walking distance. For those who prefer biking, the city offers an abundance of public city bikes, making it easy to explore.

Bergen's mild climate in May, with **long daylight hours** (16-18 hours), makes it an ideal time to enjoy outdoor activities such as hiking up Mount Fløyen for panoramic views or taking boat trips through the nearby fjords.

With easy access to some of Norway's most famous natural attractions, including the Hardangerfjord and Sognefjord, Bergen seamlessly **blends history, culture**, and **natural beauty**. This makes it an ideal destination for travellers seeking an authentic Norwegian experience.

Organizing a congress in Norway offers access to a **forward-thinking** and **competitive environment**, with **top-tier transport**, hospitality, and innovative hubs. For participants, it provides an opportunity to combine productive sessions with the allure of a destination known for its stunning landscapes, rich cultural heritage, and expertise across various sectors.



PROPOSED DATE

The proposed date for the 19th European Symposium of Porcine Health Management is

3rd - 5th May 2028

WEATHER IN BERGEN

In May, the weather in Bergen is typically mild, as the city transitions from spring to early summer.

Average temperatures range from 8°C (46°F) to 14°C (57°F), though it can feel cooler, especially during the mornings and evenings.

While periods of rain are common throughout the month, there are also ample opportunities for sunshine. It is advisable to bring a light jacket, layered clothing, and either an umbrella or waterproof attire to remain comfortable while exploring.

With daylight extending to approximately 16-18 hours, May offers an ideal opportunity to experience the natural beauty of Bergen, including its renowned fjords and mountains.



The fjords of Norway The Norwegian fjords are dramatic, glacially-carved valleys with steep cliffs, waterfalls, and scenic beauty, making them a top natural attraction. Notable ones include Geirangerfjord and Sognefjord.

BERGEN, THE GATEWAY TO THE FJORDS

Bergen is a picturesque city on the west coast of Norway, renowned for its stunning natural beauty, rich history, and vibrant cultural scene.

Often referred to as the "Gateway to the Fjords," it is surrounded by dramatic mountains and fjords, making it an ideal base for exploring the breath-taking landscapes of the region.

The city's charming old town features narrow streets, colourful wooden houses, and the UNESCO World Heritage-listed Bryggen district, once the heart of the Hanseatic League's trading empire. Today, Bryggen's historic buildings house shops, restaurants, and museums, offering a glimpse into Bergen's past as a key trading hub. The city is also home to a thriving arts and music scene, with numerous festivals, museums, and theatres to explore.



With its perfect blend of urban charm and natural beauty, Bergen is one of Norway's most beloved destinations.

While Bergen is known for its frequent rain due to its coastal climate, it also enjoys long summer days and mild winters. May, with its extended daylight hours (16-18 hours), is a perfect time to enjoy outdoor activities.

Visitors can take a cable car ride up **Mount Fløyen for panoramic** views of the city and surrounding fjords or explore nearby hiking trails and scenic spots.





Bergen is also famous for its **lively Fish Market**, one of the oldest in Norway. Located near the harbour, it offers fresh seafood such as salmon, shrimp, and local delicacies like krabbe (king crab). Visitors can sample seafood straight from the market or enjoy a traditional fish dish at one of the nearby restaurants. For an authentic local experience, be sure to try Bergenser fish soup, a classic dish made with fresh fish, vegetables, and a creamy base.

BERGEN, ACCESSIBILITY AND TRANSPORTATION

There are frequent flights from major European hubs; thirty daily to Oslo, six daily to Copenhagen, four to Amsterdam, two to Frankfurt, two to London Gatwick, one to London Heathrow and two to Stockholm.

There are also direct routes to Paris, Munich, Zürich, Madrid, Hamburg – and over 40 other destinations. Bergen Airport is situated about 17 km south of the city center.



Norwegian based airlines

Three airlines are based in Norway, SAS, Norwegian and Widerøe. They do all fly domestic as well as international routes to several destinations.



TRANSPORT FROM BERGEN AIRPORT FLESLAND TO THE CITY CENTRE

It is 17 kilometres to the city centre of Bergen. The trip takes about 20 minutes with taxi and airport bus and 45 minutes with Light Rail.

Airport bus

The Airport Express bus stops outside the main terminal building. The bus drives an express route that only takes 20 minutes to Bergen city centre, with departures every 10 minutes.





Light Rail

Bergen Light Rail takes you all the way to and from the airport. Departure every 5 minutes. The nearest stop to Grieghallen are located 400 m away and many of the hotels in the city centre are very close to the end station. This is also the most sustainable way to travel to the city center.

Taxi

Taxis stop just outside the terminal building. Six different taxi companies operate in the Bergen region. If you have special needs, the taxi company will gladly help you, or you can pre-book a taxi from the desired company.



ENJOYING BERGEN

Bergen offers a vibrant mix of dining, shopping, and entertainment, all within walking distance. Stroll through the charming streets and enjoy a variety of restaurants, from local seafood spots to international cuisine.







Local bar and restaurant

Skyskraperen restaurant

Bryggen

Shops around the city centre offer Norwegian souvenirs, fashion, and unique local crafts. Historical sites like Bryggen and the Bergenhus Fortress are just a short walk away, while the Fløibanen funicular provides easy access to stunning views of the city.

With its compact layout, Bergen makes it easy to explore everything on foot.



Bryggen museum



Fløibanen



The fish market



Kyrkjetangen beach



Fantoft Stave church



Rosenkrantz Tower

BERGEN'S COMMITMENT TO SUSTAINABILITY



Bergen is labelled as Sustainable Destination



Sustainability in Bergen includes **eco-friendly initiatives** such as **electric buses** and **bike-sharing** programs for green transportation.



The city uses **hydropower** to meet most of its energy needs, contributing to reduced carbon emissions.



Bergen's Fish Market **supports sustainable seafood practices**, while its waste management system encourages recycling.



Urban green spaces like Nygårdsparken offer areas for relaxation while preserving local biodiversity.

Additionally, Bergen promotes **sustainable tourism** through eco-conscious practices in attractions like the Fløibanen funicular.





To travel to Norway for a short trip (under 90 days) you will need a **Schengen VISA**, as Norway is part of the Schengen Area.

This VISA allows you to stay in Norway or other Schengen countries for up to 90 days within a 180day period.

Citizens from non-Schengen countries without a VISA-free travel agreement with the area will need a VISA.

Countries with VISA-free access to Norway and the Schengen Area include the U.S., Mexico, and Australia.

Short-stay VISAs are available for business, tourism, family visits, short studies, or medical reasons. VFS Global is the official visa partner for Norway's embassies.

For more information, visit:

https://www.norway.no/

For delegates needing a VISA, the Symposium Secretariat will provide assistance.





BERGEN'S LARGEST CONFERENCE CENTRE



Grieghallen offers state-ofthe-art venues and versatile solutions, making it the perfect location to host everything from intimate seminars and conferences to major congresses, **all in the heart of Bergen.**

Grieghallen regularly hosts large-scale events, including the Under Water Technology Conference (UTC) and Nordic Media Days, as well as numerous other national and international conferences. Its central location in Bergen, close to all public transport hubs, ensures easy access for all participants. For those arriving by car, parking is available underneath Edvard Griegs plass.

With 25,000 square meters spread across 20 rooms and halls, Grieghallen has the capacity to accommodate both small seminars and large congresses in the heart of the city.

Griegsalen, the largest venue, can host up to 1,628 people, with space for an additional 600 if the stage area is utilized.

The Peer Gynt Hall, the conference centre's second largest venue, seats up to 700 people and offers great flexibility, making it ideal for conferences and larger events such as congresses.

The spacious foyers connected to Griegsalen and Peer Gynt Hall provide excellent areas for mingling, food and beverage service, as well as displays by participants and organizers. Additionally, Grieghallen offers smaller rooms well-suited for seminars, meetings, and parallel sessions. The elegant Nina and Edvard lounges are perfect for board meetings, general assemblies, or social events, and can also serve as meeting rooms or relaxation spaces. These venues are also used to host extravagant dinners in a refined atmosphere.

One of Grieghallen's unique features is the opportunity to combine conferences with culture and entertainment, providing attendees with an enriching experience right in the heart of Bergen's city centre.

Within 5-10 minutes walking distance to 8 hotels

Suitable for 2100 participants, 14 breakout rooms Grieghallen is the home for Bergen Philharmonic orchestra, Bergen National Opera and Bergen International festival.

Eco Light House Certification. Certified Green Conferences (EMAS)

MEETING ROOMS AND SPACES DEDICATED TO ESPHM 2028

Griegsalen – Plenary Hall (level 2)

Griegsalen is Bergen's largest indoor venue, boasting an impressive amphitheatre-style design that accommodates over 1,600 people.

This state-of-the-art hall is renowned for its exceptional acoustics, making it an ideal location for concerts, performances, conferences, and events. With its spacious stage and modern facilities, Griegsalen is a prominent cultural landmark in the city, attracting both local and international artists.

The venue is also equipped with advanced technical support, ensuring a seamless experience for both performers and audiences alike



- A stunning venue for plenary session
- World class acoustics
- Large foyer right outside for exhibition, welcome cocktail, catering services



Peer Gynt – Parallel Sessions (level 2)

The Peer Gynt Hall is a versatile multipurpose space (750 sqm), suitable for events, banquets, concerts, conferences, meetings, exhibitions, and entertainment.

The total capacity in a theatre layout is up to 650 people



Entrance foyer (level 1)

Wardrobe, registration desk and networking lounge

Foyer 1 at Grieghallen with its 1000 sgm is a modern, flexible space ideal for congresses and smaller events. It features comfortable seating, a wardrobe for coat storage and a registration desk for smooth check-ins. With natural light and a welcoming atmosphere, it offers a convenient and functional area for networking opportunities.





Main Foyer Spissen (level 2) Exhibition area, catering services, welcome reception and e-posters

The Main Foyer Spissen in Grieghallen (1600 sqm) is a stylish, spacious entryway, perfect for receptions, exhibitions, networking events, lunches, and catering services.

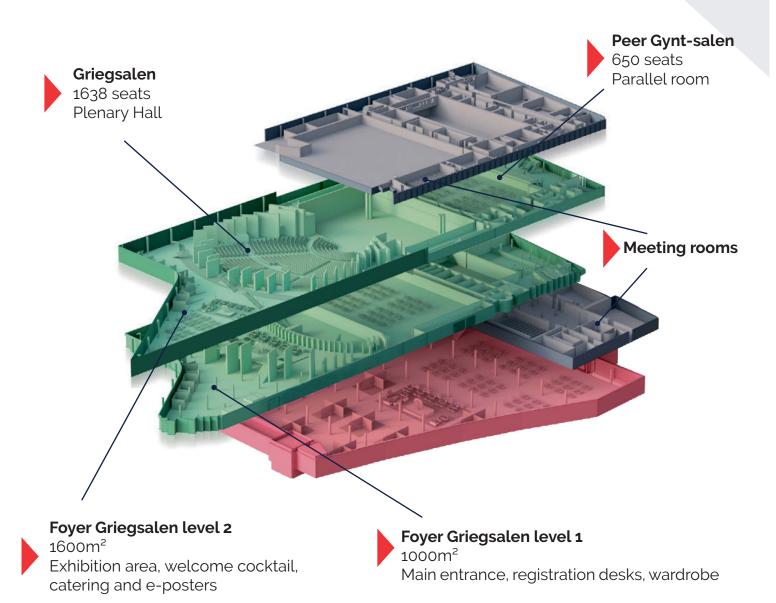
With large windows offering natural light and scenic views, it can also accommodate exhibition booths. Located at the heart of Grieghallen, it provides a welcoming atmosphere for guests before and after performances or conferences





Breakout rooms for the Organising Secretariat, ECPHM Board meeting room and Preview room

GENERAL FLOORPLAN – GRIEGHALLEN



HOTEL ACCOMMODATION



You can choose from **45 hotels in Bergen's city centre**, all within a 15-minute walk from the Symposium venue.

These range from cozy, boutique hotels to larger chain hotels with **excellent amenities**.

The city centre also offers a **variety of guesthouses and apartments** in charming neighbourhoods, providing **easy access** to major attractions, restaurants, and nightlife.

For accommodations outside the city centre, all options are well-served by public transport.

In Norway, there are **no standard star ratings for hotels**; it means that participants can book accommodations equivalent to 5 stars, regardless of the company policies.

Our hotels uphold the highest standards, with nearly all offering the equivalent of 4-star quality.

REFERENCE ACCOMMODATION RATES – YEAR 2025

Categories	5 stars	4 stars	3 stars	Budget Hotels
RATES (2025)	250 - 360 €	195 - 270 €	150 - 240 €	100 - 150 €







	Wednesday, 3rd May 2028		Thursday, 4th May 2028		5th May 28
08.00 -13.00	Set Up	08.00 -18.00	Registrations and Poster display	08.00 -13.00	Registrations and poster display
11.00 - 19.00	Registrations and Poster display	08.30 –10.00	Keynote Sessions	08.30 –10.00	Keynote Sessions
13.00 - 13.30	Welcome & Opening Ceremony	10.00 - 10.30	Coffee break and Poster viewing	10.00 - 10.30	Coffee break and Poster viewing
13.30 - 15.00	Keynote Sessions	10.30 - 12.30	Parallel Sessions	10.30 - 12.30	Parallel Sessions
15.00 - 15.30	Coffee break and Poster viewing	12.30 - 13.30	Lunch break and poster viewing	12.30 - 13.00	Closing Ceremony
15.30 - 17.30	Parallel Sessions	13.30-15.00	Keynote Sessions		
17.40 - 18.40	ECPHM Annual General Meeting	15.00-16.20	Parallel Sessions, Awards & JPHM		
18.30 - 19.30	Welcome Reception	16.20-16.40	Coffee break and Poster viewing		
		16.40-18.00	Parallel Sessions		
		20.00	Symposium Dinner		



Welcome Reception -Wednesday, 3 May 2028

The welcome reception will take place at the ESPHM Symposium venue, Grieghallen. This event will be open to all delegates attending ESPHM 2028 and offers an excellent opportunity to welcome participants. It promises to be a distinguished occasion for networking and enjoying the renowned hospitality and cultural charm of Norway!



Symposium Dinner -Thursday, 4 May 2028

Bergen will impress you with a variety of fascinating and unique event venues within walking distance, where delegates can enjoy an atmosphere rich in art and culture, while tasting typical dishes and local enogastronomy specialties.





Bergen House of Culture

Kulturhuset (the House of Culture) in Bergen is a hub for music, art, design, architecture and much more. The goal is to become a natural and inclusive meeting spot for everyone who is interested or involved in the city's rich cultural life.



Galleri Nygaten

Galleri Nygaten is a masterpiece of an event arena in the heart of Bergen, where art and culture enrich every gathering. Galleri Nygaten is a hidden gem, a vibrant gallery framed by world-class artworks and unique sculptures that add an extra dimension to your event.

ATTRACTIONS SIGHTS AND TOURS

Spending some more time in Norway combined with the Symposium is always a good option



Mount Ulriken

The highest of Bergen's seven mountains, offering panoramic views of the city and surrounding fjords. Accessible by cable car or hiking.



Hardangerfjord

One of Norway's most beautiful fjords, perfect for boat tours, hiking, and scenic drives.



Voss

A charming village known for outdoor activities such as skiing, hiking, and paragliding, located just an hour from Bergen.



Bergenhus Fortress

A historic site featuring medieval structures and beautiful views of the harbour.



Troldhaugen

The former home of composer Edvard Grieg, now a museum dedicated to his life and music, located just outside Bergen.



Kjeragbolten

A dramatic boulder wedged between two cliffs, offering an unforgettable hiking experience with stunning views over Lysefjord.

For more information please visit the tourist information office in Bergen *www.visitbergen.com*

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SECRETARIAT SERVICES FOR ESPHM 2028

VET international as core PCO will be in charge of the Symposium organisation and will provide the following tailored services.

BIDDING CONSULTANCY AND FEASIBILITY PROJECT

- » Planning of activities, elaboration of feasibility report, design of the strategic and operative plan
- » Legal and administrative consultancy
- » Contract elaboration

BUDGET ELABORATION

» Preparation and management of the event budget, implementation and monitoring of costs and income trends, final balance sheet

MARKETING AND PROMOTION

- » Web marketing
- » Social network communication
- » Planning, development, and realization of marketing and promotional strategies
- » Retrieval and elaboration of mailing lists for direct mailing and newsletters campaigns

ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARIAT SERVICES and FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

- » Administrative tasks, accounting, local tax compliance and VAT tax obligations
- » Billing, issuing and receiving invoices (registrations, sponsors, suppliers)
- » Fiscal reporting
- » Management of supplier payments

REGISTRATION MANAGEMENT

» Planning and management of a dedicated online registration system with safe payment methods

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM MANAGEMENT

» Consultancy to support the planning of sessions and management through the use of dedicated software

ONLINE ABSTRACT MANAGEMENT

» Authors will have the possibility to submit their abstracts through a dedicated software with a link published on the Symposium website

» Poster and presentation files online submission

SPONSOR MANAGEMENT

- » Partnership proposals, exhibition plan design, contracts elaboration
- » Administrative and logistics support throughout the Symposium
- » Dedicated services for sponsor delegations (hotel booking and group registrations)
- » Logistics support for activities on site

MANAGEMENT OF GUESTS – ECPHM BOARD Members & KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

» Management of contacts and coordination with speakers, moderators, discussion leaders, VIPs and guests

» Hospitality handling for ECPHM Board Members, VPC Committee, LOC members

LOGISTICS, SUPPLIERS AND PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

- » Organization, management and coordination of all logistical aspects
- » Selection, negotiation, contracts and coordination of suppliers
- » Coordination of external personnel/conference assistants

GRAPHIC DESIGN & MATERIALS

- » Concept and creation of coordinated images and design for the event
- » Planning and production of printed material, documents and accessories for the event
- » Elaboration of the virtual signage on site

MANAGEMENT OF THE HOTEL RESERVATIONS AND BOOKING

- » Selection, negotiation, bookings and management of hotel arrangements
- » Online hotel reservation system
- » Desk at the venue to provide hotel information and assistance to participants

SOCIAL PROGRAM, TOURS AND TRANSFERS

- » Organization of the Symposium Dinner
- » Elaboration of proposals and management of various leisure activities
- » Coordination of transfer services

SPECIALLY DESIGNED FOR ESPHM

- » Overall consultancy in procurement and contracts
- » Customised promotion strategy and communication plan
- » Social media communication, creation of social pages on Facebook and Twitter
- » Implementation of the sustainability of the event (ESPHM goes green!)
- » Customized APP specially developed for ESPHM with dynamic contents updated in real time
- \gg Vet Events Management System (VEMS) Software dedicated to the management of online registrations for Veterinary Congresses
- » Taylor-made system for online abstract submission and reviewing process management
- » Uploading of the presentations and posters files
- ≫ E-Poster set up
- » ESPHM platform: supervision of the scientific contents and support to the provider
- » Special services dedicated to trade Partners (group booking and general assistance for services on the spot)
- » ECPHM Board meetings coordination and arrangements



BENEFITS For ESPHM 2028

VET International is pleased to offer the following benefits for ESPHM 2028, thanks to our partnership with the **Convention Bureau of Bergen** and **Grieghallen**:

SUPPORT FROM THE MUNICIPALITY:

• Organizers of international conferences can apply to Bergen Municipality for support in organizing the event's Welcome Reception.

MARKETING SUPPORT:

- Welcome Desk at Bergen International Airport: Promoting the event and greeting participants upon arrival.
- Social Media and Promotions: The conference will be promoted through local, European, and international social media channels and other relevant platforms.
- Hospitality Desk: Bergen Convention Bureau will set up a hospitality desk during the ESPHM Symposium to assist participants.
- Marketing Materials: The Bergen Convention Bureau will provide marketing materials such as photos, videos, Bergen guides, and maps.
- Interactive Online Map: An online map will be available to show all event venues, local attractions, and hotels.
- Hotel Partnership: Assistance with hotel selection, rate negotiations, and booking will be offered.

VENUE-SPECIFIC SUPPORT:

- Free Water Stations: Available throughout the venue for the duration of the event.
- Free Wi-Fi: Accessible for all delegates.



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19th European Symposium of Porcine Health Management Bergen - Norway / 3-5 May 2028

*Quotations valid for 2025 1 NOK = 0,088 EUR (current rate 25.03.2025)" Norway VAT 25% IT VAT 22% -10% deducted

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES*

(based on 1000 attendees / including 60 free registrations + 40 free pass trade staff)

GRAPHICS & PROJECT DESIGN		
Bidding consultancy, project design, preliminary negotiation for venue/ suppliers, budget elaboration and feasibility study	CORE PCO	
Logo elaboration, editing and graphic design of BID BOOK	CORE PCO	
Promotional video		
Graphics design and editing for the Symposium promotion / communica- tion - estimate First announcement card / save-the-date card Final programme (to be defined, at final balance) Posters' list (to be defined, at final balance) Sponsor Prospectus Customized signage on-site (roll-up, totems, external and internal boards, video walls and screens) Name-tags Exhibition area plan Programme at a glance / pocket programme		
TOTAL		17.000,00 €

PRINTED MATERIAL	
Sponsor prospectus - pdf format	paper version not provided
Roll-up (80x200) - promo activities	
Name-tags - card 10,5x10 - 3 printed customized matrix	
Program at a glance / pocket guide A3 format and folded in 10,5x15cm	
Stationery, briefings, registration forms - various materials	
Final Program (50 pages) + List of Poster (40 pages) - PDF file elaboration, paper version not provided	
Abstract and keynote papers - A4, 500 pages - PDF file elaboration, paper version not provided	
TOTAL	12.970,00 €

WEB SITE - NEWSLETTERS - CONGRESS PROMOTION & MAILING		
Symposium web site (hosting and domain 2 years, creation and updates, contents)	CORE PCO	
Symposium APP (creation and dynamic contents) Contents upload and updates Platform rental fee	CORE PCO	
Certificates of attendance - sent via email after the congress	CORE PCO	
Promotion & communication plan for the Symposium - to be defined Communication plan • Communication strategy • Definition of the objectives • Target(s) identification • Selection of the communication means	CORE PCO	
Social media communication Editing of the social pages on LinkedIn & Instagram	CORE PCO	
Social media communication 1 post per week – approx. 35-40 per year	CORE PCO	
Newsletter layout & first mailing (for the first issue)	CORE PCO	
Newsletter & mass mailings – 1 mailing per month – approx. 15 mailing per year	CORE PCO	
TOTAL		12.400,00 €

REGISTRATION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM		
VEMS registration system - complimentary for ESPHM	CORE PCO	complimentary
VEMS registration system updates and customisation for ESPHM2028	CORE PCO	
TOTAL		800,00 €

CONFERENCE VENUE & FACILITIES (set up on Tuesday / dismant- ling on Friday afternoon)	
Holbergsuiten - Organizing Secretariat office - MON -> FRI	
Salong Edvard - ECPHM lounge - MON -> FRI	
Salong Nina - Board meetings - TUE -> THU	
Griegsallen - Main Lecture Hall - floor 1 (1636 pax) - TUE -> FRI	
Peer Gynt-salen - Parallel Room - floor 2 (750 pax) - WED -> FRI	
Dressing room 1 - Preview room - WED -> FRI	complimentary
Foyer Griegsalen - level 2 (catering area, exhibition area, posters, welcome reception - 1.600 sqm) - TUE -> FRI	
Foyer Griegsalen - level 1 (registrations area and cloakroom - 1.000 sqm) - TUE -> FRI	
TOTAL	87.128,40 €

CONGRESS CENTER SERVICES, A/V EQUIPMENT, TECHNICAL AS- SISTANCE, AREAS LAYOUT	
WI-FI connection (standard connection)	complimentary
Booths set-up: basic furniture (1 table, cloth, 2 chairs), electric supply, sockets, 1kw/booth - 20 company booths	
Basic A/V equipment - Griegsallen (included in the room set-up)	
Technical assistance - Griegsallen (3 pax - estimated hours)	
Basic A/V equipment - Peer Gynt-salen (included in the room set-up), 1 PC	
Technical assistance - Peer Gynt-salen (2 pax - estimated hours)	
Basic A/V equipment - Salong Nina (included in the room set-up)	
Additional A/V equipment for meeting rooms (monitors, microphones, PC) - TBD	
Preview room equipment (2 PC and control system) - 3 days	
Technical assistance for preview room - 1 pax	
E-poster (8 screens and assistance) - 3 days	
Customized general venue layout - signage and branding, stage and rooms set up, communication supports, flower decorations, lounge area set-up - to be defined	
TOTAL	76.150,80 €

PERSONNEL & STAFF	
10 hostesses on Tuesday for set-up (8 hrs)	
20 hostesses on Wednesday (8 hrs) / congress uniform	
4 hostesses on Wednesday evening (welcome cocktail) / 4 hrs	
20 hostesses on Thursday (8 hrs) / congress uniform	
16 hostesses on Friday (6 hrs) / congress uniform	
Cloakroom service (2 pax) - WED -> FRI	
Security personnel - TUE -> FRI	
Fotograph Service (full service + social events) - to be defined	
Porterage service - 2 pax TUE + 1 pax WED morning + 1 pax FRI afternoon / estimate	
TOTAL	32.122,16 €
CONGRESS MATERIALS for participants / sustainable production	
Lanyards - customized 1 colour printing	
Note-pads - customized by a sponsor /reduced production	
Pens - customized by a sponsor / reduced production	
Plastic badge support	
Conference bags: shoppers - customized by a sponsor (tag) / reduced production	
TOTAL	7.600,00 €

CATERING SERVICE / SOCIAL PROGRAMME		
Coffee-break (2 services - 1000 pax on THU morn + aft)		
Coffee-break (2 services - 1000 pax on WED aft + 600 on FRI morn)		
Standing buffet lunch (1000 pax / THU)		
Welcome cocktail (1000 pax / WED)		
Lunch bag for staff on site (TUE / WED)		
Coffee station for ECPHM meeting room (20 pax / 3 days) - TBD		
Water for speakers in the meeting rooms - to be billed upon consumption		
Water stations at disposal during the event		complimentary
TOTAL		104.196,00 €
INVITED SPEAKERS - BOARD MEMBERS HOSPITALITY - GRANTS - FREE REGISTRATIONS		
Hotel accommodation - 8 Keynote Speakers (2 nights, DUS, 4* hotel, walking distance, city tax)		
Hotel accommodation 7 LOC members (3 nights, DUS, 4* hotel, walking distance, city tax)		
Hotel accommodation 7 ECPHM Board members (3 nights, DUS, 4* hotel, walking distance, city tax)		
Hotel accommodation 7 VPC members (3 nights, DUS, 4* hotel, walking distance, city tax)		
Hotel accommodation 1 PHM Editor (3 nights, DUS, 4* hotel, walking di- stance, city tax)		
Travel expenses - 8 Keynote Speakers from EU (approx € 800 reimburse- ment + admin. fee / eco ticket)		
Travel expenses for 7 ECPHM Board members (approx € 600 reimburse- ment + admin fee / eco ticket)		
Travel expenses for 7 VPC members (approx € 600 reimbursement + admn fee / eco ticket)		
Travel expenses for 7 LOC members (approx € 500 reimbursement + admin. fee / eco ticket)		
Keynote Speakers management (contact, travel arrangement, participa- tion support) - 8 persons	CORE PCO	
Gifts for Keynotes / ECPHM Board / guests		to be defined
Free registrations (60 pax - 7 ECPHM / 7 VPC / 7 LOC / 1 Edit. PHM / 8 Keynotes / 30 sponsors)		waived from incomes
Free pass Trade Staff (40) - no conference kit / free access in the exhibi- ion area and catering service on site		waived from incomes
Symposium Dinner paid for 80 pax (€ 120,00 VAT included) - estimated guests		
TOTAL		51.190,00€
BOARD MEETINGS: Oct 2027 + May 2028 Grieghallen / 25 pax - to be defined		
Meeting Rooms - U-shape, beamer, monitor / screen - 3 days		
Snack Lunches and Coffee-stations		
Dinner together (1 dinner per meeting)		
Hotel rooms - to be paid by the guests		
estimated TOTAL		10.000,00 €

ABSTRACT & POSTERS / PRESENTATIONS MANAGEMENT		
Abstract submission management system: set up for ESPHM	CORE PCO	at disposal free of charge
Update online abstract submission system	CORE PCO	
Abstracts management (data warehouse, files processing, referee work in progress, authors correspondance management, speakers included) - 450 abs estimated	CORE PCO	
Poster / presentation management and uploading (pdf files) on the ESPHM platform - 450 files estimated	CORE PCO	
Online poster / presentation submission system - customization ESPHM2028	CORE PCO	
TOTAL		11.750,00 €

VIRTUAL LIBRARY ESPHM - provided by CYIM	
Dedicated Project Manager: customisation of the existing platform & the integration of the abstract book in pdf format	at ECPHM's charge
Oral presentations & Flash Talks section: manual integration & quality con- trol of approx. 60 + 16 videos + pdf files (VET support)	at ECPHM's charge
Keynote Lectures: manual integration & quality control of the presenta- tions + pdf files (VET support)	at ECPHM's charge
E-Poster section: manual integration & quality control of approx 450 e-po- ster + pdf files (VET support)	at ECPHM's charge
Platform rental: the scientific contents will be available online for a 5-year period - TBD	at ECPHM's charge
TOTAL	- €

CONTINGENCIES & MISCELLANEOUS		
Mailing and materials shipping (carriers, printed matters and various mate- rial) - at final balance		
Liability Insurance (congress organiser) - cost estimate		
Norway VAT code opening and management services - fee for consulting services will be settled at final balance		
Board and client's meetings arrangements / promotional activities and preparatory meetings, including October Board Meeting (2 pax - 2 days) / secretariat staff on site for registrations management, sponsors and exhi- bing area, scientific programme, coordination of the operational activities on site (5 pax - 4 days, 1 day travel complimentary)	CORE PCO	
VET Team business trip, accommodation and meals - estimate, at final balance		
Unforeseen contingencies (venue set-up / extras on the spot)		
TOTAL		30.800,00 €

ORGANISING & ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARIAT FEES		
PCO professional fee for Organising Secretariat management - based on 3 years commitment, consultancy on the project follow up, financial assessment, planning of activities, suppliers selection, services management, pre-event activities, sponsorhip management - percentage on sponsorship revenues (10%)	CORE PCO	
PCO professional fee for Administrative Secretariat: registrations mana- gement and processing / correspondence with participants (€ 31,00 per participant, accompanying person, free registrations, company staff - at final balance, to be calculated on a min. basis of 800 prs) - total estimated up to 1000 managed participants	CORE PCO	
PCO professional fee for Administrative Secretariat: registrations mana- gement and processing / correspondence with participants (€ 24,00 per participant, accompanying person, free registrations, company staff - at final balance) >1000 managed participants	CORE PCO	to be defined
Invoicing, Fiscal duties, administrative and bank charges (€ 18,00 per participant - at final balance, to be calculated on a min. basis of 800 prs) - total estimated up to 1000 managed participants	CORE PCO	
Invoicing, Fiscal duties, administrative and bank charges (€ 12,00 per par- ticipant >1000 participants)	CORE PCO	to be defined
TOTAL		67.000,00 €

TOTAL EXPENDITURES - 521.107,36 €

EXPECTED INCOMES

EXPECTED INCOMES based on 900 paying attendees (VAT 25% deducted) / TENTATIVE REG. FEES (based on ESPHM2026)		
ECPHM DIPLOMATE early € 348 (€ 435.00 VAT incl.)	35	
ECPHM DIPLOMATE regular € 436 (€ 545.00 VAT incl.)	3	
ECPHM DIPLOMATE on-site € 504 (€ 630.00 VAT incl.)	3	
REGULAR DELEGATE early € 436 (€ 545.00 VAT incl.)	700	
REGULAR DELEGATE regular € 524 (€ 655.00 VAT incl.)	100	
REGULAR DELEGATE on-site € 592 (€ 740.00 VAT incl.)	30	
ECPHM RESIDENT early € 292 (€ 365.00 VAT incl.)	25	
ECPHM RESIDENT regular € 348 (€ 435.00 VAT incl.)	2	
ECPHM RESIDENT on-site € 420 (€ 525.00 VAT incl.)	2	
Trade staff - extra exhibitors pass € 230 + VAT	15	
TOTAL	900	402.646,00 €

EXPECTED INCOMES FROM SPONSORSHIP (VAT deducted)	
GOLD SPONSOR	
SILVER SPONSOR	
BRONZE SPONSOR	
EXHIBITORS / OTHERS	
TOTAL	180.000,00 €

582.646,00 €	TOTAL INCOMES
- 521.107,36 €	TOTAL EXPENDITURES
61.538,64 €	PROVISIONAL ACTIVE BALANCE



- » The calculation considers the expected number of attendees, assuming that sponsorship revenue and fixed costs remain constant
- » This table reflects both potential increases or decreases in the total number of registrations, along with the corresponding changes in variable expenses and the proportion of costs associated with the services provided
- » Variable expenses per unit can fluctuate according to the total confirmed services (tbd)
- » The number of delegates includes about 100 free participants (guests and trade staff)
- » Break Even point: approximately 860 participants (760 paying attendees)



ESTIMATED ATTENDANCE	EXPECTED FINAL BALANCE	
650 PAX	- € 46.637,31	
860 PAX (BREAK EVEN)	€ 516,83	
1000 PAX (CURRENT ESTIMATE)	€ 61.538,64	
1200 PAX	€ 106.237,90	
1500 PAX	€ 173.286,78	



PROVISIONAL **REGISTRATION FEES**

(VAT 25% included) Based on ESPHM2026 fees

CATEGORY	EARLY	REGULAR	ONSITE
ECPHM DIPLOMATE	€ 435,00	€ 545,00	€ 630,00
REGULAR DELEGATE	€ 545,00	€ 655,00	€ 740,00
ECPHM RESIDENT	€ 365,00	€ 435,00	€ 525,00

TRADE STAFF - EXTRA EXHIBITORS PASS € 230 + VAT

Registrations fees include:

- » Bag with Symposium materials (upon request)
- » Access to all sessions of the Symposium
- » Access to the Exhibition area and Poster display
- » Welcome reception on Wednesday
- » Lunch on Thursday
- » Coffee-breaks as per programme
- » ESPHM Symposium Dinner on Thursday has to be purchased separately



SUGGESTED TIMELINE

MAY 2027

Save the date Sponsor Prospectus and Exhibition Plan Website online Promotional Activities

OCTOBER 2027

Scientific Programme Abstracts submission system opening

NOVEMBER 2027

Registration opening for Companies

DECEMBER 2027

Deadline for abstracts submission

JANUARY 2028

Symposium App

FEBRUARY 2028

Registration opening for Participants Acceptance of Abstracts

MARCH 2028

Early Registration deadline



APRIL 2028

Final Programme online Late Registration deadline





To whom it may concern

County Mayor

 Date
 19.03.2025

 Our reference
 2021/8803

 Your reference
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Bergen to host the 19th European Symposium of Porcine Health in 2028

Upon the application for the 19th ESPHM – European Symposium of Porcine Health Management 2028 in Bergen, Norway. I am pleased to confirm the support of the Vestland Region.

Today, Bergen, situated on the western coast of Norway, is regarded as an international congress city, with major conferences following one another. This is understandable when you realize how easily accessible Bergen is.

The added attraction for conference organizers is the wide selection of activities and excursions that both Bergen and its local surroundings have to offer. The natural surroundings with the seven mountains framing Bergen towards the sea, is an experience.

The possibility of a tour on either side of the congress as "Norway in a nutshell" gives you the railway, mountains, and the famous Norwegian fjords - all in one day.

In Bergen we have some special attitudes, which we want to share with our international guests; meet us as open-minded and interesting people. We have a long history as an open city for Europe and the rest of the world and on behalf of the City of Bergen, I am pleased to extend a sincere welcome to the conference and its participants in 2028!

With best regards,

Jon Askeland County Mayor Vestland County Council

The letter is electronically approved and therefore has no handwritten signature.

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ETTERS OF SUPPORT



CITY OF BERGEN

THE MAYOR Bergen City Hall

European Symposium of Porcine Health Management

Our reference: 2023/264926-19 Date:

18. mars 2025

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LETTERS **OF SUPPORT**

DEN NORSKE VETERINÆRFORENING

14th of March 2025

To Whom It May Concern,

On behalf of the Norwegian Veterinary Association, the sole professional association for veterinarians in Norway, representing approximately 85% of all veterinarians in the country, we are pleased to express our full support for the Local Organizing Committee's (LOC) application to host the European Symposium of Porcine Health Management (ESPHM) 2028 in Bergen, Norway.

The Norwegian Veterinary Association has a long tradition of promoting veterinary excellence, scientific collaboration, and professional development within the field of animal health and welfare. Hosting ESPHM 2028 in Bergen would provide a unique opportunity to showcase Norway's commitment to swine health management, facilitate international knowledge exchange, and strengthen cooperation between veterinary professionals across Europe.

We are confident that the Local Organizing Committee, supported by Norway's strong veterinary expertise and research institutions, will organize a highly successful and impactful symposium. As the leading veterinary organization in Norway, we wholeheartedly endorse and recommend this bid.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require further information.

Sincerely,

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