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AQUACULTURE AMERICA RETURNS TO LAS VEGAS

AQUACULTURE AMERICA 2018 returns to one of the favorite entertainment spots in the world for the only major national aquaculture conference and exposition held in the U.S. The U.S. Aquaculture Society (formerly U.S. Chapter of WAS) joins with National Aquaculture Association and the Aquaculture Suppliers Association to produce the annual Aquaculture America meetings.

These sponsors are joined by the annual meetings of Aquacultural Engineering Society, Americas Tilapia Alliance, Striped Bass Growers Association, US Trout Farmers Association, and many more associations to make Aquaculture America 2018 the one meeting in the U.S. that you don’t want to miss!

BEYOND THE CONFERENCE

Las Vegas offers many attractions and great fun. Aquaculture America 2018 is the place to learn about the latest in aquaculture, see the newest technology in the trade show and have a great time in the many fantastic restaurants, bars and entertainment sites in Las Vegas.

A CRITICAL TRADE SHOW FOR AQUACULTURISTS!

AQUACULTURE AMERICA 2018 will have the largest aquaculture trade show in the Western Hemisphere and one of the largest anywhere in the world with nearly 200 booths! This is your opportunity to inspect the latest in products and services for the aquaculture industry. It is the place to visit current suppliers and make new contacts. To keep ahead and to keep profits building, you need to keep pace with the technological advancements in the industry - and AQUACULTURE AMERICA 2018 is the place to do it!

Aquaculture America is known for the high quality of its Producer Program organized by NAA. AQUACULTURE AMERICA 2018 will continue to expand the size and scope of the producer program to address all of the issues facing producers in the U.S. as well as around the world. Topics Include:

- Federal Agency Town Hall Meeting
- Aquatic Animal Health
- Environmental Issues
- Offshore Aquaculture
- Farm Energy Cost Reduction
- Aquatic Animal Drug Approvals
- Regulatory Costs
- Start Up Aquaculture
- Marketing and Promotion
- Science and Public Policy
- Women in Aquaculture
- Federal Regulation Reform
- New Technologies

YOUR FULL CONFERENCE REGISTRATION INCLUDES:

Only pre-registered attendees are guaranteed materials
- Admission to all sessions, seminars and the trade show.
- Admission to the President’s Reception.
- Conference Bag, Abstract CD and Show Directory
- Refreshment Breaks and Cash Bar Happy Hour
- Students receive the full registration package plus the Student Reception. To qualify for the student rate, a copy of your student I.D. is required.
### Technical Program Covers the Latest Research

The U.S. Aquaculture Society will put together an extensive technical program featuring special sessions, contributed papers and workshops on all of the species and issues facing aquaculturists around the country and throughout the world. Sample topics:

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CALL FOR PAPERS – DEADLINE: September 8, 2017

AQUACULTURE AMERICA 2018 encourages the submission of high quality oral and poster presentations. We strongly encourage authors to consider poster presentations because poster sessions will be an integral part of the program. Papers submitted for “oral presentation only” may not be accepted as oral presentations due to the limited number of available time slots. All abstracts must be in English – the official language of the conference.

Each oral presenter shall be entitled to no more than 12 minutes for a presentation, plus 3 minutes for questions. Authors of studies involving proprietary products or formulations should present this information in workshops or the trade show. Oral presentations should use Power Point. Slides, overhead projectors and video players will not be available or allowed.

All presenters are required to pay their own registration accommodation and travel expenses. AQUACULTURE AMERICA 2018 cannot subsidize registration fees, travel or hotel costs.

No Abstract Book will be printed – a USB Abstract Book will be given to registered attendees.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF ABSTRACTS

Expanded Abstract Format - Please refer to the sample.

1. TITLE OF PAPER: The abstract title is printed in CAPITAL LETTERS, with the exception of scientific names which should be Upper/lower case and italicized (see example). Scientific names should not be preceded or followed by commas or parentheses or other markings.

2. AUTHOR(S): The first name should be the presenting author. Use * after the presenting author. Type in upper/lower case.

3. ADDRESS AND EMAIL: Type only the presenting author’s institution, address and email. Type in upper/lower case.

4. MAXIMUM LENGTH: One Page

5. PAGE SIZE: Standard 8.5 x 11 inch paper (portrait)

6. MARGINS: 1-inch margin throughout (left/right/top/bottom)

7. SPACING: Single spaced

8. PARAGRAPHS: Paragraphs should be separated by a blank line and should not be indented.

9. FONTS: Character fonts should be 12 point type.

10. FIGURES & TABLES: Figures and tables are highly recommended. They should be reduced to the appropriate size for a one page abstract and should be clearly readable at the reduced size in black print only. The reduced figures and tables should be included in the abstract in camera-ready form.

Submit your abstract via the internet at the meeting website. Follow the complete instructions on the website for online submission.

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If you are unable to submit your abstract online, contact the Conference Manager for alternative methods at:
worldaqua@was.org or Fax: +1-760-751-5003

Red claw crayfish (Cherax quadricarinatus) are one of more than a hundred Australian freshwater crayfish. However, because of its rapid growth rate, ease of spawning, wide temperature and dissolved oxygen tolerance, and lack of a larval stage, red claw may be the best candidate for aquaculture enterprises for an aquaculture enterprise, it is imperative that the least expensive diet be formulated that meets the nutrient requirements of the species. The present study was conducted to determine if cholesterol or lecithin needs to be added to a practical diet for red-claw crayfish.

An 8-week feeding trial was conducted in a recirculating system with newly-hatched juvenile (mean individual weight of 0.2 g) red claw, each stock into fiberglass tanks, each containing an individual plastic mesh culture units. Individual units were contained in 85 liters of water. Water temperature was maintained within fiberglass tanks, each containing an individual culture unit. Water was recirculated through biological filters. Water temperature was maintained at 27-29°C and lighting was provided by overhead fluorescent lights. Water was aerated three times per week. The purpose of this study was to examine the effects of growth performance newly-hatched juvenile red claw when fed practical diets with or without cholesterol and lecithin. Other practical diets included menhaden fish meal, soybean meal, shrimp meal, wheat flour, vitamin and mineral mix, pellet binder, cod liver oil, and corn oil (Table 1).

After 8 weeks, red claw crayfish fed a practical diet without cholesterol (Diet 3) had significantly (P<0.05) lower final weight, percentage weight gain, and specific growth rate (SGR) compared to crayfish fed all other diets (Table 2). These results indicate that a practical diet containing 2% cod liver oil and 1% corn oil and having no lecithin appears to be sufficient and that lecithin may not be necessary for juvenile red-claw diets.

Table 1: Formulation of experimental diets fed to red-claw crayfish.

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Table 2: Final weight, percentage weight gain, specific growth rate (SGR) and percentage survival of red-claw crayfish fed four practical diets. Means in a column with different letters were significantly different (P<0.05).

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<td>Final weight (g)</td>
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<td>Weight gain (%)</td>
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<td>SGR (week)</td>
<td>5.1a</td>
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<td>Survival (%)</td>
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<td>68.0</td>
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ATTENDEE REGISTRATION FORM

Aquaculture America 2018
February 19 - 22, 2018 – Las Vegas, Nevada

Online registration is preferred at www.was.org OR fax or mail both sides with payment. Use one form per person.

### PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY OR TYPE ALL REQUESTED INFORMATION

#### BADGE INFORMATION:
(As you want your name badge to read – No titles, please)

**First Name** ___________________________ **SURNAME (FAMILY NAME)** ___________________________

Company or Institution ____________________________________________________________

**City** __________________________________ **State/Prov** __________________ **Country** ______

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**City** __________________________________ **State / Prov** ______ **Postal Code** _____ **Country** ______

**Phone** ___________________________ **Fax** ___________________________ **Title:** (circle one) Dr. Mr. Ms. Mrs.

#### REGISTRATION FEES:
In order to receive the discount rates as listed below, this form and payment must be received by the date listed.

See brochure for what is included in registration fees.

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**Spouse Rate**

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**TOTAL REGISTRATION FEE** US$

**TRADE SHOW PASS** Good for 3 days admission to exhibits only – February 20 - 22

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**MEMBERSHIP DUES** – Enter amount from Membership Application on other side if applicable.

**TOTAL MEMBERSHIP DUES** US$

**ADVANCED AQUAPONICS WORKSHOP**
February 18 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

| Non-US Chapter of WAS Member Pricing - $300 | US$ 300 |
| US Chapter of WAS Member Pricing - $150 | US$ 150 |
| US Chapter of WAS Student Members - $75 | US$ 75 |

**TOTAL AQUAPONICS WORKSHOP** US$

**STATISTICS IN AQUACULTURE WORKSHOP**
February 19 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

| Non-US Chapter of WAS Member Pricing - $300 | US$ 300 |
| USAS or AFS-FCS Member Pricing - $150 | US$ 150 |
| USAS or AFS-FCS Student Members - $75 | US$ 75 |

**TOTAL AQUAPONICS WORKSHOP** US$

Do not mail registration after Feb. 10, 2018 or fax after Feb. 25. After Feb 15, bring this form with you to register at the show.

**TOTAL AMOUNT US$

Registration Confirmation and Receipt will be emailed after processing.

### CANCELLATION POLICY:
Cancellation of registration must be received - in writing - no later than January 28, 2018. Refunds for registration fees will be subject to a 20% handling fee. Refunds are processed after the conference. No refund will be made for cancellations received after January 28, 2018 or for “no shows”. After January 28, 2018, no refunds will be made for professional or personal emergencies, flight cancellations, denied visa, weather related cancellation or other travel emergencies. Fees for memberships are non-refundable.

### PAYMENT METHOD:
All fees must be paid to the order of AQUACULTURE AMERICA 2018.

**For bank transfer details, contact us.**

- Check # ___________________________
- Visa
- Mastercard
- American Express
- Discover
- Diners Club

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ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIPS: Please check all boxes for associations for which you are a current member. Membership in any of those associations qualifies you for the Member Rate* on the Registration Fees. You can join an association at any time before registering to qualify for the Member Rate.

MEMBERSHIPS:  ❑ WAS  ❑ USAS  ❑ APC  ❑ Korean  ❑ LACC
❑ Americas Tilapia Alliance
❑ American Veterinary Medical Association
❑ AQUABIO
❑ Aquacultural Engineering Society
❑ Aquaculture Association of Canada
❑ Aquaculture Association of South Africa
❑ Aquaculture Feed Industry Association
❑ Aquaculture Without Frontiers
❑ Asian Fisheries Society
❑ China Society of Fisheries
❑ Egyptian Aquaculture Society
❑ European Aquaculture Society
❑ Fish Culture Section - AFS
❑ Global Aquaculture Alliance
❑ IAFI The International Association of Seafood Professionals
❑ Indonesian Aquaculture Society
❑ Korean Aquaculture Society
❑ Korean Society of Fishers and Sciences (KOSFAS)
❑ Malaysian Fisheries Society
❑ National Aquaculture Association
❑ National Shellfisheries Association
❑ Sociedad Brasileira de Acuicultura
❑ Society of Aquaculture Professionals (India)
❑ South African Aquaculture Society
❑ Spanish Aquaculture Association (SEA)
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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS  ❑ NEW APPLICATION  ❑ RENEWAL

NATIONAL AQUACULTURE ASSOCIATION (NAA)

For details on the different types of memberships and options, please contact the NAA home office at:

Tel: +1-850-216-2400   Fax: +1-850-216-2480   Email: naa@thenaa.net   Web: thenaa.net

Individual Memberships: Individuals, growers, partnerships and corporations who engage in the practice of and who derive a portion of their income from aquaculture. Silver, Gold and Platinum members also derive income from aquaculture, but wish to increase their support of the NAA.

_____ Individual: $250
_____ Silver: $1,000 to $2,499
_____ Gold: $2,500 to $4,999
_____ Platinum: $5,000 and above

Total Amount for NAA Membership  USD

Fees for memberships are non-refundable. Please enter this amount under “Membership Dues” section on opposite side of this form.

WORLD AQUACULTURE SOCIETY (WAS) APPLICATION  www.was.org

For details on the different types of memberships and options, please contact the WAS home office at

Tel: +1-225-578-3137   Fax: +1-225-578-3493   Email: judya@was.org

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORY:  (Indicate only one)
❑ Individual (Electronic JWAS) (USD 65/yr) Applies to an individual only
❑ Individual (Printed JWAS) (USD 110/yr) Applies to an individual only
❑ Student (Electronic JWAS) (USD 45/yr) (Copy of Student ID or Signature of Professor required)
❑ Student (Printed JWAS) (USD 90/yr) (Copy of Student ID or Signature of Professor required)
❑ Sustaining (Electronic JWAS) (USD 105/yr) Applies to any one individual from a company
❑ Sustaining (Printed JWAS) (USD 150/yr) Applies to any one individual from a company
❑ Corporate (Electronic JWAS) (USD 255/yr) Allows all employees of one company to attend meeting at Member Rate
❑ Corporate (Printed JWAS) (USD 300/yr) Allows all employees of one company to attend meeting at Member Rate
❑ Lifetime (Electronic JWAS only) (USD 1000 with no chapter) Applies to an individual only
❑ Lifetime (Electronic JWAS only) (USD 1100 with one chapter) Applies to an individual only

CHAPTER OPTIONS:
❑ Asian Pacific
❑ Korea
❑ Latin American/Carribean
❑ United States (USAS)
❑ None (deduct USD 5)

You can add extra Chapters for USD 5

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For membership in other associations, please contact them directly.

If you need a phone number, contact the Conference Manager (+1-760-751-5005).
ADVANCED AQUAPONICS WORKSHOP

February 18, 2018
8:30 am - 4:30 pm
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‘Whet’ your aquaponics skills and knowledge

- Aquaponic Certifications and Best Management Practices
- Aquaponic System Engineering and Design
- Plant Care in Aquaponics
- Economics of Plant Production
- Aquaponics Trends

Join us for a day of learning to become more successful in your own aquaponics operation!

STATISTICS IN AQUACULTURE WORKSHOP

February 19, 2018
8:30 am - 4:30 pm
Paris Hotel, Las Vegas, NV

The General Linear Model - a Unifying and Simplifying Theme of Statistics. The focus will be on applied statistics with very little theory or equations.

Most people in scientific fields like aquaculture have heard the litany of statistical terms: regression, t-test, ANOVA, ANCOVA, mixed-effects, multi-factor ANOVA, multiple regression, repeated measures, nested effects, logistic regression, and so on.

This workshop will teach all of the basic and advanced statistics listed above from the perspective of the general (and generalized) linear model.

TRAVEL

Special car rental fares have been arranged with AVIS. You can make reservations at www.avis.com and mention the special discount code #J770126.

HOTELS

We have arranged for fantastic rates at the Paris, Bally’s and Planet Hollywood Hotels in Las Vegas. The meeting will be in the Paris Convention Center. Bally’s is attached to Paris and Planet Hollywood is next to Paris Hotel. You can reserve your room by phone or on their website.

Check the conference website for details.
TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Monday, February 19
Registration Open 12:00pm - 5:30pm
Exhibitor Move-in 10:00am - 6:00pm
Poster Set-up 1:00pm - 5:30pm

Tuesday, February 20
Registration Open 7:30am - 5:00pm
Plenary Session 8:30am - 10:00am
Exhibitor Move-in 8:00am - 10:00am
Poster Set-up 8:00am - 10:00am
Refreshment Break 10:00am - 11:00am
Trade Show & Posters Open 10:00am - 6:00pm
Sessions 11:00am - 12:30pm
Lunch (On your own) 12:30pm - 1:30pm
Sessions 1:30pm - 5:00pm
Happy Hour 5:00pm - 6:00pm
Presidents Reception 6:00pm - 9:00pm

Wednesday, February 21
Registration Open 8:00am - 5:00pm
Sessions 8:30am - 10:00pm
Refreshment Break 10:00am - 10:30am
Sessions 10:30pm - 12:30pm
Trade Show 10:00am - 6:00pm
Lunch (On your own) 12:30pm - 1:30pm
Sessions 1:30pm - 5:00pm
Poster Session 5:00pm - 6:00pm
Happy Hour 5:00pm - 6:00pm
NAA Auction 6:00pm - 8:00pm
Student Reception 7:00pm - 9:00pm

Thursday, February 22
Registration Open 8:00am - 3:00pm
Sessions 8:30am - 10:00am
Trade Show 10:00am - 1:30pm
Refreshment Break 10:00am - 11:00am
Sessions 11:00am - 12:30am
Lunch (On your own) 12:30pm - 1:30pm
Sessions 1:30pm - 3:00pm
Refreshment Break 3:00pm - 3:30pm
Exhibitor Move-out 3:30pm - 7:00pm
Sessions 3:30pm - 5:00pm
Closing Happy Hour 5:00pm - 6:00pm