2018 Texas A&M
Market Poultry Production & Selection Workshop

8:00 ON-SITE REGISTRATION OPEN

8:30 CAREERS IN POULTRY SCIENCE – Discuss degree programs and job markets for poultry science majors, Dr. David Caldwell, Department Head of the Poultry Science Department

8:45 WING BANDS AND EXHIBITOR VALIDATION – Ordering birds for the major shows and maintenance of wing bands, Dr. Greg Archer, Assistant Professor and Extension Specialist

9:15 MANAGEMENT AND HEALTH OF MARKET SHOW POULTRY – Brooding, space requirements, litter, and lighting programs, Dr. Greg Archer, Assistant Professor and Extension Specialist

10:15 BREAK

10:30 HOUSING DESIGN, VENTILATION AND EQUIPMENT – Basic principles of pen design and options for equipment, Dr. Craig Coufal, Associate Professor and Extension Program Leader

11:30 FEEDING PROGRAMS FOR MARKET SHOW POULTRY – How to feed poultry for optimum performance, Dr. Craig Coufal, Associate Professor and Extension Program Leader

12:00 LUNCH – ON YOUR OWN

1:30 QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS – all speakers

1:45 CULLING AND SELECTING SHOW ENTRIES AND SEX DETERMINATION OF POULTRY - Mr. Dale Hyatt, Poultry Science Research Farm Manager and Lecturer

2:00-3:00 HANDS-ON PRACTICE AND DEMONSTRATION—Mr. Dale Hyatt, Mr. Micah Osburn, and Dr. Craig Coufal