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**Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> October 2011 9.00AM**  
**Hereford Racecourse**

Eminent speakers from academia and industry present recent research, identify future directions and foster new developments.  
An opportunity for discussion, generating and linking of new ideas and collaborations between science and industry

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| Dr Jenny Ousey   | Dr Julia Kydd  | Jos Mottershead                           | Mr John Spencer                        | Ms Emma Tomlinson                        |
| Rossdales and Partners<br>Veterinary Surgeons,<br>Beaufort Cottage<br>Laboratories:<br>Newmarket, UK | School of Veterinary Medicine and Science,<br>University of Nottingham: UK | Equine-Reproduction.com:<br>Oklahoma, USA | Fyrnwy Equine Clinic:<br>Baschurch, UK | Beaufort Embryo Transfer:<br>Tetbury, UK |

Programme includes a public forum to identify areas for industry advancement, share ideas and generate new collaboration

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**WHO should attend?** Veterinarians, researchers, industry professionals (stallion/mare owners, stud managers, etc.), equine scientists, equine/animal/veterinary science lecturers, equine/animal/veterinary students.

**WHY attend?** An opportunity for reproduction specialists, researchers and veterinarians to meet and hear the latest in research and development, discuss future opportunities and exchange valuable information. The colloquium is a centre point to create a network of contacts and collaborators, providing a unique platform for discussion between breeders, veterinarians and researchers to identify areas of research need with real value to the breeder.

**WHAT information is presented?** Presenters have been specially invited from areas of topical breeding practice and academic-level research to update current knowledge and identify potential areas of research that could directly benefit the grass-roots breeder. Each presentation will include time designated for questions as well as a dedicated public forum, enabling opportunity for developing and exchanging new ideas in light of the presentations

**WHERE does this go? Take-home message.** The goal of the CFER is to identify new areas of research needed for both the breeder and the scientist to advance equine/mammalian clinical reproduction. Attendees will develop contacts and collaboration opportunities.

## **HIGH PRAISE FOR FIRST COLLOQUIUM FOR EQUINE REPRODUCTION**

Over 100 delegates travelled to Gregynog Hall near Newtown on October 30<sup>th</sup> 2010 to attend the first Colloquium for Equine Reproduction, hosted by the Institute of Biological, Environmental and Rural Sciences (IBERS) Aberystwyth University.

Delegates listened to presentations giving insight to current reproduction research by renowned scientists, including Prof Twink Allen and Dr John Newcombe. Delegates included vets, breeders, scientists (from as far a field as Cornell University, USA), the British Horse Society, breeding supply companies and students. The discussion session stimulated lively debate and those who expressed an interest in taking forward these ideas have become part of a network of contacts co-ordinated by Dr Debbie Nash through the newly devised website: [www.cfer.co.uk](http://www.cfer.co.uk).

Feedback from delegates on the day was overwhelmingly positive and the need for a similar event in future was strongly supported.