## **AIQH HORSE CONGRESS**

Fieracavalli 7- 8 November 2019

Presenting Authors: Dr Brian Nielsen, Dr. Jessica Leatherwood

## PROGRAMME

10.15 am Presentation Dr Nielsen & Dr Leatherwood 10.45 am: Skeletal development in young horses – Dr Nielsen 11.15 am: coffee break 11.30 am: Feeding for the happy, healthy horse – Dr Leatherwood 12.00 pm: Prepare young horses for Futurities and/or competitions – Dr Nielsen 12.30 pm: Discussion 1.00 pm: Conclusion

**Dr Brian Nielsen:** Professor of Equine Exercise Physiology in the Department of Animal Science at Michigan State University. His research focuses on the growth and development of the equine athlete with emphasis on the prevention of skeletal injuries to performance horses through management, training and nutrition. **Dr Jessica Leatherwood:** Assistant Professor of Equine Science in the Department of Animal Science, Texas A&M University. She enjoys mentoring graduate students over multiple areas of equine research. Her interests are primarily directed toward developing diets, in order to reduce pharmaceutical administration, the impact of mare obesity on reproductive performance and the role of nutrition in late gestation.

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From 3.30 pm to 5.30 pm, the presenting Authors will be at disposal for anyone interested, by appointment: segreteria@aiqh.eu

