

**JOIN US <sup>ON</sup> MARCH 25, 2025**

# THE 2025 BEEF RESEARCH SHOWCASE

Lakeland College (Vermilion Campus) Alumni Hall Theatre ————— 9 AM – 4 PM



## AGENDA

**8:30 a.m. – Registration & Coffee**

**9:00 a.m. – Welcome – George L’Heureux (ABP Research Committee Member)**

**9:10 a.m. – Dr. Balwinder Kumar, Cereal Crops Research Scientist (Lakeland College)**

*Managing barley lodging risks for better yields*

**9:50 a.m. – Dr. Lindsay Rogers, Program Outreach Coordinator (University of Calgary Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Diagnostic Services Unit)**

*Outbreaks & Answers: Cattle Diagnostics in Action*

**10:30 a.m. – BREAK**

**10:50 a.m. – Dr. Jonathan Bennett, Associate Professor (University of Saskatchewan)**

*Exploiting the soil microbiome to enhance forage yields*

**11:30 a.m. – Dr. Nathan Erickson, Associate Professor (Western College of Veterinary Medicine)**

*A Prime Strategy to Boost Herd Health*

**12:15 p.m. – LUNCH**

**1:15 p.m. – Dr. Emma McGeough, Associate Professor (University of Manitoba)**

*Ins and Outs of Intercropping*

**1:45 p.m. – Dr. Gleise Medeiros da Silva, BCRC-Hays Chair in Beef Production Systems (University of Alberta)**

*Feed Efficiency and Weather Resilience: Is There a Link?*

**2:25 p.m. – BREAK**

**2:40 p.m. – Dr. Vern Baron, Research Scientist (Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, Lacombe)**

***Improving late season pasture productivity with improved alfalfa winter hardiness, grazing tolerance, and rejuvenation***

**3:20 p.m. – Karin Schmid, Beef Production & Extension Lead (Alberta Beef Producers)**

***Research is great, but what has checkoff done for me lately?***

**3:45 p.m. – Thanks for Attending & Wrap up – George L’Heureux (ABP Research Committee Member)**