EOARC Ranching Academy

AGENDA

MODULE 3:
Breeding Season; 05/17/2024 – 1:30 to 5:00 pm

Instructors: Jenifer Cruickshank and Pedro Fontes (University of Georgia)
Goals: in this module, participants will learn the basics of the reproductive cycle and the most up-to-date information regarding reproductive technologies. Additionally, participants will learn about genetic selection, including using EPDs

Lecture Topics:
- Basics of the reproductive cycle – Pedro Fontes
- Reproductive technologies (AI and FTAI) – Pedro Fontes
- EPDs & Genetic selection - Jenifer Cruickshank

Practice:
- Tools for planning breeding season
- Using AI model

MODULE 4:
Weaning; 07/12/2023 – 1:30 to 5:00 pm

Instructors: Juliana Ranches and David Bohnert
Goals: this module will offer participants information about weaning practices and calf health, as well as information on replacement heifer selection and heifer development

Lecture Topics:
- Weaning strategies and preconditioning – Juliana Ranches
- Calf health and welfare – Juliana Ranches
- Replacement heifer selection and development – David Bohnert

Registration: The first edition of the EOARC Ranching Academy is a pilot program, and therefore, the registration fee will be waived. Online registration is required using the link or QR code: https://beav.es/RanchingAcademy

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